

Bucks Vision Showcase

Friday 27 July 2018 11.00am- 3.00pm

Meadowcroft and Quarrendon Community Centre (next to BucksVision Office), 147 Meadowcroft, Aylesbury, HP19 9HH



INTRODUCTION

Back in 1965 BucksVision started an annual arts and crafts competition which was known as the Ellen Margaret de Fraine competition. After a hiatus of a year we are re-launching the competition under a new name- the **BucksVision Showcase**.

The BucksVision Showcase will be a day full of entertainment and friendly competition. In this programme you will find an outline of the day, information on the classes you can enter into and the competition guidelines.

Everyone is invited to come along, so whether you would like to enter or would like to just experience the day we would love to hear from you.

11.00am	Welcome
11.10am	Musical performances
11.30am	Quiz
12.30pm	Challenge 30
-	Each group is given same set of craft material and is challenged to make something in 30 minutes.
12.30pm-	Craft demonstrations
2.00pm	A chance to try out crafts and watch artists in action
1.00pm	Lunch
	Exhibit Area open
2.15pm	Entertainment
2.45pm	Trophies awarded
3.00pm	Close of day

CLASSES

MUSIC SECTION

Class 1 Musical Performance

Any form of musical performance e.g. Singing, recital, playing instruments, dancing One performance by a single person, a duo or a group. Time limit: **3 Minutes Maximum**



COOKERY SECTION

Class 2 Victoria Sponge Cake

Using own recipe. Use tin size 7" or 8".

Class 3 | Ginger Biscuits

Using own recipe. Please present 12 biscuits.

CRAFTS SECTION

Class 4 | Crochet - Any item

Any crocheted items such as garments, blankets, hats etc.

Class 5 Knitting – Any item

Any knitted item such as garments, blankets, hats, etc.

Class 6 Toys

Toy may be in any material, including knitted toys

Class 7 | Accessories

Can be made from any material. Including necklaces, scarves, jewellery, brooches etc.

Class 8 | Ceramics

Any subject made of material including clay, mosaic, salt dough.

Class 9 Greetings cards

Greeting cards made from any material.

Class 10 | Paper Craft

Any item made completely of paper, including origami.

Class 11 | Collages

Made with any material.

Class 12 | Second Time Around

Item made from re-cycled goods.

Class 13 Miscellaneous Craft Work

For anything not already included in Classes 4-12.

ART & PHOTOGRAPHY SECTION

Class 14 | Painting & Sketching

Open subject – must be own work and signed and dated by the artist.

Class 15 | Photography

Open subject. Photo no bigger than 10" x 8". Can be in colour or black & white, mounted on card.

Class 16 | Miscellaneous Art Work

Anything not included in Classes 14 or 15.

HORTICULTURAL SECTION

Class 17 | Three Blooms

Own grown, in own vase.

Class 18 | Hanging Baskets

Basket must be 12" or smaller. We are unable to display larger baskets.

Class 19 | Floral Table Arrangement

Strictly no more than 12" wide, 12" high. Can be made with artificial or fresh flowers.

GROUP SECTION

Class 20 | Group Article

Any item worked on by at least 3 members. No bigger than 3ft by 3ft.

HOW TO ENTER

To enter the BucksVision Showcase please request an entry form from the office or call us to complete a form over the phone.

Please return entry forms to:

BucksVision

143 Meadowcroft Aylesbury HP19 9HH

Telephone: 01296 487556

Closing date for entries is 29 June 2018

COMPETITION GUIDELINES

Only one entry per class per person.

There are a number of differing levels of sight loss which affect people in a number of different ways so to make the competition as fair as possible there are four categories into which you can enter:

- 1. Non-Registered (NR): anyone who has a serious sight condition but hasn't been certified with a sight impairment.
- 2. Partially Sighted (PS): anyone registered as Partially Sighted/Sight Impaired (SI).
- 3. Blind (B): anyone registered as Blind/Severely Sight Impaired (SSI)
- **4. Totally Blind (TB)**: anyone with only light perception or no sight at all.

NB If not enough entries are received in a category for a class BucksVision will merge categories to make the class more competitive.

Each category in each class will be judged and awarded First, Second and Third placed certificates. In addition the judges will also award a trophy for the following categories:

Best In Show (across all of the categories)
Best Cookery Entry
Best Craft Entry
Best Art Entry
Best Horticultural Entry
Best Group Entry
Winner of the Quiz

BEFORE THE DAY

You will receive a label to attach to your exhibit this will record your name, the class and the category you have entered into.

Labels will be colour coded by category to help with easy identification:

NR- Green

PS-Blue

B-Red

TB- White

You will also receive a map to the venue and the location of where your class will be displayed within the venue.

ON THE DAY

Please arrive from 10.15am onwards to place your exhibits ready for judging. There will be people available to assist you.

Judging will take place from 11am and the exhibit area will be closed during this time.

The exhibit area will be open from 1.00pm and exhibits can be removed from 2.30pm.

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