

HORTICULTURE

**ENTRIES CLOSE IN THIS SECTION ON
Tuesday 21st February, 2017**

LATE ENTRIES MAYBE ACCEPTED - Contact Head Steward

Head Steward: Willem Boon – 0447 041 940

Important to exhibitors:

1. Exhibits must be staged between 1.00pm and 6.00pm on Friday 24th February
2. Entry fee Sections A - I \$1.50
3. Entry fee Junior Section G, J-L \$0.75
4. All exhibits to be removed between 4.00 - 5.30pm on Sunday 26th February

RULES FOR THE HORTICULTURE SECTION

This show will be judged in accordance with the rules of The Australian Horticultural Judges' Association Inc., as listed in that association's Publication 'The Australian Horticultural Show and Judges Manual'.

The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry and in that event of such refusal it is not required to give a reason or explanation.

1. All stems ends must be below the water level in a vase or container.
2. A container is a vessel of any size or shape.
3. Own foliage is permitted in an exhibit unless otherwise stated.
4. Cut flowers must not include flowering shrubs, berries or creepers but may include roses or hydrangeas.
5. Wiring of flowers is permitted in the Floral Art Section
6. All exhibits must be grown by the exhibitor, except in the Floral Art Section.
7. Exhibitors must supply their own containers.
8. C.V.A. means colour variation allowed.
9. Exhibitors must be strictly amateurs except Open Class Floral Art
10. Distinct means separate clones or varieties.
11. Novice is open to those who have not won a First Prize for that section at any Horticulture Show.
12. All pot plants must be in the possession of the exhibitor for no less than 3 months prior to the show.
13. To assist in the staging of exhibits the Committee advises that where possible **ALL EXHIBITS SHOULD BE NAMED.**
14. Exhibitors **MUST STATE THE SIZE OF ANY EXHIBIT IF IT EXCEEDS 40CM** in any direction when lodging entry.

THE SOCIETY GRATEFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES THE FOLLOWING SPONSORS OF THE HORTICULTURE SECTION:

- **Berwick Potteries Pty Ltd**, Princes Highway, Officer, www.berwickpotteries.com.au
- **Oasis Horticulture Pty Ltd**, Sth Gippsland Highway, Cranbourne, www.oasisaustralia.com
- **Seasol International**, PO Box 160, Bayswater, www.seasol.com.au
- **Individual Flower Design**, Beaconsfield
- **OMy Restaurant**, Beaconsfield
- **Alameda Homestead Nursery**

SECTION: A VEGETABLES AND HERBS

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

All Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor

All Exhibits to be shown with Stalks

All Exhibits to be shown on a plate unless otherwise stated

Class

7001. One Pumpkin – any variety - no plate required
7002. One Marrow – any variety - no plate required
7003. Three ears of Sweet Corn - 1 or 2 husks to be pulled down and retained to expose content
7004. Three Carrots - to be shown with tops
7005. One bunch of Silverbeet in water - 5 leaves
7006. Three red beet – to be shown with tops
7007. Three Capsicums – to be shown with stalks
7008. Three Zucchini's – less than 25 cm
7009. Ten pods of Beans - any variety
7010. One Cucumber - apple
7011. One Cucumber - green
7012. Three Potatoes - brushed not washed
7013. Three Onions – any variety
7014. Ten Spring Onions – cut roots to approx 10mm
7015. Three Garlic – hardneck
7016. Three Garlic – softneck
7016. Rhubarb – Five stalks with 10 cm leaf - to be shown in water
7017. One bunch of Parsley - in water - any variety
7018. Any other vegetable
7019. Collection of Herbs in water - to be named - own choice of container/s - minimum of 5 herbs
7020. Collection of 5 Vegetables displayed in box or basket (one or more of each of the vegetables displayed)
7021. Three Tomatoes – ripe
7022. Three Tomatoes – green
7023. Ten Cherry Tomatoes - any variety - no larger than 30mm
7024. One Truss of 10 Tomatoes

FEATURE SECTION: AA

Class

- 7030 The heaviest Tomato

SECTION: B FRUIT

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

All Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor

All Exhibits to be shown with Stems

All Exhibits to be shown on a plate unless otherwise stated

Class

7051. Three Apples - any variety
7052. Three Pears - any variety
7053. Three Lemons - any variety
7054. Three Citrus Fruit - excluding lemons
7055. Five Passionfruit
7056. Three stone fruit - any variety
7057. Ten Olives
7058. One bunch of Grapes
7059. Any other fruit
7060. Collection of Fruit displayed in a box or basket (one or more of each of the fruit displayed)

SECTION: C

ROSES

\$25.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

All Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor

All Exhibits must be shown in container of water supplied by Exhibitor.

Class

- 7101. One Rose
- 7102. One variety of Rose in three stages of development – shown in one container. One Rose, full bloom – stamen must show
- 7103. One Rose, perfumed
- 7104. Three Roses, different varieties – full bloom
- 7105. One Container of Roses – mixed allowed
- 7106. One Container of Miniature Roses – colour variation allowed
- 7107. One stem of clustered flowered roses – must have multiple flowers

SECTION: D

CUT FLOWERS, TREES AND SHRUBS

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

All Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor

All Exhibits must be shown in container of water supplied by Exhibitor

Class

- 7151. One Head of Hydrangea
- 7152. One carnation
- 7153. One Gladioli spike
- 7154. One Marigold
- 7155. One single bloom – not otherwise mentioned
- 7156. One spike, head or truss of any flower
- 7157. One Pelargonium or Geranium - any variety - multiple flowers allowed
- 7158. One container of native flowers – one kind
- 7159. One Container of native foliage – one kind
- 7160. One Container of native foliage – different kinds
- 7161. One Container of native flowers and native foliage

SECTION: E

DAHLIAS

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

All Exhibits to be grown by Exhibitor

All Exhibits must be shown in container of water supplied by Exhibitor

Class

- 7201. One Dahlia over 160mm
- 7202. One Dahlia 120 - 160mm
- 7203. One Dahlia under 120mm
- 7204. One Cactus Dahlia
- 7205. One Ball Dahlia
- 7206. One Pompon Dahlia
- 7207. One container of mixed Dahlias

SECTION: F

POT PLANTS

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded for Best Exhibits.

MAXIMUM WIDTH OF DISPLAY 50CM

Exhibitors MUST STATE THE WIDTH OF THE EXHIBIT on entry form to assist with staging

Multiple planting of one kind allowed

Class

- 7301. One container of foliage plant/s– one kind (excluding begonias)
- 7302. One container of Begonia Rex
- 7303. One container of Begonia
- 7304. One container of Begonia in bloom
- 7305. One plant in bloom, one kind, excluding begonias
- 7306. One container of Fern Adiantum (Maiden hair)
- 7307. One container of Fern other than above
- 7308. One container of Bromeliad/s, one kind
- 7309. One container of African Violet, one kind
- 7310. One container of cactus/cacti – one variety
- 7311. One container of Succulent/s – other than cacti - one variety
- 7312. Collection of Succulents &/or Cacti in one container

- 7313. One container of Fuchsia
- 7314. One container of carnivorous plant
- 7315. One hanging container of Plant/s – one kind
- 7316. One hanging container of hanging plant/s – one kind

SECTION: G

BONSAI

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded for Best Exhibits in both

Open and Junior Section.

MAXIMUM WIDTH OF WHOLE DISPLAY 50CM

Exhibitors MUST STATE THE SIZE OF EXHIBIT on entry form to assist with staging

Display stands and mats can be use & 43d

OPEN SECTION

Class

- 7401. One Formal Upright Bonsai
- 7402. One Informal Upright Bonsai
- 7403. One Cascade Bonsai
- 7404. One semi cascade Bonsai
- 7405. One root-over-rock or clinging-to -rock Bonsai
- 7406. One Saikei Bonsai

JUNIOR SECTION (18 and under)

Class

- 7411. One Bonsai – any style

SECTION: H

FLORAL ART

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section

Exhibitors to state the approx size of the exhibit on entry form

Class

- 7501. An arrangement of Foliage- embellishments optional
- 7502. Celebrate Life on the Farm.
- 7503. Striking but Simple
- 7504. Lest We Forget
- 7505. A dried arrangement
- 7506. An arrangement featuring weathered wood.
- 7507. An arrangement in a basket or box for special occasion - please state occasion
- 7508. A petite arrangement 10cm - 23cm in any direction
- 7509. 1 posy of Flowers - foliage allowed
- 7510. A Tussie Mussie - posy using flowers and herbs

SECTION: I

FAMILY FUN - SCARECROW OR WHEELBARROW COMPETITION

Voucher and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and Encouragement Awards

Scarecrow

This should be lifesize, wearing a hat, arms outstretched and wearing bright clothes. Exhibit needs to be self supporting eg. be attached to a pole, stand or weighted base (concealed preferred). This should be a fresh looking exhibit.

Class

- 7601. Scarecrow

Decorated Wheelbarrow

The wheelbarrow should look appealing to the eye. It should be planted with living plants. Additional items can be added to enhance the overall appeal.

Class

- 7602. Wheelbarrow

SECTION: J
JUNIOR EXHIBITORS

SECTION: J
13 TO 18 YEARS

\$20.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and \$10.00 Encouragement award

Class

- 7701. An arrangement in a cup
- 7702. An arrangement in a basket or box for special occasion - please state occasion
- 7703. Miniature Garden – container not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7704. Picture using horticultural material - not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7705. Novelty using fruit and/or vegetable – toothpicks allowed, exhibit not to exceed 35 cm x 35 cm
- 7706. 1 posy of Flowers - foliage allowed
- 7707. Floral Saucer using wet sand

SECTION: J
10 TO 12 YEARS

\$20.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and \$10.00 Encouragement award

Class

- 7711. An arrangement in a basket or box for special occasion - please state occasion
- 7712. Novelty using fruit and/or vegetable – toothpicks allowed, exhibit not to exceed 35cm x 35cm
- 7713. Miniature Garden – container not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7714. Picture using horticultural material – not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7715. Necklace using horticultural material – string and glue allowed
- 7716. Potato Person
- 7717. Floral Carpet – constructed in a shoebox lid or on a polystyrene tray – exhibit not to exceed 35cm x 35cm
- 7718. A Farm Scene using some horticultural material - exhibit not to exceed 35cm x 35cm

SECTION: J
7 – 9 YEARS

\$20.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and \$10.00 Encouragement award

Class

- 7721. An arrangement in a recycled container
- 7722. Novelty using fruit and/or vegetable – toothpicks allowed, exhibit not to exceed 35cm x 35cm
- 7723. Miniature Garden – container not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7724. Picture using horticultural material – not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7725. Use horticultural material as a fashion accessory eg. necklace, hat, broach etc – string and glue allowed
- 7726. Potato Person
- 7727. Decorated Saucer in wet sand
- 7728. Bowl of floating flowers – container not to exceed 25cm x 25cm

SECTION: J
6 YEARS AND UNDER

\$20.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and \$10.00 Encouragement award

Class

- 7731. An arrangement in a shoe/boot
- 7732. Novelty using fruit and/or vegetable – toothpicks allowed, exhibit not to exceed 35cm x 35cm
- 7733. Miniature Garden – container not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7734. Picture using horticultural material – not to exceed 30cm x 30cm
- 7735. Bracelet using horticultural material – string and glue allowed
- 7736. Pet Rock
- 7737. Decorated Saucer in wet sand

SECTION: K
VEGETABLES FOR JUNIOR EXHIBITORS

18 AND UNDER

\$20.00 and Rosette will be awarded to the Best Exhibit in this Section and \$10.00 Encouragement award

Class

- 7801. One pumpkin - any variety
- 7802. Three zucchinis less than 25 centimetres - displayed on a plate
- 7803. One bunch of parsley - in water - any variety
- 7804. Three tomatoes - ripe - displayed on a plate
- 7805. Ten cherry tomatoes - displayed on plate
- 7806. Ten pods of Beans - any variety - displayed on plate
- 7807. Any other vegetable

SECTION L

POT PLANTS FOR JUNIOR EXHIBITORS

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MAXIMUM WIDTH OF DISPLAY 50CM

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Multiple planting of one kind allowed

Class

- 7851. One container of plant in bloom, one kind.
- 7852. One container of plant not in bloom, one kind
- 7853. One container of succulents or Cacti – one variety

SECTION M

EGGS

All eggs to be displayed by 10am on Saturday 25th February

All eggs must be fresh. All eggs must be displayed in half cartons.

All eggs must be from domestic poultry.

Junior exhibitor entries accepted – please note on entry form.

Class

- 7901. Six hen eggs, white
- 7902. Six hen eggs, Brown
- 7903. Six hen eggs, tinted
- 7904. Six eggs, bantam
- 7905. Six Duck eggs

BEST EXHIBIT IN OPEN SECTIONS A-I

Voucher & Rosette

BEST EXHIBIT IN JUNIOR SECTIONS

G, J, K and L

Voucher & Rosette