#### **FANCY DRESS COMPETITION**

Prizes will be awarded in this year's fancy dress competition for the best minibeast costumes (eg. beetles, bugs or butterflies), in each of the following age groups;

- -Age 9 +
- Age 5 8
- Age 4 and under

Judging will commence at 1:45 (prompt), in the main ring

#### SECTION A: VEGETABLES JUDGE: Simon Woollen

- 1. Best collection of 5 varieties of vegetables (2 of each) (max display size 2'x2')
- 2. 3 varieties of root vegetable (to be shown with no more than 3" of green)
- 3. Collection of 5 culinary herbs, individually named
- 4. Potatoes, coloured (x5)
- 5. Potatoes, white (x5)
- 6. Carrots, long or stump rooted (x3)
- 7. Parsnips, trimmed (x3)
- 8. Onions, grown from sets (x4) on a plate
- 9. Onions, grown from seed (x4) on a plate
- 10. Shallots, pickling (x8) on a plate
- 11. Garlic (x3 bulbs)
- 12. Runner beans (6 pods)
- 13. French beans (6 pods)
- 14. Peas (6 pods)
- 15. Sweetcorn (x2)
- 16. Tomatoes, with calvx (x5)
- 17. Tomatoes, cherry type (x5)
- 18. Cucumbers, any variety (x2)
- 19. Sweet peppers, any colour (x2)
- 20. Beetroot, round variety (x3)
- 21. Leeks (x3)
- 22. Marrow's (x2)
- 23. Courgettes (x4)
- 24. Cabbages, any variety (x2)
- 25. Lettuces, cabbage type (x2)
- 26. Lettuces, fancy variety (x2)
- 27. A Salad selection (max box size 8" x 12")
- 28. Any other vegetable, 1 or more sample please state variety on entry form
- 29. Apples, cooking variety (x4)
- 30. Apples, dessert variety (x4)
- 31. Plums, same variety (x4)
- 32. Pears, same variety (x3)
- 33. Raspberries (x8)
- 34. Rhubarb trimmed (3 stalks)
- 35. A collection of 3 different exotic fruits
- 36. ½ bucket of compost, as dug

# SECTION A: NOVELTY/ EGG CLASSES JUDGE: Simon Woollen

- 37. Longest runner bean
- 38. Heaviest marrow
- 39. Longest carrot
- 40. Most oddly shaped vegetable

- 41. Heaviest potato
- 42. Heaviest onion
- 43. Miniature garden on a seed tray
- 44. Best Weed
- 45. 6 x Hens eggs on a plate of sand/straw, any colour JUDGES: Mr.& Mrs. M.
- 46. 3 x Ducks eggs on a plate of sand / straw Newland
- 47. 1 x Hen egg judged on content
- 48. 3 x Eggs of any other species (named)

### **PUMPKIN COMPETITION JUDGE: Simon Woollen**

- 49. Largest pumpkin (by circumference) Adults Class
- 50. Largest pumpkin (by circumference) Children's Class

## **SECTION B: FLOWERS JUDGE: Bridget Cook**

- 51. Bowl / vase of Nasturtiums with own foliage
- 52. Sweet peas (x8 blooms)
- 53. Roses, 1 specimen bloom
- 54. Roses, 6 blooms in a bowl with own foliage
- 55. Phlox (4 stems)
- 56. Dahlias, decorative (3 stems)
- 57. Dahlias, cactus (3 stems)
- 58. Dahlias, pom pom (3 stems)
- 59. Chrysanthemums, 1 specimen bloom
- 60. Chrysanthemums, spray (3 stems)
- 61. Chrysanthemums, large flowered (3 stems)
- 62. Asters (5 stems)
- 63. Rudbeckia (3 stems)
- 64. Lavender (1 bunch)
- 65. Cactus or succulent (single or group)
- 66. Gladioli (3 spikes)
- 67. Any single variety of garden flower (4 blooms)
- 68. Any variety of garden flowers, mixed (4 blooms)
- 69. Flowering plant in a pot
- 70. Evergreen a cut specimen of a coned or fruited needled evergreen
- 71. Bonsai Tree
- 72. A planted 'Wellow 60th' pot
- 73. A bunch of seed heads from a named ornamental grass
- 74. A marigold grown in a pot from seed provided children UNDER 5 years
- 75. A marigold grown in a pot from seed provided children 5 to 7 years

## SUNFLOWER COMPETITION JUDGE: Simon Woollen

- 76. Largest Sunflower (head with petals) Adult's Class
- 77. Largest Sunflower (head with petals) Children's Class
- 78. Tallest Sunflower (bring sunflower dug up in bucket)

## SECTION C; FLORAL DECORATION JUDGE: Maureen Saunders

- 79. A miniature exhibit in a sherry glass, maximum diameter 6 cms
- 80. An oriental garden any materials, [max. size 2' x 2']
- 81. An arrangement in an unusual container [max. size 2' x 2']
- 82. An autumn sunset [max size 2' x 2']
- 83. A horror movie an arrangement in black and red [max size 2' x 2']
- 84. A floral decoration on a hat [max size 2' x 2']
- 85. An arrangement on a log MEN ONLY [max size 1' log]
- 86. Outer Space CHILDREN UNDER 16 ONLY [max size 2' x 2']
- 87. A planted Wheelbarrow

#### SECTION D: HOBBIES AND CRAFTS JUDGE: Catherine Beale

- 88. An item of Jewellery
- 89. Any article of knitting
- 90. Any article of Textile art (i.e. appliqué, batik, patchwork, dyed fabric)
- 91. Any cross stitch or tapestry article
- 92. A teddy bear, any medium
- 93. An original painting in Oils or Acrylics, unframed
- 94. An original painting in Water-colours, unframed
- 95. An illustration in Pencil, Pen and Wash or Pastels
- 96. A Greeting's card
- 97. Any article made from wood (not a kit)
- 98. Any article made from recycled material
- 99. You've made it, we want to see it (any handicraft not made from a kit)
- 100. A t-shirt design using fabric paint, fabric crayons or dye

#### **SECTION E: PHOTOGRAPHY JUDGE: Catherine Beale**

- 101. A Photograph, any size (colour or black and white), of "a funny thing happened"
- 102 A Photograph, any size (colour or black and white), of "trees"
- 103. A Photograph, any size (colour or black and white), "a season"
- 104. A set of four photographs depicting "the four seasons"

## **SECTION F: COOKERY JUDGE: Joyce Mannings**

- 105. Savoury pancake, with named filling (x2)
- 106. Apple dumplings (apples baked in a pastry case) (x2)
- 107. Vegetarian rice salad
- 108. Plum cobbler
- 109. Chocolate chip muffins (x4)
- 110. Scones for afternoon tea (x4)
- 111. Victoria Sponge (use recipe below)
- 112. Sausage rolls (x2) (men only)
- 113. Fudge (x6)
- 114. Any Biscuits (named) (x4)
- 115. 1x lb. Jar of jam (soft fruit)
- 116. 1x lb. Jar of jam (stoned fruit), one entry per boiling
- 117. 1x lb Jar of marmalade
- 118. 1x lb. Jar of lemon curd
- 119. 1x lb. Jar of chutney
- 120. 1x lb. Jar of onion marmalade
- 121. Loaf of brown bread
- 122. Loaf of white bread
- 123. Savoury loaf, named
- 124. Bread rolls (x4)
- 125. Loaf of bread made using a bread maker

All cookery classes to be covered with "cling film" or similar.

#### **RECIPE FOR CLASS 111**

**Ingredients:** 100g Butter or Margerine

110g Caster Sugar

2 medium Eggs

110g Self Raising Flour

Strawberry Jam

## Method

- 1. Heat the oven to 180C/350F/Gas 4.
- 2. Line 2x18cm / 7" cake tins with baking parchment

- 3. Use a hand mixer to cream the butter and the sugar together until pale.
- 4. Beat in the eggs.
- 5. Sift over the flour and fold in using a large metal spoon. The mixture should be of a dropping consistency if it isn't, add a little milk.
- 6. Divide the mixture between the cake tins and gently spread out with a spatula.
- 7. Bake for 20-25 minutes until an inserted skewer comes out clean.
- 8. Allow to stand for 5 minutes before turning on to a wire rack to cool.
- 9. Sandwich the cakes together with jam

## SECTION G: HOME-MADE WINES & ALCOHOL JUDGE: Graham Nicholls

- 126. 1x Bottle of Wine, Dry Red
- 127. 1x Bottle of Wine, Sweet Red
- 128. 1x Bottle of Wine, Dry White
- 129. 1x Bottle of Wine, Sweet White
- 130. 1x Bottle of Wine, Fruits of the Countryside
- 131. 1x Bottle of Wine, Rosé
- 132. 1x Bottle of Sloe Gin
- 133. 1x Bottle of Cider
- 134. 1x Bottle of any other alcohol (named)
- 135. 1x Bottle of non-alcoholic cordial, diluted (named)

All Wines must have been made by the fermentation process and not fortified with the addition of alcohol. Wines must be in clear bottles closed with a flanged stopper with cork shank. Bottles to be 25 fl.oz.

Bottles to carry a plain white label detailing contents.

All entries in this section will be opened by the judges.

#### SECTION H: JUNIOR CLASSES JUDGE: Sue Wilford

#### Classes. (Age 11 years and over)

- 136. Hand writing 10 lines, poem/rhyme \*special prize donated by Monastic Productions
- 137. Miniature garden on a seed tray
- 138. A drawing or water colour, any subject (A4)
- 139. Photo of a flower (A4)
- 140. A necklace or pendant
- 141. A decorated cake

### Classes. (Age 8 – 10 years)

- 141. Handwriting 6 lines, poem/rhyme \*special prize donated by Monastic Productions
- 142. My favourite room in a seed tray
- 143. A mobile
- 144. A drawing or water colour, any subject (A4)
- 145. A decorated egg
- 146. 4 x fairy cakes

#### Classes (Age 6 – 7 years)

- 147. Hand writing 4 lines, nursery rhyme \*special prize donated by Monastic Productions
- 148. Miniature garden on a seed tray
- 149. A monster (max size 50cms x 50cms x 50cms)
- 150. A picture of an animal, any medium (A4)
- 151. A decorated egg
- 152. 4 x fairy cakes

# Classes (age 4-5 years)

- 153. Hand writing, 2 lines, nursery rhyme \*special prize donated by Monastic Productions
- 154. Miniature garden on a seed tray
- 155. A bunch of handmade flowers
- 156. A finger print picture (A4)

157. A decorated egg

158. 4 x fairy cakes

## Classes (under 4 years)

159. A collection of green items on a dinner plate

160. An animal mask

161. A painted stone \*special prize donated by Monastic Productions

162. 2 x fairy cakes

All entries in the above junior classes must show the age of the exhibitor.

All cookery entries to be covered in cling film or similar.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR EXHIBITORS

1. Registration for all classes will be taken at the Village Hall, Wellow on the following dates: THURSDAY  $3_{rd}$  September 7.00 - 9.00 p.m.

FRIDAY 4th September 3.00 - 8.00 p.m.

No entries whatsoever will be accepted after the later date shown. Postal entries, together with the appropriate fees, may be sent to the Secretary to arrive not later than Friday 4th September.

- 2. An exhibitor may make any number of entries in a class but is eligible for only one Prize.
- 3. The Committee reserve the right to visit the garden of an exhibitor, who must show all produce in a growing state.
- 4. Exhibits must be placed in the 'Flower and Produce Marquee' between 8.00am and 10.00am on the day of the Show. No person, other than the stewards and judges may enter the marquee after 10.00am until the Show opens at 1.30pm.
- 5. The judges decisions are final. A judge may withhold an award if in his/her opinion an exhibit is of insufficient merit or may make an inferior award.
- 6. No exhibit shall be removed from the 'Flower and Produce Marquee' until after 5.00pm. Any produce left will be sold by auction.
- 7. The presentation of Cups and other Awards will take place at the Secretary's tent at 5.00pm. Prize monies will be paid out at the Treasurers tent between 3 5pm. Monies not claimed by 5.30pm, will deem to have been donated to the Society's funds.
- 8. Cups remain the property of the Society and holders are held responsible for any loss or damage incurred while in their possession. Present holders of cups must return them to the Secretary by not later than the  $31_{\rm st}$  July to allow time for renovation.
- 9. The Committee will take all reasonable care of exhibits but will not be responsible for any loss or damage.
- 10. All communications regarding entries or other matter should be sent to the Show Secretaries; Shirley Betts "Dawnrise", Wellow, Bath. (Tel. 01225 833683)

Bridget Cook - 2 Tucking Mill Cottages, Midford, Bath. (Tel. 01225 835024)

Duncan Hammerton - Windy Ridge, Wellow, Bath. (Tel. 01225 835840)

11. ENTRY FEES PRIZE MONIES

Adults - 25p Per Entry Adults - First £2.00

Juniors - 15 per Entry Second £1.00

Third 50p

Juniors - First 50p

Second 40p

Third 30p

12. Points are scored in each Class: First 3 points, Second 2 points and Third 1 point. In the event of a tie, the highest number of Firsts decides.