

Novice Classes

ONLY open to any entrant who has not won a first or second place in any of the types of show classes outlined below. You are allowed to enter Novice classes for only four of our shows then you will need to enter the regular classes instead.

PLEASE NOTE ALL OTHER RULES & REGULATIONS APPLY - SEE FRONT OF SHOW SCHEDULE FOR FULL DETAILS

1. One flower stem
2. Three flower stems
3. One vegetable
4. Three vegetables all of one type e.g. potatoes
5. One piece of fruit e.g. an apple or plum
6. Three pieces of fruit all of one type e.g. apples, plums, melons etc.
7. One Pot Plant

FLOWER ARRANGING – Class 8

The class will have the theme of “Free Range”. This means that YOU decide on the theme of your arrangement, it could be one that you have done before or something new, the choice is yours!

The conditions for the class are as follows:-

“Free Range” – an exhibit incorporating fresh flowers and or foliage, on any subject to be decided by the entrant. Entry to be named. Fruit and vegetables are permitted. Accessories are allowed. Maximum size of 24” overall.

THE SHOW SECRETARY HAS AGREED THAT YOU DO NOT HAVE TO MAKE YOUR ARRANGEMENT UP IN THE HALL, YOU CAN BRING IT IN ALREADY COMPLETED

ALL OTHER EXISTING FLOWERING ARRANGING RULES AND REGULATIONS STILL APPLY – SEE OVERLEAF FOR DETAILS.

Rules and Regulations for the Novice Floral Art Class

AN EXHIBIT – An exhibit is plant material with or without accessories.

ACCESSORY – Anything other than plant material used as part of the exhibit except bases, containers & drapes.

PLANT MATERIAL (FRESH) – All plant material must be living. Driftwood is dried and must not be used in this case.

PLANT MATERIAL (DRIED) – Any dried, preserved or skeletonised plant material including driftwood.

FRUIT & VEGETABLES – Edible and inedible fruit, berries, bulrushes, catkins and cereals are allowed to be used as well as flowers, fruit and vegetables at any stage of their development.

OVERALL- The term used when an exhibit is confined to a given space – 24” overall suggests an empty cube at this size – not exceeding 24 inches in height, 24 inches in depth or 24 inches in length.

NO ARTIFICIAL PLANT MATERIAL SHALL BE USED EXCEPT WHERE STATED IN THE SCHEDULE.