

THE NATIONAL

AURICULA & PRIMULA

SOCIETY

(SOUTHERN SECTION)

**Show Schedule**

**For**

**Primula Show**

For venues and dates see the current edition

of our Spring Newsletter “Offsets” or visit http://southernauriculaprimula.org/

(Hon. Secretary: Mr. L.E. Wigley, 67, Warnham Court Road,

Carshalton Beeches, Surrey SM5 3ND)

Joint Hon. Show Superintendent:

Mr. R. Norgate

**Exhibits must be staged between 10 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.**

Judging will begin at 12:00 p.m.

Exhibits must NOT be removed from the Show Benches before 5 p.m.

unless permission has been given by the Show Superintendents.

A hand bell will be rung at 12:00 p.m. and at the close of the show

The show bench area of the hall is closed to members between 12:00 p.m and 2:30 p.m., except to those involved in or with judging.

**Rules for Competitors**

1. The Competition is open to members of the National Auricula and Primula Society (Southern Section)
2. Any number of entries may be submitted in each class.
3. Plants must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least three months prior to the Show.
4. Plants in the seedling classes must not have won an award at any previous N.A.P.S show.
5. Novice classes are open only to those who have not previously won three first awards in the Section in which the plants are entered.
6. All exhibits must be legibly names, one card to each pot.
7. Neat stakes may be used to support stems in the Show, Alpine and Double Auricula classes only, but any packing placed between pips must be removed before judging commences. No wire support permitted.
8. In Show, Alpine and Double Auricula classes trusses must not have less than five expanded pipes except in the single plant classes where the minimum is three. One truss only will be judged on each plant. Any others should be tied down or removed by the exhibitor. Unopened pips should be removed.
9. In all Border Auricula classes (including Novice) plants must have not less than three trusses, except seedlings, which should have at least two.
10. In the Gold Laced Polyanthus classes one truss only will be judged, but tying down or removal is not required, since choice of truss will be at the judge’s discretion. The truss must have not less than five expanded pips.
11. For Year Book purposed full details of plants shown are required from each exhibitor, who should obtain the appropriate from the Show Superintendents’ table, and complete and return after benching plants.
12. The decision of the judges is final. They may, at their discretion withhold any or all of the awards in any class.
13. Winners of the Society’s trophies are responsible for the engraving of same, as appropriate, and for their return the following year. The society regrets it cannot undertake to have engraving done on a member’s behalf.
14. All pots must be round, plastic or clay and terra cotta coloured.
15. Exhibitors of winning seedlings should ensure that the compiler of the Society’s Seedling Register has details for the Year Book as soon as practical.

**POINTS SYSTEM**

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| 6 plant classes | - 1st 9 points, 2nd 6 points, 3rd 3 points |
| 3 and 4 plant classes | - 1st 6 points, 2nd 4 points, 3rd 2 points |
| 1 and 2 plant classes | - 1st 3 points, 2nd 2 points, 3rd 1 points |

Plant sales will take place throughout the day at all shows.

Donations of plants or on the usual 50/50 basis would be much appreciated.

**Would all members please ensure that their plants are removed from the bench at the end of the Show.**

**PRIMULA SHOW**

**Trophies and Awards**

The **PRIMULA CUP** will be awarded for the most points in Sections 1, 2 & 3.

**Special cards** will be awarded for the Premier Plants in each Section.

The **POULTON CUP** will be awarded for the Premier Plant from classes 16,17, 37, 38 and 47 (Novices)

The **EDEN TROPHY** will be awarded to the winner of most points in classes 1 - 15.

The **LAWRENCE WIGLEY TROPHY** will be awarded to the Premier of Premiers from

Sections 1 – 4.

**(In the P. allionii related classes pans must contain only one species or hybrid, but may contain more than one specimen. All other primula species or form of species, i.e. in Sections 1, 2 and 3, can be multi-crowned, but ONE POT may contain MORE THAN ONE PLANT, i.e. thus more effectively displaying such diminutive species as P. scotica,**

**P. farinosa, P. incana, P. mistassinica, P. laurentiana, P. stricta, P. modesta,**

**P. scandinavica etc.)**

**SECTION I - EUROPEAN PRIMULAS**

(Excluding Florist and Border Auriculas and Vernales types)

(a) Pan size not to exceed 6.5ins. (16.5 cms) outside diameter

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| 1 | 1 plant P. allionii or form of P. allionii |
| 2 | 2 plants species or form of species, different, excluding P. allionii and forms of P. allionii. |
| 3 | 1 plant species or form of species, excluding P. allionii and forms of P. allionii |
| 4 | 3 plants, hybrids, different. |
| 5 | 2 plants, hybrids, different. |
| 6 | 1 plant, hybrid. |

(b) Pan size to exceed 6.5ins. (16.5 cms) outside diameter

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| 7 | 1 plant P. allionii or forms of P. allionii. |
| 8 | 1 plant species or form of species, excluding P. allionii and forms of P. allionii. |
| 9  9A | 3 plants hybrid, different.  2 plants hybrid, different. |
| 10 | 1 plant hybrid. |

(c) Pan size not to exceed 4.5ins. (11.4 cms) outside diameter

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| 11 | 1 plant P. allionii or form of P. allionii. |
| 12 | 1 plant species or form of species, excluding P. allionii and forms of P. allionii. |
| 13 | 2 plants hybrid, different. |
| 14 | 1 plant hybrid. |

(d) Pan size has no restrictions.

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| 15 | 1 plant hybrid seedling, raised by exhibitor, cross to be specified. |
| 16 | 1 plant species or form of species (novice). |
| 17 | 1 plant hybrid (Novice). |

**SECTION II - PRIMULAS OF VERNALES TYPE**

(Excluding Florist Gold Laced Polyanthuses)

The **JOHN BARLOW CUP** will be awarded to the winner of most points in Classes 20 – 36

The **MARGARET WEBSTER TROPHY** will be awarded for the Premier Plant in Section II.

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| 20 | 2 plants species or subspecies, different. |
| 21 | 1 plant species. |
| 22 | 1 plant anomalous species or hybrid (e.g. single Jack-in-the-green, hose in hose etc). |
| 23 | 2 plants double species or hybrid, different. |
| 24 | 1 plant double species or hybrid. |
| 25 | 3 plants single primrose of Juliana type (to include primrose and semi-polyanthus forms) different. |
| 26 | 2 plants single primrose of Juliana type (to include primrose and semi-polyanthus forms) different. |
| 27 | 1 plant single primrose of Juliana type (to include primrose and semi polyanthus forms). |
| 28 | 2 plants single hybrid primrose, medium flowered, different. |
| 29 | 1 plant single hybrid primrose, medium flowered. |
| 30 | 2 plants single hybrid polyanthus, medium flowered, different. |
| 31 | 1 plant single hybrid polyanthus, medium flowered excluding Cowichans. |
| 32 | 1 plant Cowichan polyanthus. |
| 33 | 2 plants miniature polyanthus (e.g.’ Firefly’ and Juliana type of polyanthus form), different. |
| 34 | 1 plant miniature polyanthus (e.g. ‘Firefly’ and Juliana types of polyanthus form). |
| 35 | 1 plant Vernales hybrid raised by exhibitor from own crosses, cross to be specified. |
| 36 | 1 plant Vernales hybrid not covered in any of the classes 22 to 35. |
| 37 | 1 plant Vernales (Novice) species. |
| 38 | 1 plant Vernales hybrid (Novice). |

**N.B. In Classes 28 – 31 ‘medium flowered’ = preferred flower maximum diameter of**

**1 ½ inches (3.8 cms). In classes 33 and 34 ‘miniature’ = preferred flower maximum**

**diameter of 1 inch (2.5 cms)**

**SECTION III - PRIMULAS OTHER THAN EUROPEAN**

The **KINGDOM TROPHY** will be awarded to the winner of most points in Classes 40 – 46.

(a) Pan size not to exceed 6.5ins. (16.5 cms) outside diameter

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| 40 | 2 plants species or hybrids different excluding P. denticulata and forms and P. sieboldii. |
| 41 | 1 plant species or hybrid, excluding P. denticulata and forms and P. sieboldii. |

(b) Pan size to exceed 6.5ins. (16.5 cms) outside diameter

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| 42 | 1 plant species or hybrid, excluding P. denticulata and forms and P. sieboldii. |

(c) Pan size has no restriction

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| 43 | 1 plant, P. denticulata or form of P. denticulate. |
| 44 | 2 plants, non-hardy Primula. |
| 45 | 1 plant, non-hardy Primula. |
| 46 | 1 plant P. sieboldii or form of P. sieboldii. |
| 47 | 1 plant species or hybrid (Novice). |

**SECTION IV - FLORIST GOLD LACED POLYANTHUSES**

The **WOOD MILLS CUP** will be awarded to the winner of most points in Classes 50 – 53.

The **LADY DRURY CUP** will be awarded for the Premier Gold Laced Polyanthus.

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| 50 | 3 plants Gold Laced Polyanthus, either ground colour. |
| 51 | 2 plants Gold Laced Polyanthus either ground colour. |
| 52 | 1 plant Gold Laced Polyanthus, dark ground colour. |
| 53 | 1 plant Gold Laced Polyanthus, red ground colour. |
| 54 | 1 plant Gold Laced Polyanthus, either ground colour (Novice). |

**SECTION V - AURICULAS**

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| 60 | 2 plants show Auricula, different. |
| 61 | 1 plant show Auricula, edged. |
| 62 | 1 plant show Auricula, self. |
| 63 | 1 plant show Auricula, fancy edged. |
| 64 | 1 plant show Auricula, fancy. |
| 65 | 1 plant show Auricula, striped. |
| 66 | 2 plants Alpine Auricula, different. |
| 67 | 1 plant Alpine Auricula gold centre. |
| 68 | 1 plant Alpine Auricula light centre. |
| 69 | 1 plant Double Auricula. |
| 70 | 2 plants Border Auricula different. |
| 71 | 1 plant Border Auricula. |
| 72 | 1 plant Auricula, any type (Novice). |

**SECTION VI - PRIMULACEAE**

(e.g. Androsace, Cyclamen, Dionysia, Soldanella etc. but excluding Primula species and hybrids)

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| 80 | 1 plant Primulaceae excluding Androsace |
| 81 | 1 plant Androsace |