

EDINBURGH AND THE LOTHIANS SHOW

11th April 2026, 10.30 am to 3.30 pm

(Doors and sales open 10.30, show opens about 11.30 am)

LIBERTON KIRK CENTRE, KIRKGATE, EDINBURGH EH16 6RY

Exit city bypass A720 at Straiton Junction, take A701 towards city centre. After 1.6 miles, at traffic lights turn right; Kirk Centre is on the right, just before next traffic lights. Small car park at the Centre, with free on-street parking nearby.

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ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show

Late entries accepted until one hour before judging

STAGING: Saturday from 8–9.30 am. No staging on Friday evening

JUDGING: Begins at 9.45 am **PRESENTATIONS:** At 3.15 pm

TROPHIES & PRIZES

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| Alfred Evans Quaich: | best pan of Ericaceae, other than Rhododendron |
| R E Cooper Bhutan Drinking Cup: | best Asiatic Primula |
| K C Corsair Challenge Trophy: | best European or American Primula |
| Midlothian Vase: | best Rhododendron, Section I or II |
| Henry Tod Carnethy Quaich: | best bulb, corm or tuber, Section I |
| Kilbryde Cup: | best plant, pan size not exceeding 17.5 cm maximum external diameter |
| Gothenburg Trophy | best cushion plant |
| Bill Mackie Quaich: | best Saxifraga |
| Reid Rose Bowl: | most points, Section I |
| Midlothian Bowl: | best plant, Section II |
| Henry Archibald Rose Bowl: | winner, class 2 |
| Elsie Harvey Memorial Trophy: | winner, class 3 |
| A O Curle Memorial Trophy: | winner, class 5 |
| Boonslie Cup: | winner, class 79 |
| Bronze medal: | may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8) |
| Special prize: £10 | best plant in Section II by a first-time exhibitor. New exhibitors, ask for special stickers. |
| Special prizes: alpine plants | best entries in the Junior section |

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

Class

- 1 6 pans rock plants, distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 2 3 pans rock plants, different genera. **HENRY ARCHIBALD ROSE BOWL**
- 3 3 pans rock plants, new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14). **ELSIE HARVEY MEMORIAL TROPHY**
- 4 1 pan rock plant, new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14)
- 5 3 pans rock plants, distinct, grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14).
A O CURLE MEMORIAL TROPHY
- 6 1 pan rock plant, excluding bulbs, grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 7 2 pans bulbs grown from seed by exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)
- 8 3 pans rock plant species, native to Europe
- 9 2 pans Primula, Asiatic, distinct
- 10 1 pan Primula, Asiatic species
- 11 1 pan Primula, Asiatic hybrid
- 12 2 pans Primula allionii, forms or hybrids, distinct
- 13 1 pan Primula allionii, form or hybrid
- 14 2 pans Primula, American or European, distinct, excluding P. auricula and P. allionii forms and hybrids
- 15 1 pan Primula, American or European species, as class 14

- 16 1 pan Primula, American or European, hybrid
- 17 1 pan *Primula auricula*, form or hybrid
- 18 2 pans *Primulaceae*, excluding *Primula*
- 19 3 pans rock plants, displayed for foliage effect
- 20 1 pan *Androsace* (or *Douglasia*)
- 21 1 pan *Dionysia*
- 22 1 pan cushion plant, in flower
- 23 1 pan cushion plant, not in flower
- 24 1 pan *Anemone* or *Pulsatilla*
- 25 1 pan *Helleborus*
- 26 1 pan *Ranunculaceae*, excluding *Anemone* and *Pulsatilla*
- 27 6 pans dwarf bulbs, not more than three of any one genus
- 28 3 pans dwarf bulbs from three different families
- 29 2 pans *Papaveraceae*, distinct
- 30 1 pan *Papaveraceae*
- 31 1 pan *Pleione*
- 32 1 pan *Orchidaceae*, hardy, excluding *Pleione*
- 33 2 pans *Crassulaceae*, distinct
- 34 1 pan *Liliaceae*, excluding *Fritillaria*
- 35 2 pans rock plants native to Turkey, distinct
- 36 2 pans *Fritillaria*, distinct
- 37 1 pan *Fritillaria*
- 38 2 pans *Narcissus* species or natural hybrid, distinct
- 39 2 pans *Narcissus*, garden cultivar or hybrid, distinct
- 40 1 pan *Narcissus* species or natural hybrid
- 41 1 pan *Narcissus*, garden cultivar or hybrid
- 42 2 pan *Melanthiaceae*, distinct (n.b. includes *Trillium*)
- 43 1 pan *Melanthiaceae*
- 44 2 pans *Liliaceae*, distinct
- 45 2 pans *Amaryllidaceae*, distinct
- 46 1 pan *Amaryllidaceae*, excluding *Narcissus*
- 47 2 pans *Asparagaceae*, distinct
- 48 1 pan *Asparagaceae*
- 49 1 pan *Iris*
- 50 1 pan *Araceae* or *Aristolochiaceae*
- 51 2 pans *Saxifragaceae*, distinct
- 52 1 pan dwarf *Rhododendron*
- 53 2 pans *Ericaceae*
- 54 1 pan *Ericaceae*, excluding *Rhododendron*
- 55 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding conifers and *Ericaceae*
- 56 1 pan *Boraginaceae*, *Lamiaceae*, *Plantaginaceae* or *Scrophulariaceae*
- 57 1 pan *Apiaceae*, need not be in flower
- 58 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 59 1 pan *Cyclamen*
- 60 1 pan *Tulipa*
- 61 1 pan *Crassulaceae* or hardy cactus
- 62 1 pan *Brassicaceae*
- 63 2 pans dwarf conifers, distinct
- 64 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 65 1 pan *Montiaceae*
- 66 1 pan dwarf fern
- 67 1 pan *Saxifragaceae*
- 68 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 9–67
- 69 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 70 2 pans rock plants native to Australasia
- 71 1 pan rock plant native to North America
- 72 1 pan rock plant native to South America

73 1 pan rock plant native to Africa
 74 1 pan rock plant native to China or the Himalaya
 75 1 pan bulbs grown from seed by exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)
 76 1 pan rock plant, growers' own hybrid (see rule 14)
 77 3 pans rock plants, the same species or hybrid, or a hybrid and its parents, to show variation (rule 14)
 78 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in open ground, lifted within 10 days of the Show
 79 1 miniature garden of rock plants, maximum sides or diameter 45 cm, no cut flowers.

BOONSLIE CUP

SECTION II

Open only to members who have not won more than 50 first prizes (see rule 3)

Class

80 3 pans rock plants, distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
 81 2 pans rock plants, distinct
 82 1 pan rock plant in flower, excluding bulbs, corms and tubers
 83 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
 84 1 pan Primulaceae
 85 1 pan Crassulaceae
 86 1 pan hardy cactus
 87 1 pan Ericaceae
 88 2 pans bulb, corm or tuberous plants, distinct, in flower (see note 14)
 89 1 pan Amaryllidaceae or Asparagaceae
 90 1 pan Iridaceae or Liliaceae
 91 1 pan Orchidaceae
 92 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
 93 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
 94 1 pan dwarf conifer

SECTION III

Open to Junior members only

Class

110 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber
 111 1 pan rock plant in flower, excluding bulb, corm or tuber
 112 1 pan rock plant grown for foliage effect
 113 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
 114 1 pan dwarf shrub or conifer, need not be in flower

SECTION IV

Not for competition

Members are invited to exhibit plants, photographs, sketches or paintings of plants, gardens, or natural habitats, or other objects or materials relating to plants or gardens or otherwise of interest to members and the public.

SECTION V

Class

120 An arrangement of cut flowers and foliage of rock plants in a container not exceeding exterior diameter of 17.5 cm: flowers and / or foliage need not be grown by exhibitor.