

SHOW REGULATIONS

1. All entries must be made on the Society's official entry form.
2. The Council of the British Gladiolus Society reserves the right to refuse any entry.
3. Exhibits must have been grown by an entrant and must be shown without supports or pins or being visible above the level of the vase.
4. No flowers should be placed on to the show bench until they are ready to be judged.
5. All cultivars should be named, seedlings should be numbered and classified. Failure to do either will not disqualify but may lead to loss of points in close competition. Cards for this purpose will be provided by the Society.
6. All vases, floret boxes and a limited number of baskets will be supplied by the Society and all spikes should be staged ONE SPIKE TO A VASE unless otherwise stated.
7. A greater or lesser number of spikes than is called for in the schedule will disqualify the exhibit.
8. Exhibitors may enter more than one exhibit per class apart from Class 3 which counts towards the BGS National Championship – therefore only one entry per exhibitor is allowed. An Exhibitor may win more than one prize, but for points calculation only the highest placing obtained in each class to count.
9. All classes are open to all, with the exception of Novice Classes, for which see relevant qualifications
10. All classes will be judged in accordance with British Gladiolus Society Rules.
11. Any objections must be made in writing and handed to the Hon Show Secretary (or in his absence a steward) by 4.00pm on the first day of the show, accompanied by a £5 deposit which will be returned if, after consideration, the objection is found to be bona fide.
12. All exhibits, personal property, etc will be left at owner's risk and the BGS will not be liable for any compensation for loss or damage or liable for any compensation for loss or damage suffered during erection, dismantling or of the Show itself.
13. No exhibit or prize card may be removed before the official close of the show on Sunday 20th August. All prize cards will be forwarded to winners unable to collect them by the Hon Show Secretary.
14. Prizes monies will be paid in the weeks after the show.
15. The Council of the BGS reserves the right to decide all points not necessarily provided for in these Show Regulations and the Hon Show Secretary has the authority to act on its behalf in matters of urgency.
16. Insurance of trophies will be undertaken by the British Gladiolus Society.
17. All trophies awarded must be signed for and a contact telephone number left and must be returned by 30 June next year to the person named as Hon Show Secretary unless otherwise agreed with the Hon Show Secretary.

THE BRITISH GLADIOLUS SOCIETY 2017

NORTHERN EXHIBITION **Town Hall Theatre, Raby Rd, Hartlepool, TS24 8AH**

In Conjunction With
Hartlepool MBC

Staging

Friday August 18th 18:00-21:00

Saturday August 19th 06:00-09:00

Judging

Saturday August 19th 09:30

Show Open

Saturday August 19th 12:30- 17:00

Sunday August 20th 11:00- 16:00

Show Secretary-Nigel Coe-Tel 07817 269975
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Derbyshire
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CLASS 1	BGS Northern Challenge Trophy Six Spikes , Two Per Vase, Any Cultivars	CLASS 14	One Spike Primulinus
CLASS 2	BGS Northern Tankard Six Spikes, Two per Vase, 2 x Primulinus, 2 x 300/200/100, 2 x 400/500	CLASS 15	One Spike White (00-01)
CLASS 3	Unwin Trophy, Three Spikes * Three distinct cultivars, one per vase *Counts Towards National Championship	CLASS 16	One Spike Yellow/Cream/Green (02-06, 10-17)
CLASS 4	Garden News Crystal Vase Three Spikes Primulinus	CLASS 17	One Spike Orange/Salmon (20-37)
CLASS 5	Two Spikes, one vase 500	CLASS 18	One Spike Pink (40-47)
CLASS 6	Two Spikes, one vase 400	CLASS 19	One Spike Red (50-59)
CLASS 7	Two Spikes, one vase 300	CLASS 20	One Spike Rose (60-69)
CLASS 8	Two Spikes, one vase 200/100	CLASS 21	One Spike Lavender/Purple(70-89)
CLASS 9	Two Spikes, one vase Primulinus	CLASS 22	One Spike Brown/Tan (90-99)
CLASS 10	One Spike 500	CLASS 23	Six Florets 100/200/Primulinus
CLASS 11	One Spike 400	CLASS 24	Six Florets 300/400/500
CLASS 12	One Spike 300	CLASS 25	Basket Of Gladioli-Six to Nine Spikes
CLASS 13	One Spike 100/200	CLASS 26	One Spike –Novice
		CLASS 27	Three Spikes Novice (in one vase)
		CLASS 28	One Spike Seedling Hybridised By Exhibitor