



Flitwick Gardeners' Association

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 28th March - Spring Show
Thursday 23rd April - Annual General Meeting (19:45)
Saturday 22nd August - Annual Show
Saturday 10th October - Autumn Show
Thursday 26th November - FGA Quiz

Flitwick Gardeners' Association

We are an association run by members, for members. Our aim is to promote gardening in Flitwick and the surrounding villages.

We have a members' shop, The Seed Box, where we try to stock useful items including seeds, tools and chemicals at very competitive prices. We also have a library and a small range of loan equipment.

We run shows, organise an annual quiz and run the occasional trip to visit a garden. We're always pleased to welcome new members and always looking for help in running the Association and activities. We'd love to hear from you – just a few hours here and there would make all the difference.

How to find us

The Seed Box is situated behind the site of the old Flitwick Leisure Centre on Steppingley Road, MK45 1TH.

Construction of the new development on the Old Leisure Centre site is almost complete, so access is now via Red Kite Road, off Steppingley Road. If you're unsure, see the map at <https://www.flitwickgardeners.co.uk/fgaopen.htm>

What3words:

///octopus.downhill.sprayer –Seedbox location

///butlers.signs.again – Steppingley Road access to Seedbox via Red Kite Road

New phone number: **07592 996139**

Seed box Opening Hours

Saturday	2.00 pm to 4.00 pm Feb to Nov (closed on Show and FGA outing days)
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New telephone number

Outside of these hours you can always leave a message on **07592 996139**.

Email addresses

General enquiries etc.	enquiries@flitwickgardeners.co.uk
Magazine	newsletter@flitwickgardeners.co.uk
Show info and entries	fgashow@flitwickgardeners.co.uk

Website / Facebook address

Facebook Group	https://www.facebook.com/groups/flitwickgardeners
Website	www.flitwickgardeners.co.uk

Executive Committee

Ian Holman	Chairman, Magazine Editor and Show Committee
Colin Stennett	Secretary and Show Secretary
Daniel Doyle	Trading Coordinator
Leonie Coverley	Treasurer
J-P Carter	Deputy Chairman and Show Committee
Siân Jones	Deputy Secretary
Laurie Arnold	Seeds and Deputy Trading Coordinator
Kath Stennett	Show Committee
Francis Prior	Membership Secretary, Deputy Treasurer
Ann Lutley	Publicity Officer
Sue Titchener	Seed Box Rota Coordinator

Show Committee (not mentioned above)

Sue Foster

Honorary Life Members

Linda Pitts, Syd Pye, Maryan Pateman, J-P Carter, Anne Godden, Colin & Kath Stennett, Laurie Arnold

Chit Chat from the Chair

Last year was another year of weather extremes with both a long hot drought and periods of intense rainfall. These certainly caused me growing challenges on the allotment, with the drought increasing my watering duties and the heavy raindrops capping the soil and reducing the rate at which my water soaked in! My New Year resolution is to make more use of mulches (whether compost, manure or wilted grass clipping), as these ought to reduce both of these problems – protecting the soil surface and reducing summer evaporation. Whilst also feeding the soil biodiversity and increasing the organic matter content and water holding capacity.

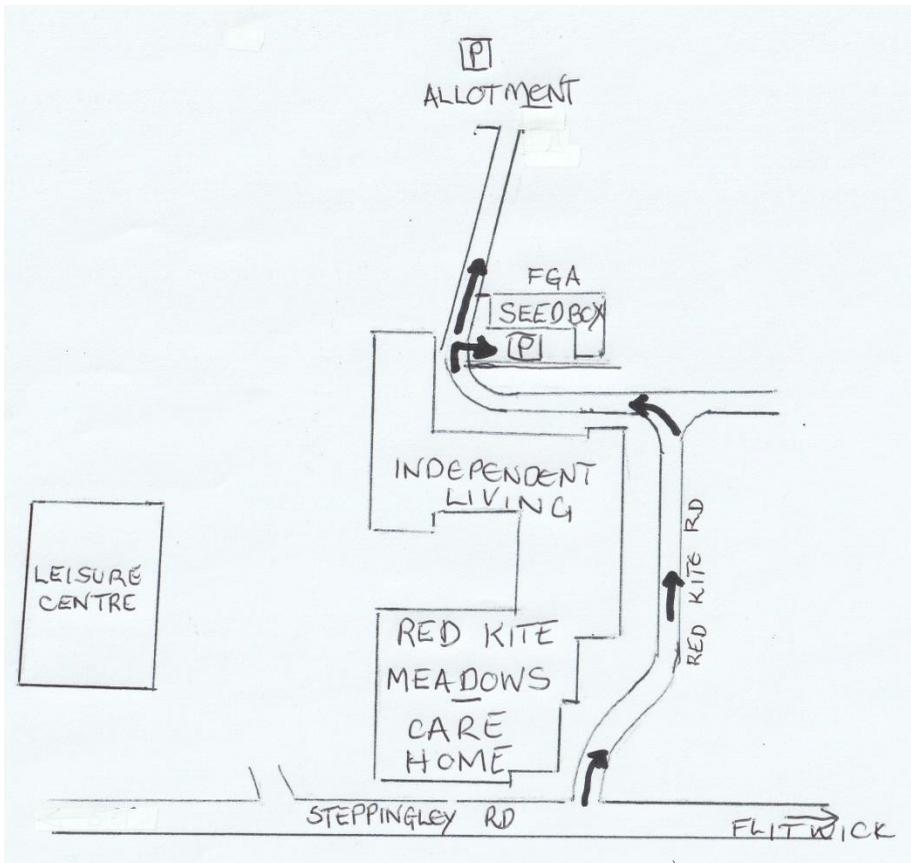
As you will read from the heartfelt plea from our Seedbox rota organizer, we really need more members to help us. The reliance on a small pool of volunteers represents the greatest threat to the viability of the FGA. There is a huge amount of evidence on the positive health and wellbeing benefits of volunteering – and we're a friendly bunch! So if you think you can offer any help, in any way, however small, do speak to us.

Finally, it's finally happened! At long last, the access to the Seedbox is now from Steppingley Road via Red Kite Road, rather than from the back of the Leisure Centre carpark. Hopefully this will make finding us easier and help to attract more members. Parking restrictions around the Care Home mean that our parking is limited to the Seedbox car park area and the top of the allotments. It would be very helpful if you park at an angle facing the fence inside the Seedbox car park area (rather than driving in and parking straight) to maximise the use of the area; or park at the top of the allotments if you are not purchasing heavy items.

Happy gardening!

Ian Holman
Chairman.

Access Map



From Steppingley Road, turn into the new Red Kite Road (ex building site entrance) and follow it past the front of the care home. At the T junction turn left and follow to the Seedbox. Park at an angle inside the Seedbox fencing or, if this is full, continue through the allotment gates and park on your left.

Access is no longer possible via the Leisure Centre car park.

The Postcode for the Care complex is MK45 1UZ

The "What3Words" location of the Seedbox is : [///octopus.downhill.sprayer](https://www.what3words.com/#!/octopus.downhill.sprayer)

URGENT - YET ANOTHER PLEA FROM THE ROTA ORGANISER

Firstly, I would like to express my heartfelt thanks to all those people who regularly give up their Saturday afternoons, in order to open up and man the tills at the Seed Box to enable it to trade & all those who do all the other ancillary work that is required to keep the Seed Box running. Without these dedicated people, the Seed Box would not be able to be a trading organization for the benefit of its' members and the surrounding community.

I have just completed the rota for the manning of the seed box for the period of February to April 2026, this being a particularly challenging job with so very few people to choose from. Out of a membership of nearly 300, it is still surprising to me that so few 'step up to the plate' and volunteer to do a shift at the Seed box. The Seed box used to open on Tuesday & Friday evenings but this has now stopped due to lack of volunteers willing to man it. If more people don't volunteer to help, either by manning the tills or being a Key holder then even the opening of the seed box on Saturday afternoons will be put in jeopardy. Due to the lack of volunteers, it may be that you turn up at the Seed Box and find that it's closed due to illness or holidays.

I am aware of the people who give their time to help at the shows, the dedicated people who do other jobs for the association, and a very hard working committee who devote an inordinate amount of time behind the scenes, to maintain the smooth running of the association; however, this still leaves over 200 members who benefit from membership but do absolutely nothing to help maintain this valuable local organization. We currently have 8 key holders and 20 members who man the tills & help out with the compost etc. Neither job is onerous and if everyone gave just two hours of their time on a Saturday afternoon during the trading year, then the burden could be more equally shared out. Unfortunately, when the Seed Box & the FGA were first set up, most of the members were active & fit young people, these people are now part of the older generation & unable to do what they easily did 40 years ago & indeed some are no longer with us!!

So, we urgently need more members to step up and help keep this excellent resource open for the future and for the benefit of all the residents of Flitwick and the surrounding areas. I am particularly short of people who can help out with the compost and any heavy lifting, of which there is less now as the compost bags are a lot smaller than they were! We are a very helpful and friendly bunch of people who will make you very welcome

If you feel that you could give up just one Saturday afternoon over the trading season of February to November, please talk to the people at the Seed Box on your next visit to find out what's involved. We look forward to hearing from and seeing you.

Sue Titchener (Rota Organiser)

2026 Spring Show cookery classes

For this year's Spring Show, the 2 cookery classes are:

- 2 Homemade Sausage Rolls with a meat or vegetarian filling.
- A Homemade Cheesecake

This year we're also introducing a class for a Homemade Easter card
Why not give these classes a try, as well as the flower classes?

Free onion sets

We will have at the Spring Show, and afterwards at the Seed Box, free Onion sets (bulbs) for children to grow at home for exhibiting at the Annual Show.

Make sure your children and grandchildren get theirs!

Colin Stennett (Show Secretary)

2026 Annual Show Photography classes

The classes for the 2026 Annual Show on Saturday 22nd August are:

103 Distance 104 Speed 105 Height 106 Time

The children's photography class is a 'Close Up' photograph.

As always, the class title is a broad theme in which your photographic imagination can run wild!

Don't forget to renew your membership.

If you have not already renewed your membership for 2026, please come along to the Seed Box to do so as soon as possible. You have until the AGM on 23rd April to renew, after this date your membership will expire, and you will need to pay an additional £3 re-joining fee.

Francis Prior Membership Secretary

FGA AGM - Thursday 23rd April at 7:45pm

We've been able to get the Moorfield Room at the Rufus Centre in which to hold our AGM, on Thursday 23rd April at 7:45pm. It is NOT a meeting where we try to get everyone who attends to join the committee (unless you want to!) but to keep all our members informed and you get a chance to ask the committee any questions you have. Therefore, please come along so that the committee are not the only ones attending!!

Colin Stennett
Secretary

FGA Trading Report

This period we cleared nearly all pre ordered potato order before we opened in February. There is still plenty for anyone who is yet to purchase their potatoes from us. I suggest you arrive sooner than later to avoid disappointment as once they are gone, they are gone. Don't forget that we have our own pack fertiliser for both potatoes and onions ready for your purchase.

Going forward you may find that the branded products for Fertilisers have been actively swapped for our own pack variations to actively avoid the big price tags and keep prices nice and low for all our members. We have both small 3kg bags as well as bigger 20kg bags for those who need it.

Daniel Doyle
FGA Trading Secretary

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Thursday 23rd April 2026
Moorfield Room, Rufus Centre, Steppingley Road, Flitwick
7:45pm**

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence.
2. Minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on 24th April 2025.
3. Chairman's Address.
4. Presentation of Annual Reports.
5. Presentation of the Financial Report.
6. Election of officers: -
 - a) Chairman
 - b) Treasurer
 - c) Secretary
 - d) Trading Officer
 - e) Executive Committee.
 - f) Sub-Committee Additional Members.
 - g) Honorary Auditor.
7. To consider the motion proposed by the Secretary and seconded by the Treasurer that the Annual Subscription, Joining Fee and Re-Joining Fee remain unchanged at £3.00 each and that the Surcharge to the Annual Subscription Fee where applied remains unchanged at £3
8. Report on the Future of the Seed box.
9. Any other business.

Nominations for the four Officer appointments are to be lodged at the Seed Box or with the Secretary, Colin Stennett, 10 Salisbury Road, Flitwick, Beds, MK45 1UD at least 21 days prior to the meeting.

Chairman's Report for FGA AGM

Reflecting back on 2025, it was a generally successful year for the FGA, with highlights including successful seed potato sales, three wonderful Shows demonstrating the skills of our members, the return of the FGA to a financial surplus and the completion of most of the Seedbox-related building works (including new gutters and soffits thanks to Flitwick Town Council). But also a year not without its challenges, from mud on our access road to keeping the Seedbox open each Saturday with the (too) small band of volunteers. So thank you again to everyone who keeps the FGA running in whatever capacity.

Despite everything the FGA offers, our membership continues to be largely static or declining slightly. Please do encourage friends, family and acquaintances to join.

Ian Holman (Chairman)

AGM TRADING REPORT

As always, I would like to thank the fellow volunteers for their time and effort over this year. Especially with the changes to delivery and their flexible approach to it and to all our members for your continued custom as without you we cannot continue to offer the great prices on items we all know and love.

Last year we sold out of certain composts and select items that were in high demand. I am happy to say that with our suppliers we have brought back in those items for you to enjoy this year. We have also gone this year for Sylva grow multi-purpose with added John Innes and professional potting again that has been highly commended for its quality while being completely peat free as per our stance. We still have the 3 for £18 on clovers peat free multi-purpose that went down well with you all

This year's potato orders went great! we really appreciate everyone's flexibility with the failed crop of Swift and moving to Sharpes express or another variety. Due to demand of certain lines of potatoes, we will be looking at swapping some out for a trail variety or a new line so please keep an eye out when this year's order sheets come into circulation. We had around a 95% pre order rate this year which was brilliant in helping to reduce wastage and still leaving a good amount of shelf stock for those who like to purchase in the moment.

Kings seeds made an appearance late in the year but so far has been very well received. One perk with Kings seeds is that anything you want that isn't on the shelf can be ordered in specially within a 48 hour turn around time when in stock, if interested contact the FGA number or speak to me in person.

Please continue your support through 2026 and don't forget to tell everyone all about us!

Daniel Doyle (FGA Trading Secretary)

Show Committee Report

The FGA shows in 2025 were absolutely staggering once again – not only in terms of the number of exhibits in each of the shows and the quality of the exhibits but also the number of people that came to look around the shows and enjoy the homemade cakes that members had made for sale at the shows.

The Spring show had vases full of Daffodils, Tulips and other Spring flowers as well as entries in the 2 cookery classes.

The Annual show had entries in all the categories – vegetables, flowers, fruit, home produce, handicrafts, photography and the children’s classes. The Autumn show to a certain extent mirrored the annual show for vegetables, flowers and fruit. It also included some large, long and small vegetables and some odd shaped vegetables.

It’s not often at shows that the judges make the comment that we should make more space available to show off all the exhibits to their greatest effect. That’s what happened as I’d failed to realise how well things had grown in people’s gardens and allotments and therefore, I should have laid out more tables in the hall for the exhibits.

Our Quiz in November was enjoyed by the 18 teams that took part where we raised £80 each for Keech and Flitwick Village Hall roof funds.

I’d like to thank those people who made all the events such a success, whether helping with the setting up, organising, making / serving refreshments, washing up and, or, entering. We can always cater for more entries in the shows and more help with setting up!

Colin Stennett (Show Secretary)

Treasurer's Report – 2025 Accounts

The key message from a financial perspective this year, is good news – the Flitwick Gardeners' Association returned to making a surplus in 2025! As you will recall, we made some changes at the Seed Box this year to reduce costs: We introduced the SumUp card machine, switched to a mobile phone instead of a landline, and changed to an alternative insurance provider. This proved successful in turning around the deficit from 2024. Thank you to everyone for your support with these changes, especially to those who regularly help at the Seed Box for embracing new technology along with all the many other ways you help out!

Unfortunately there were continued access challenges at the Seed Box site, which reduced footfall and consequently suppressed sales. However, in 2026, we hope to return to 'business as usual', with the access road past the new care home now established.

Here are the headline figures:

- **Total Sales were fairly stable on prior year** (£14,675 this year vs £15,370 prior year).
- This year we again did a lighter restock so **Purchase costs were lower** (£12,831 this year vs £15,199 prior year).
- **Trading Surplus was up on last year** (a surplus of £3,453 this year vs a deficit of £1,401 prior year), due to stable sales income against lower purchases.
- **Non-Trading Expenses** (excluding Shows) **were significantly lower this year** (£2,412 this year vs £5,339 prior year), due to the measures taken to reduce costs, and no one-off items.
- Overall, the **Net position in 2025 was a surplus of £2,703** (vs deficit of £5,137 prior year).

Finally, I must mention the Shows, which brought in net profit of £221 in 2025. A huge thank you to everybody involved in these, especially those who work hard behind the scenes. We were again able to donate profits from the Quiz to Keech Hospice and the Flitwick Village Hall – both of whom were very grateful – so thank you everyone for supporting all the events that the FGA hosts!

Please do contact me if you have any questions or comments on the FGA's finances.

Leonie Coverley (Treasurer)

Flitwick Gardeners' Association
Accounts for the year ending 31st December 2025

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>2025</u>
	£	£	£		£
Trading Account					
15,199 Purchases	12,831		6,491 Sales:		6,127
- Plus Creditors - Current Year	-		2,352 ~ General		
- Less Creditors - Previous Year	12,831		1,507 ~ Potatoes		2,420
(39,189) Less Stock - Current Year	(41,244)		5,020 ~ Compost		1,307
40,670 Plus Stock - Previous Year	39,189				4,821
16,680	10,776		15,370		14,675
91 Trading Expenses	446		-		-
- Trading Assets - Depreciation (see overhead)	-		-		-
(1,401) Trading Surplus / (Deficit) for Year	3,453		-		-
			- Less Debtors - Previous Year		
15,370	14,675		15,370		14,675
			TOTAL		14,675
Income & Expenditure Account					
246 General Expenses	87		(1,401) Trading Surplus		3,453
585 Show & Social Expenses (see overhead)	659		957 Membership Income		944
1,959 Redecoration & Repairs	-		865 Show & Social Income (see overhead)		1,094
712 Rent (inc. Amortisation) & Insurance	220		361 Other Income: ~ Bank Interest		267
528 Magazines & Printing	713		5 ~ Equipment Loans		16
517 Fire Protection/Alarm Contract	551		-		-
75 Affiliations	77		Cash Differences on Till (net)		
669 Telephone	178				
110 Gratuities & Donations	270				
- Sponsorship & Advertising	-				
521 Bank & PDQ Charges	306				
2 Cash Differences on Till (net)	10				
(5,137) Net Surplus / (Deficit) to Accumulated Fund	2,703				
787	5,774		787		5,774
			TOTAL		5,774
Balance Sheet as at 31st December 2025					
- Creditors	-		- Fixed Assets		-
75,493 Accumulated Fund B/F	70,356		39,189 Stock at Cost		41,244
(5,137) From Income & Expenditure Account	2,703				-
			Debtors		10,438
			5,071 Cash at Bank		21,136
			~ Current Account		
			25,870 ~ Deposit Account		241
			226 Cash in Hand		
70,356	73,059		70,356		73,059
			TOTAL		73,059

I confirm the above records are in agreement with the books and information supplied to me and reflect a true statement of the Association's affairs.

Flitwick Gardeners' Association
Notes to the Accounts - 2025

Trading Assets and Depreciation

<u>Item</u>	<u>Purchase Date</u>	<u>Cost</u> £	<u>Yrs Dep</u>	<u>Previous Dep</u> £	<u>Current Dep</u> £	<u>Current Value</u> £
n/a					-	-
3-year lease was signed Feb 2024, agreeing no charge due on Seed Box rent.						
Total Assets						-

Show and Social Events

<u>Event</u>	<u>Expenditure</u>		<u>Income</u>	
	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2025</u> £	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2025</u> £
Spring Show	108	95	126	214
Garden Trip	-	-	-	-
Summer Show	212	248	259	228
Autumn Show	96	107	180	193
Quiz Night	168	209	300	450
Sundry	-	214	-	10
Totals	585	873	865	1,094
Net Profit			280	221

Bank Reconciliation

	<u>2024</u> £	<u>2025</u> £
Current Account per statement	3,961	10,438
Less unrepresented Payments	-	-
Plus unrepresented Receipts	-	-
Less early payment received re: next year's trading	-	-
Add back early payment made re: next year's trading	1,110	-
Current Account adjusted	5,071	10,438
Business Savings Account	25,870	21,136
TOTAL Bank balance	30,941	31,575

L Coverley 01.01.2026
Treasurer

Flitwick Gardeners' Association

RULES

As at 20th April, 2023

- 1.**Name:** The name of the Association shall be the Flitwick Gardeners' Association.
- 2.**Objects:** To promote the interests of gardeners and allotment holders and to take joint action for the benefit of members; To arrange for instruction, trips, and shows and to distribute literature pertaining to these objectives.
- 3.**Members:** The Association shall consist of persons who are resident within the Town of Flitwick and nearby towns and villages.
- 4.**Fees and Subscriptions:** There will be a joining fee for all new members and for lapsed members applying to rejoin after membership has lapsed in accordance with Rule 5. Every member shall pay an annual subscription, payable in advance of the due date of January 1st. Members receiving the magazine by Royal Mail shall pay an annual surcharge. The amount of the joining fee and of the annual subscription and the surcharge shall be set annually by the Annual General Meeting.
- 5.**Arrears:** Any member who is in arrears with his subscription at the time of the AGM shall be deemed to have ceased to be a member unless explanation is given to the Committee in writing of extenuating circumstances.
- 6.**Officers:** The Officers shall be Chairman, Treasurer, Secretary and Trading Secretary. All Officers shall be ex-officio members of the Executive Committee.
- 7.**Committee:** The affairs of the Association shall be conducted by an Executive Committee of not less than eight members. A quorum shall be of not less than five members. Vacancies arising may be filled by co-option on the authority of the Executive Committee. All members shall retire annually, and a fresh Committee be elected at each Annual General Meeting. Retiring members shall be eligible for re-election.
- 8.**General Meetings:** An Annual General Meeting shall be held during March or April each year. 14 days' notice shall be given, and a quorum shall be ten members. At the meeting shall be presented the Reports from the Officers and a set of Examined Accounts and the Officers and Executive Committee Members elected for the coming year. The Financial Year shall be from the First of January until the Thirty-First of December. The Secretary shall have authority to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting at any time after giving the due notice, but he shall always do so if so, requested by no less than ten general members in writing.
- 9.**Discussions at Meetings:** No party political or sectarian discussions shall be raised, or resolutions proposed, at any Committee, sub-committee or General Meeting of the Association.

10.Funds: The Committee shall open an account with a Bank selected by the Executive Committee in the name of the Flitwick Gardeners Association and all monies received from any source on behalf of the Association shall be passed through the Treasurer or their nominee to be paid into the account. Payments of value over £100 should be authorised by two members of the Executive Committee, one of whom shall always be the Treasurer or their nominee; payments below this value can be authorised by one Officer only.

11.Association Accounts: The end of year accounts shall be examined by an examiner who is not a member of the Executive Committee and submit their report to the Annual General Meeting.

12.Affiliation: The Association shall affiliate itself to any suitable Group providing it is non-political or non-sectarian and shall pay such annual affiliation fees as may from time to time be prescribed. Nominees may be appointed to represent the Association at the various organisations as determined from time to time.

13.Offences: The Executive Committee may terminate the membership of a member whose conduct is proved to their satisfaction to be detrimental to the Association or to the interests of their fellow members. Any charge against a member must be communicated in writing. An appeal from a decision of the Executive Committee may be made to a Special General Meeting on the requisition in writing of three members to the Secretary who will convene an Extraordinary General Meeting as soon as possible to hear the appeal.

14. Conversion, Dissolution, Etc: The Association may be converted into a registered society, or may be dissolved, or these rules may be amended by a two-thirds majority of those present at a General Meeting convened with the due fourteen days' notice. The notice convening the General Meeting shall list the reason(s) for calling it.

15.Matters arising not covered by these Rules: Any matter not covered by the rules may be dealt with by the Executive Committee at its sole discretion.

SPRING SHOW

Saturday 28th March 2026 at the Village Hall.

Staging of exhibits 12:30- 1:45pm
Judging 2 - 3pm
Public admitted 3pm – **No admission charge**

RULES

1. All classes are open to members of the Association, their partners and to their children or grandchildren who are 16 years or younger.
2. Entries can be made at the show when brought in for staging or **Email entries in advance to: FGASHOW@Flitwickgardeners.co.uk**
3. There will be no entry fee for exhibits.
4. **Each Exhibitor may enter up to 2 entries in any one class**
5. Classes 1 - 14, 17, 18, 21, 23, 25, 27 and 28 to be shown as cut flowers in vases to be supplied by the FGA.
6. Entries for Classes 15, 16, 19, 20, 22, 24 and 26 to be shown as grown.
7. All exhibits in classes 1 to 25 (inclusive) 27 and 28 must be grown by the exhibitor in their garden or allotment.
8. Pot Plants must be exhibited in terracotta or plain plastic type pots and for class 26 must have been in exhibitor's possession for at least 6 months.
9. **NO Exhibit should be removed from display until after the raffle has been completed** (approximately 16:00).

TROPHIES

- Flitwick Gardeners Association Spring Show – Best Vase in Show
- Flitwick Gardeners Association Spring Show – Best Bloom in Show

NARCISSI (DAFFODILS)

See page 19 for further information on the classification of daffodils.

CLASS No. DIVISION 1 TRUMPET DAFFODIL CULTIVARS

- | | |
|---|--|
| 1 | One Bloom Yellow Petals |
| 2 | One Bloom White / Cream Petals |
| 3 | One Vase, Three Blooms of one Cultivar |

DIVISION 2 LARGE-CUPPED DAFFODIL CULTIVARS

- | | |
|---|--|
| 4 | One Bloom Yellow Petals |
| 5 | One Bloom White / Cream Petals |
| 6 | One Vase, Three Blooms of one Cultivar |

DIVISION 3 SMALL-CUPPED DAFFODIL CULTIVARS

- 7 One Bloom, any colour
8 One Vase, Three Blooms of one Cultivar

DIVISION 4 DOUBLE DAFFODIL CULTIVARS

- 9 One Bloom, any colour
10 One Vase, Three Blooms of one Cultivar

MULTI-HEADED DAFFODIL CULTIVAR

- 11 One Stem
12 One Vase of Three Stems of one Cultivar

Any Other Daffodil Cultivar not mentioned above, including miniatures

- 13 One Stem
14 One Vase of Three Stems of one Cultivar

Pot of Daffodil – from any of the Divisions

- 15 One Pot of Narcissi, any number of bulbs, one Cultivar (Pot not to exceed 300 mm (12 Inches) diameter)

CHILDRENS' BULB COMPETITION

- 16 One Pot of Narcissi (Daffodils)

TULIPS

- 17 One Bloom
18 One Vase, three Blooms of one Cultivar
19 One Pot of Tulips, any number of bulbs, one Cultivar (Pot not to exceed 300 mm (12 inches) diameter)

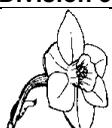
MISCELLANEOUS CLASSES

- 20 One Pot of growing Polyanthus or Primula
21 One Stem of Hyacinth
22 One Pot of one or more Hyacinths
23 One Vase of Flowering Shrub of one or more varieties
24 One Pot of growing bulbs, excluding anything mentioned above.
25 One Vase of Mixed Flowers – at least 3 different types of flowers
26 Any Other Pot Plant (Flowering or Foliage)
27 One Vase of 4 stems of Daffodil from 4 different Divisions
28 One Vase of Hellebores
29 One Decorated Hardboiled Egg (Children only)
30 A Homemade Easter Card

COOKERY

- 31 2 Homemade 'Sausage' Rolls – Filling may be meat or vegetarian.
32 A Homemade Cheesecake

Horticultural classification of Daffodils

Division 1: Trumpet 	One flower to each stem. The cup or trumpet is as long or longer than the petals.
Division 2: Large Cupped 	One flower to each stem. The cup or trumpet is more than one third but less than equal to the length of the petals.
Division 3: Small Cupped 	One flower to each stem. The cup or trumpet is NOT more than one third the length of the petals.
Division 4: Double 	One or more flowers per stem, with doubling of the petal segments or cup / trumpet or both.

ENTRY FORM

Flitwick Gardener's Association Spring Show Entry Form. Ring the classes you intend to enter (and put a '2' next to a class if you intend to put 2 entries in that class)

Members Name Membership No.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Spouse's Name

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