

Preparing for the Show

To help the show stay on schedule, please consider the following:

- Remove name tags from the plant.
- Fill out entry card a day or two before the show.
- If you are unsure of the name of the cultivar, use “unknown” or check with the books and catalogues available at the show.
- Make sure the pot is clean.
- Remove debris from the top of the soil.
- Remove any leaves, flower stocks or pips that are discoloured.
- Bring a plate/saucer for each entry, if you have them. We do have a few available.
- If showing leaves or flowers, prepare the showing plate before the show, keep the leaves and flowers in a plastic bag in a cool place overnight, or pick fresh in the morning.
- Keep leaves and pips [individual florets] apart on the plates.
- Bring vases for showing flowers with leaves.
- Complete and submit your list of exhibit entries. [This acts as a reference if some details are missed on the judging forms.]