

## RUISLIP CENTRAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A Message from Chairman of the Ruislip Central Horticultural Society.

A record number of entries in the Flower, Fruit and Vegetable sections greeted Nick Hurd the MP for Ruislip and Northwood when he came to present the prizes at the Ruislip Central Horticultural Show, held in the Great Barn on Saturday the 6<sup>th</sup> September.

In spite of the recent poor weather, the judges commented on the quality of the dahlias. They (the judges) were aided by members of the Society who acted as stewards (some for the first time).

Elvis Hall's black corn, which featured on the front page of the Gazette last week (3<sup>rd</sup> Sept), drew interesting comments from the many visitors to the show.

Visitors are reminded that they are most welcome to attend the shows (entry is free) and any of the meetings that are held in the St. Lawrence Church Hall, Eastcote. See the web page for details. <http://www.succulent-plant.com/ruislip.html>

### AUTUMN SHOW 6<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2008. PRIZE WINNERS

#### Section A Dahlias

The Ken Wood Challenge Cup for the highest total points in Section A	Margaret McIntosh
The National Dahlia Society's Silver Medal Card for the Best Exhibit in Section A	Margaret McIntosh

#### Section B - General Floral

The Rev. Mortimer Cup for the highest total points in Section B	Avril Thornton
The Certificate of Merit for the best exhibit in Section B	Avril Thornton
The Samuels Cup for the best rose exhibit	Avril Thornton
The Garden Centre voucher for 1st prize in class 36	Pat White

#### Section C- Vegetables

The presidents Challenge Cup for the highest total points in Section C	David England
The Bedford Cup for the best exhibit in Section C	David England
The Kirby Cup for Vegetable Collection	Peter Hamer
Garden Centre voucher for 1 <sup>st</sup> prize in the Top Tray	David England

#### Section D - Fruit

The Blundell Cup for the highest total points in Section D	Pat White
The Certificate of Merit for the best exhibit in Section D	Martin Edwards
The Certificate of Merit for the best exhibit in Class 68	Pat White

#### Section E - Cacti & Succulents

The Arthur Boarder Award for the best exhibit in Section E	David Minnion
The Society's Cup for the highest total points in Classes 70-77	David Minnion
The Hillingdon Succulent Cup for the highest total points in Classes 78-84	David Minnion

#### Section F – Children's exhibits

The Lambert Challenge Cup & Medal for highest total points (under 12 years)	Alice Weeks
Medal for 2 <sup>nd</sup> prize (under 12)	Lauren Williams
Medal for 3 <sup>rd</sup> prize (under 12)	Ellie Williams

#### Section G – Domestic

The Domestic Cup for the highest total points in Section G	Pat White
The Diploma for the runner-up	Paz Turner

#### Section H – Floral Art

The Winifred Mealing Cup for the highest total points in Section H	Pat Smith
The Certificate of Merit for the best exhibit in Section H	Pat Smith

The Founders Cup for the Best Exhibit in Horticultural Classes 1-87	Martin Edwards
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