

# Handicraft, Horticulture and Cookery

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28/07/2025 08:00

## Cookery    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Cookery Classes 1 -12  
**Ring: Handicraft, Horticulture and Cookery Marquee**

### Judges

Alison Gribble (Judge)  
Christine Walters (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
1	A Carrot Cake - set recipe	<p>Class 1 – Carrot Cake</p> <p>Cake Ingredients –</p> <p>225g self-raising flour</p> <p>1 level teaspoon baking powder</p> <p>1 teaspoon mixed spice</p> <p>150g light brown sugar</p> <p>50g chopped walnuts</p> <p>100g carrots (washed, trimmed, and coarsely grated)</p> <p>2 x large eggs</p> <p>150ml sunflower oil</p> <p>Topping Ingredients –</p> <p>50g softened butter</p> <p>50g full fat cream cheese</p> <p>150g icing sugar</p> <p>½ teaspoon vanilla extract</p> <p>Walnuts to decorate</p> <p>Line and grease a deep cake tin – approx. 20cm diam – with baking paper</p> <p>Preheat oven to 180C/Fan 160C/Gas Mark 4</p> <p>Method –</p> <p>In a large bowl sift together the flour and baking powder and mixed spice. Stir in the sugar. Add the chopped nuts and grated carrot and mix lightly.</p> <p>Make a well in the centre, add the eggs and oil and beat until it is thoroughly mixed.</p> <p>Pour the mixture into the cake tin and place in preheated oven for approx. 1 - 1 ¼ hours, (test with a skewer) or until golden brown and shrinking from the sides of the tin.</p> <p>Once baked, remove from tin, remove paper and leave to cool.</p> <p>Topping –</p> <p>Place all ingredients in a bowl and mix thoroughly. Spread evenly over the top of the cake.</p> <p>Decorate with walnuts. Leave to harden slightly in a cool place and display on a plate.</p>
2	My Favourite Tea Loaf (baked in a loaf tin) – to be named	
3	4 Bread Rolls	
4	4 Rock Cakes	
5	4 Sweet Scones– to be named	
6	4 Decorated Fairy Cakes -To be judged on taste AND decoration	
7	4 Pieces of Millionaire’s Shortbread	
8	A Quiche (any size) – to be named	

Number	Name	Description
9	4 Ginger Biscuits – set recipe – see details	<p>Class 9 – 4 Ginger Biscuits</p> <p>Ingredients – (makes approx. 20 biscuits)</p> <p>85g butter, 115g golden syrup, 225g self-raising flour, 115g caster sugar, 2 tsp ground ginger</p> <p>Heat oven to 180C/160C Fan/Gas 4</p> <p>Line a baking tray with baking parchment</p> <p>Method –</p> <p>Sift flour and ginger into a bowl and mix in sugar.</p> <p>Melt butter and syrup in a pan (or in the microwave) and stir.</p> <p>Add to dry ingredients and mix until well combined.</p> <p>Leave the mixture to cool slightly before rolling the dough into balls – about 1 tsp of dough/walnut size ball.</p> <p>Place onto baking tray, leaving space, as biscuits will spread whilst cooking.</p> <p>Bake for 10-15 mins or until golden brown. Leave to cool for approx. 5 mins before removing from tray and transferring to a wire rack to cool completely.</p> <p>Select your best four!</p>
10	6 Pieces of Fudge – any type - to be named	
11	4 Meringue Nests – unfilled	
12	A Swiss Roll – jam filling only	

Gin    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

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Judges

Show President (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
13	A Miniature Bottle of Flavoured Gin	

# Preserves    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Preserves Classes 14-17

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Christine Walters (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
14	A Jar of Jam	
15	A Jar of Lemon Curd	
16	A Jar of Marmalade	
17	A Jar of Chutney	

Floral Art - garden or bought flowers can be used    **Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00**

Classes 18-22

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Judges

Sally Wilson (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
18	An Arrangement -Using Foliage Only	
19	An Arrangement Using One Shade of Colour	
20	An Arrangement of Flowers in an Unusual Container	
21	A Miniature Exhibit -Max Size: 10cm x 10cm x 10cm	
22	A Bowl of Floating Flower Heads	

## Flowers and Pot Plants    **Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00**

Classes 23-31

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### Judges

Mr Brian Wannacott (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
23	A Jug of Mixed Garden Flowers	
24	5 Stems of Sweet Peas in a Vase	
25	A Fuchsia Head Floating in a Wine Glass	
26	3 Stems of Perennials	
27	3 Stems of Annuals	
28	Flowering Shrub - 1 Stem	
29	An Individual Rose	
30	A Cactus or Succulent- Max Pot Size 20cm Diameter	
31	Dahlias, 3 Blooms, One or More Varieties	1st Prize sponsored by the Cornish Dahlia Society

# Harvest Class    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

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Judges

Mr Brian Wannacott (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
32	Harvest Class	Using a space of 50cm x 50cm (height unlimited), a display of: 1 pot plant, 1 vegetable and 1 vase of 3 stems of flowers. Each item to be marked out of 10, with a further 10 for overall effect – accessories may be used for staging. 1st Prize - £20, 2nd Prize - £10, 3rd Prize - £5 - Donated by Merry Harriers Garden Centre

# Vegetables And Herbs    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Classes 33-41

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## Judges

Mr Brian Wannacott (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
33	3 Beetroot	
34	3 Courgettes	
35	3 Onions - From Seed or Sets	
36	3 Potatoes - One Variety	
37	Peas or Mangetout or Sugar Snap - 6 Pods	
38	3 Tomatoes	
39	1 Cucumber	
40	3 Stalks Rhubarb	
41	A Bunch (Tied) of Mixed Herbs in a Jam Jar	



# Eggs    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Class 42

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Judges

Ruth Maile (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
42	6 Home-Produced Eggs	Eggs

# Photography    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Classes 43-46

Photographs exhibited in Classes 43-46 must be taken by the exhibitor, have no mount and must not exceed 6"x4".

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Mr Roy Clemens (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
43	Coloured Photograph: "Looking Up"	
44	Coloured Photograph: "Sport"	
45	Coloured Photograph: "Nature"	
46	Black and White Photograph: Any Subject	

# Handicraft    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Classes 47-53

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## Judges

Pat Mallett (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
47	An Item of Hand Knitting	
48	An Item of Crochet	
49	An Item of Sewing	
50	A Painting or Drawing, any medium, maximum size 40cm x 50cm, excluding frame	
51	A Greetings Card	
52	Something New from Something Old	– please include a description as to what the new item has been made from
53	An Item of Craft Not Specified in Classes 47-51	

# Women's Institute Class 54    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

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## Judges

Caroline North (Judge)

Ruth Maile (Judge)

Sally Wilson (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
54	An Exhibit to represent “A Day At The Races”	Women's Institute Class: To Include- 4 Decorated Cup Cakes – to be judged on decoration and taste 6 Cheese Straws A Celebration Fruit Drink A Decorated Hat An Arrangement of Flowers An Invitation to the Races

Pre-school    **Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00**

Class 55

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Judges

Jo-Ann Middleton (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
55	A Picture made using Handprints – (A4 max size with name clearly on back)	

# 7 Years And Under    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Children's Classes: 7 Years And Under  
Classes 56-62  
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## Judges

Jo-Ann Middleton (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
56	4 Peppermint Creams	
57	The Longest Dock Leaf	
58	A Felted Item	
59	A Model made from Salt Dough	
60	A Collage made from Leaves (A4 max size with name clearly on back	
61	A Vehicle made from Fruit and/or Vegetables	
62	Seeds Grown in a Tin	

## 8-12 Years    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Children's Entries: 8-12 Years

Classes 63-69

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### Judges

Jo-Ann Middleton (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
63	4 Chocolate Chip Cookies	
64	A Decorated Wellington Boot	
65	A Felted Item	
66	A Birthday Card – can be computer generated	
67	An Item of Craft not specified in classes 63-69	
68	Seed(s) Growing in a 2 litre Bottle	
69	A Vehicle made from Lego (not a kit)	

# 13-16 Years    Start At: 28/07/2025 08:00

Children's Classes: 13-16 Years

Classes 70-72

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## Judges

Jo-Ann Middleton (Judge)

Number	Name	Description
70	A Bug Hotel	
71	An Origami Animal	
72	A Photograph - “Wonderful Water”	