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| SPRING SHOW  Saturday, 28th March 2015  2.30-4.30pm  **Howth and Sutton Horticultural Society**    St Nessan’s Community School, Moyclare Road,  Off Warrenhouse Road, Baldoyle, Dublin 13  Admission to Show €2  Members, Exhibitors and accompanied children free  *Wheelchair access to all parts of the Show* |

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| **HOWTH & SUTTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY FIXTURES 2015**  **Wednesday 4th February, 8 pm:**  **AGM** followed by a presentation by George Sevastopulo:  *Plants with Attitude*  Howth Yacht Club  **Wednesday 4th March, 8pm**:  Fiann O Nualáin: *Getting the Garden Ready for Spring****.*** Fiann is a very knowledgeable and practical gardener and broadcaster. Howth Yacht Club.  **Wednesday 7th October, 8pm**:  Oliver Schurmann: *Prairie Style Plants in the Irish Climate.*  This should help keep the water bills down!  Howth Yacht Club.Oliver will have plants for sale.  **Wednesday 4th November, 8pm:**  Seamus O’Brien: *In Search of Good Garden Plants.* Seamus has travelled extensively to see plants in the wild.  Howth Yacht Club  **Wednesday 2nd December, 8pm:**  Social night with Table Quiz. Supper (please bring a cake or savouries). Mulled wine, tea & coffee supplied.  Howth Yacht Club |

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| **HOWTH & SUTTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY FIXTURES 2015**  An exciting new venture for Spring 2015 – a series of 3 practical workshops – run by our members in their own gardens.  Saturday April 11 10am  Saturday April 18 10am  Saturday April 26 10 am  Topics are yet to be finalised, but will include such diverse subjects as propagation, vegetable growing and garden design.  For more information, contact Ann on 8394578  **SUMMER OUTINGS**  **Saturday June 20……***a trio of Wexford gardens*   * Coolaught Garden and Garden Centre in Clonroche * Newtown Barry House and Garden * Lucy's Wood   By coach – morning coffee & lunch included (€24 excluding coach)  **Saturday July 18….…** a trip to Lambay Island  **Wednesday August 5..…**afternoon trip by coach to the walled garden at Ardgillan, includes afternoon tea and guided tour.  For information and booking contact Margaret on 8390109 |

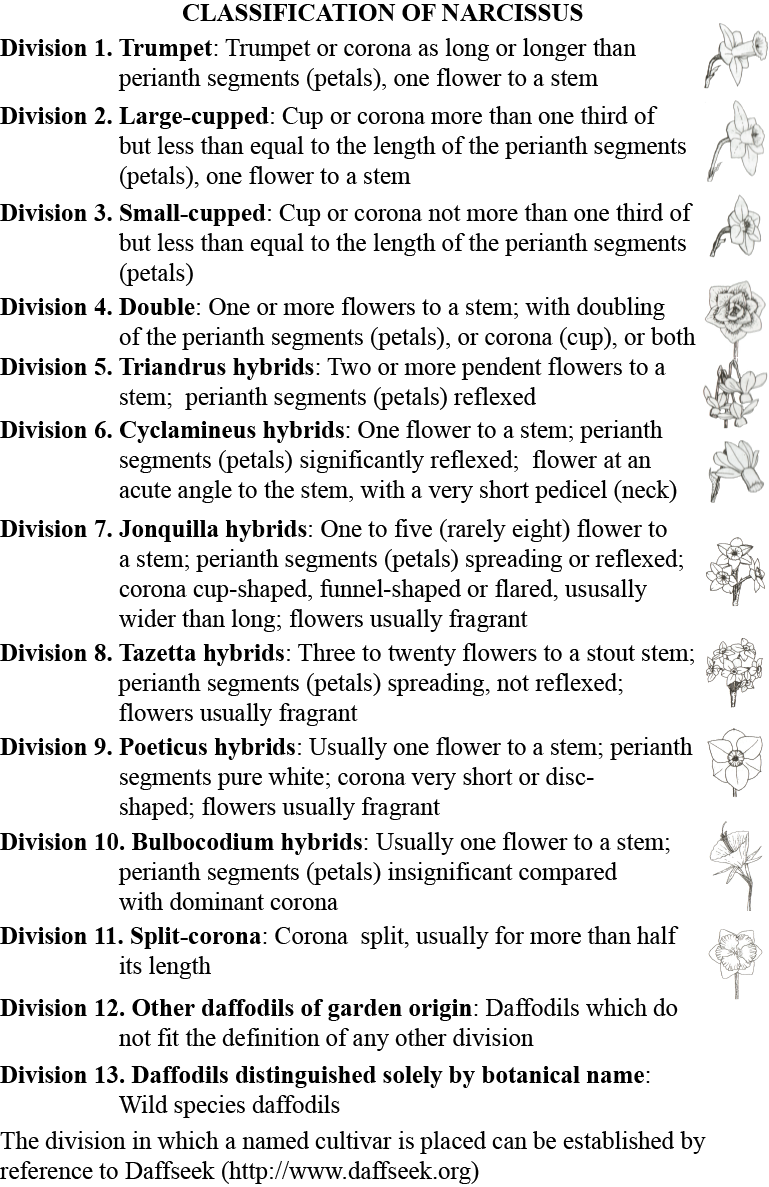
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| **HOWTH AND SUTTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**  [**www.hshs.ie**](http://www.hshs.ie)  *Affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society of Ireland & North Dublin Horticultural Societies Association*  **MEMBERSHIP OF THE SOCIETY**  This Society is one of the longest established on Dublin’s northside having been founded in 1943.  The annual programme includes a Spring Show in March/April, an Autumn Show in September, Summer outings, and a series of lectures by noted horticulturists in October, November, December, February and March.    **THE ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION**  A vital source of revenue is the annual membership fee of €15.00, or €70.00 for a five year membership. If you have not already done so, please pay the annual subscription to the treasurer, before or at the Show. (Membership runs from January to December).  **HONORARY MEMBERSHIP**  Honorary membership is offered to all paid up members who have achieved the age of **80 years**. On reaching 80 please inform the treasurer **so that you remain on our mailing list.**  **CURRENT CUP HOLDERS**  Current cup holders are requested to return cups to a committee member ***before***the Show date |

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| Committee 2014 | |
| President  Honorary Chairperson  Assistant Chairperson  Secretary  Assistant Secretary  Treasurer  Assistant Treasurer  Lecture Programme  Outings Manager  Media  Publicity  Show Liaison | Maire Gorman  Maire Gorman  Lorna Hopkins  Ann Campbell  Helen Walsh  Frances Marr  June Ryan  Rose Sevastopulo  Margaret Freyne  Pauline Gavin  Mary Sheridan  Brigid McCaffrey |
| The names above are those of the committee for 2014. The committee for 2015 will be elected at the AGM in February 2015. | |
| http://www.cartoon-clipart.com/cartoon_clipart_images/stick_figure_man_at_work_window_washer_washing_windows_with_a_squeegee_0515-1103-2904-4158_SMU.jpg  Businessman cartoon on work hard concept  **Volunteers**  Volunteers are needed for the Show between 4 pm and 8 pm on the Friday afternoon (from 4pm), and Saturday (from 8am) to help set up tables for show classes, plant sale, book sale and teas, mark out class spaces, place class numbers etc., and to help with clearing up after the Show on Saturday.  **If you can help, please contact Ann Campbell (8394578)**  **“many hands make light work!”** | |

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| **SHOW RULES**  **1.** Entries should be made on the form provided in the schedule.  A separate entry form is to be used by each entrant.  Entries should be mailed to, or telephoned to, or sent by e-mail to:  Ann Campbell, 34 Thormanby Lawns, Howth  Telephone: 8394578; Email: [anncampbell@clonbrick.com](mailto:anncampbell@clonbrick.com)  OR  Rose Sevastopulo, 21 Evora Park, Howth.  Telephone: 8324598; Email: rose.sevastopulo@gmail.com  **Entries** close on Thursday 26 March.  **2.** Exhibitors are restricted to **1** entry per class. Two or more persons may not exhibit separately in the same class material from the same garden or plant house.  **3. Exhibits may be brought to the school from 5pm on Friday and should be staged** between **5.30 and 8.00 pm** on Friday or between **8.30 and 11.00 a**m on Saturday. **Exhibitors must leave the hall by 11.00 am**.  **4. Judging** will commence at **11.30 am.**  **5.** Maximum size of pots is the maximum external diameter.  **6**. The term ‘distinct’ refers to distinct species, varieties, forms or cultivars.  **7.** The Committee reserves the right to remove from display exhibits considered to be sub-standard. The Committee will not be held liable for loss of, or damage to, exhibits.  **8.** The Judges’ decision is final. Judges are empowered to withhold awards if the standard of exhibits in any section is not satisfactory.  **9.** Horticultural Exhibits should be named, where possible, withthe name of the plant (species, cultivar, etc.).Labels should be written in capital letters and should be oriented horizontally. Exhibitors may obtain white card labels and butchers’ pins at the show. Between exhibits of equal merit in the horticultural classes, **clear correct naming** shall be the deciding factor.  **10.** Where cups are awarded for aggregate points, each first prize will count three points; each second, two points; and each third, one point. In the event of a tie, the exhibitor with the greater number of first prizes will be declared the winner.  **11.** Exhibits and class cards should not be removed by exhibitors until the show is over. Class prizes will be determined from class points lists.  **VASES**  Vases will be available at the show.  **PRIZES & ENTRY FEES**  Prizes will be awarded only in the Junior section. There is no entry fee in any class. |

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| **Class ALPINES, CACTI and SUCCULENTS** | |
| 1 | **SAXIFRAGE** in pot/pan, not to exceed 32 cm external diameter |
| 2 | **HARDY ROCK GARDEN PLANTS**, 3 distinct, in pots or pans,  not to not to exceed 25cm external diameter |
| 3 | **HARDY ROCK GARDEN PLANT**, in flower, in pot or pan |
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| 4 | **DWARF CONIFER**, 1 plant in pot or pan |
| 5 | **HARDY ROCK GARDEN BULBOUS PLANT**, 1 plant in flower, in pot or pan |
| 6 | **A BOWL OF CUT FLOWERS OF ROCK PLANTS INCLUDING DWARF SHRUBS** (not to exceed 35 cm in width and 25 cm in height) |
| 7 | **SEMPERVIVUM**, 1 plant in pot or pan |
| 8 | **HARDY ROCK GARDEN PLANTS**, 3 distinct, in pots or pans for foliage and group effect |
| 9 | **CACTI**, 3 distinct, in pots not to exceed 20 cm external diameter |
| 10 | **CACTI**, 3 distinct, in pots not to exceed 10 cm external diameter |
| 11 | **SUCCULENTS** other than Cactus, 3 distinct, in pots not to exceed 10 cm external diameter |
| 12 | **SUCCULENTS** other than Cactus, 2 distinct, in pots not to exceed 20 cm external diameter |
| 13 | **CACTUS**, 1 plant in pot or pan |
| 14 | **SUCCULENT**, 1 plant in pot or pan |
| 15 | **CACTI CACTI AND/OR SUCCULENTS**: miniature garden in pot or pan not to exceed 35 cm external diameter |
| 16 | **CREATE A GARDEN IN A CONTAINER**,  maximum size 40 cm x 40 cm |
|  | **The R P Kingston Perpetual Cup**  will be awarded to the exhibitor obtaining the highest aggregate of points in classes 1–16  Holder: Phyllis Owens  **The Donal Ó Maolalaí Cup**  will be awarded to the best exhibit in classes 1-16  Holder: George Sevastopulo |

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|  | **FLOWERS AND POT PLANTS** |
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| 18 | **POLYANTHUS**, 2 vases distinct, 5 stems of one shade in each vase, with own foliage |
| 19 | **POLYANTHUS**, vase of 5 stems, may be mixed, with own foliage |
| 20 | **POLYANTHUS**, single stem, any colour, with own foliage |
| 21 | **PRIMULA**, Polyanthus or primrose, 2 distinct, in separate pots or pans |
| 22 | **PRIMULA** (excluding Polyanthus or primrose), in pot or pan, 1 pot |
| 24 | **PRIMULA**, any other, e.g. Candelabra, Jack-in-the-green, Garryarde, 5 stems |
| 25 | **PRIMROSE**, single, vase of 5 stems, may be mixed, with own foliage |
| 26  27  28  29  30  32  33  34  35  36  37  38  39 | **PRIMROSE**, double, vase of 5 stems, may be mixed, with own foliage  **AURICULA**, one distinct in pot or pan  **PANSIES**, 5 stems, may be mixed  **HARDY CUT FLOWERS**, grown in the open, excluding shrubs, one vase of any one kind not otherwise provided for.  **ANEMONES**, vase of 5 blooms, may be mixed  **ANY POT PLANT IN BLOOM** (excluding Auricula, Azalea, Cyclamen, orchids, Primula, Rhododendron), 1 plant in a pot  **ANY FOLIAGE POT PLANT** (not necessarily in bloom), 1 pot  **CYCLAMEN**, 1 pot  **RHODODENDRON** or **AZALEA**, vase of 1 spray  **HELLEBORES**, may be mixed, displayed in vase or bowl  **CAMELLIA**, vase of 1 spray  **HARDY SHRUB FLOWERS** (excluding rhododendron, azalea and camellia), vase of any one species, with not more than 3 sprays  **ORCHID**, in bloom, 1 pot |
|  | **The Josephine Walsh Cup** will be awarded to the exhibitor with the highest aggregate of points in classes 18-27 Holder: John Warren  **Jill Hardy Perpetual Memorial Cup** will be awarded to the exhibitor showing the best exhibit in the Primula classes 18-27 Holder: S & J Rowland |

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| **NARCISSUS** | |
| 40  **10**  41  42  43  44  45  46  47  48  49  50  51  52  53  54  55  56  57  58  59 | **NARCISSUS,**  Dwarf (not exceeding 20 cm in height), one variety, bulbs in pot not to exceed 20 cm diameter  **NARCISSUS,** One variety, bulbs in pot not to exceed 30 cm diameter  **NARCISSUS,** 4 vases of 4 varieties, grown in the open, 3 stems of each variety representing 2 divisions (see classification on the previous page)  **NARCISSUS,** 3 vases of 3 varieties, 3 stems of each variety  **NARCISSUS,** Vase of 3 of any one trumpet (Division 1) variety  **NARCISSUS,** Trumpet (Division 1), 3 vases distinct, 3 flowers in each  **NARCISSUS**, Vase of 3, any one large-cupped variety (Division 2)  **NARCISSUS,**  Large-cupped (Division 2), 3 vases distinct,  of 3 flowers each  **NARCISSUS,** Vase of 3, any one small-cupped (Division 3)  or Poeticus (Division 9)  **NARCISSUS,** Small-cupped (Division 3) or Pheasant eye,  (Division 9) 2 vases distinct of 3 flowers each  **NARCISSUS,**  Double (Division 4), vase of 3, may be mixed  **NARCISSUS,** Bunch-flowered with multiple flowers on stem. Vase of 3 of one variety from divisions 5, 7 or 8  **NARCISSUS,** Vase of 3 flowers excluding divisions 1- 4, may be mixed  **NARCISSUS,** Vase of 3 stems, may be mixed. Confined to an exhibitor who has never won a first prize in a Narcissus class  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any trumpet variety (Division 1)  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any large-cupped variety (Division 2)  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any small-cupped/Pheasant eye variety  (Divisions 3, 9)  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any double variety  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any bunch-flowered variety from  divisions 5, 7, 8, or 13  **NARCISSUS,** 1 stem, any flower from divisions 6 to 13  **The J M Watson Cup** will be awarded to the winner of class 42.  Holder: John Warren  **The S Stewart Mather Memorial Perpetual Cup** will be awarded to the winner of class 43. Holder: Gerry Moloney  **Novices’ Perpetual Trophy** will be awarded to the winner of class 53  Holder: Florence Campbell. |

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| 60  61  62  63  64  65  66  67  71  72  73  74  75  76  77  78  79  80  81  82  83  84  85 | **SPRING BULBS**  **BULBOUS PLANT** (other than Tulips, Muscari or Narcissus), 1 pot  **TULIPS**, **miniature**, vase of 5, may be mixed  **TULIPS,** 1 variety, bulbs in pot not to exceed 30 cm  **TULIPS, single**, vase of 5, may be mixed  **TULIPS**, **double**, vase of 5, may be mixed  **TULIPS,** **miniature**, bulbs in pot not to exceed 20 cm, may be mixed  **HYACINTH**,vase of 1 bloom  **MUSCARI (GRAPE HYACINTHS)**,vase of 5 blooms  **VEGETABLES & FRUIT**  **JERUSALEM ARTICHOKES**, 5 tubers  **SCALLIONS** or **SPRING ONIONS**, 1 bunch of 12  **LEEKS**, 3 stems  **PARSLEY,** bunch of 5 stalks  **PARSNIPS**, 3 roots  **ONIONS**, 3 of any variety  **RHUBARB**, 3 sticks, forced  **RHUBARB,** 3 sticks, natural  **SALAD VEGETABLE,** 1 plate of salad leaves  **BEETROOT**, 3 roots  **CARROTS**, 3 roots  **CABBAGE**, 1 head  **CAULIFLOWER**, 1 head  **BROCCOLI**, sprouting, dish of 12 stems  **ANY OTHER VEGETABLE OR FRUIT**  **The Richardson Challenge Cup**  will be awarded to the exhibitor gaining the highest aggregate of points in classes 71 - 85  Holder: Michael Burke |  |

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| 90  97  98  99  100  101  102  103  104  105  106  107  108  109 | **New!**  **FLOWER ARRANGING (NOVICE CLASS)**  **New!**  **SPRING BASKET** (composed of items mainly from the garden, 70cms width & depth – create on site or bring finished)  **COOKERY**  **CHUTNEY**, 1 pot, date made to be stated  **BROWN SODA BREAD**  **WHITE SODA BREAD**  **AFTERNOON TEA** 1 portion  **TEMPTING DESSERT** 1 portion, named  **SPONGE SANDWICH**, filled, not iced  **TEA BRACK**  **HAZELNUT & COFFEE CAKE**, made according to the recipe on the next page  **BISCUITS**, 6 undecorated  **SCONES**, 6  **DECORATED FAIRY CAKES, 6**  **MARMALADE**, fresh fruit, 1 pot  **JAM**, any kind, 1 pot  ***No member of the Bakery and Confectionery Trade may exhibit***  **The Mary O’Donovan Memorial Cup** will be awarded to the exhibitor obtaining the highest aggregate of points in classes 97-109 Holder: Helen Walsh    j0215779 |

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| **HAZELNUT & COFFEE CAKE**   |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Ingredients:**  6 oz/175g butter  6 oz/175g caster sugar  3 large eggs (separated)  2 oz/50g hazelnuts  1½ teaspn instant coffee  1½ tablesp warm milk  6 oz/175g S.R. flour | **Buttercream:**  2 egg yolks  4 oz/110g butter  4 oz/110g granulated sugar  5 fl oz water  1 oz/25g roasted ground hazelnuts |  Method Remove skins from nuts by placing under a hot grill for a couple of minutes (watch them) and then rubbing them hard in a clean teatowel. Put back under the grill for a couple of minutes to toast. Cool and grind in a food processor.  Grease and flour a deep 8”/20cm cake tin. Set oven to Gas Mark 3/Electricity 170oC or 160oC in a fan oven. Whisk egg whites till stiff. In a separate bowl cream butter and sugar. Work till light and fluffy. Beat in egg yolks + ground nuts. Dissolve coffee in warm milk. Fold flour into mix with coffee+milk. Fold in egg whites. Turn into prepared tin. Bake approx 40/45 mins (until cake begins to shrink from side of tin). Turn out and cool. Buttercream Put sugar and water in a small saucepan on a low heat until every grain is dissolved and only stir very gently if necessary. Bring to a rapid boil and boil for approx. 25 mins. Take a little on a metal teaspoon and see if it forms a thread between thumb and forefinger. Remove from heat. Beat egg yolks. Gradually beat syrup into yolks and continue beating until mixture is creamy and beater leaves a trail. Soften butter in another bowl and add syrup/egg mix to it, beating in. Add hazelnuts. This buttercream can be made the day before and kept in a cool place (but not the fridge) overnight.  Split cake in two. Layer with buttercream using remainder to decorate the top of the cake.  **13** |  |
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|  | |  | | **CRAFTS** |
|  | 110  111  112  113  118  119  122  123  124 | | **Any hand-crafted article made of Wood**  **Hand knitted or Crocheted garment**  **Embroidered article**  **Any other hand-crafted article (excluding wood)**  **ART**  **A PAINTING IN OILS, ACRYLIC OR WATERCOLOURS**  **A PICTURE IN ANY OTHER MEDIUM**  **A PHOTOGRAPH OF A LANDSCAPE, or SEASCAPE, or GARDEN SCENE,** mounted but not framed and with a title. Photograph to be no larger than 7” x 5” (18cm x 13cm)  **ANY PHOTOGRAPH OF HORTICULTURAL INTEREST,** mounted but not framed and with a title. Photograph to be no larger than 7” x 5” (18m x 13cm)  **A CLOSE UP PHOTOGRAPH OF A FLOWER, OR FLOWERS, ANIMAL OR BIRD,** mounted but not framed and with a title. Photograph to be no larger than 7” x 5” (18cm x 13cm)  **Please write your name and class number on the back of the mount.**  ***Please note*:** *In classes 110 – 124, items which have been exhibited at one of the Society’s previous shows are excluded* | |

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| **JUNIOR SECTION** | |
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| CHILDREN UNDER 8 YEARS (on day of show) | |
| 131 | **HARD-BOILED EGG DECORATED FOR EASTER** |
| 132 | **A POSY OF SPRING FLOWERS IN A JAM JAR** |
| 133 | **A PAINTED STONE** |
| 134 | **A CREATURE** – you have made from natural and recycled materials |
| 135 | **A PICTURE OR PAINTING** |
| 136 | **AN EASTER CARD** |
| 138  139  140  141  142  143 | CHILDREN 8 YEARS TO UNDER 15 YEARS  **HARD-BOILED EGG DECORATED FOR EASTER**  **A PLANT YOU HAVE HELPED TO GROW**  **A CAKE DECORATED FOR EASTER**  **THE BEST PHOTO I HAVE TAKEN**  **A CREATURE - you have made from natural and recycled materials**  **A GREETING CARD WITH AN EASTER THEME**  **Age will be taken into consideration in all children’s classes**  **LOOKING AHEAD**  **The Autumn show will have a class for a miniature garden and something you have grown from seed.** |
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**The North Dublin Horticultural Societies Association**

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| The **‘Exhibitor of the Year’** Perpetual Trophies will be competed for at The North Dublin Horticultural Societies Association Annual Summer Shows  The Trophies will be awarded to the exhibitors who obtain the highest total number of points at all 10 Shows (or as many as exhibited in) in the open horticultural classes in 2 categories –  (A) Cut Flowers and Pot Plants  (B) Fruit and Vegetables  Points will be determined on the basis of 3,2,1 for 1st 2ndand 3rd respectively.  The names of the 10 exhibitors obtaining the highest number of points in each of the 2 categories at each Show will be sent to the Association for inclusion in this competition.  The NDHSA Trophies will be presented at **the ‘End of Season Show’** on **10th October** hosted by **Clontarf Horticultural Society**.  **SHOW DATES 2015** | | |
| Balbriggan H.S. | Rose Show | 5 July |
|  | Annual Show | 6 September |
| Clontarf H.S. | Annual Show | 20 September |
| Dublin 5 H.S. | Rose/Sweetpea Show | 12 July |
|  | Garden Vista Show | 22/23 August |
|  | Spring Show | 11 April |
| Malahide H.S. | Annual Show | 26 July |
|  | Spring Show | 12 April |
| Fingal (Swords) H.S. | Annual show | 3 August |
| Cameron H.S.  St Brigid’s H.S. | Annual Show  Annual Show | 1 August  30 August |
| Howth Sutton H.S. | Annual Show | 5 September |
|  | Spring Show | 28 March |
| Naul Garden & Flower Club | Annual Show | 12/13 September |
|  | Spring Show | 29 March |
| Rush H.S. | Annual Show | 11 July |

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**Howth & Sutton Horticultural Society**

# *Entry Form for Spring Show 2015*

Entries close on Thursday before show, 26 March 2015

Exhibits to be staged between 5.00pm and 8.00pm on Friday night

or between 8.30am and 11.00am on the morning of the show*.*

*I give notice that I intend to exhibit in the classes detailed below.*

*I will conform with the rules and regulations in the Show Schedule.   
 I fully understand that I may not remove my entries or class cards before 4.30pm.*

*I declare that my entries will be my own production*.

Signed………………………………… Tel…………………

## CLASS NUMBERS

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Name (capitals)………………………………. Age (child only)…….

Address………………………………………………………..

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**Please send your entries to**

1. Ann Campbell , 34 Thormanby Lawns, Howth  
   Tel: 8394578 Email: [anncampbell@clonbrick.com](mailto:anncampbell@clonbrick.com)

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| ***The Society wishes to express sincere thanks to the Principal and the staff of Pobalscoil Neasáin for their co-operation and assistance in its various activities.***  **PLANT SALE**  Please propagate for the plant stall. It is becoming increasingly difficult to source unusual plants or even old favourites. Contributions can be left at the school on Friday 27th March, between 4 pm and 7.30 pm, or as early as possible on the Saturday morning.  **BOOK SALE** |
| If you have unwanted books, magazines, CDs or DVDs in good condition, please give them to the book stall. They will be gratefully accepted.  **LOCATION MAP** |
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| http://cdn3.notonthehighstreet.com/system/product_images/images/000/293/833/original_thank-you-flowers.jpg?1335075728  **TO OUR SPONSERS:**  **COUNTRY MARKET, HOWTH**  **KINSEALY GARDEN CENTER**  **BLACK BANKS GARDEN CENTER**  19 |

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| **SPRING SHOW 2014** |