

2019 PROGRAMME

March 20th MEMBERS'S SPRING SHOW - Jackie Petherbridge will be judging our Show again this year.

April 17th Dr Anne & Mr John Bebbington - 'How butterflies and moths use colour'. An illustrated talk. Our speakers are insect and plant experts.

May 15th Susannah Applegate - 'Peonies and Irises'. An illustrated talk.

Saturday May 18th Club outing to Spetchley Park Gardens, Worcs. A 30 acre Victorian garden with a collection of plant treasures from around the world. The coach will leave the village at 9.15 am.

June 19th Garden walk. 6 pm start. Members and their guests are invited to enjoy the gardens of members in Pill.

July 17th Chris Sperring - 'Birdsong identification'. A talk from our local naturalist / broadcaster/ writer and wildlife photographer.

Saturday August 3rd MEMBERS' ANNUAL SHOW
Angela Dill will be our judge. Please enter to ensure our Show maintains its very high standard.

Sept 18th Paul Green - 'Plants of the season' Paul runs a specialist plants nursery, Green Sleeves Nursery, in Gloucester. He will give a practical demonstration on the merits/ vices of plants, propagation, pruning and best use in the garden.

Saturday Sept 21st Club outing to Dyffryn House & Gardens, Vale of Glamorgan. A National Trust grade 1 listed garden featuring formal lawns, garden rooms, an arboretum & restored glass house. The coach will leave the village at 9 am.

Oct 16th Charlie Clarke - 'Care of Bougainvilleas'. Charlie will bring a selection of plants and advise on the best way of growing this colourful species.

Nov 20th David Moon - 'Gardens of the rich and famous'. By popular request, David is returning to give us another illustrated presentation to lighten an autumn evening.

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Jan 15th Chris Smith - 'The Edible Garden'. Chris, of Pennard Plants, last spoke to the club in 2012. We welcome his return.

Feb 19th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING A brief business meeting then time to socialise and have a look at each other's gardening photographs.