

EVENT PROGRAMME

THE 114TH

CHIPSTEAD VILLAGE FLOWER SHOW & FAIR

A fun-filled day out for all the family at Elmore, Chipstead, CR5 3SB

By kind permission of Revd. John Wates OBE and Mrs Carol Wates

SATURDAY 12 JULY 2025, 12-5:00PM

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We are once again incredibly fortunate to be holding this year's event at Elmore, in the heart of Chipstead Village. This is only possible by the continued support of John and Carol Wates, who have generously allowed us to use their beautiful garden for the enjoyment of our community, over many years.

The highlight of the day will of course be the main marquee, showcasing hundreds of wonderful and original entries. The entries are at the heart of our Show and we encourage you all to enter an exhibit or two. They are a terrific way to be part of the Show, so make sure you start growing, baking, painting and creating soon!

I would like to thank Steve Vincent and the South London Harriers for once again running the ever-popular Elmore 7 Run and we hope the race will remain a key fixture in the Summer running calendar for all the family to enjoy.

I wish to thank the Committee, all of whom continue to work tirelessly to organise this event, alongside the dedicated volunteers to whom we are very grateful. We are always on the lookout for more should you wish to get involved!

I hope you will join us on Saturday 12 July to experience our wonderful Chipstead hospitality, as well as some exciting new attractions.

I look forward to seeing you all!



What's on

All day activities

- There's a variety of stalls to pick up goodies for yourself and your family
- Take in the Elmore views with some of our Strawberries & Fizz on the lower lawn
- · Meet the farm animals
- · Have a crocodile encounter
- · Children's face painting
- See the stilt walker and learn some circus skills
- Children's games in the main ring
- Enjoy The Surrey Show Choir performances

- · Children's fun fair
- · Phoenix band performances
- Get your raffle ticket for a chance to win some amazing prizes
- Classic & vintage cars
- Enjoy tea with home made cakes, sandwiches, and other treats in our Tea Tent
- You'll find more refreshments in our Pimms & Beer Tent and the BBQ grill
- · Ice cream van
- Circus workshops.



Timed events during the day*

- 12:00pm gate opens
- Punch and Judy shows
- 12:00pm Tea Tent, Pimms & Beer Tent and BBQ grill opens
- 12:00pm Strawberries & Fizz served on the lower lawn
- 12:30pm and 2:00pm lkebana workshop with Irene. Create your own arrangement based on the principles of Japanese flower arranging.**
- 2:00pm Grand Marquee opens
- 2:10pm South London Harriers race starts

- Plant doctor sessions
- Willow weaving workshops with, Lorraine & Debbie from Hedges & Hurdles**
 1:00-2:00pm make a flower crown
 2:30-3:30pm make a dream catcher
 3:30pm make a bird feeder
- · 4:15pm Elmore 7 prizegiving
- · 4:30pm prizegiving and raffle draw
- 7:45pm evening event, see page 8.
 Tickets purchased in advance.
- *See our website for more time updates in May.
- ** Suitable for adults and children over 10 years.





Food and drinks

Tea Tent

A warm welcome awaits with a huge variety of sandwiches, ploughman's lunches, savoury pastries, home-made cakes, brownies and cream teas with homemade scones. Accompanied by a cup of tea or coffee or choose from a wide selection of soft drinks.

Many thanks to St Margaret's Church, the Scouts and Chipstead Volunteers for their help in supporting the Tea Tent.

Strawberries & Fizz

Enjoy the spectacular views from the lower lawn whilst sipping a chilled glass of pink or white Prosecco accompanied by a bowl of fresh strawberries and cream.







Barbeque grill

Sizzling burgers and hot dogs plus veggie options. Kindly sponsored by Chapman & Son butchers of Tadworth and Greg White of Chipstead Village.

Beer Tent

Relax with an ice cold drink from our well-stocked Beer Tent, where you'll find beers, ciders, Pimms, wine, and a wide variety of soft drinks to quench your thirst.

Any profits go towards supporting
The Chipstead Village Flower Show & Fair.









Chipstead Village Flower Show & Fair



Saturday, 12 July 2025, 7:45-11:00pm

Join us in the marquee, for a fantastic, fun-filled night and pit your wits against Chipstead's finest minds!

- Complimentary glass of fizz on arrival
 - Fish and Chip Supper
 Raffle
 - Quiz + prizes.

Bring your own drinks and glasses. Individual places or tables up to 8 available.

Tickets £30 per person





THE GRAPE VARIETY

The Grape Variety, Chipstead are the proud sponsor of both the Quiz and the Welcome Drink.

Ticket Order Form

Payment by cheque (tickets £30 per person): £

Please email your completed form to rosemaryjselfe@gmail.com and make your payment by BACS to: Chipstead Flower Show, sort code: 40-18-44, account no: 81067605, reference: "Evening" and your name. Alternatively you can post your completed form to: Mrs R Selfe, Chesterwood, 1 Hollymead Road, Chipstead, CR5 3LQ along with a cheque made payable to Chipstead Flower Show Association, to arrive no later than Monday 7th July, 2025.

Name	
Email	
Number of tickets (max 8 guests per table)	
Payment by BACS (tickets £30 per person): £	

Please include the names of your guests – noting any vegetarians, food allergies or dietry requests – in your email or on a separate sheet (if sending by post).





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MINIS & JUNIORS (7 - 16)
GIRLS TOUCH RUGBY (7 - 16)
CHIPMUNKS (4 - 6)











Prices and Policies

All prices shown are per person.

Full admission policies can be found on our website.

General admission

• 18 years and over: £7.50

• Under 18 years: £5.00

• Under 5 years: Free

Activities & Workshops

Tickets available on the day from the relevant stalls.

• Face painting: £5.00

 Join us for a workshop in the art of Japanese flower arranging – Ikebana: £12.00 (including arrangement).

We do not use oasis but practice an eco-friendly way of anchoring plant material.
Suitable for all ages above 10 years old.

Times: 12:30 and 2:00pm.

- Willow weaving workshop with Hedges & Hurdles.
 - Wattle hurdle demonstrations and hedge laying talks.

Make a flower crown: £15.00Make a dream catcher: £15.00

- Make a bird feeder: £6.00

Evening Quiz Night tickets

• £30.00 per person

The party continues into the evening with a Quiz Night. Come individually or make up a table. For tickets and payment details, please see the Ticket Order Form on page 9.





South London Harriers SLH ELMORE 7

Saturday 12th July 2025 14:00

7 Mile Road Race

On undulating country roads including start/finish in the grounds of "Elmore" home to The Chipstead Flower Show.



Surrey Road League 2025 fixture
Race HQ:

Chipstead Rugby Club, High Road, Chipstead, CR5 3SB.

Entries: www.sportsystems.co.uk Affiliated Runner £20.00/£22.00 on day Unaffiliated Runner £22.00/£24.00 on day



Every entry helps support the Chipstead Flower Show and all runners receive free entry to the Show

www.southlondonharriers.org

UKA Race Licence: 2025-29253



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Our key team members

There wouldn't be a Flower Show & Fair without the many people behind the scenes who donate their time and effort every year to help stage the event. Alongside the committee, the Flower Show is run by a dedicated number of volunteers to whom we are very grateful. We are always on the lookout for more! So if you have some time to spare, and would like to get involved in this amazing and long-standing community event please email Rowland Cheall at: chairman@chipsteadflowershow.co.uk

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- 1 Pedestrian entrance
- 2 Bar & barbeque
- 3 SLH Elmore 7 run
- 4 Flower Show marquee
- 5 Fairground
- The entertainment ring
- 7 Classic & vintage cars
- 8 Band and Show Choir

- 9 Tea Tent
- 10 Punch & Judy
- 11 Strawberries & Fizz
- 12 Toilets
- 13 First aid
- 14 Parking
- 15 Disabled parking

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Marquee competitions

RHS RHS

To enter a competition, please complete the entry form online at www.chipsteadflowershow.co.uk, or on page 43 of this programme. The closing date for all marquee entries is Monday 7th July.

SECTION A

Vegetables and fruit

All entries should be displayed clean with no soil. It is permissable to stand produce in water if the weather is hot.

The Norman Wates Memorial Trophy

CLASS NW First prize: £25. Second prize: £15. Third prize: £10. A display of eight or less cut flowers of any one variety or five kinds of vegetables, in a pot or vase, not exceeding 20cm diameter. Arranged in a space not exceeding 120cm in width. Number specified on page 24. Winner in 2024: Not awarded

The Mrs M.I. Wates Trophy

CLASS MIW Awarded to an exhibit of outstanding merit in Sections A or B. Winner in 2024: Not awarded

CLASS 1 A plate of five potatoes, white or coloured (one named variety).

CLASS 2 One variety of any greenhouse grown vegetable or fruit. Number specified on page 24.

CLASS 3 Two cabbages, with stalks not less than 7.5cm long. No roots.

CLASS 4 Three carrots of any one variety, with 7.5cm tops.

CLASS 5 One of your most outstanding vegetables or fruit (please name). Foliage trimmed to approx 7.5cm.

CLASS 6 Four cylindrical or globe beetroot (named). Foliage trimmed to approx 7.5cm.

CLASS 7 Five onions grown from set, trimmed but *not skinned*.

CLASS 8 Nine bean pods, all of one kind (excluding broad beans).

CLASS 9 Nine edamame beans.

The Forsberg Rhubarb Trophy

CLASS 10 Three sticks of rhubarb. Show base and leaf blades trimmed to approx. 7 5cm

Winner in 2024: Karen Chiqnell

CLASS 11 Twelve shallots.





CLASS 12 Six perpetual spinach leaves or chard leaves of one variety.

CLASS 13 Two lettuce leaves, with stalks. Any variety.

CLASS 14 Three courgettes. Long approx 15cm length, round cultivars approx 7.5cm diameter. Show flowers if possible and match fruit.

The Forsberg Compost Trophy

CLASS 15 A seed tray of sieved homemade compost. Winner in 2024: Karen Chiqnell

CLASS 16 A plate of three different vegetables.

CLASS 17 Nine pods of peas of uniform size, showing flowers if possible.

CLASS 18 Nine pods of mangetout or sugarsnap peas of uniform size, showing flowers if possible.

CLASS 19 Four named culinary herbs, one sprig of each named, shown in individual containers.

CLASS 20 Twenty raspberries, with stalks, on a plate.

CLASS 21 Soft, outdoor fruit (not raspberries or blackcurrants) to be shown with sprigs/stalks. Number specified on page 24.

CLASS 22 Collection of three different kinds of outdoor fruit (red, black and white currants acceptable) on different plates. To be shown with sprigs/stalks. Number specified on page 24.

The Flower Show Trophy/Jubilee Cup CLASS FS Awarded to an exhibit of outstanding merit in Classes 1–22. Winner in 2024: Stuart Boyd

SECTION B

Flowers and pot plants



All entries are judged on quality, not the artistic display and should be displayed clean with no soil. It is permissable to stand produce in water if the weather is hot. Non-specified additions to the entry e.g. seed heads may be marked down.

CLASS 23 Two specimen roses of different varieties exhibited separately in water.

The Worley Trophy

CLASS 24 Two stems of floribunda or cluster roses in a container with water. *Winner in 2024: Shirley Coxall*

CLASS 25 One Cactus or other succulent plant, single plant in pot.

CLASS 26 One specimen flower (not rose) with foliage. No buds and please label.

CLASS 27 Vase of six stems of "Lavandula" (Lavender).

CLASS 28 Six fuchsia flowers. Stands are provided for individual heads.

CLASS 29 One potted Pelargonium / Geranium, can be ivy leafed.

CLASS 30 One potted tuberous of fibrous "Begonia".

CLASS 31 Five pansy / viola flowers to be shown on a plate in sand, or in water.

CLASS 32 One potted foliage plant.

The Roger Martin Cup

CLASS 33 Vase of three "Dahlia" blooms of the same species, named, to include some foliage but no buds.

Winner in 2024: Wendy Bedford

CLASS 34 One vase of annual "Lathyrus" (Sweet Peas).

CLASS 35 Container of 6 similar blooms, not annual Lathyrus.

CLASS 36 A display of three individual pot plants of different varieties in a window box.

CLASS 37 Container of cut flowering shrubs.

CLASS 38 Container of cut perennial flowers, not shrubs.

CLASS 39 One hanging display of mixed plants in a container not smaller than 37cm diameter. Stand will be provided.

CLASS 40 One potted fuchsia, trailing or standard in a pot.



CLASS 41 One vase of foliage not less than four different examples.

The Leslie Allen Memorial Trophy CLASS LA Awarded to an exhibit of outstanding merit in Section B. Winner in 2024: Michael Guppy and Stuart Boyd

Chairman's Table

CLASS CT1 Largest leek girth as measured round the widest part CLASS CT2 Human or animal vegetable look-a-like

CLASS CT3 A home-grown disaster **CLASS CT4** The largest sunflower head in any condition

CLASS CT5 Longest wonky carrot with leaves intact

 $\textbf{CLASS}\,\textbf{CT6}\ \ Longest\,stick\,of\,rhubarb.$

SECTION C

Flower arranging



Classes 43–54 must fit into a max 60cm space (on black background).

The Channon Trophy

CLASS C Awarded to the exhibit of outstanding merit in section C. Winner in 2024: Helen Cook

The St Margaret's Challenge Trophy

CLASS SM Presented in memory of the late Mr G H M Clayton. First prize: £25. Second prize: £15. Third prize: £10. Exhibit suitable for a pedestal (pedestal provided). Space allowed 120cm. Flowers may be purchased.

Winner in 2024: Jackie Jackson

The Pat Rogers Trophy

CLASS 42 "Summer Vibes in a basket" For exhibitors who have never won a 1st, 2nd, or 3rd prize for flower arranging in any show. Flowers may not be purchased. Winner in 2024: Jackie Jackson

The Rogers Trophy

CLASS 43 "My Own Preference" – you decide. Flowers may be purchased. Winner in 2024: Norah Fogarty

The Chipstead Flower Arrangement Club Silver Plate

CLASS 44 "Tropical Paradise". Design to include tropical flowers and leaves. Flowers may be purchased. Winner in 2024: Helen Cook

CLASS 45 "Carnival" How bold can you be? Flowers may be purchased.

The McCarthy Trophy

CLASS 46 "At the Seashore". Design to include flowers and seashore finds. Flowers may not be purchased. Winner in 2024: Helen Cook

CLASS 47 A bridesmaid's Pomander including ribbon handle. Flowers may be purchased.

CLASS 48 "Cocktail time". Design to be arranged into a cocktail vessel of your choice. Flowers may be purchased.

CLASS 49 A summer wreath including hanger. Flowers may not be purchased.

CLASS 50 "Natures Own" – Design using leaves and foliage only. Flowers may not be purchased.

CLASS 51 A single button hole rose suitable for a man's wedding jacket (very little foliage to be used).

CLASS 52 A ladies corsage.

CLASS 53 Three types of flowers in seperate vases.

CLASS 54 A vase of grasses.

Garden Competition



Please complete the form on our website at: chipsteadflowershow.co.uk/the-garden-competition, or alternatively fill in the form below.

The Garden Competition Trophy

Anyone who lives within 1.5 miles of the Flower Show can enter their garden into this section.* The garden must be visible to passers by and will be judged for effect up to the day before the show. The judge might enter the garden if necessary. A trophy will be presented on the day of the event and certificates given to those judged 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. Winner in 2024: Diana Fewtrell

* Number of successive wins restricted to three.



Garden Competition entry form

Please scan and email to chairman@chipsteadflowershow.co.uk or post/deliver in a sealed envelope to: Peter Quiney, 29 Woodfield Hill, Coulsdon, CR5 3ED. Tel: 01737 556686. All entries must be received by Monday 30th June.

No entry fee required.

The judges decision is final.

Name		
Address		
Postcode	Tel	
Email		

Chipstead and the RHS

Once again we are proud to be affiliated with the Royal Horticultural Society.

RHS membership has a long heritage, with the first regional gardening groups connecting with the Horticultural Society of London (now the RHS) 150 years ago. This was initiated by Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke who put forward a plan for there to be a union between the RHS and the various provincial societies.

During wartime Britain, more groups joined (especially those involved with wartime food production) and today there are 2,500 societies across the UK and overseas who are all actively championing the benefits of gardening in their communities, helping more people to develop a love of plants and being outdoors.

RHS guidelines for competition entries

Vegetables

ТҮРЕ	MIXED COLLECTION	NO. PER PLATE
Artichokes, Jerulsalem	6	6
Beans, broad, French, runne	r 12	9
Beetroot, cylindrical, globe	6	4
Beetroot, long	3	3
Broccoli, sprouting	12 shoots	12 shoots
Cabbages, green, savoy, red	3	2
Carrots, long	3	3
Carrots, other than long	6	3
Cauliflower or broccoli	3	2
Courgettes	4	3
Cucumbers	4	3
Endive, all types	3	2
Kale, leaves	10	10
Leeks	4	3
Lettuces, all types	3	2
Mangetout and peas	12	9
Marrows	2	2
Onions over 250g	6	3
Onions, 250 or under	6	5
Onions, green salad	12	12
Potatoes	6	5
Radishes, small salad	12	9

TYPE	MIXED COLLECTION	NO. PER PLATE
Rhubarb	6 sticks	3 sticks
Shallots	12	12
Spinach	15 leaves	15 leaves
Tomatoes, large	6	6
Tomatoes, medium	9	9
Tomatoes, small	15	15
Turnips	6	3
Watercress	3 bunches	1 bunch

Fruit

TYPE	NO. PER PLATE
Blackberries	20
Currants, black and other (strigs)	Min 200, max 250g
Gooseberries	20
Hybrid cane fruit, e.g. loganberries, tayberries	20
Raspberries	20
Strawberries	15
Worcesterberries and blackcurrant/ gooseberry hybrids, e.g. jostaberries (strigs)	Min 200, max 250g



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SECTION D

Home produce

Please use the recipes opposite where specified.

Cookery

Dishes containing uncooked egg may not be used. All exhibits must be covered in clingfilm or a clear lid. Novice classes are *not* open to previous winners.

The Midland Bank Trophy

CLASS MB First prize: £25 Second prize: £15 Third prize: £10. A decorated cake, titled "Flowers". Judged on external appearance and presentation only. All decorations must be natural or hand made. No cake dummies to be used. Winner in 2024: Alex Elliott

The Ursula Goldney Trophy

Awarded to the best entry from Classes 55–56.

CLASS 55 Lemon, thyme & honey polenta cake. (see recipe)

CLASS 56 Walnut and banana loaf with a glazed top.

Winner in 2024: Michelle Guppy

CLASS 57 Passion fruit and mascarpone roulade.

CLASS 58 Five Scones. Novice.

CLASS 59 Five pieces of shortbread with imaginative flavouring, e.g. lavender.

CLASS 60 Five macarons, assorted colours.

CLASS 61 Five Welsh cakes. (see recipe).

CLASS 62 Two pasties with a vegetarian filling.

CLASS 63 A ciabatta bread.

CLASS 64 Five apple & cinnamon muffins. (see recipe). Novice.

CLASS 65 Two scotch eggs.

The Griffith Family Trophy

CLASS GF May be awarded to an exhibit of outstanding merit in Classes 55–65. Winner in 2024: Irena Georgiveska

CLASS 66 A bottle of homemade wine (fruit).

CLASS 67 A bottle of homemade cordial.



Recipes

Lemon, thyme & honey polenta cake

Ingredients: 150g unsalted butter. 150g honey. 3 eggs, separated. 1 lemon, zest. 200g ground almonds. 100g polenta. 1.5 tsp baking powder. 0.5 tsp salt. 3 tbsp lemon thyme leaves, plus extra for decorating. For the Honey Lemon Syrup: 75g honey. 1 lemon, juice.

Method: Pre-heat the oven to fan 170° C / gas mark 3. Line the base and sides of a 20cm cake tin. Cream the butter and honey together. Beat in the egg yolks and lemon zest, then the almonds, polenta, baking powder, salt and thyme leaves. In a separate bowl whisk the egg whites to stiff peaks. Gently fold into the polenta mixture. Pour into the cake tin and bake for 40/50 mins until golden and cooked through. (Cover loosely with foil after 30 mins if it browns too quickly). Cool the cake for 15 mins in the tin. Then remove and leave to cool completely. Heat the syrup ingredients in a small pan until bubbling. Pour over the cake. Top with extra thyme leaves.

Apple & cinnamon muffins

Ingredients: 175g self-raising flour. 75g wholemeal flour. 50g butter. 1.5 tsp baking powder. 75g soft brown sugar. 2 tsp cinnamon. 1 large apple, peeled, cored and chopped. 2 eggs. 250ml milk.

Method: Mix the flours with the butter and rub in until it resembles breadcrumbs. Add the baking powder, cinnamon and sugar, stir together. Coat the apples into the mixture. Whisk the eggs and milk together. Stir into the other ingredients. Divide the batter into muffin cases three quarters of the way up. Sprinkle with demerara sugar. Bake fan 180°C / qas mark 6 for 20–25 mins.

Welsh cakes

Ingredients: 250g self-raising flour. 35g caster sugar. 1 tsp mixed spice. 125g unsalted butter. 75g mixed raisins and sultanas. 1 small egg. A splash milk. Pinch salt.

Method: Add the sugar and spice to the flour in a large bowl. Stir in the salt. Rub together until it resembles breadcrumbs. Toss in the fruit. Make a well in the centre and add the eggs and milk. Mix with a fork until it comes together and then using your hands bring the dough together into a ball. Roll it out to 1cm deep x 5cm wide circles. Heat a heavy based non-stick pan to a medium heat. Cook each cake 4mins on either side until golden in colour. Heat must not be too hot or it will burn.

Preserves*

All jars must be filled to the rim, labelled with the contents and dated with the day / month / year.

CLASS 68 A bottle of salad dressing.

CLASS 69 A jar of horseradish sauce.

CLASS 70 A jar of marmalade.

CLASS 71 A jar of honey.

CLASS 72 Four freshly laid free range hens' eggs.

The Wallis Trophy

CLASS WT May be awarded to an exhibit of outstanding merit in Classes 68–72. Winner in 2024: Karen Chignell



*Preserves must be sealed with either a twist-off lid or a cellophane or wax disc trimmed to fit the surface of the preserve. Jars and lids must be free of manufacturers trademarks or names.

SECTION E

Arts and crafts

Painting

Size of artwork not to exceed $60 \times 45 \text{cm}$ overall. All exhibits must be framed and ready for hanging.

The Elliott Trophy

CLASS 73 An original watercolour. Winner in 2024: Brian Stanley

CLASS 74 A walk through a summer garden.

The Margaret Trophy

CLASS 75 A portrait in any medium. Winner in 2024: John Wynn



Photography

All photographs in either colour or monochrome must be the entrant's own work and no more than twelve months old. Photographs should not exceed 18 x 13cm overall and be mounted and ready for display. *Novice classes are not open to previous winners*.

The Goodwin Ive Trophy

CLASS 76 A photograph by the sea. Winner in 2024: Clare Nicholls

The Highwold Trophy

Awarded to the best entry from Classes 77–78.

CLASS 77 My favourite place **CLASS 78** My mischievous pet. Winner in 2024: Clare Nicholls

Crafts

The John Oakey Trophy

Awarded to the best entry from Classes 79–81

CLASS 79 A paper flower gift topper

CLASS 80 A knitted article

CLASS 81 A crocheted article.

Winner in 2024: Sandra Clements

The Rhys Davids Trophy

CLASS 82 A handmade garden item or ornament (not open to previous winners in 2023 and 2024).

Winner in 2024: Ray Boud

The Chipstead WI Trophy

CLASS 83 "Your own choice". Any handcraft article. Novice only. Winner in 2024: Bill Tilston-Jones

CLASS 84 A piece of handmade jewellery.

CLASS 85 A patchwork article.







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The Schools Trophy

A group entry open to all local schools

Underwater world

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As a suggestion, the artwork could celebrate tropical fish, starfish, flat fish, jellyfish, sea anemones, sea urchins, whales, dolphins, penguins, seaweed, coral, shells of all shapes and sizes and perhaps a mermaid or two. It is up to you.

Exhibit to be displayed on exhibitor's own free-standing mounting.

Size not to exceed 0.75 x 0.75m. Open to school year Classes 3–5 (approx. 8–11 years of age).

No entries from individuals will be accepted.

Winner in 2024: Smitham Primary School













Intermediate

Ages 13–18 inclusive. See rule 10 and 14 on page 42 D.O.B. 01/09/2012–31/08/2007.

To avoid disqualification, children must be entered in the class by age of their appropriate school year. All entries are for individuals.

CLASS 86 Create a poster no larger than A3, digitally or by hand, encouraging youth and children's entries into the Chipstead Flower Show.

CLASS 87 A photograph titled "A Great Day Out". Mounted on white card.

Mrs U. Goldney Gift Token
CLASS 88 Make a friendship bracelet.
Winner in 2024: Joan Duckworth

CLASS 89 A picture you have created digitally. Please state on a card the app. you have used.

The Coulsdon and Chipstead Art Society Trophy

CLASS 90 A picture of the countryside in any medium. No restriction on size. Winner in 2024: Lilian Guppy

CLASS 91 Make three large meringues. You can colour should you wish.

The Baker George Trophy

Presented by Messrs. T. Baker and D. George to the entry in Section F which shows a high degree of craftsmanship. *Winner in 2024: Joan Duckworth*

Children

All entries are for individuals and should be the child's unaided work. See rule 10 and 14 on page 42.

GROUP 1: Pre-school

CLASS 92 A picture in any medium.

CLASS 93 A fir cone, twig or leaf fairy.



GROUP 2: Reception

Ages 4–5 D.O.B. 01/09/2019–31/08/2020.

CLASS 94 From a cereal box and using other materials make a super car.

CLASS 95 Make a frilly reptile out of bits and bobs. Cup cake papers would be fun to use.

CLASS 96 Make a paper plate into a brightly coloured flower - cut the edges to make petals.





GROUP 3: Year 1

Ages 5-6 D.O.B. 01/09/2018-31/08/2019.

CLASS 97 A tree bark rubbing picture – Make several bark rubbings, cut them out and stick them on an A4 piece of paper.

CLASS 98 A mobile - using a clothes hanger produce a mobile to hang in the marquee. Please use natural finds/materials.

CLASS 99 Paint a pebble to look like an insect – eg ladybird / beetle.

CLASS 100 Make a hand sock puppet. Stick on eyes, a nose and tongue. Perhaps it will have some frizzy string hair or card horns or maybe some paper sunglasses.

GROUP 4: Year 2

Ages 6-7 D.O.B. 01/09/2017-31/08/2018.

CLASS 101 Make a lion's face using a paper plate. Don't forget the mane!

CLASS 102 Make a paper hat to catch the eye – any shape you like – decorate with bits and bobs e.g. sparkles, buttons, ribbons, stickers.

CLASS 103 Draw and colour in an A4 picture of a unicorn or pirate.

CLASS 104 Arrange in a jam jar a posy of flowers from your garden.





GROUP 5: Year 3

Ages 7-8 D.O.B. 01/09/2016-31/08/2017.

CLASS 105 A close-up photograph of a garden flower. Mount on white card.

CLASS 106 Make a bee out of a paper plate to hang in the marquee. Of course, you may want to give it a striped body, wings and antennae.

CLASS 107 Model a snail out of tin foil.





GROUP 6: Year 4

Ages 8-9 D.O.B. 01/09/2015-31/08/2016.

CLASS 108 Decorate the outside of a flowerpot.

CLASS 109 Decorate a wooden spoon in any way you wish.

CLASS 110 Using an A4 piece of card as a base, make a model of a campsite, you could include trees and flowers.

CLASS 111 Handwrite:

Over the river and through the wood To Grandfather's house we go. The horse knows the way To carry the sleigh Through white and drifted snow.

Over the river and through the wood Oh, how the wind does blow! It stings the toes And bites the nose, As over the ground we go.



GROUP 7: Year 5

Ages 9–10 D.O.B. 01/09/2014–31/08/2015.

CLASS 112 Handwrite: What's Going On In Chipstead?

Dad's talking to his vegetables,
I think he's lost the plot.
Mum's baking and whisking furiously
In her kitchen that's red hot.
Auntie's praying for sunshine
To make her flowers grow.
Jack's stockpiling waste material
To make a UFO.
Is it July already?
Great, it's the Chipstead Flower Show.

cLASS 113 Illustrate a paper plate to look like an eye – it can be as scary or as beautiful as you like. Don't forget to make/stick on some eyelashes!

cLASS 114 Using a variety of small pieces of papers cut from, newspapers, coloured magazines, old cards, packaging, etc. – make a collage of any flower you like – size: small or up to A3.



GROUP 8: Year 6

Ages 10–11 D.O.B. 01/09/2013–31/08/2014.

CLASS 115 A giant hairy spider To be hung in the marquee. Its body could be a wool pom pom, its bendy legs pipe cleaners. The bigger the better.

CLASS 116 On card using any medium – digital, mosaic or hand drawn – make a picture of a foxglove.

CLASS 117 In pencil on A4, sketch 3 leaves from natural woodland trees, make sure you label each one e.g. oak, ash, beech, holly, sycamore.

CLASS 118 Handwrite and illustrate. Five sentences saying: Why you love coming and entering the Chipstead Village Flower Show and Fair.



GROUP 9:

Ages 7-13

D.O.B. 01/09/2018-31/08/2012.

CLASS 119 Five cheese straws on a plate.

CLASS 120 Create a bunch of five tissue paper flowers with wire for the stems. To be hung in the marquee.

CLASS 121 Design an emoji of a pet – print out on an A4 sheet of paper.

CLASS 122 Make a brightly coloured beach hut using any material - e.g. cardboard, wood, a box or plastic bottle.

Mrs G. Richardson Gift Token
CLASS 123 Using the recipe below make a
painted model, piece of jewellery or
Christmas tree decoration.
Winner in 2024: Poppy Seaman

How to make salt dough

(you could halve the recipe if you want).
Prep 10 minutes. Cook 3 hours
Makes 1 hall

Ingredients: 250g plain flour. 125g table salt 125ml water

Method: Preheat the oven to 50°C or its lowest setting and line a baking sheet with baking parchment. Mix the flour and salt in a large bowl. Add the water and stir until it comes together into a ball. You can finish bringing it together with your hands if needed. Transfer the dough to a

floured work surface and shape into your chosen model. You can roll it out and cut out shapes, using biscuit cutters or by hand to make any kind of model – e.g. mouse / cat etc., Christmas tree decoration, circular pendant with a hole for a ribbon or beads with holes in to make a necklace. Put your finished items on the lined baking sheet and bake for 3 hrs or until solid. Leave to cool and then paint.

Mrs P. Oakley Gift Token

CLASS 124 A piece of digital art – give it a title and name the app you used.

Ages: 9–13 years old.

Winner in 2024: Max McKechnie

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The Margaret Mascall Memorial Trophy CLASS 125 Make a bird box to be hung in the marquee.

Winner in 2024: Mary Guppy

CLASS 126 On A4, handwrite or type a paragraph on why you love your garden. Please illustrate the page and if you wish stick on a photo of your garden.

The Fair Dene Trophy

Awarded to the exhibitor judged as having outstanding merit in Section G. Winner in 2024: Mary Guppy

The Chipstead Community Association's Challenge Trophy

Awarded in the Children's Section to the entry that, in the opinion of the judges, shows a high degree of imagination and individuality.

Winner in 2024: Sophie Ablett

Trophy

Awarded to the most outstanding piece of digital art/enhancement in Classes 86, 89, 116 or 124.

Winner in 2024: Joan Duckworth

The Enid Allen Children's Trophy

Awarded to a piece of outstanding handwriting in Section G.

Winner in 2024: Joshua Dobson

The Blanche Jones Memorial Trophy

Awarded to a piece of outstanding cookery in Classes 91 or 119.

Winner in 2024: Charlotte Pierce



Competition judges

Section A & B: Vegetables and fruit & Flowers and pot plants
Sylvia Pocock

Section C: Flower arranging

Sheila Bishop Jill Robinson

Section D: Home produce Lindsey Rogers Ann Thomas

Section E: PaintingClaire Meharg
Paul Tupling

Section E: PhotographyJonathan Anstee

Section E: CraftsMaggie Tricker

Section F & G: Intermediate & Children

Ann Ditchburn
Jo Marchant
Janine Middleton
Pat Oakley
Geraldine Stephenson

Garden CompetitionDavid Peterken

Competition rules

- All exhibits must be the property of the Exhibitor and must have been in his/her possession for at least two months.
- 2. The Committee reserves the right to inspect the gardens or allotments of all Exhibitors one week before the date of the Show. All entries both paper and online to be in by Monday 7th July 2025. No entries after this date or on the show day will be accepted.
- 3. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry or exhibit and, in the event of such right being exercised, the Committee is not required to give any reason or explanation.
- 4. Any objection must be made in writing to one of the Committee not later than 4:30pm on the day of the Show.
- 5. Exhibitors must supply their own plates, vases etc. Exhibits may be staged from 8:00am on the day of the Show. No exhibit may be staged after 10:00am and must remain staged until 5:00pm, unless otherwise authorised by the Chairman. Judging will commence at 10:00am and no person may be in the marquee when this takes place, unless in an official capacity.
- 6. Horticultural Classes will be judged according to the rules and standards contained in the Royal Horticultural Show handbook 2016 (available from the Committee), except where, under this schedule, they obviously do not apply. Numbers of vegetables and fruit are as listed on page 24 unless otherwise specified in the section. In the event of close competition, the naming of varieties and arrangement of entries will be taken into account.
- 7. The Judges' decision will be final.
- 8. No Exhibitor may have more than one entry in any one class.

- 9. Entries, other than pot plants, must not have been previously exhibited at the Chipstead Village Flower Show & Fair.
- 10. In Classes where only one entry is received, a First Prize shall not necessarily be given but it shall be left to the Judges to award a prize according to the standard of the exhibit.
- 11. Prizegiving will begin at 4.30pm. Any prizes not collected will be held by one of the Committee for collection, and if not collected within one month will be treated as a contribution to funds. Trophy winners will also receive a certificate in the coming weeks after the show. NOTE: Trophies are no longer engraved. All trophies awarded in 2025 must be returned to Mrs Rosine Traisneau, 22 Portnalls Rise, Coulsdon, CR5 3DA, Tel: 01737 556575 not later than 30th June 2026.
- 12. The Committee will take all reasonable care of exhibits but will not be responsible for any loss or damage from any cause whatsoever. They will not be responsible for any accident arising from any cause whatsoever to any person assisting, exhibiting or visiting the show, or for any loss or damage howsoever caused to the property of any person.
- 13. No dogs or smoking allowed in the Show Marquee.
- 14. FOR SCHOOLS ONLY Entries in Sections F and G should be made based on the age of the child when the work was completed. Please date the entries.
- 15. Entry forms WILL NOT be accepted via our email address only via the online entry form or the form printed in this programme and delivered to Mrs R. Selfe. Chesterwood, 1 Hollymead Road, Chipstead, Surrey, CR5 3LQ not later than 7th July 2025.
- 16. Errors and ommissions accepted.

Competition entry form

Please use one form per entrant. All entries are free.

Forms are available online at chipsteadflowershow.co.uk/online-entries

Completed, printed forms should be addressed to:

Mrs R. Selfe, Chesterwood, 1 Hollymead Road, Chipstead, Surrey, CR5 3LQ and posted to arrive no later than Monday 7th July, 2025.

I hereby declare that I have read the rules governing the competition (see page 42) and that my entries comply with the rules governing the sections I have entered.

Name		
Address		
Tel		
Date of Birth (Se	ections F and G	only) /
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SECTION	CLASS	DESCRIPTION

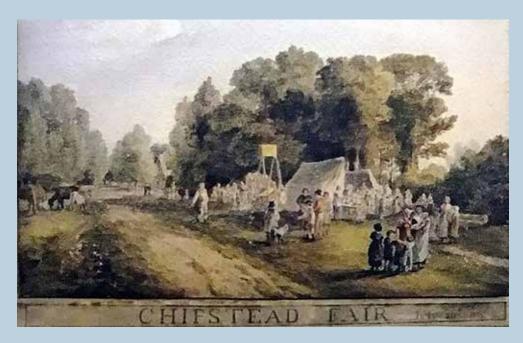
All exhibits must be staged between 8:00am and 10:00am on the day of the show and must remain on display until 5:00pm.



A brief history of the event

The Chipstead Village Flower Show and Fair is a remarkable combination of two events that have been celebrated in Chipstead Village for many years.

"Chipstead" is most likely a corruption of "ceapstede", a place where a market existed and is first mentioned in AD579. The first reference to a fair, rather than a market, is in 1549, when a fair was held on 20th July - St Margaret's day. It seems, however, that the fair was the scene of some notoriety that offended Victorian tastes and in 1854 the local gentry banded together to have it successfully "suppressed" by Reigate Police. By the late 19th century a Flower Show once again was being held locally, alternating between Chipstead, Chaldon, Merstham and Mugswell. In 1910 the Flower Show was held in Chipstead (probably at Elmore) and has taken place annually in the village ever since.



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Where and when, will the show be held?

The show will be held on Saturday, 12th July, at Elmore, High Road, Chipstead, CR5 3SB, just opposite the village pond. Gates open at 12:00pm.

Is parking available?

Yes, there is free parking nearby, with designated areas for disabled visitors.

Is there an entry fee?

Yes, tickets are priced at: 18 years and over: £7.50; Under 18: £5; Under 5: free. Tickets can be purchased on the day at the entrance. Card payments are accepted.

Is the event wheelchair accessible?

Yes, the showground is wheelchair-friendly, with accessible toilets and parking available.

Can I bring my dog?

Well-behaved dogs on leads are welcome, except in competition areas and the food court.

What kind of stalls will be there?

The show features a variety of stalls, including plant sales, local crafts and food vendors.

How do I enter a competition?

Competition entries can be submitted online via our website at chipsteadflowershow.co.uk or by post in a sealed envelope to:
Rosemary Selfe, 1 Hollymead Road, Chip[stead, CR5 3LQ, no later than Monday 7th June 2025 after which date entries will not be accepted.
Please note that once you have placed your online entry/entries, you will receive a confirmation email. If you do NOT receive a confirmation email, please contact us. Please check spam/junk folder too!

Is there an entry fee for competitions?

No, competitions are free to enter.

How can I book a stall at the show?

If you are a stallholder and wish to apply for a stall at the show, please email: business@chipsteadflowershow.co.uk

Supporting our event

Become a Friend

Enjoy the benefits of becoming a Chipstead Village Flower Show & Fair Friend, whilst helping us to keep our special event alive! It costs just £40 per person, per year and as well as our gratitude, you will receive:

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- Our twice-yearly, prize draw with a top prize of £100 as well as other great prizes!
- Our monthly prize draw with a prize of £10!

For more information, email us at info@chipsteadflowershow.co.uk

Become a volunteer

We are always on the lookout for volunteers to help us either before, after or, on the day itself. From setting up the showground, to helping in the marquee, if you'd like to give some of your time to us, please contact us at info@chipstead-flowershow.co.uk. It's a great way to meet people in the village and you will be doing your bit to keep a wonderful tradition alive.





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Pub Walks at the White Hart

Our next Pub Walk is on Saturday 26th July. If you've never been before, we all meet at the pub for 10am for some fuel to get us going (usually tea, coffee and bacon butties). Heading off for a 3 mile ramble, usually getting back to the pub for 12pm gasping for that first pint with a cracking pub lunch. Make sure to get your table booked in.





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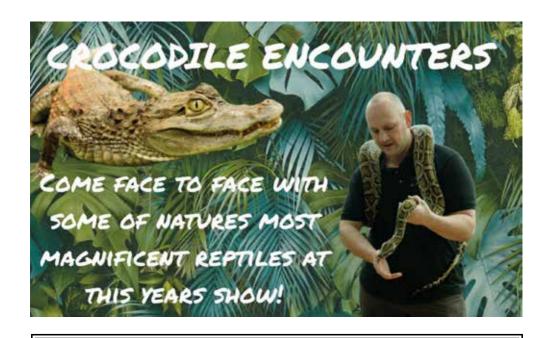
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"Lovely village event. Good old-fashioned fun with plenty to do and a lovely community feel."

"Lovely afternoon – my little one was transfixed by all the attractions and you achieved the impossible – a perfect cup of tea in a very busy Tea Tent!"

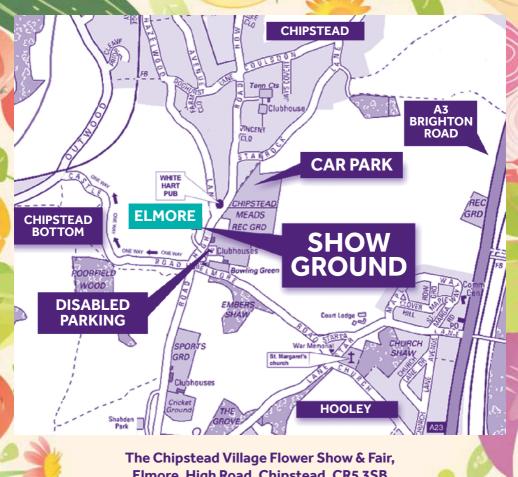
"We brought along Canadian friends this year who felt as if they were in a British film scene."





Photography

Chipstead Village Flower Show & Fair will be taking photographs at this year's show. These images will be used by us to share news about the show, and to publicise our future events. Images may be used in presenting the history of the show, press releases, printed publicity and published on our website, instagram and/or Facebook page. They will be stored securely and we will delete them after they are no longer needed for publicity purposes. If you would prefer for you or your child not to be photographed, please speak to our Official Photographer. If you would like to see your images, or would like us to delete them, please email info@chipsteadflowershow.co.uk



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The nearest bus stop is the 405 stop at the bottom of Star Lane, Hooley.

For more information and details on competition entries, including entry forms, visit our website at chipsteadflowershow.co.uk





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