

THE SCOTTISH ROCK GARDEN CLUB



SHOWS AND EVENTS 2020

DUNBLANE EARLY BULB DISPLAY, 22nd February*

KENDAL SHOW, 14th March*

STIRLING SHOW, 21st March # *

HEXHAM SHOW, 28th March*

EDINBURGH & THE LOTHIANS SHOW, 4th April*

PERTH SHOW, 18th April

HIGHLAND SHOW, 25th April

GLASGOW SHOW, 2nd May

DAVID BOYD EVENT, ISLE OF MULL, 9–11th May

ABERDEEN SHOW, 23rd May

GARDENING SCOTLAND, 29–31st May*

DUNBLANE SUMMER MEETING, 15th August

LATE BULB DISPLAY, ABERDEEN, 19th September

HEXHAM AUTUMN SHOW, 26th September

DISCUSSION WEEKEND, GRANTOWN-ON-SPEY, 9–11th October*

AUTUMN FESTIVAL & AGM, 14th November #

* Joint Rock Garden Plant Committee meetings # Photographic/Art Competition

SHOW RULES

1. Exhibitors must be members of the Club, unless otherwise stated.
2. The term 'rock plant' shall mean any plant suitable for the rock garden, bog garden, wild garden or alpine house.
3. Section I is open to all members. Section II is open only to members who, at the start of the show year have not won more than 50 SRGC Section II first prizes. Section III is for Junior members. Section IV is for non-competitive exhibits of plants, photographs, paintings, sketches, etc. Council is anxious to encourage these to make the shows as successful as possible. Please advise the show secretary of the size of the exhibit by the entry date.
4. All plants for competition should be clearly labelled and the names should be displayed horizontally. Inaccurate naming shall not be a disqualification.
5. Competitive exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor and must have been in his or her possession for at least six months before the date of the show.
6. No competitor may have more than one exhibit in any one class, unless specified for that class in the schedule.
7. No exhibit shall be removed from the hall between the hours of judging and the close of the show without the permission of the show secretary.
8. All exhibits must be removed at the end of the show.
9. The scoring for all awards based on an aggregate of points will be as follows:

	First	Second	Third
6 Pan Classes	180 pts	120 pts	60 pts
3 Pan Classes	90 pts	60 pts	30 pts
2 Pan Classes	60 pts	40 pts	20 pts
1 Pan Classes	30 pts	20 pts	10 pts

10. The show secretary shall appoint judges for the show, and their decisions shall be taken as final.

For Sections I and II at least two of the three judges shall be selected from those names on the Club's panel of judges which is held by the Chairman of the Show Secretaries' Committee. At least one of these three judges shall reside outside the immediate neighbourhood of the town where the show is being held.

For Sections other than I and II, show secretaries are at liberty to use their discretion. No show secretary shall appoint a judge who has already served at the show for the previous two consecutive years.

11. Any protest must be delivered to the show secretary in writing within half an hour of the show opening; the secretary will then appoint a committee of not less than three persons to consider the protest.
12. All cups and trophies (except medals) are to be held for one year. The cost of

- engraving trophies may be reclaimed through the appropriate show secretary.
13. All exhibitors, except those officially retained, shall leave the hall at the commencement of judging.
 14. a) Plants entered in classes for plants 'grown from seed' must be accompanied by date of sowing, and may be accompanied by botanical notes (unless stated as a requirement).
b) Plants entered in classes for plants 'new or rare' must be accompanied by botanical notes containing cultural requirements and if grown from seed must be accompanied by sowing date.
 15. Classes for bulbous plants include corms and tubers. Judges should exclude rhizomes and Orchidaceae, but may give liberal interpretation to plants coming under the other headings. They should look for established plants.
 16. Cyclamen 'groups': *C. hederifolium* 'group' includes *CC. africanum*, *confusum*, *hederifolium* and *h. crassifolium*. *C. graecum* 'group' includes *CC. graecum* and *maritimum*.
 17. All plants should be free of pests and diseases. Any plant may be removed to a safe place by the show secretary if in his or her opinion a plant is harbouring pests or diseases.

Rules for judges

- One well grown plant shall receive more points than several smaller ones.
- A plant in fruit shall rank equal to a plant in flower.
- No plant, unless in a class for some special quality, shall receive more than half the points allocated for condition if not in flower or fruit. This applies also to classes for more than one pan, where the inclusion of one or more non-flowering (or fruiting) plants may result in fewer points being awarded than for an entry where all the plants are in flower (or fruit).
- No distinction shall be made between a plant grown in a pot or pan and one lifted from the open ground.
- Only if other points are equal should preference be given to a species over a natural or garden hybrid.
- The judges are authorised, and are requested, to withhold any trophy, prize or award if they consider the exhibits to be of insufficient merit.

Points shall be awarded as follows:

All classes except those specified below

Condition of plant.....	60
Skill in cultivation.....	30
Rarity in cultivation.....	10

Classes for new or rare plants

Difficulty in cultivation.....	40
Rarity in cultivation.....	30
Condition	30

Classes of rock plants grown unprotected in the open ground

Condition	50
Garden worthiness	50
Rarity and difficulty	Nil

Notes

1. All plants exhibited may be in or out of flower, and the term 'pan' shall be taken to mean 'pan' or 'pot'.
2. Members of the trade shall be allowed to sell plants other than those exhibited during the Club shows, subject to the discretion of the show secretary concerned.
3. The Club accepts no responsibility for exhibits or private property left in the hall.
4. There are three **joint AGS – SRGC shows** each year, in Kendal and Hexham (spring and autumn). The show rules and notes of each Society are applied in alternate years, with the award of Farrer and Forrest medals as appropriate. It is important that exhibitors and judges recognise that there are a few differences between the rules of each Society and that they should consult and apply the appropriate rules. The key difference is in the definitions used for bulbous plants. For example, the AGS rules allow for rhizomes, as in Iris and Trillium, but exclude Cyclamen, whereas the SRGC rules allow for Cyclamen and Rhodohypoxis, but exclude Trillium and Oncocylus Iris. AGS rules referred to in the schedules are available at <http://shows.alpinegardensociety.net/shows/handbook>
At these shows members of both AGS and SRGC are eligible for all prizes, medals and other awards. Points count towards seasonal aggregates and merit medals according to membership.
5. As soon as possible after each show, show secretaries are requested to send a list of the number of 'firsts' and first prize points gained by each exhibitor in Sections I and II of their show to the Convener of show secretaries:

David Millward Email: dmillward6@aol.com

Botanical list

Plant taxa appearing in the schedules are listed below, with a few exceptions, following the latest work of the Angiosperm Phylogeny Group (<http://www.mobot.org/MOBOT/research/APweb>).

Enquiry should be made of the show secretary if there is doubt as to whether a specimen belongs to one of the taxa for which there is a class.

Copies of this list and of the 'reverse list' (i.e. genera to plant family) can be downloaded from the Club website (<http://www.srgc.net/site/index.php/shows/show-rules>).

Aizoaceae: Delosperma **Alstroemeriaceae:** Alstroemeria, Luzuriaga

Amaryllidaceae: Allium, Amaryllis, Crinum, Cyrtanthus, Galanthus, Habranthus, Hippeastrum, Ipheion, Lapiedra, Leucocoryne, Leucojum (includes Acis), Narcissus, Nerine, Nothoscordum, Rhodophiala, Scadoxus, Solaria, Sternbergia, Tristagma, Tulbaghia, Zephyranthes

Apiaceae: Aciphylla, Anisotome, Astrantia, Azorella, Bolax, Bupleurum, Eryngium, Hacquetia, Lomatium

Araceae: Arisaema, Arisarum, Arum, Biarum, Eminium, Lysichiton, Pinellia

Aristolochiaceae: Aristolochia, Asarum

Asparagaceae: Albuca, Anthericum, Aphyllanthes, Arthropodium, Bellevalia, Brimeura, Brodiaea, Camassia, Chionodoxa, Convallaria, Eucomis, Hosta, Hyacinthella, Hyacinthoides, Hyacinthus, Lachenalia (includes Polyxena), Leopoldia, Maianthemum, Massonia, Muscari, Muscarimia, Ophiopogon, Ornithogalum, Polygonatum, Pseudomuscari, Puschkinia, Scilla, Tritelia

Asphodelaceae: Asphodeline, Asphodelus, Hemerocallis, Pasithea

Asteraceae: Achillea, Allardia (Waldheimia), Anacyclus, Anaphalis, Antennaria, Anthemis, Arnica, Artemisia, Aster, Brachyscome, Carduncellus, Celmisia, Centaurea, Chrysanthemum, Cotula, Craspedia, Cremanthodium, Crepis, Dimorphotheca, Doronicum, Erigeron, Eriophyllum, Euryops, Felicia, Haastia, Helichrysum, Hymenoxys, Inula, Jurinea (formerly Jurinella), Leontopodium, Leptinella, Leucanthemum, Leucogenes, Nassauvia, Ozothamnus, Perezia, Raoulia, Santolina, Saussurea, Senecio, Serratula, Solidago, Soroseris, Tanacetum, Tetraneuris, Townsendia

Berberidaceae: Berberis (includes Mahonia), Bongardia, Epimedium, Gymnospermium, Jeffersonia, Leontice, Podophyllum (includes Sinopodophyllum), Ranzania, Vancouveria

Bignoniaceae: Incarvillea

Boraginaceae: Anchusa, Arnebia, Echium, Eritrichium, Lithodora, Lithospermum, Mertensia, Moltkia, Myosotis, Omphalodes, Onosma, Pulmonaria, Symphytum

Brassicaceae: Aethionema (includes Eunomia), Alyssum (includes Ptilotrichum), Arabis, Aubrieta, Cardamine (includes Dentaria), Draba, Erysimum, Iberis, Lesquerella, Matthiola, Morisia, Parrya, Petrocallis, Physaria, Thlaspi (includes Hutchinsia), Xerodraba (includes Lithodraba)

Cactaceae: Maihuenia, Mammillaria, Opuntia, Rebutia

Calceolariaceae: Calceolaria, Jovellana

Campanulaceae: Adenophora, Asyneuma, Campanula (includes Symphyandra), Codonopsis, Cyananthus, Edraianthus, Jasione, Lobelia (includes Hypsela, Pratia), Physoplexis, Phyteuma, Platycodon, Trachelium, Wahlenbergia

Caprifoliaceae: Linnaea, Morina, Patrinia, Pterocephalus, Scabiosa, Valeriana

Caryophyllaceae: Arenaria, Cerastium, Dianthus, Gypsophila, Lychnis, Minuartia, Petrocoptis, Petrorhagia (includes Tunica), Saponaria, Silene (includes Melandrium), Stellaria

Celastraceae: Parnassia

Cistaceae: Cistus, x Halimocistus, Halimium, Helianthemum

Colchicaceae: Colchicum (includes Androcymbium, Merendera), Disporum, Uvularia, Wurmbea

Commelinaceae: Weldenia

Conifers include Cupressaceae: Chamaecyparis, Cupressus, Juniperus, Thuja

Pinaceae: Abies, Cedrus, Larix, Picea, Pinus, Tsuga

Sciadopityaceae: Sciadopitys **Taxaceae:** Taxus **Podocarpaceae:** Microcachrys

Convolvulaceae: Convolvulus

Crassulaceae: Aeonium, Cotyledon, Crassula, Orostachys, Rhodiola, Rosularia, Sedum (includes Sempervivella), Sempervivum (includes Jovibarba), Umbilicus (includes Chiastophyllum)

Diapensiaceae: Berneuxia, Diapensia, Galax, Schizocodon, Shortia

Ericaceae: Andromeda, Arctostaphylos, Bryanthus, Calluna, Cassiope, Chamaedaphne, Chimaphila, Cyathodes, Daboecia, Diplarche, Empetrum, Epacris, Epigaea, Erica (includes Bruckenthalia), Gaultheria (includes Pernettya), Harrimanella, Kalmia (includes Leiophyllum, Loiseleuria), Kalmiopsis, Leucopogon, Leucothoe, Moneses, Orthilia, Pentachondra, x Phylliopsis, Phyllodoce, x Phyllothamnus, Pieris (includes Arcterica), Pyrola, Rhododendron (includes Ledum, Menziesia, Therorhodion), Rhodothamnus, Vaccinium

Euphorbiaceae: Euphorbia

Fabaceae: Adesmia, Anthyllis, Astragalus, Carmichaelia, Coronilla, Cytisus, Erinacea, Genista, Hedysarum, Lathyrus, Lotus, Lupinus, Ononis, Oxytropis, Parochetus, Thermopsis, Trifolium, Vicia

Ferns: Include Adiantum, Asplenium, Athyrium, Blechnum, Cheilanthes, Cystopteris, Dryopteris, Polystichum, Woodwardia

Gentianaceae: Centaurium (includes Erythraea), Frasera, Gentiana, Gentianella, Gentianopsis, Lomatogonium, Megacodon, Sebaea, Swertia

Geraniaceae: Erodium, Geranium, Pelargonium

Gesneriaceae: x Brigandrea, Conandron, Haberlea, Jancaea, x Jancaemonda, Lysionotus, Mitraria, Oreocharis (includes Briggsia), Ramonda, Streptocarpus (includes Petrocosmea)

Hydrangeaceae: Hydrangea (includes Deinanthe), Kirengeshoma

Hydrophyllaceae: Hesperochiron, Phacelia, Romanzoffia

Hypericaceae: Hypericum

Hypoxidaceae: Empodium, Hypoxis, Pauridia (formerly Saniella), Rhodohypoxis

Iridaceae: Babiana, Crocus, Freesia, Gladiolus, Herbertia, Hesperantha, Iris (includes Hermodactylus), Ixia, Lapeirousia, Libertia, Moraea, Olsynium, Romulea (includes Bulbocodium), Sisyrinchium, Sparaxis, Tigridia, Watsonia

Ixioliriaceae: Ixiolirion

Lamiaceae: Ajuga, Clinopodium (includes Acinos, Calamintha), Dracocephalum, Eremostachys, Eriophyton, Horminum, Lamium, Lavandula, Mentha, Micromeria, Nepeta, Origanum, Prunella, Salvia, Satureja, Scutellaria, Sideritis, Stachys, Teucrium, Thymus

Lentibulariaceae: Pinguicula

Liliaceae: Calochortus, Erythronium, Fritillaria, Gagea (includes Lloydia), Lilium (includes Nomocharis), Notholirion, Scoliopis, Tricyrtis, Tulipa

Linaceae: Linum **Malvaceae:** Malva, Malvastrum, Tarasa **Mazaceae:** Mazus

Melanthiaceae: Heloniopsis, Paris (includes Daiswa), Trillium (includes Trillidium), Veratrum, Ypsilandra, Zigadenus

Montiaceae: Calandrinia, Calyptridium, Claytonia, Lewisia, Lewisiopsis, Montia

Onagraceae: Epilobium (includes Zauschneria), Fuchsia, Oenothera

Orchidaceae: Barlia, Bletilla, Calanthe, Calypso, Cephalanthera, Cypripedium, Dactylorhiza, Disa, Epipactis, Goodyera, Gymnadenia (includes Nigritella), Habenaria, Neottia, Ophrys, Orchis (includes Aceras), Pleione, Pterostylis, Serapias, Spiranthes

Orobanchaceae: Castilleja, Pedicularis, Rehmannia

Oxalidaceae: Oxalis **Paeoniaceae:** Paeonia

Papaveraceae: Chelidonium, Corydalis, Dicentra, Eomecon, Fumaria, Hylomecon, Meconopsis, Papaver, Pteridophyllum, Rupicapnos, Sanguinaria, Sarcocapnos, Stylophorum

Phrymaceae: Mimulus

Plantaginaceae: Antirrhinum, Asarina, Cymbalaria, Digitalis, Erinus, Globularia, Linaria, Ourisia, Paedorota, Penstemon, Veronica (includes Besseyia, Chionohebe, Hebe, Pygmaea, Parahebe, Synthyris), Wulfenia

Plumbaginaceae: Acantholimon (includes Bukinicia, Dictyolimon), Armeria, Ceratostigma, Limonium (includes Statice)

Polemoniaceae: Collomia, Gilia, Ipomopsis, Phlox, Polemonium

Polygalaceae: Polygala **Polygonaceae:** Eriogonum, Persicaria, Polygonum

Primulaceae: Androsace (includes Douglasia, Vitaliana), Bryocarpum, Cyclamen, Dionysia*, Dodecatheon*, Lysimachia (includes Anagallis, Trientalis), Omphalogramma, Primula (includes Cortusa), Samolus, Soldanella

Ranunculaceae: Aconitum, Actaea, Adonis, Anemone, Aquilegia, Callianthemum, Caltha, Clematis, Coptis, Delphinium, Eranthis, Glaucidium, Helleborus, Hepatica, Isopyrum, Paraquilegia, Pulsatilla, Ranunculus, Semiaquilegia, Thalictrum (includes Anemonella), Trollius

Rosaceae: Acaena, Alchemilla, Aruncus, Cotoneaster, Dryas, Eriogynia (formerly Luetkea), Fragaria, Geum, Kelseya, Petrophytum, Potentilla, Prunus, Rosa, Rubus, Sanguisorba, Sorbus, Spiraea

Rubiaceae: Asperula, Coprosma, Gallium (includes Phuopsis), Houstonia, Mitchella, Nertera

Rutaceae: Correa **Salicaceae:** Salix

Saxifragaceae: Astilbe, Bergenia, Boykinia, Chrysosplenium, Heuchera, Lithophragma, Micranthes, Mitella, Mukdenia, Rodgersia, Saxifraga, Tellima, Tiarella

Scrophulariaceae: Diascia, Glumicalyx, Jamesbrittenia, Scrophularia, Verbascum (includes Celsia), Zaluzianskya

Sellaginellaceae: Sellaginella

Solanaceae: Benthameia, Jaborosa, Nierembergia, Petunia, Solanum

Talinaceae: Talinum **Tecophilaeaceae:** Conanthera, Tecophilaea, Zephyra

Thymelaeaceae: Daphne, Pimelea, Stelleria, Thymelaea, Wikstroemia

Tropaeolaceae: Tropaeolum **Verbenaceae:** Junellia, Lippia, Verbena

Violaceae: Viola **Zingiberaceae:** Roscoea, Zingiber

* *Dionysia and Dodecatheon are now regarded as Primula, but for our shows they retain separate status.*

SPECIAL AWARDS

GEORGE FORREST MEMORIAL MEDAL

May be awarded at each club show, to the most meritorious plant or pan of rock plant(s) (one variety) exhibited in the scheduled classes.

Plants eligible for the award should come from the following:

- a. a plant that has won its class outright
- b. a plant from a multi-pan entry (the entry need not have won the class)
- c. a plant from the non-competitive classes

A Forrest medal shall not be awarded to the same individual plant more than once in any one year at the shows.

To members who have previously won this medal an award card will be presented instead of another medal.

SILVER GEORGE FORREST MEMORIAL MEDAL

Is presented to any member winning a total of ten Forrest medals, to mark the achievement. Thereafter members winning subsequent Forrest medals will receive an award card only.

CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

The judges shall have the power to award a Certificate of Merit to any exhibitor for a plant. The number of such certificates in any one show shall not be limited, but the standard must be kept high.

BRONZE MEDAL

May be awarded at each Club show to the competitor with the highest aggregate of points in Section II. A Bronze medal shall not be awarded unless an exhibitor obtains 20% of the total points available in Section II of the show, except where, in the opinion of the show secretary and judges, the entries of that exhibitor are of outstanding merit. 'Points available' are calculated by totalling the points available from first prizes in the section. The exhibitor's aggregate of points must be at least 20% of the total; but may have been obtained from any prize placings. In the case of a 'tie' two Bronze medals will be awarded. To members who have previously won a Bronze medal an award card will be awarded instead of another medal.

PROFESSIONAL MEDAL CARD

May be awarded to a plant, exhibited on a trade or professional display, which in the opinion of the judges is of the same standard as expected for the Forrest medal.

GOLD, SILVER or BRONZE MEDAL CARDS (Honorary)

May be awarded in each of the following categories:

- (i) Built-up rock garden
- (ii) Rock garden plants in pans
- (iii) Floral display
- (iv) Display of photographs
- (v) Display of paintings or drawings

THE ALPINE GARDEN SOCIETY SALVER

Is awarded annually to the Plantsman of the Year, the exhibitor gaining the highest aggregate of first prize points in Section I of Club shows in the calendar year.

THE RUTLAND SALVER

Is awarded annually to the exhibitor in Section II who gains the highest aggregate of first prize points in the calendar year.

MERIT MEDALS

Will be awarded for first prizes gained in Section I. The only exceptions are that no 'firsts' awarded for cut flowers or floral arrangements will be eligible. One medal only of each will be awarded as follows:

Bronze merit medal after gaining 10 first prizes

Silver merit medal after gaining 25 first prizes

Gold merit medal after gaining 50 first prizes

Subsequent gold merit medal winners will receive an award card only.

Bronze, Silver and Gold **Art merit medals**, distinct from the above, will be awarded respectively for 10, 25 and 50 first prizes gained in the twice-yearly photographic /art competitions (see page 12). First prizes gained in 2017 will be included.

GOTHENBURG TROPHY

This trophy was funded from the sale of seed from Gothenburg Botanic Garden and rotates between the competitive shows in date order. The Club's association with Gothenburg should be considered by the host show committee in selecting the award designation. If shows change position in date sequence, the trophy moves in such a way as no show has the trophy for two consecutive years and no show misses a year.

ALPINES 2001 TROPHY

Awarded for the best cushion plant in the show, this trophy rotates between the competitive shows in date order. If shows change position in date sequence, the trophy moves in such a way as no show has the trophy for two consecutive years and no shows miss a year.

ALPINE GARDEN SOCIETY – ULSTER GROUP QUAICH

Presented by the AGS Ulster Group to commemorate the 75th SRGC anniversary. This trophy rotates between the competitive shows in date order. If shows change position in date sequence, the trophy moves in such a way as no show has the trophy for two consecutive years and no shows miss a year. The designation of the award is chosen by the host show committee.

WILLIAMSON CUP

This cup will be awarded at the AGM for the best entry to Class 5 of the twice-yearly photographic/art competition, exhibited in the current show year. See twice-yearly photographic/art completion schedule (page 12).

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE

The Joint Rock Garden Plant Committee consists of representatives from the Royal Horticultural Society, the Alpine Garden Society, and the Scottish Rock Garden Club. It deals with all rock 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 seven meetings of the Committee in Scotland and the north of England in 2020. These will be held at the following shows:

Dunblane early bulb display	22 nd February, 12 noon
Kendal	14 th March, 11.30 am
Stirling	21 st March, 12 noon
Hexham	28 th March, 11.30 am
Edinburgh & the Lothians	4 th April, 12 noon
Gardening Scotland	30 th May, 8.30 am
Discussion weekend, Grantown on Spey	10 th October, 11.30 am

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, or the previous day for the meeting at Gardening Scotland.

Plants submitted for awards

- 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.
 - 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.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE 2020

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Mr M Pitcher, The RHS Garden, Wisley, Surrey

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Dr C A Bainbridge, Luckie Harg's, Anwoth Road, Gatehouse of Fleet, Castle Douglas, DG7 2EF

Hon. Secretary for the Alpine Garden Society

Mr J J McGregor, Selstead, 68 Malvern Road, Powick, Worcester WR2 4RT

TWICE-YEARLY PHOTOGRAPHIC/ART COMPETITION

Twice yearly, at the **Stirling Show** (21st March, 2020) and the **Autumn Festival** (Scone, 14th November, 2020), members are invited to submit artwork and photographs in the following categories:

Class 1 A photographic print of a rock plant, either in cultivation or the wild

Class 2 A photographic print of a landscape or habitat, including rock plants (see rule 2)

Class 3 A digitally manipulated image or design, of or inspired by, a rock plant or alpine habitat. Include brief notes to explain the picture

Class 4 A drawing or painting of a rock plant, may be in colour or black and white

Class 5 A piece of artwork or craftwork inspired by a rock plant/alpine habitat; may be executed using conventional art techniques, needlework or other craftwork. Excludes digitally produced images

The Williamson Cup will be awarded annually at the Autumn Festival for the best entry to Class 5. To be considered for the award, the winning entry from Class 5 at the Stirling Show should be exhibited at the Autumn Festival as a contender for the Williamson Cup. Note: the exhibitor may also enter Class 5 at the Autumn Festival with a new piece of work.

First prizes in all of the classes will count towards an Art merit medal (see page 9).

Conditions of entry

- a. Members may make only one entry in each of the classes. Pieces of work should not have been exhibited at a SRGC show before.
- b. Entries may be up to A4 size (approx. 12 x 8 ins). Craft items may be larger, but advance notice is preferred of larger items/3-dimensional items, for display purposes.
- c. All two-dimensional entries to be titled and mounted using card (the final size of entry plus mount may exceed A4). Glass frames are not permitted in classes 1-4. Competitors name and address to be on the reverse. Other entries to be accompanied by titles and/or notes.
- d. A photograph is regarded as an image taken on any type of camera and printed either on computer printer or by conventional means. Digital manipulation of the image beyond the basics involved in printing/colour balance is not allowed for classes 1 and 2 although digital images printed from a computer are eligible.
- e. Postal entries should be well wrapped and marked "WITH CARE – ART WORK" & "FRAGILE PLEASE DO NOT BEND". Please make it clear which class(es) you are entering. Return postage is paid for by the club.

Entries should be sent to:

Cathy Caudwell, Abernyte Farm Cottage, Abernyte, Inchtute, Perth PH14 9ST

If you wish to bring your entry to the show/AGM please telephone (01828 686709) or write (Email: c.m.caudwell@fireflyuk.net), giving the category you wish to enter.

Entries should be there by 10 am at Stirling, or before the start of the programme at the Autumn Festival.

The list of firsts will be given in the *Dryas* newsletter.

DUNBLANE EARLY BULB DISPLAY

22nd February 2020, 10 am to 4 pm

Organised by the BULB GROUP

CONTACT: Sandy Leven Tel: 01786 824064
Email: sandy.leven@btinternet.com
VENUE: Victoria Hall, Stirling Road, Dunblane, Perthshire FK15 9EX
LOCATION: Opposite the railway station
ENTRIES: To be staged on the day, see below
STAGING: 9–10 am
PARKING: This is limited outside the hall. The closest is on the main road, in Station Square & on Mill Row. Best for disabled parking is the lower car park at TESCO, with access to the hall via lifts and bridge at the railway station. Charges may apply

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE: will meet at 12 noon

Plants for consideration must be registered by 11 am

Two talks on the bulbous plants of Turkey by David Millward

David is a retired geologist and bulb enthusiast. He has travelled to Turkey in both autumn and spring in search of bulbous plants. Members will be familiar with, and may grow, at least some of the plants illustrated from their natural habitat.

11 am 'Autumn bulbs of Mediterranean Turkey'

An introduction to the rich bulbous flora in Turkey will be followed by a selection of some of the glorious autumn-flowering species of *Crocus*, *Colchicum*, *Sternbergia* and *Cyclamen* seen in the Mediterranean southern part of the country.

2.30 pm 'A kaleidoscope of Turkish spring bulbs'

From the narrow coastal region of the Mediterranean to the high Taurus mountains in the south and the mountains of northern Turkey, spring flowers are revealed from February to May, often in spectacular vistas. In addition to the incredible array of *Crocus* there are abundant *Galanthus*, *Iris*, *Fritillaria*, *Muscari* and much more.

Display

Members are invited to bring as many pans of dwarf bulbs and early flowering alpine plants as possible.

Space will be available for cut flowers of plants which members do not want to disturb in the garden. Please bring your own vases for cut flowers.

Plants will be grouped according to genera during staging between 9 and 10 am.

The rule of one pan per class per exhibitor will be waived. No points will be awarded.

Members may also stage small displays comprising several exhibits to show variation in species etc.

Every contribution increases the value of the display for others.

Plant sales

Contributions are invited to the 50:50 plant sale and raffle, which will be held to cover expenses.

Members are asked to help with the teas and plant stall as this day is organised by the Bulb Group rather than a local group.

KENDAL SHOW

14th March 2020, 10 am to 3.30 pm

(Show hall opens about 11 am)

Organised by the ALPINE GARDEN SOCIETY in conjunction with the SCOTTISH ROCK GARDEN CLUB

SECRETARY: Alan Oatway

Tel: 015395 30702

Email: Alan.Oatway@agsgroups.org

VENUE: Kirkbie Kendal School, Lound Road, Kendal LA9 7EQ

LOCATION: From North: M6 J37 take A684 towards Kendal. After 5 miles turn left on to Park Side Rd (just before 40 mph signs). At T-junction after 0.8 miles turn left onto Lound Rd (A65). School is on left after Shell garage. From the South: M6 J36 take A590/A591 for 6 miles, then A6 to Kendal South. In Kendal, right at first traffic lights, then left at roundabout and immediately right into school grounds.

ENTRIES: To lionel.clarkson@agsgroups.org by Tuesday before the show. Please state if a member of AGS, SRGC or both. Section II(3) entries at any time – advance notice of a large entry would be appreciated.

STAGING: 8–9.40 am

JUDGING: Begins at 9.45 am

PRESENTATIONS: At 3.15 pm

Exhibitors should note that AGS show notes and rules apply this year, and SRGC next year. Accordingly, a Farrer medal may be awarded this year.

****Under AGS rules, bulbous plants include corms and rhizomes but not tubers (see AGS note 27)****

TROPHIES

Hollett Trophy:	most first prize points in Section I
Michael Roberts Memorial Trophy:	most first prize points in Section II(1, 2)
Reginald Kay Trophy:	most first prize points in Section II(3)
Clarkson Trophy	best Ranunculaceae
Kirby Cup:	best foliage plant
Ralph Haywood Memorial Trophy	best dwarf shrub (presented at the AGS AGM)
Duncan Lowe Award:	best plant in a pan not exceeding 19 cm
David Mowle Trophy:	best bulbous plant in Section II(2, 3)
AGS Sewell medal	Class 1 (presented at the AGS AGM)
Bronze medal:	awarded for Section II (see SRGC 'Special Awards')

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE will meet at 11.30 am

Plants for consideration must be registered by 11 am

SECTION I

Open to ALL Members

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 36 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 1 6 pans rock plants. **AGS SEWELL MEDAL**
- 2 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera
- 3 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 4 3 pans Primulaceae
- 5 1 pan Androsace
- 6 3 pans Dionysia
- 7 1 pan Dionysia species
- 8 1 pan Dionysia hybrid
- 9 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 10 1 pan Primula, excluding Asiatic
- 11 3 pans Primula allionii (including hybrids)
- 12 1 pan Primula allionii (including hybrids)
- 13 1 pan Cyclamen
- 14 1 pan Brassicaceae
- 15 3 pans Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 16 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae (excluding Corydalis and Hepatica)
- 17 1 pan Corydalis
- 18 1 pan Hepatica
- 19 3 pans Saxifragaceae
- 20 1 pan Saxifraga
- 21 3 pans bulbous plants (see AGS note 27)

- 22 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Fritillaria, Narcissus & Iridaceae (see AGS note 27)
- 23 1 pan Fritillaria
- 24 3 pans miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 25 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 26 1 pan Iridaceae
- 27 3 pans rock plants from any one continent. Continent to be stated (see AGS note 28)
- 28 1 pan rock plant native to Asia
- 29 1 pan rock plant native to Europe
- 30 1 pan rock plant native to the Americas
- 31 1 pan dwarf shrub in flower
- 32 1 pan Ericaceae
- 33 3 pans dwarf conifer
- 34 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 35 1 pan Sempervivum or Jovibarba
- 36 1 pan hardy fern
- 37 6 pans rock plants; three in flower and three foliage
- 38 3 pans rock plants, for foliage and group effect, not more than one to be silver/grey
- 39 1 pan rock plant with silver/grey foliage
- 40 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect, excluding silver/grey
- 41 1 pan cushion plant grown for perfection of form, no flowers
- 42 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 43 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (accessories NOT permitted; see AGS note 22)
- 44 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (accessories permitted; see AGS note 22)

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

- 51 6 pans rock plants; not more than two of any one genus. **AGS MEDAL**
- 52 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera
- 53 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 54 3 pans Primulaceae, distinct genera
- 55 3 pans Asiatic Primula
- 56 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 57 3 pans Primula, European or American (excluding *P. allionii* & *P. allionii* hybrids)
- 58 1 pan Primula, European or American (excluding *P. allionii* & *P. allionii* hybrids)
- 59 3 pans Primula *allionii* or *P. allionii* hybrid
- 60 1 pan Primula *allionii* or *P. allionii* hybrid
- 61 1 pan Androsace
- 62 1 pan Cyclamen
- 63 3 pans Dionysia
- 64 1 pan Dionysia species
- 65 1 pan Dionysia hybrid
- 66 1 pan Soldanella
- 67 3 pans Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 68 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae (excluding *Corydalis* & *Hepatica*)
- 69 1 pan *Corydalis*
- 70 1 pan *Hepatica*
- 71 3 pans Saxifragaceae
- 72 1 pan *Saxifraga* species
- 73 1 pan *Saxifraga* hybrid
- 74 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 75 3 pans bulbous plants, not more than one to be Fritillaria (see AGS note 27)
- 76 1 pan bulbous plant excluding Fritillaria, Narcissus & Iridaceae (see AGS note 27)
- 77 1 pan Trillium
- 78 3 pans Fritillaria
- 79 1 pan Fritillaria
- 80 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus (species or natural hybrid)
- 81 1 pan Iridaceae
- 82 1 pan Ericaceae
- 83 1 pan hardy fern
- 84 1 pan hardy cactus
- 85 1 pan cushion plant grown for perfection of form, no flowers
- 86 1 pan rock plant, new in cultivation (see AGS note 23d)
- 87 1 pan rock plant, rare in cultivation (see AGS note 23d)
- 88 3 pans rock plants grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 89 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor, plant to be in flower (see rule 14)
- 90 1 pan dwarf shrub in flower
- 91 3 pans dwarf conifers
- 92 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 93 3 pans rock plants, all requiring the same cultural conditions. Educational information about 'How and Where to Grow' to be provided (see AGS note 32)

SECTION II

Open to amateur members of AGS and/or SRGC who have not qualified for the AGS Gold merit medal, not won 5 AGS Silver bars, not won more than 50 first prizes at previous SRGC shows and not won the SRGC Rutland Salver

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 26 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

- 101 2 pans rock plants
- 102 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 103 2 pans Primulaceae
- 104 1 pan European Primula
- 105 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 106 1 pan Androsace
- 107 1 pan Cyclamen
- 108 1 pan Dionysia species
- 109 1 pan Dionysia hybrid
- 110 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 111 1 pan Saxifraga
- 112 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Fritillaria and Narcissus (see AGS note 27)
- 113 1 pan Fritillaria
- 114 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus species
- 115 1 pan rock plant native to Asia
- 116 1 pan rock plant native to Europe
- 117 1 pan rock plant native to the Americas
- 118 1 pan dwarf shrub in flower, excluding Ericaceae
- 119 1 pan Ericaceae
- 120 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 121 1 pan Sempervivum or Jovibarba
- 122 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect, silver/grey
- 123 1 pan rock plant, for foliage effect, excluding silver/grey
- 124 1 pan planted as a miniature garden. Pan size not to exceed 36 cm (see AGS note 22)

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

- 131 3 pans rock plants
- 132 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 133 3 pans Primulaceae
- 134 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 135 1 pan Primula, European species or natural hybrid, excluding P. allionii
- 136 1 pan Primula, European garden hybrid excluding P. allionii hybrids
- 137 1 pan Primula allionii or P. allionii hybrid
- 138 1 pan Cyclamen
- 139 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 140 1 pan Saxifraga
- 141 1 pan bulbous plant excluding Fritillaria & Narcissus (see AGS note 27)
- 142 1 pan Trillium
- 143 1 pan Fritillaria
- 144 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 145 1 pan hardy fern
- 146 1 pan hardy cactus
- 147 1 pan cushion plant grown for perfection of form, no flowers
- 148 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)

Open to amateur members of the AGS and the SRGC who have not won an AGS Bronze merit medal, or won more than ten first prizes at shows run by either Society prior to 1st January, 2020.

(3) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

- 151 2 pans rock plants
- 152 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 153 1 pan rock plant in flower. **Only for the first time exhibitor**
- 154 2 pans Primulaceae
- 155 1 pan Primula
- 156 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 157 1 pan Saxifraga
- 158 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Narcissus (see AGS note 27)
- 159 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 160 1 pan dwarf shrub in flower
- 161 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 162 1 pan Sempervivum or Jovibarba
- 163 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 164 1 pan hardy cactus
- 165 1 pan cushion plant grown for perfection of form, no flowers
- 166 1 pan planted as a miniature garden. Pan size not to exceed 36 cm (see AGS note 22)

STIRLING SHOW

21st March 2020, 12 noon to 3.30 pm

SHOW SECRETARY: Sam Sutherland

Tel: 01259 731695

Email: scsutherland@hotmail.co.uk

VENUE:

Victoria Hall, Stirling Rd, Dunblane, Perthshire FK15 9EX

LOCATION:

Opposite the railway station

PARKING:

This is now limited outside the hall. The closest is on the main road, in Station Square & on Mill Row. Best for disabled parking is the lower car park at TESCO, with access to the hall via lifts and bridge at the railway station. Charges may apply

ENTRIES:

To show secretary by Thursday before the show. Late entries accepted until one hour before judging.

STAGING:

Saturday from 8.30–10 am. No staging Friday before the show.

JUDGING:

Begins at 10.15 am

TWICE-YEARLY PHOTOGRAPHIC/ART COMPETITION:

Entries as detailed on page 12. Details from Cathy Caudwell, Tel: 01828 686709

TROPHIES & PRIZE

Glassford Sprunt Trophy

Ben Ledi Trophy

Institute of Quarrying Quaich

Carnegie Dunfermline Trust Trophy

Fife County Trophy

Spiller Trophy

AGS - Ulster Group Quaich

Bronze medal:

Special prize: £10

best pan of bulbs, pan not exceeding 19 cm

best European plant, section I

best non-European plant, section I

most points, section I

most points, section II

best Primula

best Galanthus

may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)

best plant in section II from a first-time exhibitor at an SRGC show. New exhibitors, please ask for special stickers when you enter.

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE will meet at 12 noon

Plants for consideration must be registered by 11 am

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

Class

- A 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 1 3 pans rock plants, different genera
- 2 1 pan rock plant new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14)
- 3 3 pans rock plants of different species or hybrids of stated parentage, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 4 1 pan rock plant grown from seed as in class 3, excluding bulbs
- 5 3 pans rock plants grown unprotected in open ground, distinct
- 6 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in open ground
- 7 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 8 6 pans dwarf bulbs, different genera
- 9 6 pans dwarf bulbs, distinct
- 10 3 pans rock plants as class 9
- 11 2 pans rock plants as class 9
- 12 2 pans Crocus, distinct
- 13 1 pan Crocus
- 14 2 pans Iris, distinct
- 15 1 pan Iris
- 16 2 pans Narcissus, distinct
- 17 1 pan Narcissus
- 18 2 pans Tulipa, distinct

- 19 1 pan Tulipa
- 20 3 pans Fritillaria, distinct
- 21 2 pans Fritillaria, distinct
- 22 1 pan Fritillaria
- 23 2 pans Papaveraceae, distinct
- 24 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 25 3 pans bulbs grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 26 1 pan bulbs grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 27 1 pan bulbs not eligible for classes 12–24
- 28 3 pans Primula, distinct
- 29 2 pans Primula, Asiatic species or hybrids, distinct
- 30 1 pan Primula, Asiatic species
- 31 1 pan Primula, Asiatic hybrid
- 32 2 pans Primula species other than Asiatic, distinct
- 33 1 pan Primula species other than Asiatic
- 34 2 pans Primula hybrids other than Asiatic, distinct
- 35 1 pan Primula hybrid other than Asiatic
- 36 2 pans Primula allionii form, distinct
- 37 1 pan Primula allionii form
- 38 1 pan Primula marginata
- 39 3 pans Primulaceae, distinct
- 40 2 pans Primulaceae, distinct
- 41 1 pan Primulaceae excluding Primula
- 42 1 pan cushion plant in flower
- 43 1 pan cushion plant out of flower
- 44 2 pans Ranunculaceae, distinct
- 45 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 46 3 pans Orchidaceae, distinct
- 47 2 pans Orchidaceae, distinct
- 48 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 49 2 pans Saxifraga, distinct
- 50 1 pan Saxifraga
- 51 3 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 52 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 53 3 pans rock plants grown for foliage effect
- 54 1 pan rock plants grown for foliage effect
- 55 2 pans rock plant native to Australasia (need not be in flower)
- 56 1 pan rock plant native to Australasia (need not be in flower)
- 57 2 pans rock plants with silver / grey foliage
- 58 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 59 1 pan rock plant native to North America (need not be in flower)
- 60 1 pan rock plant native to the Himalaya (need not be in flower)
- 61 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 62 2 pans Ericaceae distinct
- 63 1 pan Ericaceae
- 64 1 pan dwarf shrub, not eligible for classes 61–63, need not be in flower
- 65 2 pans rock plant not eligible for classes 12–64
- 66 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 12–64
- 67 1 miniature garden, not exceeding 0.37 sq. m. (4 sq ft), planted with living plants, no cut flowers

SECTION II

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

Class

- B 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 70 2 pans rock plants, distinct
- 71 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 72 1 pan rock plant grown in the open ground
- 73 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 74 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
- 75 2 pans dwarf bulbs, distinct
- 76 1 pan dwarf bulbs
- 77 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 78 1 pan Primula, excluding Asiatic
- 79 1 pan Saxifraga
- 80 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 81 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 82 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 83 1 pan Ericaceae
- 84 2 pans rock plants, distinct, not eligible for classes 74–83
- 85 1 pan rock plant as class 84

SECTION III

Open only to Junior members

Class

- 90 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber
- 91 1 pan rock plant, excluding bulb, corm or tuber
- 92 An arrangement of cut flowers and foliage of rock plants in a small vase
- 93 A miniature garden planted with living plants
- 94 A drawing of a rock garden plant or plants
- 95 A painting of a rock garden plant or plants
- 96 A photograph of a rock garden plant or plants

SECTION IV

Not for competition

Members are invited to exhibit, plants, cut flowers, photographs, sketches or paintings of plants, gardens, items in nature or other objects or materials of interest to members.
Exhibit of Stirling Group members' plants.

SECTION V

Cut flowers

Class

- 100 An arrangement of cut flowers and foliage of rock plants arranged for effect in a container with a diameter of 15 cm or less.

HEXHAM SHOW

28th March 2020, 11 am to 3.30 pm

(Show hall opens approximately 11 am)

Organised by the ALPINE GARDEN SOCIETY in conjunction with the SCOTTISH ROCK GARDEN CLUB

SHOW SECRETARY: Angus Thompson Tel: 01661 881240

Email: Angus.Thompson@agsgroups.org

VENUE: Hexham Auction Mart, Tyne Green, Hexham NE46 3SG

LOCATION: At A69 roundabout turn towards Hexham; cross the river, turn right at roundabout, then left (signed to 'Auction Mart').
Extensive free parking near to venue

ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show. Section II (3) entries at any time – advance notice of large entry appreciated

STAGING: 8–9.40 am

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

Exhibitors should note that SRGC show rules apply this year, and AGS next year.

Accordingly, a Forrest medal may be awarded this year.

TROPHIES

R B Cooke Plate:	most first prize points in Section I
Gordon Harrison Cup:	most first prize points in Section II (1 and 2)
Cyril Barnes Trophy:	most first prize points in Section II (3)
Sandhoe Trophy:	best plant in a pan not exceeding 19 cm
David Boyd Award:	class 86
E G Watson Trophy:	class 100
Roger Smith Cup	class 103
Northumberland Cup:	class 170
Bronze medal:	listed under 'Special Awards' of the SRGC Rules; awarded for Section II

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE will meet at 11.30 am

Plants for consideration must be registered by 11 am

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 36 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 1 6 pans rock plants **AGS MEDAL**
- 2 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera
- 3 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 4 3 pans Primulaceae
- 5 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula, Androsace, Cyclamen and Dionysia
- 6 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 7 1 pan Primula species, American or European
- 8 1 pan Androsace
- 9 1 pan Cyclamen
- 10 1 pan Dionysia species
- 11 1 pan Dionysia hybrid
- 12 1 pan Brassicaceae
- 13 1 pan Compositae (Asteraceae)
- 14 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 15 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 16 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 17 1 pan Melanthiaceae
- 18 1 pan Orchidaceae, excluding Pleione

- 19 1 pan Pleione
- 20 3 pans bulbous plants (see rule 15)
- 21 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Fritillaria (see rule 15)
- 22 1 pan Fritillaria
- 23 3 pans rock plants, any one genus
- 24 3 pans rock plants from any one continent. Continent to be stated
- 25 1 pan rock plant native to Australasia
- 26 1 pan rock plant native to the Americas
- 27 1 pan rock plant native to Asia
- 28 1 pan rock plant native to the British Isles (see AGS note 28)
- 29 1 pan rock plant native to Europe
- 30 1 pan rock plant native to Japan or China
- 31 1 pan rock plant native to Turkey
- 32 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding Ericaceae
- 33 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 34 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 35 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 36 3 pans rock plants for foliage and group effect
- 37 1 pan rock plant for foliage, excluding silver / grey
- 38 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 39 1 pan hardy fern
- 40 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 41 1 pan cushion plant, grown for natural effect. No flowers
- 42 1 pan cushion plant, grown for natural effect. In flower
- 43 1 pan cushion plant grown for perfection of form. No flowers
- 44 1 pan non-bulbous plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 45 1 pan bulbous plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 15)
- 46 6 varieties of cut alpine flowers, including dwarf shrubs, grown by the exhibitor. Must be shown in the separate vases provided. Varieties to be named
- 47 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (accessories not permitted; see AGS note 22)

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 50 6 pans rock plants, not more than two of any one genus. **AGS MEDAL**
- 51 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera
- 52 3 pan rock plants, distinct genera, excluding Primulaceae and Saxifragaceae
- 53 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 54 3 pans Primulaceae, distinct genera
- 55 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula, Androsace, Cyclamen and Dionysia
- 56 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 57 1 pan Primula, native to Europe, excluding P. allionii and P. allionii hybrids
- 58 3 pans Primula allionii or P. allionii hybrids
- 59 1 pan Primula allionii or P. allionii hybrid
- 60 1 pan Primula marginata forms, hybrids excluded
- 61 1 pan Androsace
- 62 1 pan Cyclamen
- 63 1 pan Dionysia species
- 64 1 pan Dionysia hybrid
- 65 1 pan Brassicaceae
- 66 1 pan Compositae (Asteraceae)
- 67 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 68 1 pan Ranunculaceae, excluding Hepatica
- 69 1 pan Hepatica
- 70 3 pan Saxifragaceae
- 71 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 72 1 pan Apiaceae
- 73 1 pan Pleione
- 74 1 pan Orchidaceae, excluding Pleione

- 75 1 pan Lillaceae or Melanthiaceae, excluding Fritillaria
- 76 3 pans bulbous plants, at most one Fritillaria (see rule 15)
- 77 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Fritillaria and Narcissus
- 78 3 pans Fritillaria
- 79 1 pan Fritillaria
- 80 3 pans miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 81 1 pan miniature/dwarf Narcissus
- 82 3 pans rock plants, any one genus. Botanical notes allowed
- 83 3 pans rock plants from one continent. Continent to be stated
- 84 1 pan rock plant native to Australasia
- 85 1 pan rock plant native to the Americas
- 86 1 pan rock plant native to Europe **DAVID BOYD AWARD**
- 87 1 pan rock plant native to Japan or China
- 88 1 pan rock plant native to Asia
- 89 1 pan rock plant native to the British Isles (see AGS note 28)
- 90 1 pan rock plant native to Africa
- 91 1 pan rock plant native to Turkey
- 92 1 pan dwarf shrub, in flower, excluding Ericaceae
- 93 1 pan Ericaceae
- 94 3 pans dwarf conifer
- 95 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 96 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
- 97 1 pan hardy fern
- 98 3 pans cushion plants. Two plants to be in flower, one not in flower
- 99 1 pan cushion plant
- 100 3 pans rock plant, new or rare in cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied (see AGS note 23d) **E G WATSON TROPHY**
- 101 1 pan rock plant in flower, new or newly reintroduced to cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied (see AGS note 23d)
- 102 1 pan rock plant rare in cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied (see AGS note 23d)
- 103 6 pans rock plants grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14) **ROGER SMITH CUP**
- 104 3 pans rock plants grown from seed by the exhibitor, no flowers (see rule 14)
- 105 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor, no flowers (see rule 14)
- 106 3 pans rock plants, in flower, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 107 1 pan rock plant, in flower, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 108 1 pan bulbous plant in flower, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)

SECTION II

Open to amateur members of AGS and/or SRGC who have not qualified for the AGS Gold merit medal, not won 5 AGS Silver bars, not won more than 50 first prizes at previous SRGC shows and not won the SRGC Rutland Salver

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 26 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 110 3 pans rock plants
- 111 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 112 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula
- 113 1 pan Primula
- 114 1 pan Papaveraceae or Ranunculaceae
- 115 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 116 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 117 1 pan bulbous plant (see rule 15)
- 118 3 pans rock plants from any one continent. Continent to be stated
- 119 1 pan rock plant native to the southern hemisphere
- 120 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding Ericaceae
- 121 1 pan Ericaceae
- 122 1 pan dwarf conifer

- 123 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
- 124 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 125 1 pan hardy fern
- 126 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 127 1 pan cushion plant
- 128 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (accessories not permitted). Pan size not to exceed 36 cm outside diameter (see AGS note 22)

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 130 3 pans rock plants, distinct
- 131 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 131 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula and Androsace
- 133 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 134 1 pan American or European Primula
- 135 1 pan Androsace
- 136 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 137 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 138 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 139 1 pan bulbous plant (see note 15)
- 140 1 pan Fritillaria
- 141 1 pan rock plant native to the northern hemisphere
- 142 1 pan rock plant native to the southern hemisphere
- 143 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding Ericaceae
- 144 1 pan Ericaceae
- 145 1 pan rock plant new or rare in cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied
- 146 3 pans rock plants grown from seed by the exhibitor (see note 14)
- 147 1 pan as class 146. Plant to be in flower

Open only to amateur members of the AGS and the SRGC who have not won an AGS Bronze merit medal, or won more than ten first prizes at shows run by either Society prior to 1st January, 2020

(3) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 160 2 pans rock plants
 - 161 1 pan rock plant
 - 162 1 pan Primulaceae
 - 163 1 pan Asiatic Primula
 - 164 1 pan American or European Primula
 - 165 1 pan bulbous plant (see note 15)
 - 166 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
 - 167 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see note 14)
 - 168 1 pan hardy cactus
 - 169 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (see AGS note 22). Pan size not to exceed 36 cm external diameter
 - 170 1 pan rock plant shown by exhibitor who has never won a first prize at an AGS or SRGC national show
- NORTHUMBERLAND CUP**

EDINBURGH AND THE LOTHIANS SHOW

4th April 2020, 10.30 am to 3.30 pm

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

SHOW SECRETARY: David Millward Tel: 01620 870283

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VENUE: Fairmilehead Parish Church, Frogston Road West,
Fairmilehead, Edinburgh EH10 7AA

LOCATION: At City Bypass, Lothianburn Junction, A702; go into city. Turn
right at first traffic lights (Fairmilehead); church hall is first left.

ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show

Late entries accepted until one hour before judging

STAGING: Friday before the show 6–8 pm, and Saturday from 8–9.30 am

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

TROPHIES & PRIZES

Alfred Evans Quaich:

R E Cooper Bhutan Drinking Cup:

K C Corsar Challenge Trophy:

Midlothian Vase:

Henry Tod Carnethy Quaich:

Kilbryde Cup:

Bill Mackie Quaich:

Reid Rose Bowl:

Midlothian Bowl:

Henry Archibald Rose Bowl:

Elsie Harvey Memorial Trophy:

A O Curle Memorial Trophy:

Boonslie Cup:

Bronze medal

Special prize: £10

Special prizes: alpine plants

best pan of Ericaceae, other than Rhododendron

best Asiatic Primula

best European or American Primula

best Rhododendron, section I or II

best bulb, corm or tuber, section I

best plant, pan size not exceeding 17.5 cm maximum external
diameter

best Saxifraga

most points, Section I

best plant, Section II

winner, class 2

winner, class 3

winner, class 5

winner, class 79

may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)

best plant in Section II by a first-time exhibitor. New exhibitors, ask
for special stickers.

best entries in the Junior Section

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE will meet at 12 noon

Plants for consideration must be registered by 11 am

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
- 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 6 pans rock plants, distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 81 2 pans rock plants, different genera
- 82 1 pan rock plant in flower, excluding bulbs, corms and tubers
- 83 1 pan bulb, corm or tuberous plant in flower
- 84 2 pans rock plants native to one country, country to be stated
- 85 1 pan Asiatic Primula
- 86 2 pans Primula, American or European, distinct
- 87 1 pan Primula, American or European
- 88 1 pan Ericaceae
- 89 1 pan Iridaceae
- 90 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
- 91 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 92 2 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 93 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 94 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 95 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 96 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula
- 97 1 pan Amaryllidaceae or Asparagaceae
- 98 1 pan Liliaceae
- 99 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 100 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding conifers
- 101 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 85–100
- 102 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 103 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in the open ground. Must be lifted within 10 days of the show

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.

PERTH SHOW

18th April 2020, 12 noon to 3.30 pm

(Plant sales open from 11 am)

SHOW SECRETARY: Alison Hogg Tel: 07760 364529
Email: alison.hogg@keme.co.uk
VENUE: Bell's Sports Centre, Hay Street, Perth PH1 5HS
LOCATION: Next to the North Inch, Perth
ENTRIES: By email to: perth.show@fireflyuk.net by Wednesday before the show
Late entries accepted until one hour before judging
STAGING: 8.30–9.45 am, Saturday. No staging on Friday evening
JUDGING: Begins at 10 am **PRESENTATIONS:** At 3.20 pm

TROPHIES & PRIZES

Maj-Gen. D M Murray-Lyon Trophy:	best plant exhibited by a member resident in the former Tayside Region (Angus, the City of Dundee and Perth and Kinross)
L C Middleton Challenge Trophy:	most first prize points, section I
E H M Cox Trophy:	best dwarf Rhododendron
Perth Trophy:	most points in show by a member of the Perthshire Group
Perth Salver:	most points, section II
John Duff Memorial Prize:	best plant in section II
Alexander Caird Trophy:	winner, class 1
Dundas Quaich:	winner, class 2
Joyce Halley Award:	best plant grown from seed. Entry must comply with rule 14.
R S Masterton Memorial Trophy:	best Asiatic Primula
Bulb Trophy:	best bulbous plant (see rule 15)
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
Georgina Blackwood Memorial Trophy:	best entry, Junior section

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

Class

- A 6 pans rock plants, distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter.
- 1 6 pans rock plants, distinct, not more than two from any one genus. **ALEXANDER CAIRD TROPHY**
- 2 3 pans rock plants of different genera. **DUNDAS QUAICH**
- 3 1 pan rock plant, new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14)
- 4 2 pans rock plants raised from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 5 1 pan rock plant, excluding bulbs, raised from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 6 1 pan bulbous plant as class 5 (see rules 14, 15)
- 7 2 pans bulbous plants (see rule 15)
- 8 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 9 1 pan rock plant with silver or grey foliage
- 10 1 pan rock plant grown for foliage effect
- 11 1 pan cushion plant in flower
- 12 1 pan cushion plant not in flower
- 13 1 pan Fritillaria native to North America, excluding *F. affinis* var. *tristulis* (*F. lanceolata*)
- 14 1 pan Androsace
- 15 1 pan Anemone or Pulsatilla
- 16 2 pans Cyclamen, distinct, excluding *C. persicum* hybrids
- 17 1 pan Cyclamen as class 16
- 18 1 pan Daphne
- 19 3 pans Fritillaria. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter.

- 20 1 pan Diapensiaceae
- 21 1 pan dwarf fern
- 22 1 pan Gentiana
- 23 2 pans *Lewisia*, distinct
- 24 1 pan *Lewisia*
- 25 2 pans *Narcissus*, distinct
- 26 1 pan *Narcissus*
- 27 2 pans *Primula*, Asiatic, distinct
- 28 1 pan *Primula*, Asiatic
- 29 3 pans *Primula*, distinct
- 30 2 pans dwarf *Rhododendron*, distinct
- 31 1 pan dwarf *Rhododendron*
- 32 2 pans *Saxifraga*, distinct
- 33 1 pan *Saxifraga*
- 34 2 pans *Primula*, European or American species, distinct
- 35 1 pan *Primula* as class 34
- 36 1 pan *Sedum*
- 37 2 pans *Sempervivum*, distinct
- 38 1 pan *Sempervivum*
- 39 1 pan Iridaceae or Amaryllidaceae, excluding *Narcissus*
- 40 2 pans *Iris*
- 41 1 pan *Tulipa*
- 42 2 pans *Tulipa*
- 43 1 pan *Rhodohypoxis*
- 44 1 pan dwarf shrub excluding conifers and Ericaceae
- 45 2 pans dwarf conifer, distinct
- 46 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 47 1 pan *Primula* own hybrid (see rule 14)
- 48 1 pan *Primula* taken from Florist's Auriculas, Border Auricula, Polyanthus and Primrose
- 49 1 pan Asteraceae
- 50 1 pan Brassicaceae
- 51 2 pans *Fritillaria*, distinct
- 52 1 pan *Fritillaria*, not eligible for class 13
- 53 1 pan Ericaceae excluding *Rhododendron*
- 54 1 pan Geraniaceae or Oxalidaceae
- 55 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 56 1 pan Primulaceae excluding Androsace, Cyclamen and *Primula*
- 57 1 pan *Trillium*
- 58 1 pan Liliaceae excluding *Fritillaria* and *Tulipa*
- 59 1 pan hardy orchid excluding *Pleione*
- 60 1 pan *Pleione*
- 61 2 pans Ranunculaceae, distinct
- 62 1 pan Ranunculaceae, excluding *Anemone* and *Pulsatilla*
- 63 1 pan rock plant, not eligible for classes 7–62
- 64 3 pans rock plants, distinct, native to one country, country to be identified
- 65 2 pans cushion plants, distinct, need not be in flower
- 66 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in the open ground
- 67 2 pans rock plants grown unprotected in the open ground, distinct
- 68 1 miniature garden, not exceeding 0.37 sq. m. (4 sq ft), planted with living plants, no cut flowers

SECTION II

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

Class

- B 6 pans rock plants distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 69 2 pans rock plants, distinct
- 70 1 pan rock plant grown in the open ground

- 71 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 72 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 73 2 pans dwarf bulbs, including corms and tubers, distinct (see rule 15)
- 74 1 pan dwarf bulbs as class 73 (see rule 15)
- 75 1 pan cushion plant
- 76 1 pan rock plant grown for foliage effect
- 77 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 78 1 pan Primula, Asiatic
- 79 1 pan Primula, American or European
- 80 1 pan Primula taken from Florist's Auriculas, Border Auriculas, Primrose and Polyanthus
- 81 1 pan Saxifraga
- 82 1 pan dwarf fern
- 83 1 pan double primrose
- 84 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 85 1 pan Pleione
- 86 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 87 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 88 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding conifers and Ericaceae
- 89 1 pan Lewisia
- 90 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 70–89

SECTION III

Open only to Junior members

Class

- 91 1 pan rock plant raised from seed by the exhibitor; plant to be labelled stating origin of seed, date of sowing and any other relevant information. The plant need not be in flower.
- 92 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber
- 93 1 pan rock plant of easy cultivation
- 94 An arrangement of cut rock garden flowers and foliage in a container not exceeding 15 cm length or diameter.

SECTION IV

Not for competition

Members are invited to exhibit plants, cut flower arrangements, photographs, sketches or paintings of plants, gardens, items in nature or other objects or materials of interest to members and the general public.

SECTION V

Class

- 95 An arrangement of cut flowers and foliage of rock plants in a container not exceeding interior diameter 15 cm; flowers and / or foliage need not be grown by competitor.

HIGHLAND SHOW

25th April, 2020, 10.30 am to 3 pm

(Show opens 11.30 am)

SHOW SECRETARY: John Owen Tel: 01320 366246 Mobile (Friday): 07762 650131

Email: johndwoven@gmail.com

VENUE: Nairn Community Centre, King Street, Nairn IV12 4BQ
Tel: 01667 453476

LOCATION: King Street is the main A96 trunk road passing through Nairn. The CC is 200m north of the bus station. There is limited parking immediately adjacent to the hall, but ample across the road.

ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show. Late entries accepted until one hour before judging if space allows

STAGING: Saturday 8–10 am. No staging Friday

JUDGING: Begins at 10.15 am **PRESENTATIONS:** At 2.45 pm

TROPHIES & PRIZE

Highland Trophy:	most first prize points Section I
George Roslyn-Shirras Tankard:	most first prize points Section II
Askival Trophy:	best pan bulbs (see Rule 15)
Culloden Cup:	best Primula
Grouse Trophy:	best Ericaceae
Weir Shield:	best plant exhibited by a member resident in either Highland or Moray
Dunbarney Salver:	best plant Section II
Alpines 2001 Trophy	best cushion plant
Bronze medal:	may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)
Special prize: £20	best plant in Section II from a first-time exhibitor. New exhibitors, ask for special stickers.

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 of different genera
- 3 3 pans rock plants, new or rare (see rule 14)
- 4 1 pan rock plant, new or rare (see rule 14)
- 5 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 6 2 pans rock plant native to Africa
- 7 2 pans rock plants native to Asia
- 8 2 pans rock plants native to Australasia
- 9 2 pans rock plants native to Europe
- 10 2 pans rock plants native to North America
- 11 2 pans rock plants native to South America
- 12 3 pans rock plants native to one country, country to be named
- 13 1 pan rock plant with silver or grey foliage
- 14 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect
- 15 2 pans Crassulaceae
- 16 1 pan Sempervivum
- 17 1 pan Sedum
- 18 1 pan Crassulaceae other than Sempervivum or Sedum
- 19 1 pan cushion plant in flower
- 20 1 pan cushion plant not in flower
- 21 3 pans bulbs, distinct, raised from seed by exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)
- 22 1 pan bulbs raised from seed by exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)
- 23 3 pans rock plants, distinct, raised from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 24 1 pan rock plant raised from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 25 1 pan Saxifragaceae

- 26 3 pans Primula, distinct species or hybrids
- 27 1 pan Primula, Asiatic species or hybrid
- 28 1 pan Primula, European or American species or hybrid
- 29 1 pan Androsace
- 30 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula
- 31 1 pan Apiaceae
- 32 2 pans Ranunculaceae, distinct
- 33 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 34 1 pan Iridaceae
- 35 2 pans Fritillaria, distinct
- 36 1 pan Fritillaria
- 37 2 pans Narcissus, distinct
- 38 1 pan Narcissus
- 39 1 pan Tulipa
- 40 2 pans Liliaceae
- 41 1 pan Liliaceae, excluding Tulipa
- 42 1 pan Melanthiaceae
- 43 3 pans bulbs, distinct genera
- 44 2 pans bulbs, distinct genera
- 45 1 pan Arisaema
- 46 1 pan Araceae
- 47 1 pan Asteraceae
- 48 1 pan Gentianaceae
- 49 2 pans Lewisia, distinct
- 50 1 pan Lewisia
- 51 1 pan Diapensiaceae, Gesneriaceae or Berberidaceae
- 52 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 53 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 54 2 pans dwarf conifers, distinct
- 55 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 56 2 pans of dwarf shrubs of different genera, excluding Ericaceae and conifers
- 57 1 pan dwarf shrub as class 56
- 58 2 pans ferns, distinct
- 59 1 pan fern
- 60 2 pans hardy orchids, distinct
- 61 1 pan Pleione
- 62 1 pan hardy orchid, excluding Pleione
- 63 1 pan Amaryllidaceae
- 64 1 pan Cyclamen
- 65 1 pan rock plant lifted from the open ground
- 66 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 14–64
- 67 1 miniature garden of rock plants, maximum sides or diameter 45 cm; no cut flowers allowed

SECTION II

Open to members who have not won more than 50 first prizes at previous SRGC shows

Class

- 70 6 pans rock plants, distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 71 2 pans rock plant, distinct
- 72 1 pan rock plant grown in the open ground
- 73 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 74 2 pans dwarf bulbs, distinct (see rule 15)
- 75 1 pan dwarf bulbs as class 74 (see rule 15)
- 76 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 77 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect
- 78 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 79 1 pan Primula, Asiatic
- 80 1 pan Primula, American or European
- 81 1 pan Primula taken from Florist's Auriculas, Border Auriculas, Primrose and Polyanthus
- 82 1 pan Saxifraga

- 83 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 84 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 85 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 86 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 87 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding Conifers and Ericaceae
- 88 1 pan Lewisia cotyledon and hybrids
- 89 1 pan Lewisia other than class 88
- 90 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 74–89

SECTION V

These to be hardy plants, not house plants

Section V(a): exhibitors in Sections I & II not eligible

Class

- 100 1 pan primrose or polyanthus
- 101 1 pan Auricula Primula
- 102 1 pan Primula other than in classes 100 & 101
- 103 1 pan rockery plant
- 104 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber
- 105 1 pan Crassulaceae e.g. Sedum or Sempervivum
- 106 Miniature garden of live plants

Section V(b): Open to everyone

Class

- 107 1 vase 3 daffodils of same variety
- 108 1 vase 3 tulips of same variety
- 109 An arrangement of cut flowers and/or foliage of rock plants in a container not exceeding 15 cm diameter: flowers and/or foliage need not be grown by the exhibitor.

GLASGOW SHOW

2nd May 2020, 11.30 am to 3.30 pm

SHOW SECRETARY: Richard Green Tel: 01360 440701

Email: glasgow.show@gmail.com

VENUE: Milngavie Town Hall, Station Road, Milngavie, Glasgow G62 8BZ

LOCATION: 9 miles NW of Glasgow on the A81. The Town Hall is near the town centre, opposite the car park for Milngavie railway station

ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show

Late entries accepted until one hour before judging

STAGING: 7.30–9.30 pm Friday before the show and on Saturday 9–10 am.

Note that earlier staging on Saturday cannot be arranged.

JUDGING: Begins at 10.15 am **PRESENTATIONS:** At 3.15 pm

TROPHIES & PRIZES

Crawford Silver Challenge Cup:

Ian Donald Memorial Trophy:

James A Wilson Trophy:

Charles M Simpson Memorial Trophy:

Dr William Buchanan Memorial Rose Bowl:

Henry Archibald Challenge Rose Bowl:

William C Buchanan Challenge Cup:

Edward Darling Memorial Trophy:

Joan Stead Prize:

Don Stead Prize:

Bronze medal:

Special prize: £10:

most first prize points, section I

best plant native to Scotland, classes 6, 7, 65

most points, section II

best plant in Orchidaceae, sections I or II

best exhibit, class 1

best exhibit, class 2

best exhibit, class 3

best exhibit, class 4

best Primula in sections I or II

highest aggregate points, classes 19, 26–36, 78–81

may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)

best plant in section II from a first-time exhibitor at an SRGC show. New exhibitors, please ask for special stickers when you enter

best plant in a pan not exceeding 17.5 cm maximum external diameter

75th Jubilee Prize: (Award card only)

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

Class

- A 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 1 6 pans rock plants, distinct not more than two of any one genus. **DR WILLIAM BUCHANAN MEMORIAL ROSE BOWL**
- 2 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera. **HENRY ARCHIBALD CHALLENGE ROSE BOWL**
- 3 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera, new or rare (see rule 14). **WILLIAM C BUCHANAN CHALLENGE CUP**
- 4 3 pans dwarf Rhododendron, species and / or hybrids. **EDWARD DARLING MEMORIAL TROPHY**
- 5 1 pan rock plant, new or rare (see rule 14)
- 6 2 pans rock plants native to Scotland, distinct genera
- 7 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 8 2 pans rock plants native to Australasia, distinct genera, need not be in flower
- 9 1 pan rock plant native to Australasia, need not be in flower
- 10 1 pan rock plant with silver or grey foliage
- 11 1 pan rock plant with purple or variegated foliage
- 12 1 pan cushion plant
- 13 2 pans cushion plants, distinct, need not be in flower
- 14 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in the open ground
- 15 1 pan Saxifraga
- 16 3 pans Primula, distinct species or hybrids
- 17 2 pans Primula, as class 16
- 18 1 pan Primula, species or hybrid
- 19 1 pan Cyclamen
- 20 2 pans Androsace, distinct
- 21 1 pan Androsace
- 22 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Androsace, Cyclamen and Primula
- 23 2 pans Ranunculaceae, distinct
- 24 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 25 1 pan Papaveraceae

- 26 3 pans bulbs, distinct, raised from seed by the exhibitor (see rules 14, 15)
- 27 1 pan Iris
- 28 2 pans Fritillaria, distinct
- 29 1 pan Fritillaria
- 30 1 pan Tulipa
- 31 1 pan Trillium
- 32 2 pans Amaryllidaceae, Asparagaceae, Iridaceae and/or Liliaceae, distinct genera excluding Iris, Tulipa and Fritillaria
- 33 1 pan Amaryllidaceae, Asparagaceae, Iridaceae or Liliaceae, as in class 32
- 34 3 pans bulbs, distinct genera (see rule 15)
- 35 2 pans bulbs, distinct genera (see rule 15)
- 36 1 pan Arisaema
- 37 1 pan Asteraceae
- 38 1 pan Gentiana
- 39 2 pans Lewisia, distinct
- 40 1 pan Lewisia
- 41 3 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 42 2 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 43 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 44 1 pan Diapensiaceae or Gesneriaceae
- 45 2 pans rock plants, distinct, native to the Americas, excluding bulbs
- 46 2 pans rock plants, distinct, native to Europe, excluding bulbs
- 47 1 pan rock plant, native to Africa
- 48 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 49 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 50 2 pans dwarf conifers, distinct
- 51 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 52 2 pans dwarf shrubs of different genera, excluding Ericaceae and conifers
- 53 1 pan dwarf shrub as in class 52
- 54 2 pans ferns, distinct
- 55 1 pan fern
- 56 1 pan Viola, species
- 57 1 pan Pleione
- 58 1 pan hardy orchid, excluding Pleione
- 59 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 15–58
- 60 1 pan rock plants, raised from seed by the exhibitor; need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 61 1 container various rock plants, arranged for effect, maximum diameter or length of side 36 cm

SECTION II

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

Class

- B 6 pans rock plants distinct. Pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 63 2 pans rock plants, distinct genera
- 64 1 pan rock plant
- 65 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 66 1 pan rock plant with silver, grey, purple or variegated foliage
- 67 1 pan cushion plant
- 68 2 pans rock plants grown unprotected in the open ground, distinct genera
- 69 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in the open ground
- 70 1 pan Brassicaceae
- 71 1 pan Saxifraga
- 72 2 pans Primula, distinct species or hybrids
- 73 1 pan Primula, species or hybrid
- 74 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Primula
- 75 1 pan rock plant native to Australasia, need not be in flower
- 76 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 77 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 78 2 pans Amaryllidaceae, Asparagaceae, Iridaceae or Liliaceae, distinct genera
- 79 1 pan Amaryllidaceae, Asparagaceae, Iridaceae or Liliaceae
- 80 1 pan Fritillaria
- 81 1 pan Tulipa
- 82 1 pan Asteraceae
- 83 1 pan Gentiana
- 84 2 pans Lewisia, distinct
- 85 1 pan Lewisia

- 86 1 pan Sedum
- 87 1 pan Sempervivum or Cotyledon
- 88 2 pans ferns, distinct
- 89 1 pan fern
- 90 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 91 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding Rhododendron and conifers
- 92 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 93 1 pan rock plant, raised from seed by the exhibitor, need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 94 1 pan rock plant, not eligible for classes 70–93
- 95 1 table or window box rock garden, not exceeding 0.37 sq m (4 sq ft), living plants only, cut flowers not admissible
- 96 1 container of various rock plants as in class 61

SECTION III

Open only to Junior members

Class

- 97 1 pan rock plant, raised from seed, need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 98 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber
- 99 1 pan rock plant of easy cultivation
- 100 1 bowl cut flowers of rock plants, arranged for decorative effect, bowl to be supplied by exhibitor, not to exceed 15 cm.

SECTION IV

Not for competition

Members are invited to exhibit plants, cut flower arrangements, photographs, sketches, or paintings of plants, gardens, items in nature or other objects or materials of interest to members and the public.

SECTION V

Open to non-members at 5p per entry

Class

- 101 1 bowl cut flowers of rock plants, arranged for decorative effect: bowl to be supplied by exhibitor, not to exceed 15 cm
- 102 1 pan single primrose
- 103 1 pan double primrose
- 104 1 pan Polyanthus
- 105 1 pan show Auricula
- 106 1 pan alpine Auricula
- 107 1 pan border or garden Auricula
- 108 3 20cm (8") vases of daffodils, three varieties, three blooms of each
- 109 2 20cm (8") vases of daffodils, two varieties, three blooms of each
- 110 1 20cm (8") vase of daffodils, one variety, three blooms
- 111 1 20cm (8") vase of Tulips, one variety, three blooms

Definitions of classes of Auricula, Polyanthus and Primrose

The term 'Auricula', as used in classes 105-107, applies to the florist's forms and is separate from Primulas belonging to the Auricula Section. The latter includes *P. auricula*, its varieties, and such well known hybrids as *P. 'Linda Pope'* that are the subject of classes in Sections I and II.

Show Auriculas are either edge or self-coloured. They invariably have white paste centres.

Alpine Auriculas have pips of one colour, though of varying shades of that colour, the deeper shade towards the centre, the paler towards the edge. No farina is to be found on any part of an Alpine Auricula. The centres may be either gold or cream-coloured.

Border or garden Auriculas, are somewhat similar to alpine Auriculas, but the colour shading is much less definite. They are coarser plants than alpine varieties, and farina may be found on foliage or flower scapes.

The plant known as *P. 'Barrowby Gem'* is a Polyanthus, and the group covered by the name *Juliae* hybrids should be classed as primroses; *P. 'Garryarde Guinevere'* is a Polyanthus.

Members who are in doubt as to which classes their exhibits belong should consult the show secretary.

ABERDEEN SHOW

23rd May 2020, 11.30 am to 3.30 pm

SHOW SECRETARIES: Ian & Lillian Chapman Tel: 01224 310188

Emails: ian.chapman273@gmail.com

Lillianjaychapman@gmail.com

VENUE: David Welch Winter Gardens, Duthie Park, Polmuir Road, Aberdeen, AB11 7TH. Tel: 01224 585310

LOCATION: From the south A90, at the first Aberdeen roundabout carry straight on to the next roundabout, turn left across the river. At the next roundabout continue straight on. Take the first on the right, Murray Terrace, after 200 m you will be directed left at a no entry, take the first right and right again. Continue to the gate of Duthie Park. Take the right before the park gates towards the glass houses.

ENTRIES: To show secretary by Wednesday before the show. Late entries accepted until one hour before judging if space allows.

STAGING: 6–8 pm Friday before the show and 8–9.15 am Saturday

JUDGING: Begins at 9.30 am **PRESENTATIONS:** At 14.30 pm

TROPHIES & PRIZES

Walker of Portlethen Trophy:

Aberdeen Quaich:

Simpson Salver:

Craig Cup:

Esslemont Quaich and £25:

Brian Bull Trophy:

Bronze medal:

Special prize: £10

Elizabeth Bowl

most points, section I

best plant, section II

best dwarf Rhododendron

best Primula

winner, class 6

winner, class 63

may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)

best plant in section II from a first-time exhibitor at an SRGC show.

New exhibitors, ask for special stickers when you enter.

best exhibit from a junior member

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

Class

- A 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 1 6 pans rock plants, distinct
- 2 3 pans rock plants, distinct
- 3 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 4 2 pans rock plants, distinct, raised from seed by the exhibitor; plants need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 5 1 pan rock plant as in class 4 (see rule 14)
- 6 3 pans rock plants, new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14). **ESSLEMONT QUAICH**
- 7 1 pan rock plant as in class 6 (see rule 14)
- 8 3 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 9 2 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 10 1 pan rock plant with silver or grey foliage
- 11 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 12 2 pans rock plants, distinct, native to the Americas
- 13 2 pans bulbs, distinct (see rule 15)
- 14 2 pans rock plants, distinct, native to Australasia
- 15 2 pans rock plants, distinct
- 16 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding conifers and Ericaceae

- 17 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect
- 18 3 pans rock plants, distinct, native to one country which must be stated
- 19 2 pans dwarf conifers, distinct
- 20 1 pan Campanulaceae
- 21 1 pan Anemone or Pulsatilla
- 22 1 pan Asteraceae
- 23 3 pans of the same species or hybrid or a hybrid and its parents, to show variation
- 24 1 pan Daphne
- 25 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Rhododendron
- 26 1 pan Fritillaria
- 27 1 pan dwarf Rhododendron
- 28 1 pan Papaveraceae
- 29 1 pan Tulipa
- 30 1 pan Liliaceae, Asparagaceae, or Melanthiaceae (excluding Trillium, Tulipa and Fritillaria)
- 31 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 32 1 pan dwarf bulb (see rule 15)
- 33 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 34 1 pan Primulaceae, excluding Androsace, Cyclamen and Primula
- 35 2 pans Primula species, distinct
- 36 1 pan Primula, Asiatic
- 37 1 pan Araceae or Aristolochiaceae
- 38 1 pan Primula, American or European
- 39 1 pan Primula from Auricula, Polyanthus or Primrose
- 40 1 pan Androsace
- 41 1 pan Cyclamen
- 42 1 pan Ranunculaceae, excluding Anemone and Pulsatilla
- 43 1 pan Scrophulariaceae or Plantaginaceae
- 44 1 pan Saxifraga
- 45 1 pan Saxifragaceae, excluding Saxifraga
- 46 2 pans Lewisia, distinct
- 47 1 pan Lewisia
- 48 2 pans Sedum, distinct
- 49 2 pans Sempervivum or Jovibarba, distinct
- 50 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 51 1 pan Gentianaceae
- 52 1 pan Hypoxidaceae
- 53 1 pan Gesneriaceae
- 54 1 pan Oxalis
- 55 1 pan dwarf fern
- 56 1 pan Trillium
- 57 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 19–56

SECTION II

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

Class

- B 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 60 1 pan rock plant of generally easy cultivation
- 61 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 62 1 pan rock plant raised from seed by the exhibitor; need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 63 2 pans rock plants, distinct. **BRIAN BULL TROPHY**
- 64 1 pan rock plant lifted from the open ground
- 65 1 pan rock plant with silver or grey foliage
- 66 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 67 1 pan dwarf bulb (see rule 15)
- 68 1 pan dwarf shrub, in flower
- 69 1 pan dwarf conifer

- 70 1 pan Amaryllidaceae or Iridaceae
- 71 1 pan Tulipa
- 72 1 pan Liliaceae , Asparagaceae or Melanthiaceae (excluding Trillium and Tulipa)
- 73 1 pan Orchidaceae
- 74 1 pan Primula, Asiatic
- 75 1 pan Primula, American or European
- 76 1 pan Primula from Auricula, Polyanthus or Primrose
- 77 1 pan Androsace
- 78 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect
- 79 1 pan Ranunculaceae
- 80 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 81 1 pan Gentianaceae
- 82 1 pan Lewisia
- 83 1 pan Sedum
- 84 1 pan Sempervivum or Jovibarba
- 85 2 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 86 1 pan Hypoxidaceae
- 87 1 pan Trillium
- 88 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 66–87

SECTION III

Open only to Junior members

Class

- 90 2 pans rock plants, distinct, of generally easy cultivation
- 91 1 pan rock plant of generally easy cultivation
- 92 1 pan dwarf bulb suitable for the rock garden (see rule 15)
- 93 1 pan rock plant raised from seed by the exhibitor, need not be in flower (see rule 14)
- 94 1 pan dwarf shrub

SECTION IV

Not for competition

Class

- 95 Members are invited to exhibit photographs, sketches, or paintings of plants, etc., which may be of interest to the public, but the Show Secretary respectfully points out that, due to the restricted space, such exhibits may have to be declined if the entries of plants are such as to make space unavailable

SECTION V

Open to non-members at 5p per entry

Class

- 96 A container of rock plants, arranged for effect, all plants to be living. No cut flowers allowed
- 97 A posy of cut alpine flowers, arranged for effect
- 98 A vase of cut flowering shrub(s)

DUNBLANE SUMMER MEETING

Flowers of the hills and mountains

15th August 2020, 10 am to 4 pm

CONTACT: Sandy Leven Tel: 01786 824064
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VENUE: Victoria Hall, Stirling Road, Dunblane FK15 9EX

LOCATION: Opposite the railway station

STAGING: 8.30 to 10 am

PARKING: This is now limited outside the hall. The closest is on the main road, in Station Square & on Mill Row. Best for disabled parking is the lower car park at TESCO, with access to the hall via lifts and bridge at the railway station. Charges may apply

This event celebrates the SRGC as a garden club and the plants which members grow. It will illustrate the beauty, diversity and garden worthiness of the widest range of rock and woodland garden plants, bulbs, shrubs and trees, and to encourage their cultivation in gardens and the exchange of plants and knowledge among gardeners. The display is not intended to be floral art.

Two talks by Vojtěch Holubec, Prague, Czech Republic

11 am *'Pamir and Kunlun: islands of great alpenes in the middle of deserts'*
2.30 pm *'The Celestial Mountains (central & east Tian Shan): a pearl of Central Asia.'*

A botanist by training, Vojtěch Holubec is well known to us as a keen rock gardener and plant explorer. He has visited many of the alpine areas in Asia and grows some of the plants in his garden. He is an author of books on the wild flowers of the Tian Shan and the Caucasus.

Plant and flower display

We would like to see a wider range of exhibits than at the shows, to create the effect of a garden on the tables. Members may display cut stems of plants, shrubs or trees for foliage, flower, fruit or seed, as well as bulbs and plants in pots or as miniature gardens, including dwarf shrubs, miniature conifers and ferns. Plants suitable for most gardens, as well as any special plants, or plants for special situations may be shown.

No prizes. No points. No limit on number of plants to exhibit.

Exhibits should be named as accurately as possible. The display card should include plant name, grower and the area or town where grown. The following may also be included:

- date of sowing or date of cutting
- information on the country of origin, or who introduced the plant to cultivation
- special requirements e.g. shelter, frost tender, care needed in different seasons, sea side, soil conditions, position
- where it might be purchased, e.g. nursery or Club sales table
- photographs of the plants growing in the garden or wild.

Exhibitors must supply their own watertight containers to display cut stems. The following are acceptable:

- vases, glasses, tumblers or bottles
- used tins – the label must be removed and cut edges rounded
- oasis in dishes, tins or jars
- cut stems can be in water, wet sand, gravel, oasis foam or similar material
- containers must be heavy enough to stand upright when containing the exhibit.

Troughs can be planted up for general effect, for special subjects, single genus, foliage, flower colour, flowering season, country of origin of plants, or according to geological area. The trough should be accompanied by a sketch naming the plants.

Exhibits may be displayed together rather than being dispersed in the sections listed above.

Seedling and plant exchange

Members may donate pots of seedlings of which they have enough transplants for their own needs, to share with other members. Pots to be labelled with variety, sowing date, source and number e.g. SRGC 2011 No. 1234. Pots should contain a reasonable number of seedlings. Large germinations can be split into several pots. This sound ecological practice will enable other gardeners to enjoy a wider range of plants and more of the seeds distributed by the SRGC will be grown on to maturity.

Contributions are invited for a 50:50 plant sale.

Photographic and other exhibits

Display space will be available for photographs or other themes of interest to members. Please contact Sandy Leven before the event to discuss your requirements.

We encourage all to use their imagination to bring as much vitality to the displays and exhibits as possible. If you missed last year's Summer Event, there are photographs on the SRGC web site.

It would be great if everyone brought some plants to show.

LATE BULB DISPLAY, ABERDEEN

A celebration of autumn plants and bulbs

19th September 2020, 9 am to 4 pm

CONTACT: Ian Chapman Tel: 01224 310188 Mob: 07796261273

Email: ian.chapman273@gmail.com

VENUE: Airyhall Community Centre, Countesswells Road, Aberdeen AB15 8AD
Glasgow G13 3DD

LOCATION: From the south: cross the Bridge of Dee, proceed up South Anderson Drive, passing ASDA on the left. Go straight ahead at next roundabout and next set of traffic lights. At next roundabout turn left on to Seafield Road. Go straight ahead and community centre and library are opposite next set of traffic lights.

From the north: follow Anderson Drive southward to the A944 roundabout. Go straight ahead, then turn right on to Seafield Road. Go straight ahead and community centre and library are opposite next set of traffic lights.

Parking is available at the centre.

STAGING: From 9 am

Talks will be given by:

10 am **Sandy Leven** *'Autumn bulbs in the ground and on the bench'*

11.30 am **Ian Young** *'Fritillaria'*

2 pm **Graeme Butler** *'Cyclamen and bulbs for a cold wet climate'*

Plant display

Members are asked to bring autumn flowering bulbs and plants, and shrubs and trees with autumn colour or in fruit, cone or seed. Please bring as many plants as possible, either in pots or as cut stems in vases. Staging from 9 am.

Plants may be grouped into classes, but there is no limit on how many plants an individual can display. No trophies, prizes or points will be awarded.

Plant sale

Featuring Rumbling Bridge Nursery and a 50:50 sale. Contributions of seed, plants, corms and bulbs for sale will be welcome.

Photographic and other exhibits

Display space will be available for photographs. Please contact Ian Chapman before the event to discuss your requirements.

Lunch

Lunch will be available in the centre, and there is a CO-OP, coffee shop and hotel nearby.

Contribution

We would be grateful for a contribution of £5 to help with our costs.

HEXHAM AUTUMN SHOW

26th September 2020, 11 am to 3.30 pm

(Show hall opens approximately 11 am)

Organised by the ALPINE GARDEN SOCIETY in conjunction with the SCOTTISH ROCK GARDEN CLUB

SHOW SECRETARY: Alan Newton

Tel: 01661 871974

Email: Alan.Newton@agsgroups.org

VENUE: Hexham Auction Mart, Tyne Green, Hexham NE46 3SG

LOCATION: At A69 roundabout turn towards Hexham; cross the river, turn right at roundabout, then left (signed to 'Auction Mart').

ENTRIES: To Alan Newton by Tuesday before the show. Section II (3) entries at any time: advance notice of large entry appreciated.

STAGING: 8–9.40 am; no late entries after 9.30 am

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

Exhibitors should note that AGS show notes and rules apply this year, and SRGC next year. Accordingly, a Farrer medal may be awarded this year.

****Under AGS rules, bulbous plants include corms and rhizomes but not tubers (see AGS note 27)****

TROPHIES

Ponteland Bowl:

most first prize points in Section I

Inner Eye:

most first prize points in Section II (1) and (2)

Newcastle Bowl:

most first prize points in Section II (3)

Newcastle Trophy:

best plant in Section II

Millennium Trophy:

best foliage plant

Ewesley Salver:

best Cyclamen (pan not exceeding 19 cm)

Patricia Furness Vase:

best plant in Sections I (2), II (2) & II (3), excluding Cyclamen

David Boyd Award:

class 57

Gothenburg Trophy:

class 76

Kath Dryden Award

best bulbous plant in Section II (presented at the AGS AGM)

Bronze medal:

awarded for Section II (see SRGC 'Special Awards')

SECTION I

Open to ALL members

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 36 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 1 3 pans rock plants
- 2 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 3 1 pan rock plant, excluding Cyclamen and Gentiana
- 4 3 pans dwarf shrubs
- 5 1 pan dwarf shrub
- 6 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 7 3 pans Cyclamen
- 8 1 pan Cyclamen hederifolium 'group' (see rule 16)
- 9 1 pan Cyclamen graecum 'group' (see rule 16)
- 10 1 pan Cyclamen, excluding hederifolium 'group' and graecum 'group'
- 11 1 pan Cyclamen for foliage effect
- 12 3 pans hardy ferns
- 13 1 pan hardy fern
- 14 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 15 3 pans Gentiana
- 16 1 pan Gentiana
- 17 3 pans cushion plants
- 18 1 pan cushion plant
- 19 3 pans bulbous plants (see AGS note 27)
- 20 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Crocus (see AGS note 27)
- 21 3 pans Crocus
- 22 1 pan Crocus
- 23 3 pans rock plants native to any one continent. Continent to be stated
- 24 1 pan native to southern hemisphere
- 25 1 pan native to the northern hemisphere, excluding Asia.

- 26 1 pan native to Asia
- 27 1 pan rock plant showing autumn coloured foliage
- 28 3 pans rock plants for foliage and group effect. Not more than one to be silver or grey
- 29 3 pans rock plants with silver / grey foliage
- 30 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 31 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect, excluding silver / grey
- 32 3 pans rock plants with variegated foliage
- 33 1 pan rock plant with variegated foliage
- 34 3 pans rock plants in fruit, cone or seed
- 35 1 pan rock plant in fruit, cone or seed
- 36 3 pans Crassulaceae
- 37 1 pan Crassulaceae, excluding Sempervivum and Jovibarba
- 38 1 pan Sempervivum or Jovibarba
- 39 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor, showing variation, (see AGS note 23e)
- 40 1 pan planted as a miniature garden (accessories NOT permitted; see AGS note 22)
- 41 An arrangement of alpine plant and shrub foliage grown by the exhibitor. No flowers allowed; base may be used. Varieties to be named

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 45 6 pans rock plants, not more than three of any one genus. **AGS MEDAL**
- 46 3 pans rock plants
- 47 1 pan rock plant in flower, excluding Cyclamen and Gentiana
- 48 3 pans rock plants, any one genus
- 49 3 pans Gesneriaceae
- 50 1 pan Gesneriaceae
- 51 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 52 1 pan dwarf shrub
- 53 3 pans dwarf conifer
- 54 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 55 3 pans Cyclamen
- 56 3 pans Cyclamen, for foliage effect
- 57 1 pan Cyclamen, for foliage effect. **DAVID BOYD AWARD**
- 58 1 pan Cyclamen hederifolium 'group' (see rule 16)
- 59 1 pan Cyclamen graecum 'group' (see rule 16)
- 60 1 pan Cyclamen, excluding hederifolium 'group' and graecum 'group'
- 61 3 pans hardy ferns
- 62 1 pan hardy fern
- 63 3 pans Gentiana
- 64 1 pan Gentiana
- 65 3 pans cushion plants
- 66 1 pan cushion plant
- 67 3 pans bulbous plants (see AGS note 27)
- 68 1 pan bulbous plant (see AGS note 27)
- 69 1 pan bulbous plant, excluding Crocus (see AGS note 27)
- 70 3 pans Crocus
- 71 1 pan Crocus
- 72 1 pan Amaryllidaceae
- 73 3 pans rock plants native to any one continent. Continent to be stated
- 74 1 pan rock plant native to Africa
- 75 1 pan rock plant native to Asia
- 76 1 pan rock plant native to China or Japan. **GOTHENBURG TROPHY**
- 77 1 pan rock plant native to the northern hemisphere
- 78 1 pan rock plant native to New Zealand
- 79 1 pan rock plant native to the southern hemisphere
- 80 3 pans rock plants with silver / grey foliage
- 81 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 82 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect, excluding silver / grey
- 83 1 pan rock plant showing autumn colour
- 84 1 pan rock plant for variegated foliage
- 85 3 pans rock plants in fruit, cone, or seed
- 86 1 pan rock plant in fruit, cone or seed
- 87 1 pan rock plant, new in cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied (see AGS note 23d)
- 88 1 pan rock plant, rare in cultivation. Botanical notes to be supplied (see AGS note 23d)
- 89 3 pans rock plants grown from seed by the exhibitor (see AGS note 23e)

- 90 1 pan non-bulbous plant, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see AGS note 23e)
- 91 1 pan bulbous plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see AGS notes 23e, 27)
- 92 3 pans rock plants, distinct genera, all requiring the same cultural conditions. Educational information about 'How and Where to Grow' to be provided (see AGS note 32)
- 93 6 named varieties of cut alpine flowers, including dwarf shrubs, grown by the exhibitor. Must be shown in vases provided.
- 94 5 named varieties of cut alpine plants in fruit, cone or seed grown by the exhibitor and shown in five individual containers

SECTION II

Open to amateur members of AGS and/or SRGC who have not qualified for the AGS Gold merit medal, not won 5 AGS Silver bars, not won more than 50 first prizes at previous SRGC shows and not won the SRGC Rutland Salver

(1) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 26 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 95 3 pans rock plants
- 96 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 97 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 98 1 pan dwarf shrub
- 99 1 pan Cyclamen hederifolium 'group' (see rule 16)
- 100 1 pan Cyclamen, excluding hederifolium 'group'
- 101 1 pan hardy fern
- 102 1 pan Gentiana
- 103 1 pan cushion plant
- 104 1 pan bulbous plant (see AGS note 27)
- 105 1 pan Crocus or Colchicum
- 106 1 pan rock plant in fruit, cone, seed or autumn colour
- 107 1 pan rock plant with silver / grey foliage
- 108 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect, excluding silver / grey
- 109 1 pan Crassulaceae

(2) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 110 3 pans rock plants
- 111 1 pan rock plant in flower
- 112 1 pan Cyclamen hederifolium 'group' (see rule 16)
- 113 1 pan Cyclamen, excluding hederifolium 'group'
- 114 1 pan Cyclamen for foliage effect
- 115 1 pan cushion plant
- 116 1 pan Gentiana
- 117 1 pan bulbous plant (see AGS note 27)
- 118 1 pan rock plant native to the northern hemisphere
- 119 1 pan rock plant native to the southern hemisphere
- 120 1 pan dwarf shrub
- 121 1 pan rock plant grown from seed by the exhibitor (see AGS note 23e)

Open to amateur members of AGS and SRGC who have not won an AGS Bronze merit medal, or more than ten first prizes at shows run by either Society prior to 1st January, 2020

(3) PAN SIZE NOT TO EXCEED 19 CM OUTSIDE DIAMETER

Class

- 130 2 pans rock plants
- 131 1 pan rock plant
- 132 1 pan Gentiana
- 133 1 pan Cyclamen
- 134 1 pan bulbous plant (see AGS note 27)
- 135 1 pan rock plant native to the southern hemisphere
- 136 1 pan rock plant native to the northern hemisphere
- 137 1 pan rock plant for foliage effect
- 138 1 pan dwarf shrub or conifer
- 139 1 pan hardy cactus
- 140 1 pan planted as a miniature garden. Pan size not to exceed 36 cm (see AGS note 22)
- 141 1 pan rock plant. For exhibitors who have not won a first prize at an AGS or SRGC National show

DISCUSSION WEEKEND SHOW

9–11th October 2020

(Show opens 11 am, Saturday 10th October)

SHOW SECRETARY: Matthew Topsfield Tel: 07775 812036

Email: perth.show@fireflyuk.net

VENUE: Grant Arms Hotel, Grantown-on-Spey

LOCATION: 25, The Square, Grantown-on-Spey, PH26 3HF

ENTRIES: To show secretary, by Wednesday before the show
Late entries accepted until 1 hour before judging

STAGING: Friday before the show 3–5.30 pm; Saturday 8–9 am

JUDGING: Begins at 9.15 am Saturday

SHOW CLOSURE: Lunchtime on Sunday

TROPHIES

Jim Lever Memorial Trophy:	best Cyclamen
J L Mowat Trophy:	best conifer
East Lothian Trophy:	winner, class 3
Peel Trophy:	winner, class 27
Logan Home Trophy:	winner, class 48
Wellstanlaw Cup:	winner, class 80
Mary Bowe Trophy:	most points, section I
East Lothian Cup:	best plant, section II
Bronze medal:	may be awarded for Section II (see 'Special Awards', page 8)

RHS JOINT ROCK GARDEN PLANT COMMITTEE will meet at 11.30 am

Plants for consideration must be registered by 10.30 am

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 distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 3 3 pans rock plants, distinct. **EAST LOTHIAN TROPHY**
- 4 1 pan rock plant, new or rare in cultivation (see rule 14)
- 5 3 pans rock plant, distinct, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 6 1 pan rock plant, grown from seed by the exhibitor (see rule 14)
- 7 2 pans rock plants in fruit, cone or seed, distinct
- 8 2 pans dwarf conifer, distinct
- 9 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 10 1 pan dwarf shrub, excluding conifers, Ericaceae
- 11 2 pans hardy ferns, distinct
- 12 1 pan hardy fern
- 13 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber, excluding Crocus, Colchicum and Merendera
- 14 1 pan Crocus
- 15 1 pan Colchicum or Merendera
- 16 3 pans Cyclamen, distinct
- 17 2 pans Cyclamen, distinct
- 18 1 pan Cyclamen hederifolium 'group' (see rule 16)
- 19 1 pan Cyclamen cilicium, C. mirabile or C. intaminatum
- 20 1 pan Cyclamen graecum 'group' (see rule 16)
- 21 1 pan Cyclamen not eligible for classes 18–20
- 22 1 pan Saxifragaceae
- 23 3 pans bulbous plants, distinct (see rule 15)
- 24 2 pans Calluna and/or Erica, distinct
- 25 1 pan Calluna or Erica
- 26 1 pan Ericaceae, excluding Calluna and Erica
- 27 3 pans Gentiana, species and/or hybrids, distinct. **PEEL TROPHY**
- 28 2 pans Gentiana, species and/or hybrids, distinct

- 29 1 pan Gentiana
- 30 1 pan Gesneriaceae
- 31 2 pans cushion plants, distinct, need not be in flower
- 32 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 33 1 pan Sedum, in flower
- 34 2 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 35 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 36 1 pan rock plant native to Scotland
- 37 2 pans rock plants/bulbs native to northern hemisphere
- 38 2 pans rock plants/bulbs native to Africa or South America
- 39 2 pans rock plants/bulbs native to Australasia
- 40 2 pans rock plants with silver-grey foliage, distinct
- 41 1 pan rock plant with silver-grey foliage
- 42 2 pans rock plants with autumn-coloured foliage, distinct
- 43 1 pan rock plant with autumn-coloured foliage
- 44 3 pans rock plants shown for foliage and group effect, not more than one to be silver-grey
- 45 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect, excluding silver-grey and autumn coloured
- 46 1 pan Cyclamen shown for foliage effect
- 47 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 8–35
- 48 1 miniature garden with longest sides or diameter not exceeding 45 cm; no cut flowers allowed.
- LOGAN HOME TROPHY**
- 49 5 named varieties of cut alpine plants in fruit, cone or seed, grown by the exhibitor, in containers each not exceeding 17.5 cm diameter

SECTION II

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

- 60 6 pans rock plants, distinct, pan size not to exceed 17.5 cm maximum external diameter
- 61 2 pans rock plants, distinct
- 62 1 pan rock plant grown unprotected in the open ground. Must be lifted within 10 days of the show
- 63 1 pan rock plant with autumn-coloured foliage
- 64 1 pan rock plant with silver-grey foliage
- 65 1 pan rock plant shown for foliage effect, excluding silver-grey and autumn coloured
- 66 1 pan rock plant in fruit, cone or seed
- 67 1 pan cushion plant, need not be in flower
- 68 1 pan dwarf conifer
- 69 1 pan dwarf shrub excluding conifers, Calluna and Erica
- 70 1 pan bulb, corm or tuber, excluding Crocus, Colchicum and Merendera (see rule 15)
- 71 1 pan Crocus, Colchicum or Merendera
- 72 1 pan Cyclamen
- 73 1 pan Calluna or Erica
- 74 1 pan Gentiana
- 75 2 pans Crassulaceae, distinct
- 76 1 pan Crassulaceae
- 77 1 pan rock plant not eligible for classes 68–76

SECTION V

- 80 An arrangement of flowers, fruits and foliage cut from rock garden plants, in a container not exceeding exterior diameter of 17.5 cm. A list of plants must be provided. **WELLSTANLAW CUP**

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITIONS

THE REIVERS TROPHY

A photograph of a plant native to Scotland; size not to exceed A4, excluding border and mount.

HOLIDAY PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

Up to twelve photographs from an area visited by the exhibitor to illustrate the habitats and plants growing there. A maximum of three of the photographs may be used to show the character of the area. Location and plants to be named; accompanying notes permitted. Size of each image not to exceed A4, excluding border and mount.

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