

HORTICULTURE & PRODUCE SCHEDULE 2020

28 February - 1 March 2020



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HORTICULTURE PRODUCE SECTION OFFICIALS 2020

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Important Dates:

	Entries Close	Delivery	Judging
Cake Decorating	13 February	26 February	26 February
Cookery	13 February	27 February	27 February
Garden Produce (by Post)	13 February	27 February	27 February
Garden Produce	25 February	27 February	27 February
Horticulture:	26 February	28 February	28 February
Jams, Spreads & Preserves	13 February	27 February	27 February
Apiculture	13 February	27 February	27 February

Acceptances: For Cookery, Jams, Spreads and Preservatives, and Apiculture will be emailed

Delivery: All Exhibits are to be delivered to Harvest Hall, Exhibition Park in Canberra (Showgrounds).

Collection: Harvest Hall will close at **5.00pm on Sunday 1st March**.

The Building will re-open between 6.30pm - 8.00pm for collection of exhibits.

Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with Chief Steward only.

FOR DELIVERY AND COLLECTION ENTER THROUGH:

Gate 4, off Northbourne Avenue - EXIT via Flemington road

Entries to be forwarded to: RNCAS - Horticulture / Produce
PO Box 124, MITCHELL, ACT, 2911

Any other enquiries please contact the office.

Phone (02) 6241 2478 **Email:** admin@rncas.org.au

**** DOG MANAGEMENT POLICY**

**** No dogs are permitted.**

If you bring a dog, you will be asked to leave.

Your entries will be cancelled and there will be NO refund given.

**** CAR PARKING POLICY ****

Unauthorised vehicles are not permitted to park on the grounds. Any vehicles on the grounds will be asked to move or will be referred to security.

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The Harvest Hall acknowledges and sincerely thanks our returning sponsors and all who have given generously to various sections with produce, vouchers, cash and encouragement awards for our enthusiastic competitors.

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FEATURES FOR 2020

Prizes may be Cash, Product or Voucher.

Entry Fee:

Cake Decorating:	\$5 per entry
General Cookery:	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section
Garden Produce:	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section
Horticulture:	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section
Floral Art:	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section
Jams, Spreads & Preserves	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section
Apiculture:	\$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 per section

10. Zebra Cake

- Round 20cm
- Chocolate & Vanilla only
- Chocolate icing on top only
- No decoration allowed
- Packet cake not allowed
- Presented on 25cm round board



Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10

35. Sugar Free Cake

- Recipe to be included for display
- Round 20cm
- Iced on top only permitted (but not necessary)
- No fresh cream
- No decoration allowed
- Packet cake NOT allowed
- Presented on 25cm round board.

Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10

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426. Sugar Free Jam

- Recipe to be included for display
- Only two entries per class
- Conditions of entry apply



Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10

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200. Horticulture Produce Championship

Six distinct standard units (as per schedule) from any of the major categories (e.g. Cookery, Horticulture, Garden Produce, Jams & Preserves, Floral Art & Apiculture). A maximum of 3 from each category and a minimum of 3 categories to be entered (i.e. 3 Vegetables, 2 Dahlias, 1 Jam).

Note: Entries are to be as per schedule – see conditions of entries for explanation.

Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$30, 3rd \$10.

Ribbon & Name on Trophy

The theme for this exhibit is “Regeneration”

Decorations allowed. Space allowed 75 x 75cm.

This class is to be judged by a panel of invited judges.

JUDGING

Wednesday 26 February

10.30am Cake Decorating

Thursday 27 February

10.00am Apiculture

10.30am General Cookery, Jams, Spreads & Preserves and Garden Produce.

6.15pm Fruit & Vegetable Sculptures (Delivery till 6pm)

Friday 28 February

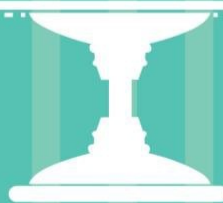
8.30am Dahlia Championship & Challenge Classes

9am All other Horticulture Classes

9am Floral Art

PLEASE NOTE: Prize cards and ribbons are to remain on display with exhibits until closure of the show – 6.30pm Sunday 1 March 2020.

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GROUP 1: CAKE DECORATING SECTION

Chief Steward: Chris Tarlinton (02) 6297 6720

Entries Close: 13 February 2020

Delivery: 8.00am to 10.00am, **Wednesday 26 February 2020.**
Harvest Hall, Exhibition Park in Canberra.

Collection: Exhibits to be collected between
6.30pm – 8.00pm, Sunday 1 March 2020.
Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of
RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with Chief Steward only.

Champion Ribbon: Cake Decorating



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- i) No exhibit may bear any distinguishing mark.
- ii) Only one entry per exhibitor in any one class. All entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
- iii) The entry **MUST** have been created in the last 12 months, prior to judging day. Any part/element of the entry **MUST NOT** have been previously exhibited at a Royal Canberra Show.
- iv) These sections are judged on appearance only, **Dummy cakes may be used.**
DESIGN MUST BE ACHIEVABLE IN CAKE. Failure to comply will result in the exhibit being penalised or ineligible for a prize. You may be asked to submit a list of ingredients/materials used to validate its achievability, food safety and edible portions.
- v) **Permitted Items** – Wire, tape, tulle, ribbon, braid, cord, stamens, and manufactured pillars.
Commercial containers e.g. vase permitted in classes 7 and 9.
Edible Metallic colourings and unbreakable lace may be used.
Paper, fabric, braid, cord and non-toxic commercial glue may be used on the **BOARD** presentation.
Other edible food products including polenta, gelatine, piping gel, coconut, semolina, rice paper and wafer paper may be used.
Dowels/Rods/Skewers, armature wire and boards are permitted for support.
Flower Picks or substitute must be used with the top edge visible above the covering of the cake.
- vi) **Not Permitted** - Manufactured items such as cachous, ornaments, dried flowers, leaves or stems of any kind (unless otherwise stated).
No wires may be inserted directly into cake.
- vii) All food colouring, paints, dusts and lusters must be edible.
- viii) Base or presentation board can be any shape but must fit within an area no larger than 45cm x 45cm square, unless otherwise stated. Any material drape, used in presentation, must also fit within the perimeter of an area measuring 45cm x 45cm square. Please ensure measurement is taken after any fabric or materials are added to the board.
- ix) Cleats must be attached to all base or presentation boards.

- x) A **"Beginner"** exhibitor is one who has been decorating for 2 years or less and who does not sell cakes to the General Public.
- xi) **Definition:**
Celebration Cake – traditional cake tin shape decorated to suit the occasion being celebrated. e.g. birthday, baby shower.
Novelty Cake – Three Dimensional (3/D) object that happens to be made from edible ingredients and shaped like the object. e.g. animal, rocket.
Miniature Cake – a very small cake in which all decorations/embellishments are also represented in miniature detail.

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry

SECTION 1 – CAKE DECORATING

DELIVERY AND JUDGING ON WEDNESDAY 26 FEBRUARY 2020

Class

- Class 001. **Wedding Cake** Conventional or Modern - **Prize: 1st C\$60 + V\$500**
 Must be contained within a base area no larger than 60 x 60cm square. **2nd C\$40 V\$250**
- Class 002. **Celebration Cake** – Must have inscription relating to the occasion being celebrated. **Prize: 1st C\$40+V\$250, 2nd C\$30**
- Class 003. **Modern Buttercream Beauty** - **Prize: 1st C\$35 + V\$250, 2nd C\$25**
 One or more tiers permitted.
 Must be contained within a base area no larger than 30cm x 30cm
 No fresh flowers allowed BUT realistic artificial flowers or handcrafted objects maybe used.
 Manufactured sugar decorations e.g. sprinkles or acrylic toppers are permitted in this class only.
 Can be displayed on a Cake Pedestal/Stand
- Class 004. **Novelty Cake –Theme “Royal Canberra Show”** **Prize: 1st C\$40 +V\$500**
 e.g.Agriculture, crafts, amusement rides. **2nd C\$30+ V\$250**
 Must be carved or sculptured and not represent traditional cake tin shapes.
 Sculpturing materials may include, edible cake, polystyrene dummies, rice crispies, modelling chocolate or other sugar medium.
- Class 005. **Most Creative Miniature Cake.** **Prize: 1st C\$30+V\$250**
 Board size and exhibit must not exceed boundaries of a cube, 15cm x 15cm x 15cm. **2nd C\$20**

Class 006. **Sugar Art** - An imaginative and creative piece of sugar work e.g. fondant, gum paste, isomalt, chocolate, royal. No cake or dummy allowed. Dowels/rods/skewers used as supports are permitted. Must be contained within a base area of 45cm x 45cm or equivalent area.

Prize: 1st C\$25 + V\$250,
2nd C\$15

Class 007. **Floral Art** - Sugar flowers & foliage, piped or moulded (no cake or dummy allowed) arranged in a vessel (handmade or manufactured) or on a cleated presentation board. Must fit within an area of 30cm x 30cm.

Prize: 1st C\$30 + V\$250,
2nd C\$20

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry



Cake Decorators' Association of the ACT Inc.

The Cake Decorators' Association of the ACT was established in 1980 for local cake decorators.

Meetings of the Association are held every two months at the Senior Citizens' Club at Turner. Meetings provide for a social gathering as well as the opportunity to participate in workshops, see demonstrations and exchange ideas.

Four times a year, the Association's magazine, the *Ice Age* is sent to financial members.

If you would like to learn more about cake decorating or you need a cake for a special occasion, contact the Secretary, Anne Wykes, on 6288 7830.

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SECTION 2 - BEGINNERS SECTION

This section is open to exhibitors who have been decorating for 2 years or less and who do not sell cakes to the General Public.

Class 008. **Celebration Cake** - Must have inscription relating to the occasion being celebrated.

Prize: 1st C\$20 + V\$200,
2nd C\$10 + V\$50

Class 009. **Floral Art** – Sugar flowers & foliage, piped or moulded, no cake or dummy allowed) arranged in a vessel (handmade or manufactured) or on a clefted presentation board. Must fit within an area of 30cm x 30cm.

Prize: 1st C\$10 + V\$100
2nd C\$5

Entry Fee: \$5 per entry

SECTION 3: GENERAL COOKERY

Sponsored by Sauvage Urbain

Chief Steward: Chris Tarlinton

Entries Close: 13 February 2020

Delivery: 8.00am to 10.00am, Thursday 27th February 2020.
Harvest Hall, Exhibition Park in Canberra.

Collection: Exhibits to be collected between 6.30pm – 8.00pm, Sunday 1 March 2020.

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Champion Ribbons: General Cookery, Junior Cookery Under 12yrs, Junior Cookery 12 -16 yrs, Junior Cake Decorating.

Most Successful Exhibitor: Ribbon Plus \$50

The Award shall be determined as follows: for the three highest awards in each class, points shall be allocated on the basis of 3, 2, 1. The exhibitor gaining the highest number of points shall be the winner. In the event of two or more exhibitors securing an equal number of points, the exhibitor gaining the highest number of first prizes shall be the winner.

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The Public is welcome to attend General & Junior Cookery Judging, Commencing at 10.30am on Thursday, 27 February 2020.

Further information talks on General Cookery will be held during the show.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- i) No exhibit may bear any distinguishing mark.
- ii) Only one entry per exhibitor in any one class.
- iii) All entries to be presented on a foil covered board; approx. 5cm larger than entry eg cake 20cm board 25cms. Please glue small feet on underside of board for easy handling.
- iv) Packet cake mixtures are **not accepted**, unless otherwise stated.
- v) Ring tins not accepted.
- vi) Cakes to be plainly iced - no decoration allowed e.g. coconut, cherries, and orange wedges.
- vii) Cakes not to be trimmed.

Note: Prizes are allocated at the discretion of the judge.

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 for the section

New Special Class

Class

Class 010. **Zebra Cake** Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10

- Round 20cm
- Chocolate & Vanilla only
- Chocolate icing on top only
- No decoration allowed
- Packet cake not allowed
- Presented on 25cm round board



Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd V\$10

Class 011. **Gluten Free Banana cake (lemon icing on top only) – Oblong**

Class 012. **Orange Poppyseed Cake (orange icing on top only) – round or square approx 20cms.**

Class 013. **Man's Favourite Cake – CARROT CAKE.**

- **Open to Men ONLY**
- **Nuts Permitted**
- **Round or Square approx. 20cm**
- **Lemon Icing on top only**
- **No decoration allowed**

Class 014. **Rich Fruit Cake (250gms butter)**

Class 015. **Plum Pudding - Steamed (250gms butter)**

Class 016. **Coffee Cake (iced on top only) – round or square approx 20cms**

Class 017. **Marble Cake (iced on top only) - round or square approx 20cms.**

Class 018. **Orange Cake (iced on top only) – oblong**

Class 019. **Chocolate Cake (iced on top only) - round or square approx 20cms.**

Class 020. **Banana Cake (lemon icing on top only) – oblong**

Class 021. **Boiled Fruit Cake (250gms butter)**

Class 022. **Carrot Cake (lemon icing on top only) – Nuts permitted – round or square approx 20cms**

Class 023. **Tea Cake (cinnamon topping)**

Class 024. **Date & Walnut Loaf - oblong**

Class 025. **Plain Sponge Sandwich with butter (no cornflour allowed) - jam filled**

Class 026. **Chocolate Sponge Sandwich (mock cream filling) – chocolate icing top only**

Class 027. **6 Plain Scones**

Class 028. **6 Apple & Cinnamon Muffins – not cooked in paper** **Prize: 1st \$20, 2nd \$10**

Class 029. **Collection of Home Made Fancy Biscuits (3 of each, 2 different mixtures)**

Class 030. **Plate of Two Varieties of Slices (cooked, 3 of each 4cm x 6cm)**

Class 031. **1 Loaf Homemade Bread (oven Baked)**

- Class 032. **1 Loaf Homemade Bread (Bread maker baked)**
Class 033. **3 Decorated Cup Cakes (Papers allowed) (To be judged on appearance only)**
Class 034. **Sultana Cake (250gms butter)**

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Cash Prizes: 1st \$15.00, 2nd \$10.00

For Information about how to enter CWA Cookery Competitions, in which non-members are welcome to compete. Telephone 6257 4211 (if unanswered – please leave a message and your call will be returned.)

Class 035. **Sugar Free Cake**

- Recipe to be included for display
- Round 20cm
- Iced on top only permitted (but not necessary)
- No fresh cream
- No decoration allowed
- Packet cake NOT allowed
- Presented on 30cm round board.

Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10

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SECTION 4 - JUNIOR SECTION (16 years and under)

(Age to be shown)

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or 5 entries and over - \$10 for the section

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Most Successful Junior Exhibitor: Ribbon Plus C\$30

The Award shall be determined as follows: for the three highest awards in each class, points shall be allocated on the basis of 3, 2, 1. The exhibitor gaining the highest number of points shall be the winner. In the event of two or more exhibitors securing an equal number of points, the exhibitor gaining the highest number of first prizes shall be the winner.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- No exhibit may bear any distinguishing mark.
- Only one entry per exhibitor in any one class.
- All entries to be presented on a foil covered board; approx. 5cm larger than entry eg cake 20cms board 25cms. Please glue small feet on underside of board for easy handling.**
- Packet cake mixtures are not accepted, unless otherwise stated.
- Ring tins not accepted.
- Cakes to be plainly iced-no decoration allowed eg coconut, cherries, orange wedges.

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

Class50. Chocolate Cake (iced on top only) – (Round or Square. Approx 20cm)
(16 Years and under) Cash Prizes: 1st C\$15, 2nd \$10

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SECTION 5 - JUNIOR SECTION (13 – 16 Years)

- Class 051. 6 iced Patty Cakes (not cooked in paper) Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$5
- Class 052. 6 Chocolate Chip Cookies
- Class 053. Tea Cake (Cinnamon Topping)
- Class 054. 6 Pikelets
- Class 055. 3 Decorated Cup Cakes (Paper Allowed) (To be judged on appearance only)
- Class 056. Novelty Cake – Theme: “Royal Canberra Show” (Butter iced and decorated any cake base), (Manufactured ornaments and sweets permitted)

SECTION 6 - JUNIOR SECTION (12 Years & Under)

- Class 070. 6 iced Patty Cakes (not cooked in paper) Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$5
- Class 071. 6 Chocolate Chip Cookies (all further classes)
- Class 072. Packet Cake (iced on top only) - packet identification required
- Class 073. 6 Arrowroot Biscuits decorated suitable for Children's party. Under 8 years
- Class 074. 6 Arrowroot Biscuits decorated suitable for Children's party. 8 – 12 years
- Class 075. Novelty Cake –“Theme: “Royal Canberra Show” (Butter iced and decorated any cake base), (Manufactured ornaments and sweets permitted).

GROUP 2: GARDEN PRODUCE

Chief Steward: Brett King 0416 027 797

Entries Close: Postal: 13 February 2020

Entries will only be taken on 26 February, if space is available

Class Tickets: Will be at Pavilion, Thursday 27 February

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

- Entries:** Post entries to RNCAS PO Box 124 Mitchell. ACT 2911 or phone Brett King.
- Delivery:** Showground entry is via Gate 4 off Northbourne Avenue between 8.00am and 10.00 am on Thursday 26 February. Class tickets will be at the Pavilion prior to judging.
- Collection:** Exhibits to be collected between 6.30pm – 8.00pm, Sunday 1 March
Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with Chief Steward **only**.
- Judging:** Will begin at 10.30am on Thursday 27 February
- Champion Ribbons:** Best Collection. Best Single Exhibit. Best in Student Section. Best Fruit Entry. Horticulture Produce Championship.
- Ribbon:** Most Successful Junior Exhibitor & \$30

Conditions of Entry

- i) Produce will be judged on quality and preparation for showing.
- ii) The exhibitor must grow all exhibits in this Section.
- iii) The Committee reserves the right to remove and/or replace any entry in this Section that may perish during the Show.
- iv) Entries will be judged on a commercial basis.
- v) Limit of **2 entries** per exhibitor per class.
- vi) Apples and Pears to have stalk and calyx intact, and may be polished.
- vii) Stems to be removed from Tomatoes.
- viii) The Judge may withhold awards where exhibits are not of sufficient merit.
- ix) Exhibitors are to stage their own entries.
- x) All collections to be standard units e.g. 1 Pumpkin, 3 Carrots, 12 cocktail Tomatoes.
- xi) Rhubarb stalks should be torn from plant and leaves trimmed to approx.. 5cm.
- xii) Silver beet/Chard etc. to be shown in green vases provided.
- xiii) Herbs can be staged in own container or in green vases provided.
- xiv) Cocktail tomatoes under 40mm in diameter
- xv) Potatoes should be brushed not washed.
- xvi) Any exhibit may be transferred to another position or class at the discretion of the Chief Steward
- xvii) Salad Vegetables are vegetables, in normal circumstances, would be eaten raw.

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

SECTION 7- GARDEN PRODUCE

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

200. Horticulture Produce Championship

Six distinct standard units (as per schedule) from any of the major categories (e.g. Cookery, Horticulture, Garden Produce, Jams & Preserves, Floral Art & Apiculture). A maximum of 3 from each category and a minimum of 3 categories to be entered (i.e. 3 Vegetables, 2 Dahlias, 1 Jam).

Note: Entries are to be as per schedule – see conditions of entry for explanation.

The theme for this exhibit is “Regeneration”

Decorations allowed. Space allowed 75 x 75cm.

This class is to be judged by a panel of invited judges.

Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$30 3rd \$10

Ribbon & Name on Trophy

Open Classes

Class

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| Class 201. Collection of Any Vegetables 6 kinds | Prize: 1st \$30, 2nd \$20, 3rd \$10 |
| Class 202. Collection of Vegetables 4 kinds (not salad vegetables) | Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 203. Collection of Salad Vegetables 4 kinds
(see condition of entry xvii) | Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 204. Collection of Onions 3 kinds 3 of each | Prize: 1st V\$20 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 205. Collection of Tomatoes 3 kinds (<u>standard units</u>) | Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 206. Collection of fruit 3, distinct kinds | Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 207. Collection of Potatoes 3 distinct kinds | Prize: 1st V\$20, 2nd C\$5 |
| Class 208. 4 distinct kinds of culinary herbs, 2 cuts of each, | Prize: 1st V\$10 |
| Class 209. Butternut Pumpkin | |
| Class 210. Bush Pumpkin e.g. Golden Nugget | |
| Class 211. Pumpkin any other variety | |
| Class 212. Vegetable Marrow | |
| Class 213. 3 Zucchini not more than 200mm | |
| Class 214. 3 Button Squash not more than 75mm | |
| Class 215. Custard Squash white or yellow | |
| Class 216. 3 Potatoes red skin | |
| Class 217. 3 Potatoes white skin | |

- Class 218. 6 Chats not more than 50mm
- Class 219. 3 Potatoes Gourmet or Fancy
- Class 220. 3 Carrots
- Class 221. 3 Beetroot
- Class 222. 3 white Onions
- Class 223. 3 brown Onions
- Class 224. 3 Onions red or salad
- Class 225. 3 Garlic
- Class 226. 6 stalks of Rhubarb (Note conditions of entry xi) **First Prize \$50 Sponsored by Cath Boyce**
- Class 227. 6 stalks of Silver Beet/Spinach or Swiss Chard (Coloured) (Note conditions of entry xii)
- Class 228. 3 Tomatoes red skin (not cocktail type)
- Class 229. 12 Tomatoes cocktail type (any colour)
- Class 230. 3 Tomatoes Roma type
- Class 231. 3 Tomatoes any other colour (not cocktail)
- Class 232. 1 Truss of tomatoes (any size) minimum of 6 tomatoes
- Class 233. 3 white or cream Cucumbers
- Class 234. 3 green Cucumbers
- Class 235. 3 cobs of Sweet Corn (not to be husked)
- Class 236. 12 Beans
- Class 237. 12 Beans any other colour than green
- Class 238. 3 bell shaped Capsicum any colour/s
- Class 239. 3 Capsicums any other variety
- Class 240. 1 Large Egg Plant
- Class 241. 3 Dwarf type Egg Plant
- Class 242. Any other Vegetable not mentioned
- Class 243. 3 Apples
- Class 244. 3 Pears
- Class 245. 6 Plums
- Class 246. 6 Figs
- Class 247. 3 Peaches
- Class 248. 3 Nectarines
- Class 249. 1 bunch Grapes
- Class 250. 3 Citrus Fruit (all same variety)
- Class 251. 12 Berry Fruit (all same variety)
- Class 252. Any other Fruit not mentioned
- Class 253. 1 dozen hen Eggs white or cream
- Class 254. 1 dozen hen Eggs brown
- Class 255. 1 dozen Eggs any other colour (May include duck or other)

SECTION 8 - SCHOOL STUDENT SECTION

Champion Ribbon

Please note the conditions of entry for some tips on staging

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

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Most Successful Junior Exhibitor: Ribbon Plus C\$30

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Class

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| 270 | Collection of Any Fruit or Vegetables 4 kinds
(Please see condition of entry x) | Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$5 |
| 271 | 3 Zucchini not more than 200mm | Prize: 1st C\$5 |
| 272 | 3 Button Squash not more than 75mm | <i>(all further classes)</i> |
| 273 | 3 Potatoes | |
| 274 | 3 Carrots | |
| 275 | 3 Tomatoes | |
| 276 | 6 Cocktail tomatoes – any colour | |
| 277 | 3 cobs of Sweet Corn (not to be husked) | |
| 278 | 1 pumpkin | |
| 279 | 3 Cucumbers | |
| 280 | 6 Beans | |
| 281 | 3 Capsicums | |
| 282 | 4 Stalks of Silver beet/Swiss Chard etc. | |
| 283 | 3 Beetroot | |
| 284 | Any other Vegetable not mentioned | |
| 285 | 3 Plums | |
| 286 | 3 Apples | |
| 287 | Any other Fruit not mentioned | |
| 288 | 1 dozen hen Eggs tan or brown | |
| 289 | 1 dozen Eggs other than tan or brown | |
| 290 | Novelty fruit or vegetable | |

SECTION 9 - FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SCULPTURE

NOVELTY CLASSES on Thursday 27 February 2020

Champion Ribbons: Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor (6 years and under)
Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor (7 years to 10 years)
Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor (11 years to 16 years)

Sculpture Entries to be delivered to Pavilion on Thursday before 6pm
Judging – Thursday 27 February at 6.15pm

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or 5 entries and over \$10.00 for the section

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The Sculpture should:

- be no larger than 40cm square x 60 cm high
- be of solid construction
- consist of a mixture of fruit and vegetables
- be given a name
- age to be included in junior exhibits
- Sculpture to be made by exhibitor
(Assistance within reason for 10 years and under)



Class 296. Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor
(6 years and under) – age to be shown

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$10, 3rd C\$5

Class 297. Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor
(7 years to 10years) – age to be shown

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$10, 3rd C\$5

Class 298. Fruit & Vegetable Sculpture Junior Exhibitor
(11 years to 16 years) – age to be shown

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$10, 3rd C\$5



CAPITAL REGION FARMERS MARKET

Sample the region's freshest produce at the Capital Region Farmers Market held from **7:30am to 11:30am every Saturday at Exhibition Park in Canberra**. The Market is a community project run by the Rotary Club of Hall, the only rural Rotary Club in the ACT.

Over 100 stallholders attend each week who bring their freshly picked, locally grown produce to the Market.

The Rotary Club of Hall is proud to do something positive to underpin the growing agri-business opportunities in the region and offer a great seasonal food experience to Canberrans.

www.capitalregionfarmersmarket.com.au

GROUP 3: HORTICULTURE

Chief Steward: Glenn Sheldrick 0428 380 673

Entries: To the Horticulture Secretary, D & C Ross, by phone on 6251 2859 before 9.00pm Wednesday 26 February - **and only if unanswered to Mr J. Woodfield (02) 6281 2865 (ah).**

Early Entries would be appreciated.

Entry Fees: \$2.00 per entry or over 5 entries \$10.00 for the section.

Delivery: Showground entry is via Gate 4 off Northbourne Avenue **from 5.00am on Friday 28 February**. Harvest Hall will be open from 5.00am for receiving of Exhibits.

Vehicle Pass: Exhibitors must obtain exhibitors vehicle pass for entry to the Showground for Friday morning from the Horticultural Secretary or Chief Stewards in Horticultural Section **prior** to the Show. This is the responsibility of exhibitors.

Novice-Progressive & Are intended for inexperienced exhibitors only. Successful exhibitors may, at any time, be requested to show in OPEN Classes.

Inexperienced Classes: Experienced visiting exhibitors will be expected to show their speciality/s only in the OPEN Classes.

Staging: Exhibitors must stage exhibits in Dahlia Championship and Challenge Classes by 8.30am, all other Classes by 9.00am, on Friday morning. Vehicles to be removed from Showground by 8.00 am. RNCAS will provide containers for Dahlia Classes and General Cut Flower Classes where possible, flowers in these Classes will become the property of the RNCAS. In order to maintain the high standard and spectacle at the Show, the Society reserves the right to renew or remove any exhibit.

Replacements will be made when possible with similar material.

Prize money: All exhibitors are to complete the application for entry form. This form must be handed to the Horticulture Secretary and then Exhibitor cards will be issued.

Exhibits to be collected between 6.30pm – 8.00pm, Sunday 1 March 2020.

Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with Chief Steward **only**.

Additional awards may be made if available.

Note: Reasons for any exhibit being marked N.A.S (ie. not as scheduled), or any written comments made by any judge in any class will be displayed for public knowledge and interest after judging. N.N.D - Not necessarily distinct.

PLEASE NOTE: Prize Cards and Ribbons Are To Remain On Display With Exhibits Until Closure Of The Show – 5.00pm Sunday 1 March 2020.

SECTION 10 - DAHLIAS

Enquiries: John Woodfield (02) 6281 2865 (AH)

DAHLIAS ARE TO BE JUDGED ON STANDARDS AND SIZES AS ADOPTED BY THE DAHLIA SOCIETY OF NSW AND ACT.

DAHLIA STANDARDS - STAGING REQUIREMENTS

- i) All Blooms 160mm and over to be staged one per vase.
- ii) All Blooms under 160mm to be staged three per vase (except where otherwise stated for special classes). NOTE: A Vase is the container supplied for staging Dahlias - a standard unit is a vase of one variety.
- iii) Champion awards are to be awarded only to standard units.
- iv) All Dahlias are to be staged with a combined stem and stalk of at least 160mm protruding from the vase for all types.
- v) Decorative classes may include formal, informal or semi decorative types unless otherwise stated.
- vi) Cactus classes may include Cactus or Semi-Cactus types unless otherwise stated.
- vii) In Championship and Special Classes all Types stand alone.

JUDGING POINTS: Dahlias are to be judged on the following point's basis:

Form	40
Condition	25
Stalk	15
Colour	10
Size	5
Staging and naming	5
Total	100

points.

SIZES: Decorative, Cactus, Exhibition Cactus and Fimbriated Types all come in 5 sizes.

Giant	- 260mm and over
Large	- 210mm and under 260mm
Medium	- 160mm and under 210mm
Small	- 120mm and under 160mm
Miniature	- under 120mm
Small Ball Type	- 120mm and under 160mm
Miniature Ball Type	- 50mm and under 120mm
Pompon	- under 50mm in diameter
Collerette - Waterlilly - Single Types	- under 160mm
Anemone - Orchid and Stellar	- under 160mm

ALL BLOOMS TO BE NAMED. IF NAME NOT KNOWN LABEL "UNKNOWN" OR "NAME WANTED".



CHAMPION RIBBONS

Dahlia Championship	Decorative Dahlia
Small Vase Dahlia Challenge	Cactus Dahlia
Flower of the Year – "Darbro Gift"	Other Type Dahlia
Grand Champion Dahlia Unit plus Dahlia Society of NSW/ACT medallion	



CHAMPION CARDS

Decorative Dahlia 210mm & over

Medium Decorative
Dahlia Small Decorative
Dahlia

Miniature Decorative Dahlia
Cactus Dahlia 210mm & over

Medium Cactus Dahlia
Small Cactus Dahlia
Miniature Cactus Dahlia

Includes formal,
informal & semi-
decorative types

Includes Cactus &
Semi Cactus types

Other Types

Exhibition Cactus Dahlia
Waterlilly Dahlia
Pompon Dahlia

Ball Dahlia

Fimbriated Cactus Dahlia
Any Other Standard Unit not
mentioned

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

Class 300. **Royal Canberra Show Dahlia Championship:**

6 vases of dahlias, distinct cultivars (Standard Units), at least 4 types.

1 entry per exhibitor. To be staged by 8.30am

Prize: 1st V\$50 + Ribbon,

2nd V\$30, 3rd V\$20

Class 301. **Small Vase Dahlia Challenge:**

6 Vases of Dahlias, distinct cultivars (Standard Units) under

160mm, at least 4 types, 1 entry per exhibitor. To be staged by 8.30am.

Prize: 1st C\$20 + Ribbon,

2nd C\$15, 3rd C\$10,
4th C\$5

Class 302. **Three Vase Special:**

3 Vases of Dahlias (Standard Units), distinct types & distinct sizes

Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$5,
3rd C\$3, 4th C\$2

Class 303. **"Special Nine":**

9 Dahlias, distinct types, staged singularly 1 entry per exhibitor. 3rd C\$10, 4th C\$5

Prize: 1st C\$20, 2nd C\$15,

Class 304. **The Dahlia Society of NSW & ACT Flower of the Year “Granite Queen Bee”** *Prize: 1st C\$10 + Ribbon,* 1 Vase (Standard Unit) Anemone Type *2nd C\$5, 3rd C\$3, 4th C\$2*

Class 305. **The Five Bloom Special** *Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$5, 3rd C\$3,* Five blooms distinct types under 160mm in one container. *4th C\$2*

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

Class 306.	3 “Araluen Fire” Miniature Cactus Type	Prize: 1st V\$15, 2nd V\$5
Class 307.	1 “Araluen Fire” Miniature Cactus Type	Prize: 1st V\$15, 2nd V\$5
Class 308.	1 Decorative 210mm and over	Prize: 1st V\$10, 2nd V\$5
Class 309.	1 Medium Decorative	(all further classes)
Class 310.	3 Small Decorative, 1 variety	
Class 311.	3 Small Decorative, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 312.	3 Miniature Decorative, 1 variety	
Class 313.	3 Miniature Decorative, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 314.	1 Cactus 210mm and over	
Class 315.	1 Medium Cactus	
Class 316.	3 Medium Cactus, N.N.D.	
Class 317.	3 Small Cactus, 1 variety	
Class 318.	3 Small Cactus, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 319.	3 Miniature Cactus, 1 variety	
Class 320.	3 Miniature Cactus, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 321.	1 Exhibition Cactus 160mm and over	
Class 322.	3 Waterlily, 1 variety	
Class 323.	3 Waterlily, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 324.	3 Pompon, 1 variety	
Class 325.	3 Pompon, 3 varieties	
Class 326.	3 Ball, 1 variety (standard unit)	
Class 327.	3 Ball, 3 varieties	
Class 328.	3 Collerette, 1 variety	
Class 329.	3 Collerette, 3 distinct varieties	
Class 330.	1 Vase Fimbriated Cactus (Standard Unit)	
Class 331.	1 Vase any other type (Standard Unit) eg. Orchid, stellar, single, etc	
Class 332.	1 Vase recent introduction (Standard Unit), raised by exhibitor. To be point judged.	
Class 333.	1 bloom grown from seed, first season only.	

SECTION 11 - INEXPERIENCED EXHIBITOR CLASSES

Class 340.	1 Vase Decorative Dahlia/s (standard unit)	Prize: 1st V\$10, 2nd V\$5
Class 341.	1 Vase Cactus Dahlia/s (standard unit)	
Class 342.	1 Vase any other type (standard unit)	
Class 343.	3 Vases District types (standard unit)	

ROSES & GENERAL FLOWERS

Chief Steward: D. Ross (02) 6251 2859

Champion Ribbon - Best Rose Unit

Champion Ribbon - General Flowers - Classes 362 -366

(Please name exhibit where possible)

Classes **350-353** to be staged one per container (Containers Supplied) Classes **354-366** to be staged in one container (Containers Supplied)

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

SECTION 12 - ROSES

Rose Championship Class

350 Rose Championship **Prize: 1st V\$30, 2nd V\$20,**

Three exhibition roses distinct, plus any two of the following: , 3rd V\$10

- Container of cluster roses one cultivar,
- Bunch roses, three cuts one cultivar,
- Container Decorative roses three cut one cultivar
- Rose one cultivar four stages bud to full bloom
Three cuts miniature rose one cultivar

Class 351.	1 Rose	Prize: 1st V\$10,
Class 352.	3 Roses, N.N.D.	
Class 353.	3 Rose Distinct	
Class 354.	Bunch roses, three cuts, same cultivar	
Class 355.	Decorative roses, three cuts, same cultivar	
Class 356.	1 Full Blown Rose (Must show stamens)	
Class 357.	1 Container of Floribunda Roses, not more than approx. 30 fully open florets.1 variety.	
Class 358.	1 Container of Floribunda Roses, not more than approx. 30 fully open florets. Mixed colours.	
Class 359.	Roses one cultivar four stages bud to full bloom (4 stems)	
Class 360.	3 cuts of Miniature Roses N.N.D.	
Class 361.	1 cut of any rose for fragrance	

SECTION 13 - GENERAL FLOWERS

Prize: 1st V\$5, 2nd V\$5

- Class 362. **6 Zinnias, under 50mm**
- Class 363. **6 Zinnias over 50mm**
- Class 364. **3 African Marigolds**
- Class 365. **12 French Marigolds**
- Class 366. **Container of at least 3 Cuts of any other Flower not mentioned in the schedule.**

SECTION 14 - CUT FLOWER COLLECTIONS (may include flowering shrub/s)

Champion Ribbon for Best Container in Cut Flower collections

Where possible please use green containers

- Class 367. **3 Containers of Cut Flowers - distinct kinds** **Prize: 1st V\$10, 2nd V\$5,**
- Class 368. **Flower, Spike or Cut of 5 distinct kinds of Cut Flowers in one container** **Prize: 1st V\$10, 2nd V\$5,**

SECTION 15 - FLORAL ART

Chief Steward: Ms. Christine Ryan (02) 6248 5862

Please note entries must be staged by 9.00am Friday 28 February 2020.

All entries to Horticulture Secretary D & C Ross 6251 2859 or J. Woodfield (02) 6281 2865

Champion Ribbon: Floral Art Championship

i) EXHIBITS MUST BE THE WORK OF THE EXHIBITOR

ii) INFORMATION

Floral Art Classes will be judged according to the AFAA manual. If in doubt about any part of this schedule, it is strongly recommended that exhibitors phone Christine Ryan (02) 6248 5862 (AH).

iii) DEFINITIONS

ACCESSORIES: Anything added to an arrangement to assist in the design

DESIGN: The planned order of the elements, according to the principles of design. A design may include one container or more, and may include background or base.

DESIGN ELEMENTS: Space, line form, pattern, texture, colour.

DESIGN PRINCIPLES: Balance, dominance, contrast, rhythm, proportion, scale.

PLANT MATERIAL: Any part of cultivated, uncultivated and marine plants, fresh or dried.

iv) UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

1. Plant material need not have been grown by the exhibitor.
2. Any plant material may be used.
3. Fresh plant material must be included in all exhibits unless otherwise stated.
4. No artificial plant material.
5. In modern design treated material may be used, with discretion.
6. Exhibits will be judged from the front.
7. Drapes are permitted.
8. Accessories may be used in all classes.
9. Space allocation is as per class with height unrestricted
10. Exhibits in class 380 to be point judged and points displayed with each unit.
11. Each miniature **NOT to exceed 23cm in any direction.**
12. Petite over 10cm and not to exceed 23cm overall in any direction (height, width and depth).

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section



Class 380. **Floral Art Championship (1 entry per exhibitor)**

Prize: 1st C\$50 + Championship Ribbon

Open to all Exhibitors

Any accessories may be used.

2nd C\$25, 3rd C\$15, 4th C\$10

"FABULOUS FOLIAGE" – NO FLOWERS ALLOWED

Bench Space 100cm



Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

SECTION 16 - OPEN SECTION

Champion Card for Best Exhibit in each section

Bench Space 75cm wide and deep unless otherwise mentioned

Class 381. **A Tapestry**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

(AFAA Manual Pg 54 & 56)

Class 382. **Incorporating Paper**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

(Horticulture material must dominate)

Class 383. **Contained by Glass**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

SECTION 17 - PROGRESSIVE SECTION

Class

Class 384. **Petite Foliage Arrangement**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$3

Class 385. **Succulents and Bark**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$3

Class 386. **Summer Beauty**

Prize: 1st C\$10, 2nd C\$3

SECTION 18 - JUNIOR SECTION

Under 15 Years

Class 387. **Origami & Flowers**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

Class 388. **Cupcake/s**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

Under 5 Years

Class 389. **Design a fantasy garden**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

Class 390. **A Decorated Saucer**

Prize: 1st C\$15, 2nd C\$5

Entries in the Junior Section will be accepted from 8am – 6pm on Thursday 27 February
(Exhibits will be refrigerated until judging – where possible)
And from 5am – 8am Friday 28 February

GROUP 4: JAMS, SPREADS & PRESERVES

Sponsored by Sauvage Urbain

- Chief Steward:** Chris Tarlinton (02) 6297 6720
- Entries Close:** 13 February 2020
- Judging:** Thursday, 27 February at 10.30am Public are welcome to attend judging
- Delivery:** 8.00am to 10.00am, Thursday, 27 February Harvest Hall, Exhibition Park in Canberra (Showgrounds)
- Collection:** Exhibits to be collected between 6.30pm – 8:00pm, Sunday 1 March
- Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with Chief Steward only
- Champion Ribbons:** Jams and Jellies, Condiments, Pantry Collection

Ribbon – Plus \$30 –Most Successful Exhibitor, sponsored by Tony & Margaret Morris

The Award shall be determined as follows: for the three highest awards in each class, points shall be allocated on the basis of

3, 2, 1. The exhibitor gaining the highest number of points shall be the winner. In the event of two or more exhibitors securing an equal number of points, the exhibitor gaining the highest number of first prizes shall be the winner

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- i) One entry per exhibitor per class, except classes 402, 406, 408, 410, 413, 414, 417, 420, 422, 424, 452, 458.
- ii) **All jars and bottles to be labelled with product name and Society stickers. Label to be no larger than 5cm x 2cm**
- iii) All entries to be home made and presented in a screw top, plain round, 500gm / 375ml honey/jam jar except preserved fruit cooked in preserving jar e.g. Fowler's preserving
 - a. Sauces to be shown in 200-250ml bottles.
 - b. Butters to be shown in 180-220gm jar
 - c. Uniformity of size in "collection" classes required.
- iv) Please **do not seal with wax**.
- v) All lids to be plain – any advertising must be painted over. No cellophane allowed.
- vi) **All jars, lids and bottles must be clean and free from mould**
- vii) Fill to 1cm from top of jar or bottle.
- viii) "Pantry Collection" will be judged on appearance only. No restrictions on jar or bottle size. Descriptive labels attached.

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

SECTION 19 – OPEN SECTION

Class		Prize: 1st V\$15, 2nd V\$10
Class 400.	Jar of Apple Jelly	
Class 401.	Jar of Plum Jelly	
Class 402.	Jar of Jelly – any other variety	
Class 403.	Jar of Apricot Jam, no kernels	
Class 404.	Jar of Plum Jam	
Class 405.	Jar of Strawberry Jam	
Class 406.	Jar of Berry Jam (not strawberry)	
Class 407.	Jar of Jam – Any Two Fruits	
Class 408.	Jar of Jam – any other variety (not citrus)	
Class 409.	Collection of Jams – 3 Distinct varieties (not citrus)	
Class 410.	Jar of Citrus	
Class 411.	Collection of Citrus – 3 Distinct varieties	
Class 412.	Jar of Lemon Butter	
Class 413.	Jar of Fruit Butter – other than Lemon Butter	
Class 414.	Bottle of Sauce (Dessert Sauce)	
Class 415.	Bottle of Tomato Sauce	
Class 416.	Bottle of Plum Sauce	
Class 417.	Bottle of Sauce – any other variety (Savoury)	
Class 418.	Jar of Mustard Pickles	
Class 419.	Jar of Clear Vegetable Pickles	
Class 420.	Jar of Any Relish	
Class 421.	Jar of Tomato Chutney	
Class 422.	Jar of Chutney – any other variety	
Class 423.	Collection 3 Tomato products – 1 jar each from pickle, relish, chutney or bottle of sauce	
Class 424.	Bottle Preserved Fruit – any variety – cooked in preserving jar. Eg. Fowler’s Vacola.	
Class 425.	Pantry Collection	Prize: 1 st V\$25, 2 nd V\$10

To consist of 6 to 8 items such as syrups, flavoured oils, dried fruit or vegetables, Unusual pickles, jams, jellies, chutney, etc

426. Sugar Free Jam

- Recipe to be included for display
- Only two entries per class
- Conditions of entry apply

**Cash Prizes: 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3rd \$10
Sponsored by the Sellers Family**

SECTION 20 – JUNIOR SECTION (16 years & Under)

Conditions of Entry as outlined on previous page. Please read carefully. **Champion Ribbon – Jams and Condiments**

Entry Fee: \$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section

Proudly Sponsored By Federation Square

Ribbon Plus \$30 –Most Successful Junior Exhibitor

The Award shall be determined as follows: for the three highest awards in each class, points shall be allocated on the basis of 3, 2, 1. The exhibitor gaining the highest number of points shall be the winner. In the event of two or more exhibitors securing an equal number of points, the exhibitor gaining the highest number of first prizes shall be the winner



Class

- Class 450. **Jar of Apricot Jam**
- Class 451. **Jar of Plum Jam**
- Class 452. **Jar of Jam – any other variety (not citrus)**
- Class 453. **Jar of Citrus**
- Class 454. **Jar of Lemon Butter**
- Class 455. **Bottle of Plum Sauce**
- Class 456. **Jar of Tomato Relish**
- Class 457. **Jar of Tomato Chutney**
- Class 458. **Bottle of preserved fruit – any variety – cooked in preserving jar. Eg. Fowler' Vacola.**

Prize: 1st C\$5, 2nd C\$2

GROUP 6: APICULTURE

(Honey, Wax, Honey Products)

Chief Steward: Mrs Lyn Shiels (02) 6286 2421

Entries Close: 13 February 2020.



Delivery: 8.00am – 9.30am Thursday 27 February.
Harvest Hall, Exhibition Park in Canberra or by arrangement with the Chief Steward, before 26 February.

Judging: Commences Thursday 27 February at 10 00am. Public are welcome to attend judging.

Collection: Exhibits to be collected between 6.30pm – 8.00pm, Sunday 1st March. Exhibits and prize money not collected by 8.00pm remain the property of RNCAS unless prior arrangements have been made with the Chief Steward only.

Champion Ribbon: **Most Successful Exhibitor**

The Award shall be determined as follows: for the three highest awards in each class, points shall be allocated on the basis of 3, 2, 1. The exhibitor gaining the highest number of points shall be the winner. In the event of two or more exhibitors securing an equal number of points, the exhibitor gaining the highest number of first prizes shall be the winner.

Champion Ribbon Award: **David Banks Memorial**

For the most outstanding honey exhibit

Ribbons: Will be awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place in each class.

Prize Cards: Will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each class.

Entry Fee: **\$2 per entry or over 5 entries \$10 for the section**

Conditions of Entry

- i) Safe packing of entries is the responsibility of the Exhibitor
- i) All entries in this section must be produced by the Exhibitor.
- ii) Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class.
- iii) Honey should be shown in 500g (375ml) glass jars, not previously used for other purposes, and with no labels except those supplied by RNCAS.
- iv) Mead classes may have two entries per exhibitor.
- v) Fill level is 1cm below the lid.
- vi) Mead must be presented in clear glass bottles.
- vii) Collection classes are judged on appearance only. Jars in this section may be up to 500 grams with no restriction on shape. Display must fit into a 30cm² space.



SECTION 29 - LIQUID HONEY

Class

- Class 600. One 500g glass jar, produced from Eucalypt
 Class 601. One 500g glass jar, produced from sources other than Eucalypt 602
 Class 602. One 500g glass jar of Garden honey



SECTION 30 - NATURAL GRANULATION

- Class 603. One 500g glass jar, fine grain honey

SECTION 31 - CREAMED HONEY SECTION

- Class 604. One 500g glass jar, creamed honey



32 - COMB HONEY SECTION

- Class 605. 1 full depth frame of comb honey, suitably enclosed in a glass or Perspex case.

33 - CHUNK HONEY

- Class 606. One 500g glass jar of liquid honey, containing 1 piece of cut comb honey of same source



SECTION 34 - WAX & WAX PRODUCTS

- Class 607. 1 block of Beeswax, (any geometric shape) 500gm to 1kg
 Class 608. Collection of six beeswax molds.

SECTION 35 - MEAD

- Class 620. One 750ml bottle of dry mead
 Class 621. One 750ml bottle of sweet mead
 Class 622. One 750ml bottle of any other type mead



SECTION 36 - COLLECTIONS

- Class 640. Collection of honeys- 6-8 items which may include various liquid, granulated, creamed, comb, chunk or specialty honeys such as fruit honeys.
 Class 650. Collection of Apiary products- 6-8 items which may include honeys as above plus wax, cookery, mead or any other apiary product.



RNCAS EXHIBITION BY-LAWS

1. The Show will be open to the public at 8.30am each day.
2. All exhibits to be on the ground not later than when specified in the schedule.
3. All exhibits must be the bona fide property of exhibitors - No two or more exhibitors shall exhibit co-jointly unless they are actual partners.
4. **All Entries:**
 - a. Must be made in writing on forms supplied by the Society and be accompanied by entry fees and a **self- addressed stamped envelope** unless, otherwise directed in entry conditions within Subsections ;and
 - b. must be lodged with the Chief Executive Officer prior to the closing date for entries as specified in the schedule.
 - c. Entries received after the closing date as specified in the schedule, or received unaccompanied by the specified entry fees will not be accepted.
 - d. Telephone entries are not acceptable, except Horticulture Flower Section and Garden Produce Section. **ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE**
5. Age for Junior Classes shall be deemed to be as at the first day of the Show, 28 February 2020 .
6. The Society shall not be responsible for the loss or for any damage or injury occasioned to any exhibit or the property of any exhibitor from any cause whatsoever.
7. The Council of the Society or the Chief Executive Officer shall have the power without assigning any reason to:
 - (i) Reject or cancel any entry any time.
 - (ii) Prohibit the participation by any person or exhibit in any event or class for which it is entered.
 - (iii) Cancel any event or class.
 - (iv) Alter the time at which any class or event is to take place.
 - (v) Alter the conditions of any event.
 - (vi) Remove any exhibit from the Showgrounds.
 - (vii) Alter the date or time for the closing of entries for any section or class or for any particular entry. (viii) Transfer an exhibit or exhibitor from any class to any other class.
8. Proved wilful misrepresentation of exhibits will not merely forfeit the prize, but render the exhibitor liable to be disqualified from exhibiting at future Shows of the Society. The onus of proof as to the bonafides will rest upon the exhibitor.
9. The exhibitor enters entirely at his own risk. In case any exhibit whilst on the Society Showgrounds shall cause or be the cause of injury or damage to any other exhibit or exhibitor or to the personal property of any member of the Society or the general public, the owner of such exhibit shall indemnify and keep indemnified the Society, its officers, officials and members from and against all damages, costs, claims, expenses or liabilities incurred in connection with such exhibits. The exhibitor shall

be liable to the Society and its employees, officers and officials for any damage or loss occasioned to any of them by the exhibit or the exhibitor or his agent.

10. The exhibitor shall at all times comply with the directions or requests of the Council of the Society or of its Chief Executive Officer. This shall without limiting the generality of the foregoing apply to the entry, the animal, the exhibitor, the conditions of the event, the conduct of the exhibitor, the conducting of the event, the decisions of the Judge and the awarding of the prize.
11. The Council of the Society or the Chief Executive Officer reserve the right to adjudicate on any entry or upon any question in dispute or doubt and to make any determination upon any matter whether covered by the conditions of entry or not and the decision so made shall be final and binding and the Society shall thereby have sole and absolute control of all matters affecting the conduct of the Show and the exhibits and exhibitors. There shall be no right of appeal to any court of law or other body from any decision made by the Council of the Society or the Chief Executive Officer.
12. If, in the opinion of the Judges, an exhibit is improperly classed, it may be removed by the stewards and placed in its proper class. If the exhibitor objects to such removal, the exhibit may be disqualified.
13. **OFFENSIVE BEHAVIOUR:**

All persons causing annoyance by;

 - a. Making loud comments, or by other offensive behaviour, on the decisions of Judges, Stewards or other officials; or
 - b. The use of swearing or foul language will after being cautioned by a member of Council or Chief Executive Officer, be expelled from the ground and if a competitor, be liable for disqualification and forfeiture of any prize money won.
14. The use of loud speakers and radio broadcast appliances of every description shall be permitted only with the written authority of the Chief Executive Officer.
15. **Removal of exhibits.** No exhibit other than livestock may be removed from the Showground until 7.00pm on the 3rd day of the Show, except with the written authority of the Chief Executive Officer.
16. **No advertising** matter of any description will be permitted on competitive exhibits.
17. Correct and full postal address to be placed on entry forms.
18. Financial members may claim 20% reduction on total entry fees where total of entry fees are \$10 or more.
19. **All protests** must be delivered to the Chief Executive Officer not later than 6.00pm on Show days, after which no protests will be entertained. Each protest must be in writing and accompanied by a fee of \$50, which will be forfeited at the discretion of the Council if it considers the protest frivolous. Protests will be dealt with by the Council as soon as practicable after the receipt thereof. Every protest must assign a definite reason for it being made. The Council shall have the power to confer with the Judges if practicable in determining protests.
20. All monetary prizes will be paid by the Chief Executive Officer during the Show. Instructions on prize cards must be observed. Prize money unclaimed by 13 March 2019 will be forfeited.
21. Restrictions or limitations on the number of entries in any Section may be made by the Chief Executive Officer of the Society.

22. Where an exhibitor fails to secure properly any animal and bodily injury or property damage occurs this may constitute a serious breach of insurance policy conditions and may prejudice claims settlement.
23. If due to unforeseen circumstances sponsorship is not forthcoming for classes in which the prize-money is sponsored, prize-money will not be paid by the RNCAS.

24. CANCELLATION OF THE SHOW FOR ANY REASON

It is agreed between the parties that, if in the sole discretion of the Directors or the Chief Executive Officer or some other authorised officer that the Show is to be partially or fully cancelled for any reason whatsoever, the exhibitor shall not pursue the Society for the recoveries of lost income or damages. This complete bar to an action applies to all headings of Law, whether it be Common Law in Contract or Tort or pursuant to any State, Territorial, or Commonwealth Statute Law. It is acknowledged by the exhibitor that the Society has no duty to have a Show in any particular year and that this Clause operates as a complete defence for the Society to any such action.

1. Access

- 1.1. Exhibitors must comply with the times during which they are permitted entry/exit to the grounds and any constraints placed on parking within the grounds.
- 1.2. Passes will be issued and must be displayed on the dash/window of the vehicle at all times.
- 1.3. Registration numbers must be provided on entry or acceptance forms as requested. Only vehicles with pre-recorded registration numbers will be allowed access.

2. Parking

- 2.1. Commercial exhibitors are required to park their vehicles in the public car park. Passes allow temporary access close to sites for the purpose of loading/unloading only.
- 2.2. Horse exhibitors camping on site are entitled to park one horse transport 'vehicle' (one horse truck or one towing vehicle & float/gooseneck trailer combination) at their site or near their stables, as directed. All extra vehicles must be parked in the public car park area or designated overflow area. Horse exhibitors not staying on the grounds will be issued with a day pass and will park in designated areas as directed.
- 2.3. Fees for public parking may be applicable and are not necessarily included in camping or entry fees.
- 2.4. All exhibitors are to park vehicles as directed by RNCAS officials.

3. Other motorised transport

- 3.1. Due to safety issues, no exhibitors may use motorised transport on the grounds, including but not limited to golf carts, go-carts, quad bikes, trikes, motor bikes, electric bikes or scooters, with the exception of 3.2 below. Unauthorised users may be asked to leave the grounds.
- 3.2. Any person with a recognised disability or limited mobility is entitled to the use of motorised personal transport.

4. Passes

- 4.1. Passes will be issued on the basis of the pre-supplied individual vehicle registration number and are not transferrable. If unforeseeable circumstances result in an

exhibitor requiring access for a different vehicle, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the RNCAS Administration Office of the substitution. Substitutions only are permitted; no extra vehicles will be allowed on the grounds, excepting in those circumstances as outlined in 6.1 below.

- 4.2. Passes will be issued with limitations as to time, date, and locations and will also specify entitlements for parking or loading/unloading restrictions.

5. Compliance

- 5.1. Any vehicle attempting to gain access at a time or date not specified for that vehicle will be refused access.
- 5.2. Any vehicle found parked on the grounds without displaying the proper pass will be towed away and all expenses will be the responsibility of the vehicle's registered owner.
- 5.3. Any vehicle with a loading/unloading pass found parked improperly on the grounds will be towed away and all expenses will be the responsibility of the vehicle's registered owner.
- 5.4. Any vehicle found improperly parked on the grounds at any time will be towed away and all expenses will be the responsibility of the vehicle's registered owner.
- 5.5. If there is any doubt regarding conditions of access or parking please verify details with the RNCAS Administration Office well in advance of arrival.

6. Special Consideration

- 6.1. Exhibitors who would be unduly disadvantaged by vehicle limits (such as those from the Horse Section with large numbers of horses to transport) may apply to the RNCAS Administration Office for additional vehicle passes. These applications will be considered on a case by case basis and must be received no later than two weeks prior to the show.