

TAUNTON FLOWER SHOW 2026

Cup Winners by Division - PRESS Report

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Division *Ready Steady Garden*

Trophy ID: Trophy Name:

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| 1 | The CANN CUP
Winner of Ready Steady GARDEN on Friday morning | Daryl Skidmore, Kathy Pearce |
| 3 | The BILL CRIDLAND MEMORIAL TROPHY
Best Exhibit in the Floral Marquee | Monkton Elm Garden Centre |
| 4 | The TOM GREEN MEMORIAL PLATE
Best display by a nursery or specialist society stand in the floral Marquee | Plants Lets Grow |
| 5 | JIM HARNELL TROPHY
Best non-horticultural Trade Stand other than in the Floral Marquee | The Flintstone Flock |
| 6 | WESTERN DAILY PRESS CUP
Best show garden | Angela Speed & Emily Fuller, Tony Benger L |
| 58 | BEGGARS ROOST PLANTS CUP
Best Horticultural Trade Stand other than in the Floral Marquee | Lands End Nursery |
| 63 | Winner of the Design-a-Badge competition | Ivy Whitworth |
| 68 | THE BELLMAN MEMORIAL TROPHY
Presented for horticultural excellence. Presented to Taunton Flower Show in 2022 by the Bellman family in memo | Sally Leaney Garden Design |
| 103 | Best Craft Stand
Certificate only | Kay Watkin Art |
| 104 | Best Food Hall Stand
certificate only | Bumblee's Preserves |

Division *Display Classes*

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| 7 | The ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S BANKSIAN MEDAL
Individual winner of the most prize money in the horticultural classes 102 to 435 | Neal Hatch |
| 8 | The CRITTALL WARMLIFE CUP
Exhibitor gaining the most points in the whole schedule of classes 102 to 1132 | Neal Hatch |
| 9 | The SAMPSON MEMORIAL TROPHY
Best exhibit in class 101, Club Growing and Showing | Smeatharpe Allomentears |
| 10 | The BLACKTHORN TROPHY
Best exhibit in classes 103 to 106, display classes | Graham Edwards |
| 51 | The ASHFORDS CUP
Awarded for the best horticultural exhibit in divisions 1 to 4 by an individual exhibitor. | Ivor Mace |
| 53 | The LES PRING MEMORIAL CUP
Awarded to the winner of class 102, Taunton Flower Show Master Gardener. | Rodney Loader |

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11	The FRED PAULL MEMORIAL CUP Best exhibit in class 205, Three pots of zonal pelargoniums	Rodney Loader
12	The MARKS & SPENCER CUP Best exhibit in classes 220 to 225, specimen cacti	Daniel Rose
13	The H. S. HARE CUP Best exhibit in class 279, 1 vase of 12 blooms	Ivor Mace
14	The ALEXANDER CUP Best exhibit in class 259 to 274, the rose classes.	Ivor Mace
16	The F C SPEAR CUP Exhibitor gaining the most points in Division 2 (Cut flowers and pot plants)	Neal Hatch
17	The W. R. MAYNARD MEMORIAL TROPHY Best exhibit in classes 201 to 219, excluding class 205 (Pot plants)	Mike Daw
18	The S. J. FARLEY MEMORIAL CUP Exhibitor gaining the most points in classes 226 to 290 (Cut flowers)	Neal Hatch
19	The EDNA WEBBER PERPETUAL CHALLENGE BOWL Best exhibit in classes 226 to 228 (Gladioli)	Christopher Yates
20	The F. W. PENNY MEMORIAL TROPHY Best exhibit in classes 226 to 290 (Cut flowers)	Ivor Mace
55	The National Dahlia Society Silver Medal For the best exhibit in dahlia classes	Ian Clemens
59	National Dahlia Society Bronze Medal Awarded in the dahlia classes, at the Judges' discretion	Neal Hatch
69	The Rose Society Bronze Medal Awarded for the best HT rose in the show	Ivor Mace

Division *Fruit and Vegetables*

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21	The TAUNTON PERPETUAL CUP Exhibitor gaining the most points in classes 353 to 370 (Fruit)	Andy Ryall
22	The ILTON CUP Exhibitor gaining the most points in classes 301 to 352 (Vegetables)	Michael Hawkins
23	The CHARLES CLIFFORD ALLEN PERPETUAL CUP Best exhibit in classes 301 to 304, 311, 312, 321, 353 to 356 (Collections)	Christopher Yates
70	The National Vegetable Society Plaque Awarded to the winner of class 301, Vegetable Championship	Christopher Yates

Division *Novice Gardeners*

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24	The TOM NASH PERPETUAL TROPHY Exhibitor gaining the most points in Division 4, Novice vegetables and flowers	Cary Guppy
105	Cornish Dahlia Society Membership Best novice dahlias. Class 434	Isabel Eavis

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Division *Cookery and Preserves, Textile Art and Crafts*

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25	The HART TROPHY Best exhibit in class 528, a group display.	Priorswood Community Centre Crafty Ladie
26	The CARTER CUP Institute or Guild winning class 527 (the WI Class)	Bickenhall and District WI
27	The LAKELAND CUP To the winner of the Cookery Championship class, class 501	Judy Payne
28	The SECRETARY'S CUP To the winner of the Craft Championship class, class 520	Suzy Denner
29	The MOUNTFIELD FRUIT FARM CUP To the winner of the Preserves Championship class, class 513.	Annie Nunn
30	The F C BENNETT MEMORIAL TROPHY Individual exhibitor with the most points in classes 521 to 545, textile and non-textile art and craft classes.	Caroline Nix
56	Mr Miles Tea Room Perpetual Plate To the winner of class 502, "Master Breadmaker"	Judy Payne

Division *Fine Art*

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102	Fine Art Judges' Choice For the best exhibit in classes 601 to 610. £25 awarded. Cash prize only.	Liz Langham

Division *Photography*

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31	The ANTIQUE VILLAGE PHOTOGRAPHY CHALLENGE CUP Winner of class 708, Photography Challenge	Lesley Ridgley
32	The SOMERSET COUNTY GAZETTE TROPHY Individual exhibitor with the most points in classes 701 to 707, photography	Pauline Watling
100	Taunton Flower Show Special Prize Best photograph in classes 701-707	Sophie Hill-Broomfield

Division *Floral Art and Floristry*

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33	The WESTERN PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION TROPHY Best exhibit in class 801, group floral art class.	Taunton Flower Club
34	The GOODLAND CUP Best exhibit in class 802, a floral art pedestal exhibit	Rhys Parry-Williams
35	The E W BRICE MEMORIAL TROPHY Best exhibit in class 803, floral art	Fleur White

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37	The FREDERICK & FLORENCE GILL MEMORIAL ROSEBOWL Best exhibit in class 808, a petite floral art exhibit.	Jackie Crouch
38	The H SAMUEL PERPETUAL TROPHY Exhibitor gaining the most points in classes 802 to 814, floral art	Fleur White
39	The FOXWELL CUP Best exhibit in classes 802 to 814, floral art	Fleur White
40	The WILLIAMS CUP Awarded for the best use of foliage in any class. Presented by Mrs Marjorie Williams.	Sue Trivett
41	The DODD BOWL Judges' choice for the most innovative design in floral art design	Marilyn Prout
52	Bridgwater College Cup Awarded to the winner of class 815 - floristry. Presented by Bridgwater College	Rhys Parry-Williams

Division *Young People*

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42	The BINDLEY TROPHY Best exhibit in classes 1008 to 1012, childrens floral art	Imogen Creech
43	The LEN MEUX MEMORIAL TROPHY Best exhibit in class 1006, a display of foliage	Theo Hollyman
44	The CAREW FISHER CUP Best exhibit in class 1019 (Rainbow and Beavers only)	Hadleigh Lister
45	The MRS GAY PENNY CUP Best exhibit in class 1007, A collection of herbs	Imogen Creech
46	The DOROTHY BOND BROWNIE TROPHY Best exhibit in class 1020, for the best exhibit by a Brownie or Cub	Katie Fowle
47	CHILDREN'S UNDER 11 SHIELD Best exhibit in classes 1016-1042 in the under-11 age group	Chloe Wilson
48	CHILDREN'S UNDER 17 SHIELD Best exhibit in classes 1016-1042 in the under-17 age group	Poppy Mcsweeney
49	CHILDRENS COOKERY CUP Best exhibit in cookery classes 1043-1046	Katie Farquhar
54	The TAUNTON FLOWER SHOW YOUNG PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEA Awarded to the winner of class 1051	Eliza Edginton
62	County Flowers Cup Best Exhibit in Classes 1001 to 1005 (Fun with flowers)	Kai Thomas
66	Pre-school Arts and Crafts Awarded to the best exhibit in the pre-school children's classes	Lumin Sazio
67	Under 8s Arts and Crafts Best exhibit in the young peoples craft classes, 1016 to 1042 in the under 8s age group.	Harrison Spencer
71	The MADDI BRAY TROPHY The winner of class 1021	Poppy Mcsweeney

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101 Taunton Flower Show Special Prize-Children
Best Photograph in division 10, childrens photography.

Katie Fowle

Division *Home Made Wine and Beer*

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50 TAUNTON WINEMAKERS CHALLENGE CUP
Best exhibit in division 11

Ian Coleby