

FREE Schedule

Kimpton Autumn Show

Saturday 20th September 2025

2pm Kimpton Memorial Hall

A Family Friendly Local Competition

Front cover by Adam Sweet (2024 Colouring Competition Winner)



*****NEW Scarecrow Competition***** (details inside)

Entry on door £1 per adult

Welcome to the 2025 Kimpton Autumn Show

We are delighted to present you with our new schedule

This year it is the **47th Autumn Show**

It's a local show where you can enter various classes and maybe even win!

It's time to get creative - whether you love baking, growing, flower arranging, art/crafts, photography and more - young or old - then this is the show for you!

To Enter

Deadline for Entries is Thursday 18th September 2025

Entry forms must be completed in pen, stating which classes you wish to exhibit and must be **posted through the door of 19 Dacre Crescent/18 Lawn Avenue/15 Canham Close with entry fees** (cash only) by **Thursday 18th September 2025**

Late entries will be accepted with double fees on Friday 19th September

Extra entry forms may be photocopied

ENTRY FEE IN EACH CLASS 50p (unless otherwise stated)

Staging will take place between 09.00 am and 10.00 am on
Sat 20th September 2025

Judging will commence at 10.15 am

No public, other than Judges & Stewards in Hall once judging commences

Open to Public/Viewing 2pm – 3.30pm

Raffle 3:45pm - followed by **sale of produce**

HELPFUL HINTS and RULES FOR EXHIBITORS – GENERAL

If you are happy to **DONATE** your entries to our cake and produce sale, please ensure **RED DOTS** are placed on your staging card **and** produce/plate before you leave. Stewards will help you with staging.

All produce must have been grown in the exhibitor's own house, garden, or allotment.

Exhibitors are reminded that entries may be disqualified if not entered in the correct class and/or not meeting the requirements of the class.

All staging materials including vases, pedestals, white plates must be provided by the exhibitor.

The Committee will not be responsible for the safety of any exhibits, vases, plates etc. either at the Show or in transit to and from the Show.

Please remember to remove your items between 3:30 and 3:45pm.

No exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit in each class

THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL

2025 SCHEDULE OF CLASSES 1 item entry per class

FLOWER/ARRANGEMENTS CATEGORY 50p per entry (materials for these two classes may be purchased)

- 101 Bright & Beautiful Bouquet (any size)
- 102 Teacup Posy (miniature arrangement displayed in a teacup)

FLOWERS 50p per entry (only quality and content are judged, NOT arrangement)

- 103 1 Specimen Rose
- 104 3 Roses in a Vase
- 105 3 Dahlias – of your choice in a Vase
- 106 Vase of 3 cut stems of Hydrangeas
- 107 Vase of Mixed Berried Shrub min 3 items & 3 kinds, foraged or homegrown

VEGETABLE CATEGORY (displayed on white plates, paper plates acceptable) 50p per entry

Look for uniformity in size, shape and colour, runner beans straight, even length. All vegetables should be clean/disease free. Beans and marrows should have stalks attached.

- 201 Best Allotment - Judging Criteria - overall cropping scheme, productivity, cleanliness, quality and variety
- 202 1 Pumpkin, squash or gourd
- 203 3 Tomatoes (calyx on, not exceeding 2ins/5cm diameter)
- 204 5 Cherry Tomatoes (on the vine/calyx on)
- 205 3 Potatoes White
- 206 3 Potatoes other than white
- 207 3 Runner Beans
- 208 2 Courgettes
- 209 2 Onions, white
- 210 2 Onions, red
- 211 Jam Jar of Herbs (with card detailing names of herbs)
- 212 3 Beetroot
- 213 2 Cobs of sweetcorn
- 214 2 Carrots
- 215 2 Chilli peppers
- 216 One item of a variety not in this section
- 217 1 Mixed tray consisting of 4 different items

FRUIT (displayed on white plates -paper plates acceptable) 50p per entry

Look for uniform size, shape, colour, and quality. The natural bloom, calyx and/or stalk should be left on fruit. It would be helpful if varieties could be named.

- 218 3 Eating apples, any variety
- 219 3 Cooking apples, any variety

- 220 10 Autumn raspberries or blackberries
- 221 Fruit of a variety not in this section

NOVELTY VEGETABLES CATEGORY FREE

- 301 Most amusing misshapen vegetable
- 302 Longest Runner Bean

EGG CATEGORY (display in any way - egg cups/ small shallow basket etc) 50p per entry

- 401 2 x Brown Eggs
- 402 2 x Any other eggs

BAKING CATEGORY 50p per entry (displayed on white plates, paper plates acceptable)

Bakes **MUST** be covered when displayed

- 501 1 'My Garden' themed cake (a cake to be baked with fruit/vegetable ingredients and decorated with a gardening theme – please include a label of the 'garden' ingredient)
- 502 1 Bakewell tart
- 503 **Ration Book Given Recipe** - Chocolate Pin Wheels (please see page 6 for recipe)
- 504 1 Victoria Sponge (any recipe)
- 505 Bread sweet
- 506 Bread savoury

ALLERGY FREE COOKERY 50p per entry (displayed on white plates, paper plates acceptable) with a list of ingredients to be shown

- 507 1 Gluten free, dairy free sweet bake of your choice

DRINKS 50p per entry

- 508 1 Bottle of Raspberry Mocktail, with garnish
- 509 1 Bottle of Sloe Gin
- 510 1 Bottle Flavoured Vodka (flavour of your choice)
- 511 1 Bottle Flavoured Gin (flavour of your choice)

PRESERVE CATEGORY 50p per entry

(All preserves must be clearly labelled on the jar, including year & month of making, any size jar acceptable, please feel free to recycle old jars)

- 601 1 Jar Raspberry Jam
- 602 1 Jar Blackberry Jam
- 603 1 Jar Strawberry Jam
- 604 1 Jar Marmalade 605 1 Jar Lemon Curd
- 606 1 Jar Chutney
- 607 1 Jar Pickled Onions
- 608 1 jar Mixed Pickles
- 609 1 Jar any other Jam/Spread/Honey

CRAFT CATEGORY (no kits permitted, MUST be exhibitors own work) 50p per entry

- 701 Patchwork entry - no larger than 1 metre square
- 702 A Piece of Homemade Jewellery
- 703 A Homemade Blanket (any craft – rag rolling, knitted, crochet, latch-hook)
- 704 3D entry (includes pottery, wood, metal, 3D printed) 705 Free choice entry

ART CATEGORY - 50p per entry

- 706 A Watercolour
- 707 Acrylic or Oil Painting
- 708 Stained Glass
- 709 Pencil/ Pen/ Finesline Drawing
- 710 Any Media entry (not photography)

PHOTOGRAPHY CATEGORY 50p per entry (Photographs to be mounted on white card – no bigger than A4) **MUST be entrant's own work, but films may be commercially developed and printed.** 801 Animals 802 Splash!

- 803 Kimpton Village Life
- 804 Laughter
- 805 Everyday Moments
- 806 Natural World

CHILDREN and YOUNG PEOPLE'S CATEGORY (FREE) £5- 1st Prize, £2 -2nd Prize, £1 -3rd Prize
Please make sure Entry Form is filled in for all Classes including design the front cover, ensuring the class NUMBER below is included. All entries must be entrant's own work.
Please ensure you enter APPROPRIATE age group (how old you are as at 31st July 2025).
Children can enter Adult classes, with entry form and fees and will be judged as an adult.

13–17 yrs. (July 2025) SENIOR CATEGORY FREE

- 1001 A 'Free-Build' Lego model (**not** a purchased kit)
- 1002 A Gingerbread Person (judged on decoration only, gingerbread can be bought)
- 1003 An animal made out of fruit/vegetables
- 1004 5" x 7" piece of artwork – water colour or acrylics

9–12 yrs. (July 2025) INTERMEDIATE CATEGORY FREE

- 1101 A 'Free-Build' Lego model (**not** a purchased kit)
- 1102 A Gingerbread Person (judged on decoration only, gingerbread can be bought)
- 1103 An animal made out of fruit/vegetables
- 1104 A potato print piece of artwork

6–8 yrs. (July 2025) JUNIOR CATEGORY FREE

- 1201 A 'Free-Build' Lego model (**not** a purchased kit)
- 1202 A Gingerbread Person (judged on decoration only, gingerbread can be bought)
- 1203 An animal made out of fruit/vegetables
- 1204 A potato print piece of artwork

5 yrs. and under (July 2025) PRIMARY CATEGORY FREE

- 1301 A 'Free-Build' Lego model (**not** a purchased kit)
- 1302 A Gingerbread Person (judged on decoration only, gingerbread can be bought)
- 1303 An animal made out of fruit/vegetables
- 1304 A potato print piece of artwork

DESIGN THE FRONT COVER CATEGORY FREE

Must be A5 size paper- MUST be entirely the entrant's own work

1401 Create an Autumn inspired picture, must be A5 size only, any media, colourful (Winner will be on next year's schedule - front cover)

Please put **name, age and contact details on the back** and bring to Show on Day.

YOUNG AT HEART PEOPLES CATEGORY - 18 – 118 years 50p entry

£5- 1st Prize, £2 -2nd Prize, £1 -3rd Prize

- 1501 A 'Free-Build' Lego model (**not** a purchased kit)
- 1502 A Gingerbread Person (gingerbread **must** be home-baked)
- 1503 An animal made out of fruit/vegetables
- 1504 A potato print piece of artwork

****NEW ** SCARECROW CATEGORY FREE**

1601 A decorated scarecrow to be displayed in front garden/on front door/window. Judging will take place in the morning of Saturday 20th September. Please complete the specific section of the entry form (attached).

Given Recipe:

Chocolate Pin Wheels

PASTRY:

8oz flour
1oz margarine
4oz cooked, mashed potato 2
level tsps. baking powder
pinch salt milk or
water to mix

CHOCOLATE MIXTURE: 2

oz margarine
4 level tbsps. sugar
2 level dessertspoons cocoa
½ tsp. vanilla essence

TO MAKE:

Make pastry and roll out to an oblong shape
Cream margarine and sugar, add cocoa and vanilla essence
Spread mixture onto pastry and roll up as for jam roll
Cut into three quarter inch slices

	TOTAL:	

SCARECROW ENTRY	
Class	Scarecrow location for judging on morning of 20th September
1601	