



Kent District Association Annual Show

Classes to be held on

Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th September 2025

at

Wingham Village Hall

School Lane

CT3 1BD

Judge - Mr Richard Hilson FNVS

Classes

- 1) Collection of 4 kinds of Vegetables, 3 of each kind, except Peas, Beans, Shallots & Cherry Tomatoes which must be 6. *The Cockney Cup*
- 2) 3 Blanch or Intermediate Leeks
- 3) "Five Kinds of Vegetables". One specimen of each to be staged in a frame measuring 15in x 15in, **frame supplied**
Each item to receive a maximum of 10 points.
- 4) 3 Carrots, Long Pointed, 3-inch tops
- 5) 3 Parsnips
- 6) 4 Potatoes, White
- 7) 4 Potatoes, Coloured
- 8) 3 Beetroot Globe. *The Brian Francis Torphy*
- 9) 3 Carrots, Stump Rooted, 3-inch tops. *The Alf Ashby Trophy*
- 10) 10 Exhibition Shallots. *The Brian Crust Trophy*
- 11) 10 Pickling Shallots, not to exceed 30mm in diameter
- 12) 5 Onions, 250g or Under
- 13) 5 Onions, Large Exhibition. *The Alan Mackey Challenge Shield*
- 14) 5 Medium Tomatoes, indoor grown
- 15) 9 Cherry Tomatoes, (Round)
- 16) 2 Cucumbers, indoor grown
- 17) 6 Runner Beans
- 18) 6 French Beans
- 19) 1 Heavy Onion. To be judged by weight. No more than 3-inch neck, single necked and in good condition. Untied. **staged on ring supplied**
- 20) Dish of one kind of Fruit, no foliage to be used **plate supplied**
3 Apples or Pears or 9 Berries or 5 Stone Fruit
- 21) Chilli plant in pot – pot not to exceed 20cm
- 22) A Pot Plant in Flower – Pot not to exceed 20cm
- 23) Collection of Herbs - minimum 3 cultivars - in a approx. 500g jam jar
- 24) Vase of Seasonal berries and/or seedheads – minimum 3 varieties
vase supplied
- 25) Vase of Mixed Flowers – maximum 10 stems **vase supplied**
- 26) 6 Fuchsia Blooms – any cultivar **container supplied**

- 27) Plot to Plate – using one kind of fruit or vegetable;
2 specimens of the vegetable or fruit, except for peas, beans,
cherry tomatoes, shallots and berries which must be 6
PLUS 1 jar of chutney OR preserve to include the vegetable / fruit
PLUS 1 baked item to include the vegetable / fruit.
– The vegetable/fruit on display must have been grown by exhibitor
Each item to receive a maximum of 10 points.

to occupy no more than 15" width

The Cockney Tray will be awarded to the best single dish in Classes 2 to 18

The Bert Park Trophy will be awarded for most points in Classes 2 to 18.

The Geoff Prior FNVS Perpetual Bowl will be awarded to the best dish of Tomatoes in Classes 14 and 15.

CONDITIONS OF SHOWING

- 1) Entry forms must be returned to the Show Secretary by Wednesday 10th September 2025.

NO LATE EXHIBITS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE

- 2) There are no entry fees to any of the classes.
- 3) The competition is open to all paid up members of the NVS or members of a society affiliated to the NVS.
- 4) Staging of exhibits from 6pm until 9pm Friday 12th September 2025 & 8:30am until 10:45 am on Saturday 13th September 2025.
- 5) Show to be judged by National Vegetable Society Rules.
- 6) No exhibit to be removed before 4pm on Sunday 14th September 2025.
- 7) Plates, Dishes, Vases, Containers, Sand and Frames are supplied by the D.A. for some of the Classes and MUST be used where specified.
- 8) Onions and Shallots to be tied with natural raffia only.
- 9) Protests of right to appeal by exhibitors.
All protests must be logged in writing with the Show Secretary within one hour of the Show opening.
A sum of £5 must also accompany any protest.
In any event of any dispute the Show Secretary's decision is final!
- 10) Trophies to be returned on Friday 12th or Saturday 13th September 2025

HANDLING OF EXHIBITS AFTER JUDGING IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN

