DISLEY & DISTRICT FLOWER CLUB

Newsletter July 2023

The Demonstrator tonight is Alison Cooper with "A form of Nature" Welcome to any visitors £9.

July

15th Open Garden in Poynton. Linda Martin is opening her garden in support of Disley & Wilmslow Guild Flower Clubs as well as The Christie. The garden is open from 2pm with refreshments available at 40, Lostock Avenue, Poynton SK12 1DR.

19th - 23rd RHS Tatton Park Show

August

Workshop for Disley Horticultural Show with either Chris O'Hara or Sylvia or Chris M. This year, to complement the overall theme of Coronation, the club's display will be 'Jewel Colours'. Do please support the club, even if you can't attend the workshop, by bringing an arrangement on Friday evening 11th August.

12th Disley Horticultural Show www.dlhs@weebly.com, at The Disley Amalgamated Club on Jackson's Edge Road Disley SK12 2JR open 12noon 'til 5pm.

17th – 20th Southport Flower Show.

September

13th Club Night. Kathleen Williams has been kind enough to agree to demonstrate for us as Lucy Richardson has cancelled.

7th – **9**th Interflora World Competitions at Manchester Central Convention Complex, an incredibly exciting opportunity, equivalent and then some to WAFAS.

Information about The Interflora World Cup 2023

This is a once in a lifetime chance to see the world's best. The Interflora World cup is coming to the UK for the first time ever! This September 20 incredibly talented floral designers from across the globe will meet in Manchester for the world's most prestigious floristry competition, to battle it out for the title of world champion. Experience flowers like you've never seen them before and witness astonishing skill from all the corners of the world. A chance to be inspired, feel creative and enjoy some fabulous floral fun.

Also, NAFAS has been given a marquee there in which demonstrators from Cheshire and North West are performing. The Flower Arranger is on sale and there will be lots of promotion for Flower Clubs. The demonstration team has now been finalised: David Ryland, Don Billington, Ken Hough, Sara Barrow, Patti Dawson, Beryl Cotton, Louise Jones, Julie Pearson, Debbie Davies.

Tickets are available on the www.interflora.co.uk/worldcup website. As well as the competitions there will be talks and demonstrations, live music, Artisan food and drink stalls and shopping opportunities including floral sundries from the continent etc. Daytime tickets are £28 but there are other options available.

Information about Social Media

At last! We now have a dedicated Facebook Page for our Club https://www.facebook.com/groups/disleyflowerclub.

Or simply search Facebook for Disley & District Flower Club

Once you join the group you can be kept up to date with floral events, members' flower design activity, pictures from club night demonstrations, floral design competition entries and more.

The Facebook page will flourish if you like, comment on what's there, or even post something floral yourself.

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Note: By supplying images you are agreeing to their use on the Disley & District Flower Club Facebook page.

Going forward, anyone who's happy to help post content to the page please talk to Sandra in person.