

# Spring Show

Organised by

**Cheriton Bishop Gardening Club**

**Cheriton Bishop Village Hall**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

**Open to the Public at 2.30pm**

**Award of the Cup at 3.30pm**

1. Entries to all classes are open to anyone who lives within five miles of Cheriton Bishop Church or is a member of Cheriton Bishop Gardening Club. Entries in Junior Classes are open to anyone 14 years or younger.
2. Exhibits to be staged between 9.00am and 10.30am, when exhibitors will leave the hall. Judging from 11am
3. Exhibits should be shown in vases provided in the hall.
4. Exhibitors are limited to two entries in each class.
5. No exhibits shall be removed until after the prize giving.
6. The committee shall not be responsible for any loss or damage.
7. The judge's decision is final. Any objection shall be made in writing and lodged with the Show Secretary by 3.00pm, together with a deposit of £1. If the committee judges any objections to be frivolous, the deposit shall be forfeited.
8. All exhibits shall have been grown by the exhibitor and have been their exclusive property for at least three months, except classes 21 & 22, and the Junior class.
9. No late entries accepted.

#### Awarding of Points, Cup & Prize Money

The Spring Show Cup in 2025 was awarded to Sally Burton.

Points will be awarded in each class. 1st - 4pts, 2nd - 2pts, 3rd - 1 pt. The person who wins the most points will receive a prize of £5 and a cup donated by the late Mrs. L. Lowry. Second highest points scorer will receive £3, and the third highest points scorer will receive £2.

The Junior classes will be scored as follows. Highest points scorer £1, 2nd 75p, 3rd 50p.

In the event of a draw on points, the prize money will be divided.

**Vases are provided for exhibits except for the smallest flowers when the exhibitor may use his or her own.**

**Staging of exhibits is between 9 and 10.30am on the morning of the show.**

**Please complete the entry form attached to the schedule.**

**Entry forms to be posted through the door of Fallow End, Church Lane no later than 7pm  
Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March**

Hints:

When showing narcissi, the edges of the petals and trumpet should be complete, and not faded.

If possible, the sepal should be complete and the seed case not enlarged.

The Show Steward can help you determine which class your narcissus should be exhibited in.

CLASS	DESCRIPTION	Number	Variety
<b>1</b>	<b>NARCISSUS TRUMPET (Div 1)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Trumpet daffodil: One flower to a stem. Trumpet as long as or longer than the petals.		
<b>2</b>	<b>NARCISSUS LARGE CUP (Div 2) White trumpet</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Large cupped daffodil: One flower to a stem. Cup more than one-third but less than equal to the length of the petals.		
<b>3</b>	<b>NARCISSUS LARGE CUP (Div 2) Yellow Trumpet</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Large cupped daffodil: One flower to a stem. Cup more than one-third but less than equal to the length of the petals.		
<b>4</b>	<b>NARCISSUS LARGE CUP (Div 2) Bi-colour</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Large cupped daffodil: One flower to a stem. Cup more than one-third but less than equal to the length of the petals.		
<b>5</b>	<b>NARCISSUS SMALL CUP (Div 3)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Small cupped daffodil: One flower to a stem. Cup not more than one-third the length of the petals.		
<b>6</b>	<b>NARCISSUS DOUBLE (Div 4)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Double daffodil: One or more flowers to the stem with doubling of the cup or petals or both.		
<b>7</b>	<b>NARCISSUS TRIANDRUS (Div 5)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Triandrus daffodil: Usually two or more pendant flowers to a stem; petals reflexed.		
<b>8</b>	<b>NARCISSUS CYCLAMINEUS (Div 6)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Cyclamineus: One flower to a stem; petals significantly reflexed; flower at an acute angle to the stem, with a very short neck.		
<b>9</b>	<b>NARCISSUS JONQUIL (Div 7)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Jonquil: Usually one to five flowers to a rounded stem; leaves narrow, dark green; petals spreading or reflexed; flowers fragrant.		
<b>10</b>	<b>NARCISSUS TAZETTA OR POLYANTHUS (Div 8)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Tazetta: Usually three to twenty flowers to a stout stem; leaves broad; petals spreading not reflexed; flowers fragrant.		
<b>11</b>	<b>NARCISSUS POETICUS (Pheasant eye) (Div 9)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Poeticus: Usually one flower to a stem; petals pure white; cup usually disc-shaped with a green or yellow centre with a red/orange rim; flowers fragrant.		
<b>12</b>	<b>NARCISSUS BULBOCODIUM (Div 10)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Bulbocodium: Usually one flower to a stem; petals insignificant compared with the dominant corona; anthers attached more-or-less centrally to the filament; filament and style usually curved.		
<b>13</b>	<b>NARCISSUS: SPLIT-CORONA (Div 11)</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 variety</b>
	Hint: Split-corona: Corona split usually for more than half its length. Collar daffodils have the corona segments opposite the petals; corona in two whorls of three. Papillon daffodils have the corona segments alternate to the petals; the corona segments in a single whorl of six.		
<b>14</b>	<b>NARCISSUS MINIATURE</b>	<b>3 Stems</b>	<b>1 or more varieties</b>
	Hint: Naturally small flowers, on stems usually 25cm or less in height.		
<b>15</b>	<b>NARCISSUS SPECIMAN BLOOM.</b>		<b>1 Stem Any variety</b>

Please note that an illustrated guide to the different divisions of Narcissi is on the village website and in the hall. For all classes we would like to invite you to name any varieties you bring to the show with a small card left by each exhibit – this will make for a more interesting show bench!

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| <b>16</b>  | <b>Vase of species tulips, or any other flower grown from a bulb or corm</b>   | <b>3 Stems</b>                      | <b>1 or more varieties</b>           |
| <b>17.</b> | <b>Vase of modern tulips.</b>  | <b>3 stems 1 or more varieties.</b> |                                      |
| <b>18</b>  | <b>Primula, Polyanthus, or Primrose</b>  | <b>3 Stems</b>                      | <b>1 or more varieties</b>           |
| <b>19</b>  | <b>Any other outdoor flowers</b>   | <b>3 Stems</b>                      | <b>1 variety</b>                     |
| <b>20</b>  | <b>Flowering shrub (not branches)</b>  | <b>3 Stems</b>                      | <b>1 variety, named if possible.</b> |
| <b>21</b>  | <b>A container of spring flowering plants, which may include corms and bulbs</b>   | <b>1 pot</b>                        | <b>Maximum size 18"</b>              |
|            | Hint: these plants need not be grown by the exhibitor  |                                     |                                      |
|            | Ensure the container is not too heavy to bring to the show!  |                                     |                                      |
| <b>22</b>  | <b>Floral Art: A basket of spring flowers, 40 x 40cms, any height</b>  |                                     |                                      |
| <b>23</b>  | <b>Five Easter Biscuits</b>  |                                     |                                      |
| <b>24</b>  | <b>Jar of marmalade, any recipe</b>  |                                     |                                      |
|            | Traditionally all preserves were covered by a wax disc then sealed with a cellophane jam pot cover held in place with a rubber band. |                                     |                                      |
|            | Metal lids (if used) should be new.  |                                     |                                      |
|            | Jars should have a display label stating type of preserve and date.  |                                     |                                      |
| <b>25</b>  | <b>For children of any age:</b>  | <b>A decorated hard-boiled egg.</b> |                                      |
|            | (when entering, please state your age)   |                                     |                                      |
| <b>26</b>  | <b>A pot with a growing acorn as distributed at the annual dinner.</b>   |                                     |                                      |

**Spring Show - Exhibitors Entry Form to be posted through the door of Fallow End, Church Lane, no later than 7pm, Friday 27th March (one form per entrant please).**

Entry fees: 20p per entry. Junior classes: no entry fee.

**Exhibitors name:**

**Address and telephone no:**

## **Staging of exhibits between 9am and 10.30am on the morning of the Show**

### Total Number of entries

### Total Fees paid

Have you remembered to write your name, address and telephone number?

See you in the Village Hall on 28th at 9am with your exhibits.