

GENERAL RULES

1. All exhibits to be staged by 10 a.m. on the morning of the show, or on the **FRIDAY** evening from 7 to 10 pm. All exhibits to **REMAIN STAGED** until 5.00pm. on the **SATURDAY**.
2. All Entries to be covered by Entry Fee of 20p, except Flower Garden Competition Entry Fee of 50p.
3. All exhibits must be made or grown by the exhibitor (except Floral Art Sections).
4. The Committee will exercise care with exhibits but will NOT be held responsible for accidents or anything lost. Cars are parked in the Show Car Park at the owner's risk.
5. THREE ENTRIES accepted in each class.
6. **Closing date for Entries is 8PM ON TUESDAY 5TH JULY. To be forwarded to the SECRETARY, to BRIDGE STORES, or via the WEBSITE.**
7. PRESERVES: (Pickles excluded from rule 7) Jars should be approx. 1 lb. (454g.) made of clear glass and free from all commercial/trade marks. Covers for jams, jellies and marmalades may be a wax disc and cellophane top, or a twist top (only), or a pliable press-on cover (only) with a traditional jam jar. Covers for Lemon Curd should be a wax disc and cellophane top only.
8. Prize money will be paid at 5.30pm.
9. The Committee reserves the right to visit any Garden/Greenhouse of an Exhibitor prior to the Show.
10. All vases and boards to be provided by the Exhibitor.
11. In the event of a tie for most points, most 1st prizes will be awarded a point.
12. In the event of a tie, winners of the Goonhavern W.I. Shields shall keep the award for an equal length of time. Exhibitors must write "Member of Goonhavern W.I." on Entry Forms.
13. **Winners of Perpetual Cups and Shields must give a written guarantee of safekeeping whilst held, and must return them to the Show Secretary 4 weeks before the date of the Show.**
14. The decisions of the Judges appointed by the Show Committee are FINAL.
15. Admission to the Show is free for Exhibitors who enter 10 or more entries.
16. **Exhibits not to have been entered previously at Goonhavern Show.**
17. **Novice Classes are confined to Exhibitors who have never won a first prize in an Open Section of any Show and do not earn their living in the class subject.**
18. HOMEMADE WINE SECTION: Rubber or plastic screw thread stoppers and PLAIN labels (2" x 3/4"/ 5 x 2 cm) on clear bottles 1" /2.5cm from base of bottle.
19. HANDICRAFT SECTION: Unworn articles only.
20. JUNIOR SECTION: School Handwriting entries to be pre-mounted on BLACK frieze paper spacing 3/4"/ 2cm overall, pasted or attached at TOP edge. Frieze paper cut at discretion of Committee to fit allocated space.
Handwriting, Art, Design and Collage Exhibits - NO CLASS CARDS to be used.
Name, age and School Letter to be printed UPSIDE DOWN on reverse of exhibit.
Junior Art & Design - work to be at the Village Hall by 12 noon Thursday.
CLASS CARDS WILL BE USED in other Junior Classes; Name, Age and Letter of School on REVERSE SIDE.
21. FLOWER GARDEN COMPETITIONS: Open to all private domestic properties within a five-mile radius of the Village Hall. Prizes will be awarded in two categories, large and small gardens. Classification will be at the judges' discretion. **Closing date for entry is one week prior to the Show to allow the judge to visit the gardens.**

ALL SWEET PEA CLASSES (Additional Rules)

- a. ONE entry allowed in Classes 1 to 5 inclusive but TWO entries accepted in Classes 6 to 9 inclusive.
- b. The use of wire or other support attached to the flower/spikes, or exhibiting with haulm attached will be disqualified. Reeds, grass or other material used in vases to facilitate arrangement must NOT appear above the rim of the vase. Sweet Pea foliage IS allowed above the top of the vase.