

WAKEFIELD & NORTH OF ENGLAND TULIP SOCIETY
THE ANNUAL SHOW - 9TH MAY 2026

VASE CLASSES (classes 1 to 8 not English Florists' tulips)

- 1 **The John Hardman Memorial Vase** Vase of 18 Tulips (one variety)
 2 **The Perkin Trophy** Vase of 9 Tulips (one variety)
 3 Vase of 3 tulips, pink, red or orange (one variety)
 4 Vase of 3 tulips, white, cream or yellow (one variety)
 5 Vase of 3 tulips, brown, purple or black (one variety)
 6 Vase of 3 tulips, viridiflora (one variety)
 7 Vase of 3 tulips, not in one of the above classes 3 - 6 (one variety)
 8 Vase of 5 tulips (species or small-flowered) (exhibitors are invited to bring a suitable container in which to display their species tulips)
The F R Hunter Cup for the most points in Classes 2 – 8
Peter Emmett Trophy for the best exhibit in Classes 2 – 8
- 9 Vase of 12 English Florist Tulips
 10 Vase of 6 English Florist Tulips

OPEN CLASSES

- 11 **THE EYRE FAMILY TROPHY**
 Stand of 12 Breeders (different varieties)
 Four Bizarres - Four Bybloemens - Four Roses
- 12 **NEEDHAM MEMORIAL CUP**
 Stand of 12 rectified English Tulips (all dissimilar)
 Four Bizarres i.e. Two Flamed and Two Feathered
 Four Bybloemens i.e. Two Flamed and Two Feathered
 Four Roses i.e. Two Flamed and Two Feathered
 (Flamed and Feathered of one variety is accepted as dissimilar but preference will be given to 12 different varieties of the same quality)
- 13 **ROYLES JUBILEE CUP**
 Stand of 9 Breeders (different varieties)
 Three Bizarres - Three Bybloemens - Three Roses
- 14 **LOCAL SILVER CHALLENGE CUP**
 Stand of 9 English Florist Tulips (all dissimilar)
 Three Bizarres, one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered
 Three Bybloemens, one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered
 Three Roses, one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered
- 15 **SILVER CHALLENGE CUP**
 Stand of 6 rectified English Florist Tulips
 Two Bizarres, one Flamed and one Feathered
 Two Bybloemens, one Flamed and one Feathered
 Two Roses, one Flamed and one Feathered
- 16 **THE G.S. HUNTER MEMORIAL CUP**
 Stand of 6 Breeders (different varieties) Two Bizarres - Two Bybloemens - Two Roses
 Must be named varieties, unnamed seedlings not allowed
- 17 **STAGES CUP**
 Pan of 3 stages, one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered
 Must be of one colour i.e. all Bizarres, Bybloemens or Roses
 Preference given to blooms of the same variety and quality
- 18 **SILVER PLATE**
 For a pan of 3 Breeders - One Bizarre - One Bybloemen - One Rose
- 19 Three Flamed } one each of the three recognised colours -
 20 Three Feathered } Bizarre, Bybloemen, and Rose

- 21 Pair of Flamed } a pair must consist of two of the three recognised colours -
 22 Pair of Feathered } Bizarre, Bybloemen, and Rose
- 23 One Breeder } The "**COCHRANE OF CULTS VASE**"
 24 One Flamed } will be awarded to the best
 25 One Feathered } bloom in classes 23-25

THE JIM AKERS MEMORIAL GOBLET, awarded to the exhibitor with most points in Classes 11-25

SEEDLING CLASSES

- 26 **SEEDLING CUP** One Seedling Breeder or Rectified raised by the exhibitor
 27 Three Seedling Breeders (one from each colour class)

NOVICE CLASSES - Open only to members who have not won the Novice Cup

- 28 Pan of Three, one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered
 29 One Breeder
 30 One Flamed
 31 One Feathered
 32 **THE GINA ROOZEN CUP** For a pan of 3 Breeders - One Bizarre - One Bybloemen - One Rose

THE BROOK SILVER CHALLENGE CUP (the 'Novice Cup') and a glass goblet are awarded to the novice who has most points in classes 28 - 32

THE DUDMASTON PLATE is awarded for the Premier Bloom in the Novice Classes.

EXTRA OPEN CLASSES - Open only to members who have not won more than one first prize in the equivalent of classes 11 - 25 over the last two years, or gained the most points in the Extra Open Classes in the previous year. If unsure, please check eligibility with the Show Manager.

- 33 One Breeder
 34 One Flamed
 35 One Feathered
 36 Pan of 3 stages - one Breeder, one Flamed, one Feathered - Must be of one colour i.e. all Bizarres, Bybloemens or Roses. Preference given to blooms of the same variety and quality.

The S. KNOWLES CUP is awarded for best bloom in classes 33 - 36

A glass goblet is awarded for the most points in classes 33 – 36

FLORAL DISPLAY CLASS

37 A 'boutonniere' - or buttonhole, to include at least one tulip, with any accompanying foliage and decoration of your choice. Marks awarded for imagination and creativity.

PREMIER BLOOMS in the Show

For the best Breeder THE KEITH EYRE TROPHY
For the best Flamed THE WENDY AKERS TROPHY
For the best Feathered THE JAMES AKERS TROPHY
THE ALBERT TEAR MEMORIAL TROPHY to be given for the overall Premier Bloom.
THE TURNER MEMORIAL TROPHY for the best *Tulipa* 'Sam Barlow' in the show.

The ELIZABETH SMITH SILVER MEDAL will be awarded to the best exhibitor under 18 years old on show day.

Points are awarded as follows: -

Vase Classes 2 – 8 Points 3; 2; 1.
Open Classes 11 and 12 Points 6; 4; 2, Classes 13 - 25 Points 3; 2; 1.
Novice Class 28 Points 6; 4; 2, Classes 29- 32 Points 4; 2; 1.
Extra Classes 33 - 35 Points 3; 2; 1. Class 36 Points 6; 4; 2.
No points are awarded for classes 1, 9, 10, 26, 27 and 37.

THE DAWSON-BROWN TROPHY will be awarded to the exhibitor with most points gained in the Ancient Society of York Florists' Spring Show (Sections A to D) and Classes 11 to 36 above.

Exhibitors may enter up to two blooms in single bloom classes. Exhibitors wishing to make up to two entries in other English Florists' tulips classes may do so providing they obtain a second exhibitor number for the additional entry or entries.

All exhibits should be named.

No decoration is allowed in any class (Classes 1 – 36) but moss may be used as a packing material.

Where entries are made under two or more exhibitor names the first name only will be used for any engraving.