THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S ALPINE & ROCK GARDEN COMMITTEE

(Formerly RHS Joint Rock Garden Plant Committee)

The Committee deals with all rock garden and alpine house plants other than Iris, Rhododendron, Narcissus and Tulipa although it does deal with dwarf members of these genera when these specialist committees are not meeting. There will be three meetings of the Committee in Scotland and the north of England in 2024.

These will be held at the following shows:

 Hexham
 13th April, 11.30 am

 Perth
 20th April, 12 noon

 Glasgow
 4th May, 12 noon

The awards which may be recommended at shows are:

First Class Certificate Preliminary Certificate
Award of Merit Cultural Certificate

Botanical Certificate

Entry forms

Details of plants to be submitted to the Committee must be entered on forms obtainable from the Committee secretary on the morning of the show. Alternatively, for meetings held in Scotland these may be obtained in advance by sending an SAE to:

Dr Carole Bainbridge, Luckie Harg's, Anwoth Road, Gatehouse of Fleet, Castle Douglas, DG7 2EF, Tel 01557 814141 Email: greenscenedesign@hotmail.com

Completed forms must be returned to the committee secretary by 11 am on the day of the show.

Plants submitted for awards

- a) Plants may be entered for the competitive classes in the show, in which case the show secretary will be responsible for moving them to the committee room. In order to assist the show secretary to do this, the owner must provide a separate note of the plants and the classes in which they are being exhibited. A suitable pro forma will be supplied with entry forms.
- b) Plants not on the show bench must be delivered directly to the committee room by 11 am by the owner.
- A herbarium specimen may also be required for the horticultural herbarium at the RHS Garden at Wisley, in order to provide scientific material for the record and for study.

Plants required for trial

Exhibitors entering plants before the committee must understand in so doing that, if a cultivar is selected or recommended for trial, they tacitly agree to send the required plants, bulbs, cuttings, scions or buds of it for trial when desired by The Royal Horticultural Society. Exhibitors will be notified of the date by which the plants etc. should be sent.

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