

DEESIDE AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE  
SCOTTISH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

**OPEN**  
**COOKERY, CRAFTS,**  
**PRODUCE & FLORAL ART**  
**EXHIBITION**

**BANCHORY SHOW**  
**FRIDAY 24<sup>th</sup> & SATURDAY 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**JULY 2026**



**Closing Date for Entries**  
**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

**PLEASE SECURELY ATTACH SEALED ENVELOPE WITH NAME,  
ADDRESS AND INSTITUTE (IF APPLICABLE) TO ALL ITEMS**

**OPEN FOR PUBLIC VIEWING: Fri 24<sup>th</sup> 7pm – 9pm & Sat 25<sup>th</sup> 12pm – 4.30pm**

### **RULES**

1. All Sections excluding Sections VII and X can be entered by anyone 16 years of age and over.
2. All Exhibits for Competition must be the work of the Exhibitor and not previously shown at this Show.
3. Competitors not to enter more than one article in any one class.

**4. Each Article to be accompanied by a card securely attached with Competitor's Name, Address and Institute (if a member) enclosed in an envelope, bearing Section number and Class number on each entry.**

5. Every care will be taken of Exhibits, but the Committee do not hold themselves responsible for any loss or damage.

6. Entry Fee – Up to 5 items £1, Over 5 items £2. **PLEASE NOTE:** Cash only with entries

**PLEASE NOTE:** S.W.I. members please give entry money to Institute delegate, if possible. This will be of great assistance at the Show.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Entry Fee for Communal Section VII is £1 and items must be made by 3 or more members.

**PLEASE NOTE:** No Entry Fee for Children's Section.

7. The decision of the Judges shall be final. Any complaint (in writing only) to be lodged only with the Secretary – Mr E Christie.

8. All Entries to be received in the Show Hall between the hours of 1 pm and 2.30 pm on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July. Judging to commence at 2.45 pm on the Friday. Entries not to be removed until 4.30pm on the day of Show.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Exhibits which are not removed from Industrial Hall are at Owner's risk – but can be collected from Mrs. J. Christie (Tel.: 01330 823725).

**9. All ENTRY FORMS TO BE SENT TO MRS J CHRISTIE, 42 ST NICHOLAS DRIVE, BANCHORY, AB31 5YG (Email: [julie.christie@bopenworld.com](mailto:julie.christie@bopenworld.com), Tel: 01330 823725) BY MONDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY 2026 (to allow us to allocate sufficient space for each article). All Prize Money shall be paid out on show day.**

**2026 Judges to be confirmed**

**Industrial Convener:** LYNDA SMITH, Lumphanan. Tel: 013398 83210

**Industrial Treasurer:** JULIE CHRISTIE, 42 St Nicholas Drive, Banchory, Tel: 01330 823725

**Show Secretary:** ERNIE CHRISTIE,  
36 Partan Skelly Way, Cove, AB12 3PH Tel: 07763 413574

### **OTHER COMMITTEE**

Jess Gibb, Carol Melvin, Christine Middleton, Winnie Reid, Jane Winton

Special Prize of £5 for the Best Exhibit in Sections I. and II.

Special Prize of £5 for the Best Exhibit in Sections III. and IV.

Special Prize of £5 for the Best Exhibit in Section V.

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Special Prize of £5 for the Best Exhibit in Section VIII.

Special Prize of £5 for the Best Exhibit in Section IX.

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Special Prize of £5 from the Association to the Competitor with Most Points in Sections I. to IV.

Special Prize of £5 from the Association to the Competitor with Most Points in Sections V. and VI.

Special Prize of £5 from the Association to the Competitor with Most Points in Section VIII.

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Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Mrs James Burnett, Littlewood, Aboyne to be held for one year by Institute gaining Most Points.

£5 will be awarded by the Association to the Institute gaining Most Points.

Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Mrs Paull, Dalvenie, Banchory to be held for one year by the Institute gaining Most Points in Industrial Section (excluding Cookery).

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Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Mrs. R. Bond for Institute gaining Most Points in Industrial Sections V. and VI.

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**Section I. – Sewing**

Class	Prizes –	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1. Child’s Painting Apron using a pre-loved shirt	£4	£3	£2	£1	
2. Sewn Item using one metre of fabric	£4	£3	£2	£1	

**Section II. – Knitting & Crochet**

3. Child’s Jumper on a circular needle (any ply)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
4. Knitted Cushion Cover with pad (any ply)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
5. Wool Crochet Granny Square Sleeveless Top	£4	£3	£2	£1	
6. Wool Crochet Poppy	£4	£3	£2	£1	

The Late Margaret Cromar Trophy, to be held for one year, for Best Exhibit in Sections I and II

**Section III. and IV. – Handicrafts**

7. Cross Body Bag (any material)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
8. A Celebration Card in Cross Stitch	£4	£3	£2	£1	
9. A Memory Teddy Bear	£4	£3	£2	£1	
10. A Painted Wine Bottle	£4	£3	£2	£1	
11. A Pebble Picture (framed max 9”)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
12. Photo of Dusk (unmounted 5” x 7”)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
13. A Pencil Drawing of a Car (A4 size)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
14. A Piece of Jewellery in fine cotton	£4	£3	£2	£1	
15. Patchwork Quilt (36”square, no embellishments, fabric & wadding must be machine washable & tumble dryable – can be donated to <a href="http://www.projectlinusuk.org.uk">www.projectlinusuk.org.uk</a> )	£4	£3	£2	£1	
16. Decorated T-shirt	£4	£3	£2	£1	

The Abernethy Cup, to be held for one year, for Best Exhibit in Sections III. and IV.

**Section V – Cookery**

17. 3 Tattie Scones	£4	£3	£2	£1	
18. 3 Sweet Oven Scones	£4	£3	£2	£1	
19. 3 Sultana Pancakes	£4	£3	£2	£1	
20. 3 Savoury Oat Biscuits	£4	£3	£2	£1	
21. 2 Bagels	£4	£3	£2	£1	
22. 1 Small Focaccia Bread	£4	£3	£2	£1	
23. 2 Strawberry Tarts (shortcrust pastry)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
24. 2 Slices of Yoghurt Loaf (using recipe supplied)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
25. A Wedge of Fatless Sponge (unfilled)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
26. 3 Custard Creams	£4	£3	£2	£1	
27. 2 Pieces of No Bake Traybake	£4	£3	£2	£1	
28. 2 Slices of Meat / Savoury Loaf	£4	£3	£2	£1	
29. 2 Devilled Eggs	£4	£3	£2	£1	
30. 1 Small Individual Pizza	£4	£3	£2	£1	
31. A Small Dish of Salsa	£4	£3	£2	£1	
32. Individual Chocolate Mousse	£4	£3	£2	£1	

33. **Men Only** – 2 Slices of Gingerbread ... .. £4 £3 £2 £1

Special Prize Donated by Moira Garden for Best Mens Exhibit in Class 33

Isabel Cumming Memorial Cup to be held for 1 year by the Exhibitor with Most Points in Section V

### **Section VI – Preserves**

34. Glass Jar (Cellophane Top) Raspberry Jam ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
35. Glass Jar (Cellophane Top) Apple & Bramble Jelly ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
36. Glass Jar (Cellophane Top) Plum Jam ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
37. Glass Jar (Cellophane Top) Orange Marmalade ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
38. Small Bottle of Plum Liquor ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
39. Small Jar of Fruit Chutney ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1
40. Small Jar of Caramel Sauce ... ..	£4	£3	£2	£1

The Tilquhillie Rose Bowl, to be held for one year, by Exhibitor with the Most Points in Section VI.

### **Section VII – Communal for S.W.I.s**

**Items in this Class must be made by 3 or more members.**

**Merry Christmas** ... .. £10 £8 £6 £5

1. Sewn Item
2. Christmas Cracker (any craft)
3. Item of Own Choice (any craft)
4. 3 Sweet Mincemeat Pies
5. Small dish of Cranberry Sauce
6. Item of Own Choice - Food Item

Background & Accessories Allowed. Space Allowed 3ft.

Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Mrs G Anderson, to be held for one year by the Institute gaining Most Points from Items 1 – 3.

Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Miss M A Young, Fairfield, Banchory, to be held for one year by the Institute gaining Most Points from Items 4 – 6.

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**Section VIII – Floral Art**

Class	Prizes -	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
41. Commonwealth Games - accessories allowed (max width 24")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
42. Foliage Arrangement (width 18")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
43. Get Ahead Arrangement – accessories allowed (width 18")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
44. Tiny Treasure (max 4" x 4" x 4")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
45. Contemporary Arrangement (max width 18")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
46. Arrangement in a Sports Shoe (max width 18")	£4	£3	£2	£1	
47. Small Table Centre (Beginners Only)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
48. Display of Floating Flower Heads	£4	£3	£2	£1	
49. Wrist Corsage	£4	£3	£2	£1	

**PLEASE NOTE:** Winner of Special Prize in Class 47 (Beginners) cannot compete in that Class again.

Silver Challenge Cup presented by the late Mrs. A. D. Coutts. to be held for one year by Competitor for Best Exhibit in Floral Section.

Silver Rose Bowl presented by the late Mr. E. Abernethy, to be held for one year by Competitor gaining Most Points in Floral Section.

Candelabra – “Cut Flowers by Sadie Trophy” – Perpetual Trophy for Institute with Most Points in Floral Art Section.

The Anne Christie Memorial Trophy for Best Miniature Floral Art.

Silver Rose Bowl – Perpetual Trophy presented by Margaret Jaffray for Best Exhibit for Beginners (Class 47).

**Section IX – Produce**

Class	Prizes -	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
50. 3 Hens Eggs ( <b>spare saucer for cracking into</b> )	£4	£3	£2	£1	
51. 6 Gooseberries	£4	£3	£2	£1	
52. 3 Stalks of Rhubarb	£4	£3	£2	£1	
53. 4 Cherry Tomatoes	£4	£3	£2	£1	
54. 4 Potatoes (one variety)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
55. 4 Vegetables displayed on an 8" cakeboard (two varieties)	£4	£3	£2	£1	
56. Coriander in a 4" Pot	£4	£3	£2	£1	

Peter Rose Bowl presented by Mrs B Peter for Competitor gaining Most Points in Produce Section

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**Section X.–Childrens’ Section**

**PLEASE NOTE: NO ENTRY FEE FOR CHILDREN  
Children’s Prize Money paid out on show day**

Class	Prizes –	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
<b>UNDER 5</b>					
57. Playdough Animal ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
58. Edible Necklace ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
<b>AGE 5 - 8</b>					
59. Vegetable Animal ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
60. Christmas Card (no computer work) ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
61. 2 Chocolate Crispies ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
<b>AGE 9-12 YEARS</b>					
62. Lego Model ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
63. Pencil Sketch of an Animal (A4 size) ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
64. 2 Pieces of Rocky Road ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
<b>AGE 13-15 YEARS</b>					
65. Photograph of an Animal with Caption (max photo size 5” x 7”) ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
66. Farmyard in a baking tray (max 12” x 9”) ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	
67. 2 Custard Creams ... ..	£2.50	£2	£1.50	£1	

Special Prize of £4 to be paid to the Best Exhibit in Each Age Group in the Childrens Section

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## YOGHURT LOAF RECIPE

1 x carton of yoghurt  
2 cartons of castor sugar  
3 cartons of SR flour  
100g margarine  
3 eggs

Melt margarine in a pan.

Add in all the other ingredients with the beaten egg.

Pour in to a 2lb loaf tin

Bake at 180C / 350F for 50 minutes