

Kirkwhelpington & District Show



Exhibition of Garden Produce, Crafts,
Baking, Needlework and Children's Work

Kirkwhelpington
Saturday 6th September 2025

Kirkwhelpington & District Show Limited is a Company Limited by Guarantee.
Company Registration Number 12370354
Registered Address – Kirkwhelpington Memorial Hall, Kirkwhelpington,
Newcastle upon Tyne, NE19 2RT.
Directors – R P Wood (Chairman), N Warren (Secretary), I G Lloyd (Treasurer).

SHOW & ENTRY RULES

Exhibit entry charges:

*Maximum 2 entries
per class, per person.*

Age	All entries
Adult	25p
Child (under 17)	10p

Prizes are as follows for all classes, unless otherwise stated.

1st prize £3.00, 2nd prize £2.00, 3rd prize £1.00

The tent will open at 10.00am for exhibiting.

- **All exhibits to be staged by 12.30pm** and to remain on the tables until 5.30pm unless, authorized by a director for removal.
- Prize giving and raffle at approximately 4.45pm, in the tent.
- Prize money pay-out is from 5:15pm.

JUDGING TO COMMENCE AT 1.00PM

Cups & prizes
John Johnson Memorial Cup - quoits
HORTICULTURE
Charles Moffit Memorial Cup & £5 (class 1-33)
Cup for vegetables (class 1-19)
Geoff Coatsworth Memorial Cup for flowers (class 20-33)
Isaac Elliott Memorial Cup for best flower exhibit (20-30)
INDUSTRIAL
Kirkwhelpington & District Show Cup & £5 (class 35-76)
Cup for baking & preserves (class 35-64)
Cup for craft items (class 65-76)
Douglass Wise Memorial Cup (watercolour class 88)
Best photograph in Show (classes 77-86)
Tim Wells cup for best painting (oil or acrylic class 87)
CHILDREN
Show cup for child with most points (class 92-136)
Foley book prize - £10 each to girl & boy with most points
Jane Robson cup- best child exhibit
Mr & Mrs J Charleton craft hamper for best exhibit (class 92-95)
Ken Hodgson Memorial Cup -best handwriting (class 129-31, 134)

New for 2025

On the back page of this schedule you'll find a couple of entry forms. These will help us to ensure we spell your name correctly and make it easier for us to hand out numbers for your exhibits. You only need to complete one per person who is exhibiting and make a note of the number of entries you're making in total.

Show tent admission

Adults £2 Children free

Assistance dogs only in tent & memorial hall

Children must be supervised at all times

Show Ceilidh, 7.30 – 10pm

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Kirkwhelpington Memorial Hall

Dance to the lively sound of 'Cross the Wannies'

For all ages and abilities, a fun family night out with live music and exhilarating dances.

Adults £4, children £1



Raffle tickets

These will be on sale from mid-July and available on the day of the show, with a range of prizes kindly donated by local businesses and individuals including a fruit basket, gift vouchers, wine, chocolates and more. All monies raised support the running of the show.

TIMETABLE

What	Where	When
Country teas	Memorial hall	From 2pm
Children's sports	Village green	2.15pm
KEVI Steel band performance	Village green	2:45pm & 4pm
Basketball shootout	Behind memorial hall	3:15pm
Tent opens to the public	Village green	3:15pm
Quoits competition for John Johnson Memorial Cup <i>Register by 3.15pm with Dave Boyson</i>	Playing field	3.30pm
Prize giving ceremony	Show tent	4:45pm
Prize money payout	Show tent	5:15pm
Show Ceilidh	Memorial hall	7:30- 10pm

All timings subject to change. Please check details on the day.

Other activities & attractions

- Nail in the bale
- Beat the goalie competition
- Splat the rat
- Face painting
- Trade stall

No.	Class	HORTICULTURE
1	3 ONIONS:	
2	1 LEEK, not above 8" long:	
3	1 BULB GARLIC	
4	4 KIDNEY POTATOES WHITE:	
5	4 KIDNEY POTATOES COLOURED:	
6	4 ROUND POTATOES WHITE:	
7	4 ROUND POTATOES COLOURED:	
8	2 CARROTS INTERMEDIATE:	
9	2 BEETROOT (to be cut):	
10	1 WHITE CABBAGE:	
11	2 COURGETTES, circumference less than 7":	
12	1 VEGETABLE MARROW:	
13	6 PODS OF PEAS:	
14	6 PODS OF RUNNER BEANS:	
15	6 TOMATOES:	
16	5 CHERRY TOMATOES,	
17	COLLECTION OF VEGETABLES (4 varieties, 1 of each):	
18	3 VARIETIES OF FRUIT (on a plate or dish):	
19	MIS-SHAPEN, PECULIAR OR FUNNY VEGETABLE:	
20	1 SINGLE STEM, SINGLE FLOWER ROSES	
21	1 SINGLE STEM MULTIHEADED ROSE	
22	3 DECORATIVE DAHLIAS:	
23	3 CACTUS DAHLIAS:	
24	3 DAHLIAS POMPOM (2" max):	
25	1 VASE OF 12 SWEET PEAS:	
26	3 SPIKES OF PHLOXES (any colour):	
27	3 SPIKES OF GLADIOLI (any colour):	
28	GARDEN ON A PLATE (not to exceed 12" diameter):	
29	A VASE/ JUG OF HOME GROWN FLOWERS:	
30	FLORAL ARRANGEMENT: not in a vase/ jug, no oasis	
31	POTTED GERANIUM: (pelargonium)	
32	POTTED FOLIAGE:	
33	POTTED FLOWERING PLANT:	
34	FRUIT OR VEGETABLE CREATURE (mounted on a base, age 17+)	

BAKING & PRESERVES	
35	LOAF OF BREAD: hand made, white
36	FOCACCIA LOAF, herbs only, including garlic
37	4 OVEN SCONES: cherry
38	4 CURRANT GIRDLE SCONES:
39	4 DROP SCONES:
40	4 CHEESE SCONES:
41	4 SAUSAGE ROLLS (short crust pastry):
42	SAVOURY QUICHE:
43	4 PIECES PLAIN FLAPJACK
44	4 ROCK BUNS
45	4 GINGER SNAPS:
46	4 PIECES OF CARAMEL SHORTBREAD:
47	SHOWSTOPPER, best decorated cake, all decoration to be edible,£5 prize
48	SANDWICH CAKE (vanilla with jam filling, no sugar dusting), single tin
49	CHOCOLATE CAKE (filled and iced): single tin
50	VEGETABLE CAKE
51	BATTENBURG
52	LOAF CAKE: ginger
53	LEMON MERINGUE PIE
54	CLOSED SWEET PIE: apple & raspberry, no glaze
55	GLUTEN FREE BAKE: 4 brownies
56	MEN'S CLASS: 6 fruit scones (sultanas only, own recipe)
57	1 JAR BLACKCURRANT JAM:
58	1 JAR OF MARMALADE:
59	1 JAR STRAWBERRY JAM:
60	1 JAR RASPBERRY JAM:
61	1 JAR OF ANY OTHER JAM:
62	1 JAR OF JELLY:
63	1 JAR LEMON CURD:
64	1 JAR OF CHUTNEY:

HANDICRAFTS	
65	CROCHETED GRANNY SQUARE BABY BLANKET
66	HAND KNITTED CHILD'S JUMPER OR CARDIGAN:
67	NOVICE HAND KNITTED: bobble hat
68	HAND KNITTED SOCKS
69	ARTICLE OF NEEDLEWORK:
70	EMBROIDERED BOOKMARK
71	SOFT TOY:
72	UP-CYCLED ARTICLE, NEW FROM OLD:
73	HAND MADE JEWELLERY:
74	HAND-MADE CRAFT ITEM: WOOD
75	HAND-MADE CRAFT ITEM: TEXTILE
76	HAND-MADE CRAFT ITEM: CLAY
PHOTOGRAPHY	
77	Photography: LANDSCAPE taken in Kirkwhelpington Parish
78	Photography: LIVE PEOPLE:
79	Photography: LIVE ANIMALS:
80	Photography: NORTHUMBERLAND:
81	Photography: WILD CARD: WALLS
82	Photography: Under 17 LANDSCAPE taken in Kirkwhelpington Parish
83	Photography: Under 17 LIVE PEOPLE:
84	Photography: Under 17 LIVE ANIMALS:
85	Photography: Under 17 NORTHUMBERLAND:
86	Photography: Under 17 WILD CARD: TREES
ART	
87	AMATEUR PAINTING IN OIL OR ACRYLIC (Name masked):
88	AMATEUR PAINTING IN WATER COLOUR (Name masked):
89	AMATEUR PAINTING OR DRAWING IN ANY OTHER MEDIUM (Name masked):
90	AMATEUR GARDEN PAINTING (any medium)
91	AMATEUR PORTRAIT (any medium)

CHILDREN'S	Age group			
	Under 5	5 – 8	9 – 12	13 – 16
MODEL (unaided work no Lego or construction kits)	92			
PICTURE ANY MEDIUM (unaided work)	93			
ONE PAINTED STONE	94	96	103	110
HAND MADE BIRTHDAY CARD (not computer generated)	95	97	104	111
MODEL GARDEN ON A DINNER PLATE		98	105	112
ORIGINAL PAINTING (not bigger than A3)		99	106	113
PENCIL or COLOURED PENCIL DRAWING (max A4)		100	107	114
ONE ITEM OF CRAFTWORK (no Lego or construction kit)		101	108	115
FRUIT OR VEGETABLE CREATURE (mounted on a base)		102	109	116
CHILDREN'S BAKING	Age group			
	5 – 8	9 – 12	13 – 16	
4 CHOCOLATE BROWNIES	117	121	125	
4 OVEN SCONES: CHERRY	118	122	126	
1 DECORATED BOILED EGG	119	123	127	
3 CUP CAKES	120	124	128	
CHILDREN'S WRITING	Age group			
	5 – 6	7 – 9	10 – 12	13 – 16
HANDWRITING	129	130	131	134
ORIGINAL POEM, theme of nature, handwritten or typed, no more than 250 words			132	135
ORIGINAL SHORT STORY, handwritten or typed, no more than 500 words			133	136

HANDWRITING CLASSES

132. 5-6 YEARS

The world is full of a number of things,
I'm sure we should all be as happy as kings

133. 7-9 YEARS

An Autumn Greeting

"Come" said the wind to the leaves one day.
"Come over the meadows and we will play.
Put on your dresses of red and gold
For summer is gone and the days grow cold"

134. 10-12 YEARS

I know a little pussy,
Her coat is silver grey;
She lives down in the meadow,
Not very far away.
Although she is a pussy,
She'll never be a cat,
For she's a pussy willow –
Now what do you think of that?

137. 13-16 YEARS

The Wansbeck

O ye Northumbrian shades, which overlook
The rocky pavement, and the mossy falls
Of solitary Wansbeck's limpid stream;
How gladly I recall your well-known seats
Belov'd of old, and that delightful time
When all alone, for many a summer's day,
I wandered through your calm recesses, led
In silence by some powerful hand unseen.

Mark Akenside

Supporting the Show

The success of the show relies on everyone who supports it, from the committee volunteers who organise the day and ensure everything runs smoothly, to the exhibitors who give their time and skill to filling the tent with beautiful displays.

This year's Show has kindly been supported by a grant from the Ray Wind Funds CIC Local Initiatives Fund, established by energy company Vattenfall for the benefit of the communities hosting the Ray Windfarm.

If you would like to become a supporter of the show or join the committee, please speak to the Chairman, Treasurer or Secretary. We're incredibly grateful for any donations of time or money. See below for more ways you can contribute.

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The Show Committee will appoint judges before the day of the Show. Their decision will be final in all cases, and may not be overruled by directors of the Company or members of the Show Committee. The judges may withhold one or more prizes in any class if exhibits are of inadequate number or quality.

List of Supporters 2024

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Other Friends donated anonymously

Entry form

Help to make your submission of entries as smooth as possible by cutting out and completing this form to bring along with you when exhibiting your entries. If you need more forms, you can pick them up from Kirkwhelpington Post Office. You'll need to complete one per person.

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Name (in block capitals):

Age (please tick): 17yrs & over ☐

If 16 or under, please write age _____

Total number of entries:

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