

Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Society

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1994 RESULTS REGISTER

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1994 TROPHY WINNERS

R. Harland Challenge Cup (Champion Berry)	- B. Harland
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J. E. Raw Challenge Cup (Heaviest Twelve)	- B. Harland
H. Welford Cup (Heaviest Six)	- D. Ventress
J. Spenceley Memorial Trophy (Maiden Six)	- D. Bint
R. D. Swales Memorial Trophy (Four Colours)	- A. Clark
W. Graham Challenge Cup (Champion Grower)	- B. Nellist

REGISTER OF ENTRIES

KEY TO COLOUR OF GOOSEBERRY: G=Green, R=Red, W=White, Y=Yellow

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS	GOOSEBERRY	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
1	B. Harland	Open	Y Woodpecker	31	22	Champion Berry & 1st yellow
2	B. Nellist	Open	G Surprise	28	0	1st Green
3	B. Harland	Open	G Surprise	27	14	
4	B. Nellist	Open	Y Woodpecker	27	7	
5	D. Ventress	Open	R Lord Derby	26	3	1st Red
6	B. Harland	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	25	26	
7	R. W. Bennison	Open	Y Edith Cavell	25	14	2nd Yellow
8	T. H. Hartley	Maiden	Y Woodpecker	25	13	3rd Yellow & 1st Maiden
9	D. Swales	Open	G Surprise	24	21	2nd Green
10	C. Gray	Open	Y Woodpecker	24	17	
	B. Nellist	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	24	17	
12	F. Beswick	Open	Y Firbob	24	14	
13	B. Nellist	Open	R Blackden Gem	24	4	
14	F. Beswick	Open	R Lord Derby	23	22	2nd Red
	H. Welford	Open	Y Woodpecker	23	22	Best Beaten Berry
16	E. Preston	Open	R Blackden Gem	23	21	3rd Red
17	Mrs. S. Ingleby	Open	G Surprise	23	20	3rd Green
18	D. Swales	Open	Y Firbob	23	15	
19	F. Beswick	Open	G Surprise	23	11	
20	D. Ventress	Open	Y Firbob	23	9	
21	A. Clark	Open	R Blackden Gem	23	5	
	D. Ventress	Open	W Lord Kitchener	23	5	
23	Mrs. M. Clark	Open	R Lord Derby	23	0	
24	A. R. Nichols	Open	Y Firbob	22	23	
25	D. Swales	Open	R Lord Derby	22	22	
26	C. Gray	Open	R Blackden Gem	22	19	
27	A. Clark	Open	Y Firbob	22	18	
28	B. Pearce	Maiden	W Transparent	22	17	1st White & 2nd Maiden
29	C. Gray	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	22	10	2nd White
30	T. Brown	Open	G Surprise	22	8	
31	D. Bint	Maiden	Y Woodpecker	22	4	3rd Maiden
	W. S. Lethem	Maiden	G Surprise	22	4	3rd Maiden
33	J. Ward	Open	G Surprise	22	2	
34	E. Preston	Open	G Surprise	22	1	
35	D. Swales	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	21	18	
36	C. Gray	Open	G Surprise	21	15	
37	Mrs. M. Clark	Open	G Surprise	21	13	
	F. Stonehouse	Open	Y Woodpecker	21	13	
39	Mrs. S. Ingleby	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	21	10	
40	H. Hebdon	Open	G Surprise	21	8	
41	F. W. Addison	Maiden	G Surprise	21	7	
42	J. Ward	Open	W Fascination	21	1	3rd White
43	J. Buxton	Maiden	G Surprise	21	0	
44	A. Clark	Open	G Surprise	20	22	
	Mrs. M. Clark	Open	W Fascination	20	22	
46	B. Harland	Open	R Blackden Gem	20	21	
47	Mrs. J. Brierley	Maiden	W Lord Kitchener	20	18	
	F. Stonehouse	Open	G Surprise	20	18	
49	H. Welford	Open	G Surprise	20	11	
50	W. S. Lethem	Maiden	R Lord Derby	20	9	

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS	GOOSEBERRY	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
51	D.Mullins	Maiden	Y Woodpecker	20	8	
52	G.Thompson	Open	W Fascination	20	7	
53	J.S.Norris	Maiden	W Kathryn Hartley	20	0	
54	H.Fishpool	Maiden	G Surprise	19	26	
55	R.Potter	Maiden	R Just Betty	19	25	
56	J.S.Norris	Maiden	G Surprise	19	24	
57	W.S.Lethem	Maiden	Y Firbob	19	23	
58	R.W.Bennison	Open	W Lord Kitchener	19	22	
59	H.Hebdon	Open	R Lord Derby	19	17	
60	F.R.Muxlow	Maiden	Y Leveller	19	16	
61	Mrs.M.Clark	Open	Y Firbob	19	14	
62	B.Pearce	Maiden	Y Woodpecker	19	13	
63	D.Bint	Maiden	R Blackden Gem	19	12	
64	F.W.Addison	Maiden	R Lord Derby	19	7	
65	F.W.Addison	Maiden	W Kathryn Hartley	19	6	
	F.Scarth	Maiden	R Blackden Gem	19	6	
67	T.Brown	Open	W Lord Kitchener	19	4	
68	H.Hebdon	Open	Y Firbob	19	3	
69	A.Clark	Open	W Fascination	19	1	
70	Mrs.S.Ingleby	Open	R Blackden Gem	18	26	
71	T.Brown	Open	R London	18	22	
	J.Ward	Open	Y Woodpecker	18	22	
73	H.Fishpool	Maiden	R Lord Derby	18	19	
	Mrs.W.Spenceley	Open	Y Firbob	18	19	
75	J.S.Norris	Maiden	Y Firbob	18	17	
76	F.Stonehouse	Open	R Lord Derby	18	13	
	D.Ventress	Open	G Village Green	18	13	
78	A.R.Nichols	Open	G Admiral Beatty	18	8	
79	F.Scarth	Maiden	G Surprise	18	7	
80	D.Burton	Maiden	Y Woodpecker	18	6	
	D.Burton	Maiden	G Surprise	18	6	
82	C.Sanderson	Open	R Lord Derby	18	5	
83	C.Sanderson	Open	G Surprise	18	4	
84	J.Buxton	Maiden	Y Firbob	18	2	
85	R.W.Bennison	Open	R Lord Derby	18	0	
	H.Welford	Open	W Kathryn Hartley	18	0	
87	F.Stonehouse	Open	W Fascination	17	24	
88	F.W.Addison	Maiden	G Surprise	17	20	
89	M.Beswick	Maiden	W Lord Kitchener	17	18	
90	A.Ward	Maiden	G Surprise	17	12	
91	A.Burton	Maiden	G Surprise	17	10	
92	H.Welford	Open	R Lord Derby	17	7	
93	B.Pearce	Maiden	G Surprise	17	6	
94	C.Sanderson	Open	Y Woodpecker	17	4	
95	Mrs.J.Brierley	Maiden	Y Leveller	17	2	
96	Mrs.J.Bennison	Open	G Surprise	16	26	
97	Mrs.M.Pickering	Open	Y Firbob	16	24	
98	B.Pearce	Maiden	R Lord Derby	16	16	
99	Mrs.M.Pickering	Open	G Surprise	16	13	
100	G.Wright	Maiden	Y Firbob	16	12	

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS		GOOSEBERRY	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
101	Mrs.W.Spenceley	Open	R	Lord Derby	16	7	
102	Mrs.J.Bennison	Open	W	Fascination	16	4	
103	P.Redway	Open	Y	Woodpecker	15	25	
104	J.S.Morris	Maiden	R	Blackden Gem	15	24	
105	Mrs.J.Brierley	Maiden	G	Surprise	15	22	
	R.Potter	Maiden	W	Kathryn Hartley	15	22	
107	A.Burton	Maiden	W	Lord Kitchener	15	21	
108	A.Ward	Maiden	R	Blackden Gem	15	20	
109	G.Thompson	Open	R	Lord Derby	15	18	
110	J.Moore	Maiden	G	Surprise	15	15	
	A.Ward	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	15	15	
112	E.Whitwell	Maiden	G	Surprise	15	13	
113	G.Wright	Maiden	G	Surprise	15	12	
114	M.Beswick	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	15	10	
115	F.R.Muxlow	Maiden	G	Admiral Beatty	15	5	
116	H.Ayres	Open	G	Surprise	15	1	
117	A.Burton	Maiden	Y	Leveller	15	1	
118	T.Waite	Maiden	G	Surprise	14	26	
119	R.W.Bennison	Open	G	Surprise	14	25	
120	J.Moore	Maiden	W	Transparent	14	20	
121	F.Ward	Maiden	G	Surprise	14	17	
122	Mrs.J.Bennison	Open	Y	Woodpecker	14	12	
	R.Potter	Maiden	Y	Firbob	14	12	
124	A.Burton	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	14	11	
125	J.Moore	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	14	10	
126	M.Mullins	Maiden	G	Surprise	13	25	
	Mrs.M.Pickering	Open	R	Blackden Gem	13	25	
128	D.Burton	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	13	24	
	G.Thompson	Open	Y	Leveller	13	24	
	G.Thompson	Open	G	Surprise	13	24	
131	R.Potter	Maiden	G	Surprise	13	15	
132	T.Lenton	Maiden	G	Surprise	13	10	
133	F.Ward	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	13	5	
134	Mrs.W.Spenceley	Open	W	Transparent	13	4	
	E.Whitwell	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	13	4	
136	Mrs.W.Spenceley	Open	G	Surprise	12	26	
137	I.R.Wilson	Maiden	G	Surprise	12	25	
138	Mrs.J.Brierley	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	12	18	
139	P.Redway	Open	G	Surprise	12	14	
140	D.Wilson	Maiden	R	Blucher	12	14	
	E.Whitwell	Maiden	W	Transparent	12	14	
142	P.Redway	Open	W	Kathryn Hartley	12	8	
143	M.Mullins	Maiden	Y	Firbob	11	24	
144	H.Ayres	Open	R	Blackden Gem	11	19	
145	D.Wilson	Maiden	G	Surprise	11	12	
146	Mrs.J.Bennison	Open	R	Lord Derby	11	10	
147	T.Lenton	Maiden	W	Transparent	11	8	
148	H.Ayres	Open	W	Lord Kitchener	11	1	
149	Mrs.M.Pickering	Open	W	Transparent	10	20	
150	T.Waite	Maiden	Y	Firbob	10	10	
151	I.R.Wilson	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	10	1	
152	K.Cox	Maiden	W	Transparent	9	22	

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS		GOOSEBERRY	DRAMS	GRAINS	
153	K. Cox	Maiden	G	Surprise	9	18	
154	P.M. Howarth	Maiden	W	Transparent	8	18	
155	F.H. Welham	Maiden	G	Surprise	8	16	
156	P.M. Howarth	Maiden	Y	Firbob	8	9	
157	M. Mullins	Maiden	W	Transparent	8	9	
158	F.R. Muxlow	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	8	2	
159	P.M. Howarth	Maiden	G	Surprise	7	9	
160	F.H. Welham	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	7	8	
161	F.H. Welham	Maiden	W	Transparent	7	6	
162	K. Cox	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	4	6	
163	K. Cox	Maiden	Y	Golden Drop	3	23	

TWIN BERRIES

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS		GOOSEBERRY	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
1	B. Harland	Open	Y	Castle Rock	47	22	First
2	B. Nellist	Open	G	Surprise	42	18	Second
3	F. Beswick	Open	Y	Firbob	42	1	Third
4	D. Bint	Maiden	Y	Castle Rock	38	7	Maiden First
5	F.W. Addison	Maiden	Y	Firbob	37	14	Maiden Second
	D. Ventress	Open	W	Lord Kitchener	37	14	
7	C. Gray	Open	Y	Firbob	36	25	
8	F. Stonehouse	Open	Y	Firbob	36	23	
9	Mrs. M. Clark	Open	Y	Firbob	36	11	
10	H. Welford	Open	Y	Firbob	36	0	
11	T. Brown	Open	G	Surprise	34	22	
12	D. Swales	Open	Y	Firbob	34	16	
13	M. Beswick	Maiden	W	Lord Kitchener	33	17	Maiden Third
14	Mrs. S. Ingleby	Open	Y	Firbob	33	10	
15	A. Clark	Open	G	Admiral Beatty	33	2	
16	T.A. Addison	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	32	25	
17	J. Ward	Open	G	Surprise	32	1	
18	E. Preston	Open	R	Blackden Gem	31	18	
19	W.S. Lethem	Maiden	G	Surprise	29	23	
20	H. Fishpool	Maiden	R	Lord Derby	29	19	
21	A.R. Nichols	Open	G	Admiral Beatty	29	18	
22	H. Hebdon	Open	G	Surprise	29	5	
23	Mrs. J. Brierley	Maiden	Y	Firbob	28	26	
24	G. Thompson	Open	Y	Leveller	28	3	
25	F. Scarth	Maiden	G	Surprise	27	8	
26	R.W. Bennison	Open	R	Lord Derby	27	2	
27	D. Mullins	Maiden	Y	Woodpecker	26	20	
28	D. Burton	Maiden	Y	Firbob	26	16	
29	Mrs. M. Pickering	Open	Y	Firbob	26	4	
30	R. Potter	Maiden	G	Surprise	25	13	
31	G. Wright	Maiden	Y	Firbob	25	6	
32	Mrs. J. Bennison	Open	W	Fascination	24	20	
33	B. Pearce	Maiden	G	Surprise	24	4	
34	A. Burton	Maiden	G	Surprise	24	2	
35	F.R. Muxlow	Maiden	Y	Leveller	24	0	
36	Mrs. W. Spenceley	Open	Y	Firbob	23	16	
37	A. Ward	Maiden	G	Surprise	23	6	
38	M. Mullins	Maiden	G	Surprise	21	26	
39	T. Lenton	Maiden	W	Transparent	20	14	
40	P. Redway	Open	W	Transparent	20	10	
41	T. Waite	Maiden	G	Surprise	19	5	
42	I.R. Wilson	Maiden	G	Surprise	17	13	
43	F. Ward	Maiden	G	Admiral Beatty	15	16	
44	F.H. Welham	Maiden	W	Transparent	10	7	
45	K. Cox	Maiden	G	Surprise	10	5	

HEAVIEST TWELVE

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS	OZ	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
1	B.Harland	Open	20	13	23	First Second Third
2	B.Nellist	Open	18	15	3	
3	F.Beswick	Open	17	12	3	
4	D.Ventress	Open	17	0	21	
5	D.Swales	Open	17	0	11	
6	C.Gray	Open	16	10	9	
7	Mrs.M.Clark	Open	15	12	15	
8	H.Welford	Open	15	4	0	
9	R.W.Bennison	Open	14	14	24	
10	E.Preston	Open	14	12	18	
11	D.Bint	Maiden	14	6	25	
12	F.Stonehouse	Open	14	6	23	

HEAVIEST SIX/MAIDEN SIX

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS	OZ	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
1	D.Ventress	Open	8	14	2	First Second Third
2	D.Swales	Open	8	12	7	
3	C.Gray	Open	8	7	14	
4	Mrs.M.Clark	Open	8	3	21	Maiden First
5	H.Welford	Open	7	15	16	
6	R.W.Bennison	Open	7	15	12	
7	D.Bint	Maiden	7	13	26	
8	E.Preston	Open	7	13	20	
9	W.S.Lethem	Maiden	7	11	5	
10	T.H.Hartley	Maiden	7	10	8	
11	H.Hebdon	Open	7	8	18	
12	F.Stonehouse	Open	7	7	16	
13	F.W.Addison	Maiden	7	7	11	
14	H.Fishpool	Maiden	7	3	13	

FOUR COLOURS

	EXHIBITOR	CLASS	OZ	DRAMS	GRAINS	PRIZE
1	A.Clark	Open	5	5	19	First
2	Mrs.M.Clark	Open	5	4	22	
3	F.Stonehouse	Open	4	14	13	
4	J.S.Norris	Maiden	4	10	10	
5	Mrs.J.Brierley	Maiden	4	2	5	
6	R.Potter	Maiden	3	15	19	
7	G.Thompson	Open	3	15	18	
8	A.Burton	Maiden	3	14	15	
9	Mrs.W.Spenceley	Open	3	13	1	
10	Mrs.J.Bennison	Open	3	10	25	

CHAMPION GROWER

	EXHIBITOR	RED	YELLOW	GREEN	WHITE	TWINS	TWELVE	TOTAL	PRIZE
1	B.Nellist	9	9	10	9	9	9	55	First
2	B.Harland	2	10	9	10	10	10	51	
3	F.Beswick	8	5	6		8	8	35	
4	D.Ventress	10	2		8	6	7	33	
5	D.Swales	4	3	8	5		6	26	
6	C.Gray	3	6	1	6	4	5	25	
7	Mrs.M.Clark	5			2	2	4	13	
8	Mrs.S.Inglbey			7	4			11	
9	R.W.Bennison		8				2	10	
	E.Preston	7		2			1	10	
11	H.Welford		4			1	3	8	
12	D.Bint					7		7	
	T.H.Hartley		7					7	
	B.Pearce				7			7	
15	F.W.Addison					6		6	
	A.Clark	6						6	
	J.Ward			3	3			6	
18	T.Brown			5				5	
	W.S.Lethem	1		4				5	
20	F.Stonehouse					3		3	
21	Mrs.J.Brierley				1			1	
	A.R.Nichols		1					1	

The following are believed to be the heaviest berries ever shown at Egton Bridge in the following sections of the Show:-

CATEGORY	EXHIBITOR	GOOSEBERRY				DRAMS.	GRAINS	YEAR
Champion Berry	B.Harland	Yellow-Woodpecker				31	22	1994
Heaviest Red	R.W.Bennison	Red-Lord Derby				30	9	1982
Heaviest Yellow	B.Harland	Yellow-Woodpecker				31	22	1994
Heaviest Green	B.Nellist	Green-Surprise				28	0	1994
Heaviest White	T.W.Ventress	White-Transparent				30	8	1952
Maiden Champion	L.Coppenhall	White-Lord Kitchener				27	10	1974
Best Beaten Berry	J.Spenceley	Yellow-Firbob				25	8	1987
Open Twins	B.Harland	Yellow-Firbob				48	25	1987
Maiden Twins	F.W.Addison	Yellow-Firbob				41	25	1993
Heaviest Twelve	B.Harland	OZ	DRAMS	GRAINS	YEAR			
		20	13	23	1994			
Heaviest Six	H.Smith	9	4	4	1988			
Maiden Six	W.S.Lethem	8	0	12	1992			
Four Colours	A.Clark	5	5	19	1994			
Champion Grower	B.Nellist	55 points out of 60			1994			

50 YEARS OF CHAMPION BERRIES AT EGTON BRIDGE

YEAR	EXHIBITOR	GOOSEBERRY		WEIGHT	
				DRAMS	GRAINS
1943	A. Spenceley	Yellow	Woodpecker	24	19
1944	M. W. Watson	White	Princess Royal	24	2
1945	J. White	White	Lord Kitchener	25	11
1946	A. Atkins	Red	Lord Derby	23	22
1947	H. Mackwell	Red	London	22	22
1948	Mrs. Readman	Red	Lord Derby	21	17
1949	D. Moore	White	Lord Kitchener	24	23
1950	G. Welford	Yellow	Woodpecker	19	22
1951	T. W. Ventress	White	Lord Kitchener	19	12
1952	T. W. Ventress	White	Transparent	30	8
1953	R. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	25	1
1954	R. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	23	27
1955	A. Spenceley	White	Princess Royal	21	5
1956	Mrs. W. Harland	Red	Blutcher	24	3
1957	T. W. Ventress	White	Lord Kitchener	26	23
1958	R. Harland	Red	Lloyd George	25	17
1959	T. W. Ventress	Yellow	Woodpecker	25	4
1960	G. Welford	Yellow	Woodpecker	21	22
1961	G. Welford	Yellow	Woodpecker	24	26
1962	C. Sanderson	Yellow	Woodpecker	21	24
1963	F. Hart	Red	Lord Derby	24	15
1964	J. E. Row	Yellow	Woodpecker	26	7
1965	S. Dowson	Red	Lord Derby	23	2
1966	J. C. Gray	Green	Surprise	21	18
1967	G. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	19	22
1968	R. W. Bennison	White	Princess Royal	18	23
1970	A. Agar	Yellow	Woodpecker	23	27
1971	J. Whitwell	Yellow	Woodpecker	21	4
1972	W. Graham	White	Transparent	21	3
1973	A. Clark	Green	Surprise	21	22
1974	L. Coppenhall	White	Lord Kitchener	27	10
1975	W. Graham	Yellow	Woodpecker	21	16
1976	T. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	22	11
1977	W. Graham	Yellow	Woodpecker	22	0
1978	W. Graham	Green	Surprise	21	12
1979	W. Graham	Red	London	23	18
1980	J. Ward	Yellow	Woodpecker	26	1
1981	H. Smith	Yellow	Woodpecker	25	14
1982	R. W. Bennison	Red	Lord Derby	30	9
1983	F. Beswick	Yellow	Woodpecker	19	4
1984	F. Beswick	Yellow	Woodpecker	26	13
1985	B. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	30	22
1986	D. Swales	Yellow	Woodpecker	24	20
1987	C. Gray	Yellow	Woodpecker	28	4
1988	B. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	29	11
1989	B. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	24	2
1990	C. Gray	Yellow	Firbob	28	22
1991	C. Gray	White	Transparent	26	8
1992	F. Beswick	Yellow	Woodpecker	27	6
1993	F. Beswick	Yellow	Woodpecker	28	12
1994	B. Harland	Yellow	Woodpecker	31	22

New Show Records at Egton Bridge

Congratulations to three of our members for establishing new Show records with their berries in 1994.

B. Harland set a new record for the heaviest berry, heaviest yellow and for the heaviest twelve.

B. Nellist set a new record for the heaviest green and for the Champion Grower score.

A. Clark set a new record for the four colours.

UNITED KINGDOM RECORDS

The following are believed to be the heaviest berries ever shown in the United Kingdom:-

CATEGORY	EXHIBITOR	SHOW	GOOSEBERRY	EQUIVALENT		
				DRAMS	GRAINS	YEAR
Heaviest Berry	K. Archer	Marton	Montrose	34	25	1993
Heaviest Red	J. Flower	Stone	London	32	21	1852
Heaviest Yellow	K. Archer	Marton	Montrose	34	25	1993
Heaviest Green	K. Archer	Marton	Surprise	28	22	1987
Heaviest White	T. Price	Goostrey	Jodrell White	32	15	1993
Heaviest Twins	G. Simcox	Marton	Woodpecker	53	11	1988

World Record

I understand that as from the next edition of the Guinness Book of Records there will be no reference to the World Record Gooseberry weight, as gooseberries are only grown in the U.K. In future the record weight will simply be listed as the U.K. record - currently held by K. Archer with a 34 dram 25 grain Yellow Montrose shown at Marton in 1993.

T.V. Coverage

The Gooseberry Show is expected to feature on B.B.C. television on Wednesday 14th September in a programme starting at 1.00 p.m. It is thought the programme will be on B.B.C. 2 and may be called "Waterfront."

RULES

1. That this Society be called "THE EGTON BRIDGE OLD GOOSEBERRY SOCIETY," and that subscribers of One Pound be members thereof.
2. That the affairs of the Society shall be conducted by a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer and Committee. Five to form a quorum. In the absence of the Chairman, the Committee at any meeting have the power to choose an Acting Chairman for the meeting. All officers to be members of the Committee.
3. That the Annual Meeting be held on Easter Tuesday each year, when all entries must be paid the week following from that date, or cannot compete.
4. The election of officers to take place at the Annual Meeting.
5. The Secretary shall have power to call a meeting at any time. Notice to be given to each member.
6. The Committee shall have power to fill up any vacancy that may occur in their body, and make such bye-laws as from time to time may be deemed expedient.
7. All Gooseberries to be the bona-fide growth of the members showing.
8. All Gooseberries to be handed to the weighman perfectly sound and dry. Twin berries to be distinctly twins, i.e., two on one stem naturally. A pair of twin berries cannot be split in any case.
9. That two persons be chosen to see that the Gooseberries are properly weighed and prizes awarded accordingly.
10. Prizes to be allocated as follows:-

Prizes (except Champion Grower) are allocated purely on weight. New members are classed as Maidens and are promoted to the Open Category only after taking First in the Maiden section, or a First in the Colours section.

(a) Champion Berry:

Open and Maiden growers eligible. Heaviest berry in the Show - this berry will also take First in its respective colour and if shown by a Maiden, would also take Maiden First.

(b) 1st/2nd/3rd in Red/Green/White/Yellow:

(Colours Section) Open and Maiden growers eligible. 1st/2nd/3rd places required for each of the four colours of gooseberry. A member is only allowed one prize in this section, taken by his heaviest winning berry (regardless of prize status). A Maiden taking a First is promoted to the Open Class. A Maiden berry winning here could also take a prize in the Maiden section.

(c) Maiden Section:

Maiden growers only. 1st/2nd/3rd places required, regardless of colour of berry. The Maiden taking First is promoted to the Open Class. Only one prize per Maiden.

(d) Best Beaten Berry (1st only):

Heaviest berry shown by an Open or Maiden grower who has not won a prize in any previous section.

(e) Twin Berries:

Open and Maiden growers eligible. 1st/2nd/3rd places required.

(f) Maiden Twins:

Maiden growers only. 1st/2nd/3rd places required. (Maiden twins can win in both section e and f).

(g) Heaviest Twelve:

Open and Maiden growers eligible. No berry that has won in any of the above sections is eligible. If the member is present he should select his own twelve, otherwise a Judge or Steward will select on his behalf. A member (with sufficient berries) should enter this section before he enters the next. 1st/2nd/3rd places required.

(h) Heaviest Six:

1st/2nd/3rd places required. Open and Maiden growers eligible. No berry that has won in any previous section is eligible.

(i) Maiden Six:

1st only. Maiden growers only. No berry that has won in any previous section (except Heaviest Six) is eligible.

(j) Four Colours:

Only members (Open and Maiden) who have not won any prize in any previous section are eligible. Must have entered one berry in each of the four colours at the time berries were submitted.

(k) Champion Grower:

Berries entered in each colour section (red, yellow, green, white), in twins and heaviest twelve are ranked according to weight. The first ten in each section score from 10 points down to one point. Points scored by the exhibitors (open or Maiden) in all six sections are totalled - first prize (only) going to highest scoring exhibitor. Whether or not any berries scoring points in this section have won (or been barred from) prizes elsewhere is irrelevant as this prize is for the Grower, rather than the berry.

(1) In the event of recorded weights indicating a tie for a prize, then those berries will be brought back to the scales and be balanced one against the other. The heavier berry takes the prize if such balancing shows weights are not exactly matched. If, however, berries are exactly matched, then both berries will be considered joint winners of that prize!

11. All major trophies remain the property of the Society and shall be returned to the Committee in time to display at the next Annual Show.
12. No person becoming a member will be allowed to compete with berries from trees that have belonged to other members unless the trees have been replanted in the presence of one or more of the Committee.

13. That in the event of the death of a Member of the Society one member of deceased's family may exhibit from the said member's trees, but cannot compete for the Maiden Prize if this has already been won by the deceased member, without the said trees being lifted in the presence of two members of the Committee.
14. That all members who fail to pay their contributions must stay out of the Show "two years" before being allowed to exhibit.
15. In the event of any dispute arising, it will be decided by the Committee, their decisions to be accepted as final.
16. That the Show take place on the first Tuesday in August at Egton Bridge. All berries to be in to weigh not later than 12.00 noon or not allowed to compete. All berries to remain on the table till 7.30 p.m.

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Subscriptions

Membership fees for next season could have been paid at this year's Show. Many members do this and we find it very helpful.

Membership Fees for 1995 can be paid now - by post, to the Treasurer or Secretary (cheques payable to Egton Bridge Old Gooseberry Society) - or in person to a member of the Committee.

Membership Fees for the 1995 season must be paid before April 25th 1995 (see Rules 3 and 14).