

Gloucestershire Federation of Gardening Societies

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Open Chrysanthemum & Dahlia Show Sunday 15th September 2024

Open to Public 1 - 4 pm

At

Dundry Nurseries
Bamfurlong Lane
Cheltenham, Gloucestershire
GL51 6SL

www.dundrynurseries.co.uk

www.gfgs.org.uk

SHOW RULES

- 1 - All exhibits must have grown by the exhibitor.
- 2 - Bikini Vases are available but please reserve them on the entry form.
- 3 - One entry per class.
- 4 - RHS Show rules apply as per RHS Horticultural Show Handbook 8th edition 2016.
- 5 - The hall will be cleared of all exhibitors 15 minutes before judging.
- 6 - The Judging will be by approved Judges and the judge's decision is final.
- 7 - Dundry Nurseries will be open for staging on Sunday 15th September 2024 from 8.00am until 9.45am. Judging will commence at 10.00am, exhibitors must leave the show area to allow Judging to start promptly.
- 8 - No exhibits to be removed until after show closes to the public.
- 9 - Whilst all care will be taken the organising committee (GFGS), does not hold liable for any loss, injury or damage to any persons or exhibits at the competition.
- 10 - As this is the first show, there is no entry fee.
We will be awarding prize money/certificates for all class winners and Banksian medal for overall Champion (Most points).
- 11 - Entries to be returned by Wednesday 11th September 2024 to
23 St Edwards Road, Stow on the Wold, Cheltenham, Glos. GL541AP
or email chrysanthemumanddahliashow@gfgs.org.uk

For more information on showing and classification of chrysanthemums & dahlias
the following websites may be of help

National Chrysanthemum Society - www.chrysanthemum-ncs.org
National Dahlia Society - www.dahlia-nds.co.uk
Chrysanthemums Direct - www.chrysanthemumsdirect.co.uk

NOTES

Dahlia sizes

Medium – blooms between 150 and 200mm in diameter

Small – blooms between 100 and 150mm in diameter

Miniature – blooms not exceeding 100mm in diameter

Dahlia Schedule

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| Class 1 | Decorative - Medium
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 2 | Decorative - Small
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 3 | Decorative - Miniature
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 4 | Cactus - Medium
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 5 | Cactus - Small
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 6 | Cactus - Miniature
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 7 | Semi Cactus - Medium
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 8 | Semi Cactus - Small
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 9 | Semi Cactus - Miniature
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 10 | Ball - Small
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 11 | Ball - Miniature
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 12 | Waterlily
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 13 | Any Other Blooms - Not listed above
One vase, three stems. |
| Class 14 | <u>Three Vase Class</u>
Three Vases, three stems, one variety per vase. |

Chrysanthemum Schedule

- Class 15 Reflex - Large or Medium
One vase, three stems.
- Class 16 Intermediate - Large or Medium
One vase, three stems.
- Class 17 Incurve - Large or Medium
One vase, three stems.
- Class 18 Sprays - Natural or Exhibition
One vase, three stems.
- Class 19 Any Other Blooms - Not listed above
One vase, three stems.
- Class 20 Three Vase Class
Three Vases, three stems, one variety per vase.

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2024 OPEN CHRYSANTHEMUM & DAHLIA SHOW - ENTRY FORM

All entries must go to Show Secretary in writing, by email or telephone. No entry fees required.

ONE ENTRY PER CLASS.

Please draw a circle around the classes you wish to enter

DAHLIA CLASSES: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14

CHRYSANTHEMUM CLASSES: 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20

Bikini Vases are available but please reserve them on this entry form.

I would like to reserve _____ vases please.

I have read the rules and undertake to comply with them.

PLEASE PRINT BELOW:

Exhibitor's name and address including postcode & telephone contact number please.

Send entries to: The Show Secretary, Chris Small

23 St Edwards Road, Stow on the Wold,

Cheltenham, Glos. GL54 1AP

or by email to chrysanthemumanddahliashow@gfgs.org.uk

or telephone 07702 425554