

A GUIDEBOOK TO

**IXWORTH VILLAGE HALL
1st ANNUAL
FLOWER & VEGETABLE
SHOW**

SUNDAY 24th JULY 2011

IN THE VILLAGE HALL – DOORS OPEN AT 2PM

All of this years classes and entry forms can be found in our library local shops or sent via email. Entry forms must be returned by July 14th to 18 high St Ixworth. Late entries can be made at an additional cost of 20p per entry.

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WHAT HAPPENS ON THE DAY

On the morning of the show the village hall will be open from 9am until 10.30 for you to bring your entries. A committee member will write out an entry card for each of your exhibits before you stage them. After 10.30 the doors will be closed and the judging begins so no further entries can be accepted. The doors reopen at 2pm for you to see how your entries have fared and of course to view the other exhibits and enjoy a cake and a cup of tea.

At 4pm, the certificates and cups will be awarded. All classes have Rosettes to 3rd place gaining points and each category has a Trophy awarded to the highest amount of points accumulated to 1 person in that category.

Entry fees are per exhibit.

Adults £1

Children 14 and under 50p

Under 5s are free.

**ALL TROPHIES TO BE RETURNED
TO THE VILLAGE HALL BY JUNE 2012**

THE JIGGENS MEMORIAL CLASSES
Open to the parishes of
Ixworth, Ixworth Thorpe & Bardwell

GUIDANCE NOTES ON ALL CLASSES

CLASS 1-9

HOME GROWN FLOWERS & PLANTS IN VASE
THE HENDERSON TROPHY

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 1-9

- class 1 Rose, single HT.**
- class 2 Roses, floribunda 3 sprays.**
- class 3 Annuals 5 stems can be mixed variety.**
- class 4 Sweet Peas 5 stems can be mixed colours.**
- class 5 Dahlias 3 stems only one variety.**
- class 6 Pinks 5 stems.**
- class 7 Perennials, Herbaceous 3 stems 1 variety.**
- class 8 Summer flowering bulbs single stem.**
- class 9 Shrub flowering 3 stems from 1 plant.**

- . Entries from classes 1-9 must all be home grown.**
- . Where possible avoid using stems with dead heads**
- . Try to avoid using damaged or blemished flowers**
- . Sweet peas judged on straight stems and max flowers**
- . Dahlias judged on uniformity of flower shape and size
blemish free blooms and straight stems.**

Classes 10-29

Home Grown Produce

THE IXWORTH GARDEN ASSOCIATION TROPHY

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 10-29

- class 10 Potatoes, 5 same variety and size.**
- class 11 Carrots, 5 same variety foliage trimmed to 5 inches and tied**
- class 12 Peas 5, pods same variety**
- class 13 Cabbage, 1 single head**
- class 14 Onions 3 grown from sets, pulled from garden and tied in a bunch**
- class 15 Shallots 5, tops tied over and set in sand on plate**
- class 16 French Beans, Dwarf, 5 same variety and size**
- class 17 Runner Beans, 5 same variety and size**
- class 18 Sweet Corn, 3 same variety and size with hair**
- class 19 Any other vegetable not listed in classes 10-29**
- class 20 Courgettes, 3 displayed with flowers attached**
- class 21 Tomatoes, 5 on stalk same size and variety**
- class 22 Lettuce, 1 head**
- class 23 Beetroot 3 tops cut to 5 inches and tied plated**
- class 24 Cucumbers, 3 same size shape and variety**
- class 25 Rhubarb, 5 sticks foliage trimmed to 9 inches**
- class 26 Raspberries, 10 on a plate with stalks**
- class 27 Gooseberries, 10 on a plate with stalks**
- class 28 Any other fruit not listed in classes 10-29**
- class 29 Eggs, 6 in egg box same variety and colour.
Home produced only so know you hen.**

- . All produce to be home grown**
- . Any variety may be grown unless otherwise stated.**
- . Produce should be displayed on table unless otherwise stated that a plate or other vessel should be used.**
- . Where produce is grouped, size and shape to be as uniform as possible and skins should be unblemished.**
- . Judges will be looking for uniformity, colour and freshness.**
- . All exhibits may be cut into during judging.**
- . Peas and Beans are some times tasted for freshness and should be straight and identical in size and have some stalk attached.**
- . Foliage should not be incorporated into the display unless otherwise stated.**
- . Raffia or Bass ties look good but any material will do.**
- . With fruit it is all about size. The bigger the better but must not have gone over.**
- . Eggs are judged using 5 categories. Presentation including even colour, Shell quality, Even egg size, Quality of egg yolk, Quality of albumen, which should be firm. An egg will be broken to hit this criteria.**

Remember it is also about presentation.

Class 30-38

COOKERY

THE WOMENS INSTITUTE TROPHY

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 30-38

- class 30 Home made marmalade. ½ 1b 200g jar**
- class 31 Home made jam. ½ 1b 1b 200g jar**
- class 32 Home made chutney. ½ 1b 200g jar**
- class 33 Home made fruit cake on a plate**
- class 34 Home made fruit scones 5 on a plate**
- class 35 Home made cheese straws 5 on a plate**
- class 36 Home made white loaf**
- class 37 Home made wholemeal loaf**
- class 38 Home made Gingerbread Man, under 14s**

- . This year your own recipes can be used.**
- . Jam and marmalade kits not permitted.**
- . Exterior of jam jars should be clean.**
- . A label stating type of preserve is sufficient no date required.**
- . All jam marmalade and chutney will be tasted.**
- . Any type of lid is permitted, metal, wax, disc or plastic.**
- . Cheddar cheese to be used in the cheese straws.**
- . Bread loaves can be machine made or handmade please state which.**
- . The Gingerbread Man is for 14 & under only and will be judged on biscuit texture and decoration.**

Class 39-40

PHOTOGRAPHY

THE IXWORTH PHOTOGRAPHIC CHALLENGE TROPHY

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 39-40

class 39 My pet max 6 x 8 inches mounted on card

**class 40 Highways and Byways max 6 x 8 inches
mounted on card.**

- . Colour, monochrome and sepia are all permitted.**
- . Maximum photography dimensions are 6 x 8 inches.**
- . Mounting card can be any colour and maximum A4.**

Classes 41-43

FLOWER ARRANGING

THE WOMENS INSTITUTE TROPHY

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 41-45

**class 41 Flower arrangement miniature 4 inches and
under**

**class 42 Flower arrangement standard 12 inches and
under**

class 43 Flower arrangement in a tea cup and saucer.

- . Wild flowers must not be used since they must not be picked.**
- . Flowers can be shop bought for all flower arranging classes**
- . All flower arrangement dimensions include vase and are all square. 4X4x4 or 12x12x12**
- . Remember to keep within stated dimensions**
- . Any foliage can be used.**

Class 44-46

**UNDER 5s
THE UNDER 5s TROPHY**

Awarded to most points accumulated in classes 43-45

class 44 Mr cress head in a painted egg cup

class 45 Funny face biscuits, 3 on a plate

**class 46 Model animal made from fruit and vegetables
8 x 8 inch maximum.**

- . Please state the age of child on each entry.**

THE CHARLES JIGGENS MEMORIAL TROPHY

Will be awarded to what is considered by all judges to be the best exhibit in the show.

LIST OF JUDGES

CLASSES 1-9	IXWORTH GARDENING CLUB
CLASSES 10-29	IXWORTH GARDENING CLUB
CLASSES 30-38	IXWORTH WI
CLASSES 39-40	BURY FREE PRESS
CLASSES 41-43	IXWORTH WI
CLASSES 43-46	LORD DARTH VADER.

ENTRY FEES

ADULT £1.00

CHILDREN 50p (14 and under)

UNDER 5s FREE

