

Helston Harvest Fair

Garden Competition 2018



The aim of the competition is to encourage the community to take part in Helston's Harvest Fair, Garden Competition, and take pride in HELSTON. Making it an attractive place to live, work and visit!

The competition is open to all residents, public houses, businesses and schools, within the Town of Helston.

Why not nominate someone else's Garden! *

Enter "Your Garden" in any of the following categories: -

- **Best Garden**
- **Community Garden**
- **Public House / Business**
- **Planter / Hanging baskets**
- **Young Gardener (including schools**)**
- **Allotment / Vegetable Garden**

How to Enter

Complete the application form overleaf and post or deliver your entry to:

11 Cross St, Helston, TR13 8NQ
or
Sweet Pea Florists Helston TR13 8AA,

Applications must arrive no later than, 31st July 2018

Judging

Judges will visit unannounced and will leave their calling card to let entrants know they have visited.

An appointment will be made to visit the garden of entrants that enter the **Young Gardener** category.

Judges will be marking entries on the following criteria: -

- **Overall Presentation** – variety and use of plants condition and care of plants, maintenance and care of whole garden. 60% of the marks will be awarded for Overall Presentation.
- **Environmental Consideration** – what is being done to encourage wildlife? Is there sustainable planting? Resource management (recycling, water conservation etc.) Are there appropriate plants for the growing conditions? 40% of the marks will be awarded for Environmental Consideration.

Presentation of Awards

Awards will be presented at the Harvest Fair Horticultural show prize giving, on Sunday 2nd Sept at 4:00pm. Results will be announced at the Ceremony and published in the local press shortly afterwards.

* We will need to get permission before entering Garden

** Schools will be judged before the end of term

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APPLICATION FORM

Which competition category/categories would you like to enter? Please mark with a cross in the box

Front / Back Garden		Community Garden		Public House / Business <small>Not Helston in Bloom or Council Hanging baskets</small>	
Planter / Hanging baskets <small>Not Helston in Bloom or Council Hanging baskets</small>		Young Gardener (including schools)		Allotment / Vegetable Garden	

Gardener's Details

Is this your garden	Yes		No		If no, we will need to get permission before entering Garden
Is the garden accessible	Yes		No		If no, will we try to make an appointment

Gardener's Name

Title (Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss/Other)	
Name (first name & family name)	
Age (young gardener's only)	

Gardener's Email Address To keep competition costs down please supply an email address if you regularly use it

Email Address	
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Gardener's Address and Telephone Number

Address	
Postcode	
Tel No	

Location to be judged if different from above address

Address <small>For Allotments, please include plot number and allotment site</small>	
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Are you happy for photographs of Your Garden to be used by Helston Harvest Fair in presentations, and by the press and on websites? Please mark with a cross in the box

Yes		No		
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Please tell the Judges about Your Garden How does it meet the judges' criteria? Does it have any special features? Does Your Garden have a theme?

If you need more space, please continue on a separate sheet.

NB: The information you have provided will be passed to Helston in bloom Judges and if you are a winner your name could be printed in the local press. Your details will be retained on our database and you may receive information from Helston in Bloom. Your information will not be passed to a third part or used for any other purpose. If you do not wish to be contacted other than in relation to your entry in this year's competition, please put a cross in the box.