

NEDA North Of England Dahlia Association

**64th Annual Open Show 2025
Held at St Philips Community Centre,
Briarlyn Road, Birchencliffe
. Near Huddersfield
HD3 3NP
off at junction 24 M62**

**Sunday 7th September 2025
Judge
C Hamnett
The show will be open to the Public from
1-30pm**

**Entry Fees
50p per class**

**NEDA Membership Subscriptions
Membership Fee / Partnerships £5**

Class 1

NEDA Championship

Three Giant or Large Dahlias (one vase or three)
And Three vases from the following classes 10,
11,12,16,17,19,20,21,22 or 23 one variety per vase.

Class 2

Four vases of Dahlias Three Blooms per vase one
variety per vase. If using pompons 55mm they are
5 blooms per vase

Class 3

Two vases.

One vase of three blooms, Small Cactus/Semi
Cactus Dahlias

One vase of three blooms, Small Decorative
Dahlias

One variety per vase

Class 4

Two Vases of Medium Cactus or Semi Cactus
Dahlias Three blooms per vase Two varieties, one
variety per Vase.

Class 5

Two Vases of Miniature Decorative Dahlias Three
blooms per vase Two varieties, one variety per
Vase.

Class 6

Six Giant Decorative Dahlias. In separate vases.

Class 7

Three Giant Decorative Dahlias, in separate vases.

Class 8

One Giant Decorative Dahlia.

Class 9

One vase, Three Large Decorative Dahlias.

Class 10

One vase, Three Medium Decorative Dahlias.

Class 11

One Vase, Three Small Decorative Dahlias.

Class 12

One Vase, Three Miniature Decorative Dahlias.

Class 13

Three Giant Cactus or Semi Cactus Dahlias in
separate vases.

Class 14

One Giant Cactus or Semi Cactus Dahlia.

Class 15

One Vase, Three Large Cactus or Semi Cactus
Dahlias.

Class 16

One Vase, Three Medium Cactus or Semi Cactus
Dahlias.

Class 17

One Vase, Three Small or Miniature Cactus or Semi
Cactus Dahlias.

Class 18

One Vase, Three Small or Miniature Cactus or Semi
Cactus Dahlias. Excluding Kiwi Gloria and Kiwi
sports.

Class 19

One Vase, Three Small Ball Dahlias.

Class 20

One Vase, Three Miniature Ball Dahlias.

Class 21

One Vase, Five Pompon Dahlias 55mm

Class 22

One Vase, Three Large Pompon Dahlias.

Class 23

One Vase, Three Waterlily Dahlias.

Class 24

One Vase, Three Collarette Dahlias.

Class 25

One Vase, Three Miniature Decorative Dahlias,
three separate varieties.

Class 26

One Specimen Dahlia bloom. Restricted to two
entries per exhibitor.

Class 27

Seedling or Sport, One Bloom or Giant or Large
Dahlia. Three blooms of Medium, Small, Miniature
or Pompon Dahlias. Which are not in commerce.

Class 28

One Vase, Three Blooms, Three Varieties one
Classification.

Class 29

A display of not less than Twelve Dahlias arranged.
Judged 50% frontal effect 50% quality of blooms no

artificial supports, **must** contain other plant foliage, own container allowed. Not judged to NDS rules.

Class 30

Only open to exhibitors who haven't won a class before at a previous NEDA show. One Vase, Three Dahlias any Classifications.

Special Awards

The NDS Silver Medal and NEDA Shield for the best exhibit in show.

The Stocksbridge Award and NDS Bronze medal for the best Cactus or Semi cactus Dahlias in show.

The Oscroft Award and NDS Bronze medal for the best vase of Decorative, Ball, Pompon, Waterlily or Collarette Dahlias in show

The Gerrad Peters Award for most points in show.

The Armitage Award for the Best newcomer in show.

Prize Money

Classes 1 and 2	1st £15	2nd £10	3rd £5
Classes 3 to 6	1st £10	2nd £5	3rd £3
Classes 7 to 30	1st £5	2nd £3	3rd £2

Show Rules

1. Staging will be on the show date. Vasing up from 8am. Staging from 8-30 am to 11-45am. Entries taken up to 11-30am Entry forms from show secretary.
2. All varieties to be named on the cards provided except in class 27 and 29.
3. The society will not be responsible for any damage to the property of the exhibitor. But normal care will be taken.
4. The Hall will be cleared at 11-45am. At the discretion of the show manager for Judging.
5. The decision of the Judge on the merits of the exhibits will be final.
6. The points awarded are as follows Classes 1,2,3,4,5,6 and 28, 1st 5, 2nd 3, 3rd 2 points. All other classes 1st 3, 2nd 2, 3rd 1
7. The Show manager reserves the right to refuse any entries.
8. Anyone objecting to an award should do so in writing to the show secretary before 2.30pm, Whose decision will be final.
9. All exhibits will be judged to NDS rules except class 29
10. All seedlings and sports exhibited shall be in the name of the raiser.

Entry Form

Entry Number (office use)

Entries taken on the day until 1-30am

Name.....

Address.....

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Telephone number

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Email address

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Class Number	Number of Entries	Class Number	Number of Entries	Total
1		16		
2		17		
3		18		
4		19		
5		20		
6		21		
7		22		
8		23		
9		24		
10		25		
11		26		
12		27		
13		28		
14		29		
15		30		
Membership Subscription			£5.00	
	50p per entry	Total		

