

# Sheffield FlowerFEST



**1 & 2 February 2020**

**10-3 Saturday, 10-3 Sunday  
Sheffield Town Hall**

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## **Welcome to the 2020 Sheffield FlowerFEST**

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Since early 1900's a local show has been staged in Sheffield. Originally it was more typical of a country fair showcasing local produce, animals, arts and crafts and a great deal more. In the early days, the highlight of the event was a dinner dance held on the Saturday night.

The event now attracts more than 600 visitors from the local district and beyond, and features floral displays, potted plants and market stalls selling plants, garden produce, honey, tasty local jams, homemade baked goods and garden-related items. Light refreshments in the form of a Devonshire tea, as well as a sausage sizzle, are also available.

This year the show's vegetable and fruit competition is slightly different, and the winner will be selected by votes from those attending – as the People's Choice award.

Children are looked after with a special potting corner where, under supervision, they can pot up their own plant and take it home to look after – a gift from the Kentish Garden Club to the gardeners of the future.

FlowerFEST will have something for everyone, so we hope that you come along and enjoy our show for 2020.

*The Kentish Garden Club*

**ENQUIRIES**

Paul Robinson - 0417 337 287

- Exhibitor numbers, Flower arrangement, Flowers & Foliage

Cate Rejman - 0407 112 090

- General enquiries, exhibitor numbers, Floral cake decoration, stalls

Enquiries can also be sent to [rejman1@bigpond.com](mailto:rejman1@bigpond.com)

On behalf of the Kentish Garden Club, we would like to welcome you all to FlowerFEST 2020. We would also like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank each and every one of our dedicated helpers, who all contribute in many and varied ways to the success of the show. We would also like to thank our wonderful sponsors whose support helps to ensure the success of this important annual event.

**SHOW FEATURES INCLUDE**

- Rose & Dahlia displays
- Flower & Foliage displays
- Potted plant displays
- Flower Arrangement display & competition
- Plant Stalls – Produce Stalls
- Floral cake decorating display & competition
- People's Choice Award
- Book stall
- Devonshire tea and sausage sizzle available
- Raffle

**PRESENTATION OF PRIZES – 2.30pm on Sunday**

The Kentish Garden Club meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month in the Sheffield Bowls Club, Sheffield, at 7.30pm (during daylight savings), and 6.30pm (non daylight savings). We invite you to attend our meetings and join our Club. For further information please visit our website at [www.kentishgardenclub.com.au](http://www.kentishgardenclub.com.au)

**AWARDS****BEST FLOWER & FOLIAGE EXHIBIT AWARDS:**

**1st prize \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize \$10**

Best exhibit - Flower (excluding roses and dahlias)

Best exhibit - Rose

Best exhibit - Dahlia

Best exhibit - Foliage

Best exhibit - Grown in a pot

Best exhibit - Container

Best exhibit - Native

Best exhibit - Novelty Section

Best exhibit - Flower Arrangement

**PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD – VEGETABLE OR FRUIT COMPETITION:**

**1st prize \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize \$10**

Place your vote for your favourite entry in the ballot box at the display

**AWARDS – FLORAL CAKE DECORATING:**

**1st prize \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize \$10**

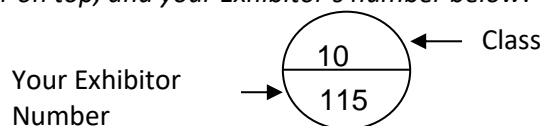
Best cake decorating – Novice Section

Best cake decorating – Open Section

## SHOW RULES AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

### 1. Staging:

- a. **Floral & vegetable** exhibits to be staged between 3-6pm on FRIDAY 31 JANUARY or 8-9am on SATURDAY 1 FEBRUARY. Late entries will not
  - b. **Floral Cake Decoration** exhibits to be staged between 3-6pm on FRIDAY 1 FEBRUARY or 8-9am on SATURDAY 1 FEBRUARY. Late entries will not be accepted
2. Judging commences at 9am on SATURDAY 1 FEBRUARY. The judges' decision will be final. Awards are made on merit and the judges reserve the right to not make an award in any category.
  3. All floral exhibits must be the property of, and be grown by the Exhibitor, except in Flower Arrangements where the exhibit **MUST** be designed and arranged by the Exhibitor.
  4. Displays in the flower and foliage section (including "In a Container") may not be wired for support.
  5. The Stewards will direct Exhibitors on staging and will be of assistance if needed. All exhibits **MUST** have a white "dot" attached, showing *class number on top, and your Exhibitor's number below.*



6. All entries **must** have an exhibitor number. Exhibitor numbers can be obtained by:
  - a. Phone – Paul Robinson 0417 337 287
  - b. Email request – rejman1@bigpond.com
  - c. Website – www.kentishgardenclub.com.au
7. Exhibits may not be removed until **after the presentations** on Sunday 2 February without the consent of the Stewards.

### CATEGORIES:

- **Novice** – someone who has not displayed before or has displayed before but not been placed
- **Open** – someone who has displayed before and has been placed. However, anyone is able to enter the Open category.

## FLOWERS & FOLIAGE

### Rules

- a. All exhibitors to supply own containers
- b. Entrants will need an exhibitor number (refer to Show Rules & Conditions of Entry)
- c. Please **NAME** your shrubs and trees if possible, or leave a label **BLANK** for someone else to do so.
- d. Entries will be judged primarily on the condition of flowers and foliage rather than arrangement

### FLOWERS

#### Class No.

1. 1 single stem of flowering annual
2. 1 single stem of flowering perennial
3. 1 single stem of flowering bulb, corm or rhizome
4. 1 single stem of foliage, may be with buds, seeds, new growth
5. 1 single stem of native flowering shrub or tree
6. 1 single stem of flowering hydrangea
7. 1 single stem of flowering shrub (to cover other shrubs eg fuschia)
8. 1 single stem of flowering tree

### FOLIAGE - EXOTIC

#### Class No.

9. 1 stem of foliage (no flowers or buds), not native
10. 1 stem of fruit tree (may be with or without fruit)
11. 4 distinct stems of foliage (no flowers or buds), not native

### FOLIAGE - NATIVE

#### Class No.

12. 1 stem of native foliage (no flowers or buds)
13. 4 distinct stems of native foliage (no flowers or buds)

**ROSES**Class No.

14. 1 single stem of rose (white or cream) – 1 flower only
15. 1 single stem of rose (pink) – 1 flower only
16. 1 single stem of rose (red ) – 1 flower only
17. 1 single stem of rose (orange-apricot) – 1 flower only
18. 1 single stem of rose (yellow) – 1 flower only
19. 1 single stem of rose (bi-colour) – 1 flower only
20. 1 single stem of rose (any other colour) – 1 flower only
21. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (white or cream)
22. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (pink)
23. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (red )
24. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (orange-apricot)
25. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (yellow)
26. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (bi-colour)
27. 1 single stem of multi-headed rose (any other colour)
28. 1 single stem of fragrant rose – can be any colour, single or multi-headed
29. 1 single stem of Heritage Rose (can be any colour, but must be labelled)

**DAHLIAS**Class No.**By colour (can be any variety)**

30. 1 single stem of dahlia (white or cream)
31. 1 single stem of dahlia (pink)
32. 1 single stem of dahlia (red)
33. 1 single stem of dahlia (orange)
34. 1 single stem of dahlia (yellow)
35. 1 single stem of dahlia (any other colour)

**By variety (can be any colour):**

36. Single Cactus – 1 bloom (any colour)
37. Semi-Cactus – 1 bloom (any colour)
38. Water Lily – 1 bloom (any colour)
39. Collerette – 1 bloom (any colour)
40. Ball – 1 bloom (any colour)
41. Decorative Cactus – 1 bloom (any colour)
42. Pom Pom – 1 bloom (any colour)
43. Anemone – 1 bloom (any colour)
44. Any other variety – 1 bloom (any colour) – must specify variety

**IN A CONTAINER**

Note a container can be a vase, bottle, basket etc with either water or oasis.

Class No.

45. An arrangement of annuals in a container
46. An arrangement of perennials in a container
47. An arrangement of flowers from bulbs, rhizomes or corms in a container – not more than 24
48. An arrangement of roses in a container – not more than 10
49. An arrangement of dahlias in a container – not more than 10
50. An arrangement of hydrangeas in a container – not more than 10
51. An arrangement of herbs in a container
52. An arrangement of natives in a container

**GROWN IN A POT – FOLIAGE**Class No.

53. Pot of indoor foliage (no flowers)
54. Pot of cacti or succulents
55. Pot of ferns
56. Pot of herbs
57. Foliage begonia
58. Bonsai
59. Pot plant (no flowers) – any kind not mentioned above

**GROWN IN A POT – FLOWERING**Class No.

60. Pot of flowering annuals
61. Pot of flowering perennials
62. Indoor potted plant in flower
63. Outdoor potted plant in flower
64. Pot of orchids
65. Begonia
66. Pot plant with flowers – any kind not mentioned above

## **FLOWER ARRANGEMENT**

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### **Rules**

- a. Artificial plant material may NOT be used.
- b. Wiring is permitted. (Plant material requiring water MUST be in water or oasis).
- c. Exhibits will be judged on originality, creative design, and visual appeal. Please read Show rules and conditions of entry (page 4).

### Class No.

67. Oriental Delight
68. Moody Blues
69. A posy of any type (eg. Flower, foliage or even herbs)

### Novelty (open to everyone)

70. Arrangement using weeds only
71. Arrangement using only vegetables and/or fruit

## **VEGETABLE/FRUIT COMPETITION – PEOPLE’S CHOICE AWARD**

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### **Rules:**

- a. All entries to be displayed on a white paper plate 25 cm diameter or in a basket.
- b. Entries must only contain produce from your garden

### Class No.

72. Strangest vegetable or fruit (may be any type of vegetable or fruit)
73. Basket of vegetables and/or fruit

## **FLORAL CAKE DECORATING COMPETITION**

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### **Rules**

- a. Must contain representation of flowers and/or foliage in the decoration
- b. May be a single cake (maximum 20cm) or smaller cakes (maximum of six cakes)
- c. Entrants will need an exhibitor number (refer to Show Rules and Conditions of Entry, see page 4)

### Class No.

74. Novice
75. Open

## About the Kentish Garden Club

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The garden club meets on the second Thursday of the month. During daylight savings time (October–March) meetings commence at 7.30pm, with a garden visit prior to the meeting. During the non-daylight saving period meetings commence at 6.30pm.

Our meetings include a formal agenda, which includes a section on “What’s your problem?” and a look at blooms of the month. At most meetings there’s a guest speaker. Throughout the year our guest speakers cover a broad range of plant-related topics. The formal meeting is followed by supper, which is a great time to talk with fellow garden club members.

Throughout the year the club also arranges a number of weekend workshops and demonstrations, along with garden visits to areas such as the North West coast and Launceston. There’s also a Harvest Supper, where members bring food based on local harvests, and an annual dinner in one of Sheffield’s local restaurants. Our annual Christmas Party is a delicious barbecue in a local garden or park.

Annual membership, which is due in June, is only \$15.00 per year per person.

We are always happy to welcome new members, so why not join the Garden Club and meet those in the community who share a common interest in gardening.

To join, download a membership form from the website ([www.kentishgardenclub.com.au](http://www.kentishgardenclub.com.au)) or just attend a meeting.

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