

GRAVESEND & ROCHESTER AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

PLOUGHING MATCH to be held on SATURDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 2017
At NEWLANDS FARM, STATION ROAD, CLIFFE, ROCHESTER, KENT ME3 7RU
By kind permission of Mr Peter Tickle & Mr Richard Filmer, Allens Hill Farms Limited

COMPETITIONS SCHEDULE 2017

ENTRY FORMS CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM OUR WEBSITE: www.graa.org.uk
AND ARE AVAILABLE FROM ALL MEMBERS OF THE LADIES COMMITTEE

CHAIR LADY Mrs Catherine Gore assisted by: Mrs L. Lingham, Mrs S. Bucknall, Mrs S Humphreys, Mrs C Bucknall, Mrs K Gummer, Mrs E King, Mrs A Brown, Miss E Houghton and Miss E Wright

JUDGES	COOKERY	JO PENHALIGAN	CRAFT	SUSAN DANE
	FLOWERS	LIZ JARDINE	ART	GAIL PENNY
	VEGETABLES	PETER TICKLE		

PRIZES SPONSORED BY FRANCIS ILES, A C GOATHAM & SONS and LILLECHURCH FARMS

COOKERY SECTION:

- CLASS 1 5 identical canapes
- CLASS 2 3 mini quiches
- CLASS 3 A focaccia loaf
- CLASS 4 A scotch egg
- CLASS 5 A jar of chutney or savoury marmalade (*please specify main ingredient*)
- CLASS 6 A lemon drizzle cake
- CLASS 7 3 cupcakes
- CLASS 8 A cheesecake
- CLASS 9 An apple crumble
- CLASS 10 A jar of jam, jelly or marmalade (*not curd*) (*Please specify fruit*)
- CLASS 11 A fruit curd (*Please specify fruit*)
- CLASS 12 A homemade fruit gin (*To be judged by the host*)
- CLASS 13 A homemade fruit spirit- **NOT GIN** (*To be judged by the host*)
- CLASS 14 5 pieces of chocolate brownie - **MEN ONLY**

CRAFT SECTION:

ALL CRAFT ENTRIES NOT TO HAVE BEEN EXHIBITED AT THIS SHOW BEFORE – AMATEUR ENTRANTS ONLY PLEASE

- CLASS 15 A floral arrangement depicting a musical, can use accessories
- CLASS 16 A table arrangement in a teapot
- CLASS 17 A vase of garden flowers & foliage
- CLASS 18 3 specimen blooms
- CLASS 19 An item of craft. i.e. Pottery, Jewellery, Metalwork, Woodwork
- CLASS 20 An upcycled item
- CLASS 21 An item of textile craft i.e. Cross stitch, Tapestry, Embroidery etc
- CLASS 22 An item of lacework
- CLASS 23 An item of crochet or knitting
- CLASS 24 A painting or drawing
- CLASS 25 A photograph – 'It wasn't me' to be mounted on A4 paper for display purposes

- CLASS 26 A photograph – ‘Patterns in Nature’ to be mounted on A4 paper for display purposes
- CLASS 27 A selection of **fresh home-grown garden vegetables or fruit.** (*At least 3 different kinds of fruits and vegetables*)
Maximum size W70 x L70

CHILDREN'S CORNER (MINIMUM HELP FROM ADULTS PLEASE!) Age 16 and under

- CLASS 28 Farmyard Fun – A painting, drawing or collage Age 6-9
- CLASS 29 Art in any medium. Age 10-16 years
- CLASS 30 Potato printing Age 5 and under
- CLASS 31 A Lego vehicle (not made from a kit)
- CLASS 32 A vegetable animal
- CLASS 33 A photograph – Water fun
- CLASS 34 5 butterfly cakes
- CLASS 35 5 cheese straws
- CLASS 36 A decorated flower pot
- CLASS 37 A piece of craftwork in any medium. Under 9 years (**No larger than 35cm x 35cm**)
- CLASS 38 A piece of craftwork in any medium 10-16 years (**No larger than 35cm x 35cm**)
- CLASS 39 An egg box (6 egg sized) filled with treasures found on a country walk (**No live creatures please!**)

CLASSES MAYBE SPLIT ACCORDING TO AGE AND NUMBER OF ENTRIES

FAMILY CLASSES – FOR ALL THE FAMILY AS A GROUP

- CLASS 40 A carved pumpkin (please contact www.pyopumpkins.com for your free pumpkin)
- CLASS 41 A birthday cake (judged on taste and decoration)

RULES:

- (a) **ALL EXHIBITS TO BE STAGED BY 9.45 AM SHARP. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED WITH CLASS NUMBER AND NAME. Children's ages should be stated on the entry form.**
- (b) **Entry fee £1 for each entry in each adult class. Children's entries 50 pence. Group entry £2.00**
- (c) **The organisers will not be responsible for any loss or damage.**
- (d) **ALL COOKERY ITEMS TO BE COVERED IN CLING FILM & LABELLED (NOT WITH NAME) PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT THE MATCH**

TROPHIES:

- The Long Cup to be awarded to the exhibitor obtaining the most points in the craft classes 19-23
- The Sue Batchelor Bowl to be awarded for the best flower arrangement. Class 15
- The Janet Batchelor Salver to be awarded to the exhibitor obtaining the most points in the cookery classes 1 - 11
- The Brompton Farm Play Barn Trophy to be awarded to exhibitor obtaining most overall points.
- The Ian Bett Trophy to be awarded to the child obtaining the most number of points.
- The Jo Beslee Bowl to be awarded to the household obtaining the most points.

PLEASE NOTE: COMPETITION SCHEDULES CAN BE DOWNLOADED AT www.graa.org.uk
 ENTRIES MAY BE PAID FOR ON THE DAY OF THE MATCH BUT PLEASE TELEPHONE OR POST ALL ENTRIES TO:
 MRS LARA LINGHAM, PADDLESWORTH FARMHOUSE, SNODLAND, KENT, ME6 5DR TELEPHONE 01634 240492,
 OR EMAIL TO graacompetitions@gmail.com **NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY 20th SEPTEMBER 2017.**

PRIZES	ADULTS	1 st	£5.00.	2 nd	£3.00	3 rd	£2.00.	(Some prizes may be given as vouchers)
	CHILDREN	1 st	£2.50.	2 nd	£1.50.	3 rd	£1.00.	
	GROUP	Prizes will be awarded						

CHARITY DONATIONS WERE SENT FROM THE ASSOCIATION TO TEAM CHARLIE, RABI, JESKYNS YFC & KENT AIR AMBULANCE. OUR CHARITY FOR 2017 IS FARM COMMUNITY NETWORK AND KENT AIR AMBULANCE.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE YOUR ENTRIES PLEASE INDICATE YOUR INTENTION ON YOUR ENTRY FORM AND ANY MONEY RECEIVED WILL BE FORWARDED TO THE CHARITY LISTED ABOVE.