

- 52. The longest runner bean
- 53. The largest marrow by volume (*circumference x length*)
- 54. The largest pumpkin by weight
- 55. Any other vegetable(s) not listed above (*maximum 5*)

### SECTION E – COOKERY

- 56. A chocolate cake
- 57. A classic white loaf (baked in a 900g tin)
- 58. 5 squares from a gingerbread tray-bake
- 59. 5 jam tarts
- 60. 3 cheese scones
- 61. A jar of stoned fruit jam
- 62. A jar of soft fruit jam
- 63. A jar of fruit chutney
- 64. A jar of savoury pickle

### SECTION F – DECORATIVE ART (*No maximum height specified but exhibits should not exceed 61cm in width. Accessories permitted.*)

- 65. A petite arrangement in a vase  
*(entire exhibit must be no larger than 25cm wide x 25cm high x 25cm deep)*
- 66. "Autumn Glory"
- 67. An arrangement of five flowers

### SECTION G – PHOTOGRAPHY

Photographs should be 15 x 10cm, unframed and mounted on white card or paper. The place or event can be identified and printed at the base of the photograph if desired. Photographs will be judged on technical merit.

- 68. Tiny creatures
- 69. Water feature(s)
- 70. Garden ornament(s)
- 71. A riot of colour

ENTRY FORMS **MUST** be submitted by  
**5 pm, TUESDAY 2 SEPTEMBER 2025**  
 to Elliott Frisby, 32 Forge Street, Dedham CO7 6AR.  
 Further information from 07951 996241

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# OPEN SHOW

All welcome to exhibit – no charge

SATURDAY 6 SEPTEMBER 2025

2.00 – 4.00 pm

Assembly Rooms, Dedham

**Admission:** members and children free  
 non-members: £1

*Children to be accompanied by an adult*

Plant sale

Raffle

Refreshments



## ALL EXHIBITS MUST BE STAGED BETWEEN 9 and 10.45 am

The raffle will be drawn at 3.45 pm, followed by Presentation of Awards

Points will be awarded as follows: 1st prize: 5 points; 2nd prize: 3 points; 3rd prize: 1 point.

Open to members and non-members: entries limited to one in each class by each exhibitor

See website for rules. Awarding of prizes is entirely at the discretion of the judges

Trophies will be awarded as follows for the most points in each section:

<b>The Dунnett Cup</b>	for the most points in Section A (flowers)
<b>The Hilda George Cup</b>	for the most points in Section B (roses)
<b>The J &amp; GH Matthews Cup</b>	for the most points in Section C (fruit)
<b>The Vera Pritlove Cup</b>	for the most points in Section D
<b>The Doreen Thorn Trophy</b>	for the most points in Section E
<b>The Peggy Bower Rose Bowl</b>	for the most points in Section F
<b>The Cramphorn Cup</b>	Best Floral Exhibit in Section F
<b>The Del Bower Trophy</b>	for the most points in Section G
<b>The Novice Cup <b>NEW</b></b>	for the most points in Sections A-D (must not have exhibited for 2 years)

### SECTION A – FLOWERS

1. Dahlia – 1 decorative-type bloom
2. Dahlias – 3 cactus-type blooms, same size, one variety
3. Dahlias – 3 pompon-type blooms, same size, one variety, max size 50mm dia
4. Dahlias – two vases, 3 blooms in each, one or more varieties
5. Dahlias – 3 single-type blooms, same size, one variety
6. Fuchsia – 1 bloom, any variety
7. Fuchsia – in a pot up to 30cm diameter
8. Hydrangea – 3 stems, one or more varieties
9. Chrysanthemum – 5 stems, one or more varieties
10. Annuals – 9 stems, three or more varieties, in a vase
11. Hardy perennials – 5 stems, one or more varieties
12. Flowering shrub or shrubs – 5 stems, one or more varieties (*roses & hydrangeas excluded*)
13. Gladiolus – 1 spike, any variety
14. Flowering pot plant – pot over 13cm and not exceeding 30cm dia (*begonias, cacti, succulents and fuchsias excluded*)
15. Foliage plant – in a pot 13cm or less dia (*cacti, succulents and fuchsias excluded*)
16. Foliage plant – in a pot over 13cm and not exceeding 30cm dia (*cacti, succulents and fuchsias excluded*)
17. Succulent – in a pot up to 30cm dia (*1 plant only*)
18. Cacti – in a pot up to 30cm dia (*1 plant only*)
19. Flowering begonia – in a pot up to 30cm dia

### SECTION B – ROSES

20. Rose, hybrid tea – 1 bloom, any variety
21. Rose – 1 bloom, any variety, for fragrance
22. Rose, floribunda – 1 stem, any variety
23. Rose, shrub – 1 stem, any variety
24. Roses – 5 stems in a vase, one or more varieties, any colour or colours

### SECTION C – FRUIT (*exhibits to be shown with stalks*)

25. Collection of 8 apples – two varieties, 4 of each
26. Apples, dessert – 3, one variety
27. Apples, cooking – 3, one variety
28. Plums – 5, one variety
29. Raspberries – 10, one variety
30. Blackberries – 10, one variety (*hedgerow varieties acceptable*)
31. Selection of 5 different fruits on a plate (*fruits grown as bunches or strings to be exhibited as such*)

### SECTION D – VEGETABLES

32. Beans, runner – 5, one variety
33. Beans, French – 5, one variety
34. Cucumber – 1, any variety
35. Marrow – 1, table quality, any variety, 35cm maximum length
36. Tomatoes – dish of 5, one variety, approx 6.5cm dia
37. Tomatoes – dish of 10, cherry type, one variety, max 3.5cm dia
38. Sweet peppers – 3, one or more varieties
39. Chillies – 5, one or more varieties
40. Carrots – 3, one variety with tops trimmed to approx 75mm
41. Beetroot – 3, one variety, each with tops trimmed and tied
42. Onions, harvested – 3, one variety under 250g each with tops trimmed and tied
43. Onions, harvested – 3, one variety over 250g each with tops trimmed and tied
44. Shallots, culinary – 10, one variety
45. Shallots, pickling – 10 under 3cm dia, one variety
46. Potatoes, white – 5, one variety
47. Potatoes, coloured – 5, one variety
48. Courgettes – one pair, same variety, 20cm maximum length
49. Squash – 1, any variety
50. Corn on the cob – one pair, same variety
51. Mixed herbs – 1 vase, minimum three different kinds