

# **Trawden Show**

**SUNDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025**

## **HORTICULTURE**

### **SCHEDULE**

ENTER ONLINE AT [WWW.TRAWDENSHOW.CO.UK](http://WWW.TRAWDENSHOW.CO.UK)

ENTRIES CLOSE – MONDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025 (TO BE INCLUDED IN THE CATALOGUE)

Entries taken on the day

Alternatively, send your entries to the Show Secretary

Miss Philippa Osborne  
49 Lanehouse, Trawden, Lancashire, BB8 8SW

Email – [Trawden.Secretary@gmail.com](mailto:Trawden.Secretary@gmail.com)

## ABOUT THE SHOW

**Trawden Agricultural Show – Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2025 – Trawden Recreational Ground, Trawden, Lancashire, BB8 8RR**

Separate Schedules are available online at [www.trawdenshow.co.uk](http://www.trawdenshow.co.uk) for – Light Horses, Heavy Horses, Shetland & Miniature Horses, Cattle, Goats, Sheep, Rare & Minority Sheep, Poultry, Adults Arts & Crafts (Preserves, Baking, Photography, etc.), Horticulture, Vintage Cars and Juniors.

## TICKETING

All exhibitors will be required to have an e-ticket or wristband to gain entry to the show field. For £5 worth of entries, one exhibitors ticket will be given. Additional prepaid e-tickets can be purchased at the time of class entry at £10 for adults (£14 on gate) and £6 for children aged 6 and over (£6 on gate). Children under 6 are admitted free of charge and do not require a ticket. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to bring a valid e-ticket or wristband with them on the day.

## ENTRY FEE

£1 per entry, £5 for unlimited entries. (Enter 5 classes online, and the following entries will be free).

## NEW GROWERS

Trawden Show is a great traditional community event. We would love a range of entrants from first time exhibitors to seasoned show veterans. Entering a horticultural class is an easy way to feel part of the show and it's great fun! If you would like to enter for the first time, please don't worry about 'not being up to scratch'. We aren't expecting perfection or worrying too much about 'show rules'. Please drop me a message if you have questions and have a look at this website as it gives some hints and tips;

<https://teabreakgardener.co.uk/show-time-a-beginners-guide-to-showing-fruit-veg-and-flowers/>

## RULES

1. All exhibits must have been the property of the exhibitor and grown in his or her care for at least 3 months prior to the show.
2. The committee reserves the right to inspect gardens from which exhibits have been entered, before and after the show.
3. Two or more people may not exhibit from the same garden in the same class (except children).
4. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
5. No exhibitor will be awarded more than two prizes in any one class.
6. Any prize may be with-held or modified if the exhibits are considered unworthy by the judges.
7. Any protest must be made in writing and delivered to the secretary of the section.
8. After judging, no exhibit may be removed or modified until 4.30pm.
9. All exhibits, private property etc. shall be at the risk of the exhibitor and the society shall not be liable for loss or damage, from any cause whatsoever.
10. The trophies remain the property of the society, to be held by the winner for one year and returned to the society before the next show.
11. Matters arising, not covered by the above, will be dealt with by the show committee.

## FAMILY TROPHY

This trophy & large rosette will be awarded to the family (minimum one parent, one child - grandparents and other family members are also included) gaining most prizes across Adult & Children sections of the show. There will also be a large rosette for the 2nd place family

# CLASS INFORMATION

**Horticulture Secretary:** Joanne Webber (joanne@webbers.uk.net)

## TIMETABLE:

*Entries can be brought to the tent between:*

5pm and 6pm on Saturday 9th

7.30am and 9.30am Sunday 10th

*Tent closes for judging*

10.00am-12.00 noon

*Trophy presentation*

4.00pm, after which, exhibits may be removed

## Prize Money

1st £3, 2nd £2, 3rd £1 unless otherwise stated.

**Judges:** Flower judge - Rex Geldard      Fruit and vegetable judge - John Smiles

**Pendle Council Trophy to be awarded to the Best exhibit in the show.**

**RHS Trophy will be awarded for the most points in the show.**

## VEGETABLES

- H1. Trug/tray (less than 15 inches) of home grown produce. Minimum 4 varieties, staged for effect as well as quality.
- H2. 3 courgettes with flowers (10-15cm)
- H3. 3 long or stump carrots with trimmed tops.
- H4. 5 stems of rhubarb.
- H5. 3 onions 250g or less.
- H6. 3 onions to exceed 250g
- H7. 4 potatoes white
- H8. 4 potatoes coloured
- H9. 5 standard tomatoes
- H10. 1 truss of cherry tomatoes, ripe or green
- H11. 1 marrow
- H12. 6 pods of the same variety of any type of pea
- H13. 6 pods of any type of bean
- H14. A chilli plant
- H15. 1 brassica with guard leaves (E.g. cauliflower, cabbage, broccoli)
- H16. 3 of any other type of root vegetable with tops and roots (E.g. beetroot, radishes, turnips)
- H17. 1 of any type of fruit vegetable (cucumber, pepper)
- H18. Any other type of vegetable not mentioned above
- H19. 3 vases of culinary herbs, 1 kind each vase
- H20. Humorous vegetable class - a vegetable that has gone wrong!

## National Vegetable Medal for Best Vegetable Entry

## FRUIT

- H21. Plate of 3 eating apples
- H22. Plate of 3 cooking apples
- H23. Plate of currants, any variety
- H24. Plate of soft fruit (not currants)

H25. Plate of any fruit not mentioned above

**'David Wright It's Fresh' Trophy for Best Fruit Entry**

**Most Points in the Vegetable and Fruit Section will receive 'The Marsden Building Society' Trophy**

## FLOWERS

- H26 1 Specimen rose
- H27 1 vase of 3 cluster flowered roses
- H28 1 vase of 1 dahlia, any cultivar
- H29 1 vase of 3 dahlias, any cultivar
- H30 A basket of dahlias (any foliage)
- H31 1 vase of 12 stems of sweetpeas, own foliage
- H32 1 vase of 6 stems of sweetpeas, own foliage
- H33 1 vase of flowering shrubs
- H34 1 vase of perennials (1 variety)
- H35 1 vase of mixed perennials (at least 3 types)
- H36 1 vase of annuals (1 variety)
- H37 1 vase of mixed annuals (at least 3 types)
- H38 6 fuschia heads double/single, floating in a bowl
- H39 A bowl of floating flower heads (12 inches max)

**Best Dahlia exhibit will receive National Dahlia Society Silver Medal**

**Best Cluster Rose exhibit will receive the 'Sarah Ann Barratt' Rose Bowl**

**Best Single Rose Stem exhibit will receive the 'Syd Shore' Trophy**

**Most Points in the Dahlia Classes will receive the 'Hernal White' Trophy**

**Best exhibit in the Flower Classes H31 – H39 will receive the 'Roy Bentley' Trophy**

## POT PLANTS

- H40 Group of 3 cactus/succulents in separate pots**
- H41 1 cactus or succulent
- H42 1 pelargonium in bloom
- H43 1 scented pelargonium (can be in bloom)
- H44 1 plant in bloom other than pelargonium
- H45 1 flowering orchid (single or double)
- H46 1 foliage plant (maximum pot size, 6'')
- H47 1 bonsai

**Most Points in the Pot Plant Section will receive the 'JC Ray' Trophy**

**Best exhibit in the Pot Plant Section will receive the 'Village Green' Trophy**

## CHILDREN'S CLASSES

*aged 16 years and under on the day of the show*

- H48 Five bee friendly flowers arranged in a container
- H49 Cress grown in an unusual container
- H50 Any Vegetable grown by a child

*There are also children's classes in the 'Children's Crafts', 'Poultry' and 'Pets' sections*

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## 2025 ENTRY FORM

NAME:
ADDRESS:
PHONE NUMBER:
EMAIL ADDRESS:

**Entry Fees** - £1 per entry, £5 for unlimited entries. (Enter 5 classes and the following entries will be free).

Judging commences at 10:00am

[illegible]**FAMILY CUP -**

Entrants wishing to compete for the Family Trophy must list all names of members of the family (adult & junior) whose entries will count. Please detail names below:

[illegible]

I / We intend to exhibit in the Classes shown and agree to abide by the Rules of the Society and have public liability insurance. We will digitally store your information in order to process your entry and by signing this form you also agree for us to store your information. Please refer to our privacy policy on our website regarding your personal information.

**SIGNED:**

**RETURN COMPLETED ENTRY FORMS TO:** Trawden Show Secretary, Miss Philippa Osborne, 49 Lanehouse, Trawden, Lancashire, BB8 8SW.