

# RUISLIP CENTRAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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## Autumn Bulletin 2009

### Talks

On September 22<sup>nd</sup> Nick Morgan was due to give a talk on the new Greenhouse at, unfortunately he had a virus and could not come. Luckily Tony was able to get Ian Butterfield who gave a talk on plants from China. This was a 3D presentation so we all wore green glasses reminiscent of the films of the 60's!! and was enjoyed by all.

### Trips for 2010

On Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, the Society has arranged a private visit to **ASHWOOD Garden and Nursery in Kingswinford in the morning followed by a visit to Birmingham Botanical Gardens in the afternoon.** There are excellent eating places at both venues. **£24.00**

#### Other Trips with Garden Daze .

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June to **'WOODCHIPPINGS'** Juniper Hill, Northamptonshire. 1/3 acre garden planted for colour and scent and nursery, Tea/Coffee and biscuits (inc) served here. Then on to **3 gardens at Marlbrook**, Worcestershire featured in the Telegraph to 50 gardens. Ploughman's Lunch included in the price. **£28.00**

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> July to **Fiveways Cottage** Oxfordshire featured in RHS July 09 The Garden. Then to **South Newington House** a 3 acre garden for all year round interest, and an Organic Kitchen Garden. Then to **Hill Grounds** Northamptonshire a Plantsman's garden of 2 acres, rare and hardy plants and rose pergola. The price for this trip has not been confirmed yet as were are awaiting conformation from 2 of the gardens.

Contact **Angela Porter Tel 01895 638856 in the first instance or Tony McDonnell Tel: 01895 677925 for further details and booking.**

## Summer Show

The prizes were presented by the Deputy Mayor of Hillingdon Cllr David Yarrow. As usual the tea's and cakes organised by Pat Smith were excellent.

### Summer Show Results

#### Roses "A & B"

The Rose Bowl	Margaret McIntosh
The Rose Jones Salver	Margaret McIntosh
The Witchell Cup	Margaret McIntosh
The Reg Langston Rose Award	Margaret McIntosh

#### General Flora

The Sweet Pea Cup	Avril Thornton
The Glagenbury Floral Cup	Avril Thornton
Certificate of Merit Best Exhibit	Avril Thornton

#### Pelargonium's

The Pelargonium Cup	Ken Moyle
Certificate of Merit	Ken Moyle
Special Award for Best Exhibit	Ken Moyle

#### Fruit

The Tilney Challenge Cup	Pat White
Certificate of Merit	Pat White

#### Floral Art

The Kenneth Wood Cup	Alison England
Certificate of Merit	Alison England

#### Children's Exhibits

##### Over 12

The Marion Cup and Medal	Alan Foster
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##### Under 12

The Endeavour Cup and Medal	Alice Weeks
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#### Domestic

The Patterns Cup	Katheryn Wilkinson
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#### Cacti & Succulents

The Arthur Boarder Award	David Minion
The Hillingdon Cactus Cup	David Minion
The Aslet Cup	David Minion

Trips 2010 continued Garden Daze has also arranged a 4 day trip (2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> July) based at The Wessex Hotel, Winchester.

They will visit The **Manor House** Upton Grey, **Berry Cottage** Upper Farringdon, **Abbey Cottage** Itchen Abbas, **Meon Orchard** Kingsmead, **Wren's Farm** Lower Borden, **Linden Barn** East Stratton, **The Old Rectory** Swarraton, **White Barn** Crowe Hill, and **Hilliers Garden** at Romsey.

## Autumn Show

The autumn show was a good success and wonderful display of what our gardens can show at this time of year even though entries were down on last year. The prizes were presented by Matthew Mountain Site Manager for the Manor Farm Complex.

### Autumn Show Results

#### Dahlias

The K Wood Challenge Cup	Margaret McIntosh
The Thornton Cup	Margaret McIntosh

#### General Flora

The Reverend Mortimer Cup	Avril Thornton
Certificate of Merit	Avril Thornton
The Samuel Cup	Avril Thornton
Garden Centre Voucher Class 36	Margaret McIntosh

#### Vegetables

The Presidents Challenge Cup	David England
The Bedford Cup	David England
The Kirby Cup	Peter Hamer
Garden Centre Voucher - Top Tray	John Turner

#### Fruit

The Blundell Cup	Pat White
Certificate of Merit Best Fruit	John Turner
Certificate of Merit class 68	Pat White

#### Floral Art

The Winifred Mealing Cup	Ivy Grove
Certificate of Merit	Katie Rawlinson

#### Children's Exhibits (under 12)

Lambert Challenge Cup	Alice Weeks
Medal 2 <sup>nd</sup> place under 12's	Ellie Williams
Medal 3 <sup>rd</sup> place under 12's	Lauren Williams

#### Domestic

The Domestic Cup	Pat White
Diploma for Runner up	Paz Turner

#### Cacti & Succulents

The Arthur Boarder Award	David Minion
The Society's Cup	David Minion
The Hillingdon Succulent Cup	David Minion

#### Best Exhibit in Class 1-87

The Founders Cup	David Minion
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Please note that some of the Dates in the Main Diary opposite may have changed from those previously published.

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<http://www.succulent-plant.com/ruislip.html>

## Diary Dates Main Society

Meetings take place in St Lawrence Church Hall, Eastcote Doors open 7.30pm – Talks start at 8pm. Members £1, Non-Members £2 – includes Tea & Biscuits

### Talks etc 2009

October 20 <sup>th</sup>	“The changing nature of the English countryside” – Tony Smith. Return visit of a local bee keeper
November 24 <sup>th</sup>	“Ruislip Woods” – George Mist. Retired Head Warden for 40 years. Birch Besom Brooms for sale.

### Talks et'c 2010

February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	AGM/ Cheese and Wine social
23 <sup>rd</sup> March	“Design of the Herbaceous Border” by Yiva Bild- MacKenzie of Madrona Nursery in Kent.
April 10 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Show at the Great Barn
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	“Good in the Bed” Plants with a long season of interest. Anne Godfrey nursery owner.
May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	RCHS trip to Ashwood – see Page 1
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	“The Challenging Care of Lawns” - Nigel Timson from Super Grass Lawn Treatment Service.
June 26 <sup>th</sup>	Summer Show at the Great Barn
September 11 <sup>th</sup>	Autumn Show at the Great Barn
September 21 <sup>st</sup>	“Gardens open for Charity” – Derek Leary.
October 16 <sup>th</sup>	Fun Quiz and Supper
October 26 <sup>th</sup>	“Guerrilla Gardening” – Richard Reynolds, Gardening without boundaries.
November 23 <sup>rd</sup>	“World Garden – Lullingstone Castle” – Jim Buttress from the Two TV Series

\*\*\* Tickets from Tony McDonnell

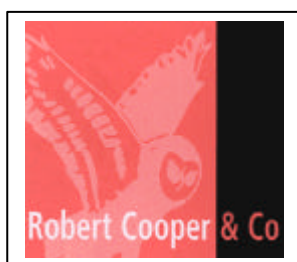
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### CACTUS SOCIETY MEETINGS

Held in Manor Farm Hall at 8pm. All Members and Visitors Welcome. £1 entrance including Tea & Biscuits  
Further Details Ring David Minion – 0208 868 7927

Nov 16 <sup>th</sup>	I.S.O.C.S and beyond – Doug Donaldson
Feb 15 <sup>th</sup> 2010	AGM and members evening Plants – slides - discussion

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