

Despite the challenging weather that plagued all gardeners this year past, the annual Walberswick Horticultural Show was a success. The 48 entrants pulled out all the stops to provide 301 entries. This was a great improvement over 2016 when we had 39 entrants with 234 entries. Eight trophies were awarded with Best in Show this year going to that memorable pink cake! The addition of mini trophies for the Junior Classes seems to have encouraged more children to enter.

The Horticultural Committee would like to thank everyone for their tremendous effort and support. The combination of a hardworking committee, enthusiastic exhibitors, and an amazing turnout of viewers in the afternoon make the show a success.

The 2018 schedule which is now out has been updated to include a few new categories. We would like to encourage even more participants this year and hope parents will urge their children to enter the junior classes. The committee always welcomes ideas of new growing and baking categories. *If you have lost your schedule, contact me for a copy and it is posted on the village website.*

So despite a late spring we are looking forward to lots of entries this year. Happy growing and baking!

Betsy Lemmon
Chairman