

2026 DAHLIA SHOW & Rose Ranfurly



**MASTERTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY
&**

WAIRARAPA ROSE SOCIETY

FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SHOW

Senior Citizens Hall, Cole Street, Masterton
SATURDAY 7th FEBRUARY 2026

1pm—3.00pm

Admission koha (no eftpos)
Awesome Display of Dahlia, Plant Sales and Raffle

We encourage everyone to enter their blooms

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Masterton Horticulture Society

2026 Show

All entries must be staged by 10.30am on day of show.

Judging will commence at 11:15am

Doors will be open from 6.30am Saturday

Public viewing will be between 1pm & 3pm followed by prize giving

Please do not uplift exhibits beforehand

First time exhibitors free for 1 year—afterwards they are invited to pay

\$10.00 subscription per year

Dahlia Champions

Champion Dahlia	F A Stuart Cup
Most Points Dahlia	Heckler Salver
Most Points Dahlia runner up	J Diamond Prize

Cut Flowers

Most Points	Cut Flowers M.H.S. Challenge Bowl
Most Points Spring / Autumn Show	Merrin Cup
Champion Gladioli	Rita Gill Cup
Champion Formal Gladioli	Presidents Cup
Most Points Gladioli	Penrose Cup

Floral Art

Most Points Decorative	Wiltons Cup
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Fruit & Vegetables

Most Points Fruit	K Nicholas Tray
M P Veg	H H Dagg Tray

Children's Section

Miniature Garden	Esau Shield
Sand Saucers	Tankersley Shield

Annual Trophies will be presented at this Show

Section A - Dahlias Open to All

Sizes	Giant 250mm and over	
Large	200mm - 250mm	
Medium	155mm - 200mm	
Small	115-155mm,	
Miniature	Under 115mm	
Pompon	Not more than 50mm	
Cultivars over	155mm,	1 per vase
Cultivars under	155mm,	3 per vase

Giant Decorative

Class 1	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 2	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Large Decorative

Class 3	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 4	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Medium Decorative

Class 5	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 6	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Small Decorative

Class 7	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Miniature Decorative

Class 8	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Mini. And Small Ball

Class 9	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Pompon

Class 10	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Waterlilly

Class 11	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Giant Cactus or Semicactus

Class 12	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 13	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Section A - Dahlias Open to All – Continued

Large Cactus or Semicactus

Class 14	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 15	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Medium Cactus or Semicactus

Class 16	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 17	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Small Cactus or Semicactus

Class 18	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Miniature Cactus or Semicactus

Class 19	3 blooms, vase	Any cultivars
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Giant or Large Fimbriated

Class 20	1 bloom, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Medium Fimbriated

Class 21	3 blooms, 3 vases	Any cultivars
Class 22	1 bloom, 1 vase	

Small Fimbriated

Class 23	3 blooms 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Collarettes

Class 24	3 blooms, 1 vase	Any cultivars
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Any other Cultivar

Class 25	3 blooms under 155mm, 1 bloom over 155mm. 1 vase	
Class 25 a	1 bloom any size	

Special classes open to all

Class 26	Basket of dahlias (minimum of 7) any foliage of choice	
Class 27	Waterlily dahlia in a bowl/saucer. 1 bloom & 1 leaf. Dahlia must float. Exhibitor to provide own bowl. 200mm maximum.	

Single Vase Classes

S1	Small Decorative	1 bloom	1 vase
S2	Miniature Decorative	1 bloom	1 vase
S3	Small Ball	1 bloom	1 vase
S4	Miniature Ball	1 bloom	1 vase
S5	Waterlily	1 bloom	1 vase
S6	Small c/semicactus	1 bloom	1 vase
S7	Min.c/semicactus	1 bloom	1 vase
S8	Small/min Fimbriated		

Section B - Cut Flowers Open to All

28.	Giant Sunflowers	over 250mm
29.	Large Sunflowers	200 -260mm
30.	Medium Sunflowers	155 - 200mm
31.	Small Sunflowers	115 -155mm
32.	Antirrhinums	up to 3 stems, 1 vase
33.	Asters	3 different colours, 1 vase
34.	Asters	3 of one colour
35.	Carnations	3 stems any colour, 1 vase
36.	Nerine	1 stem
37.	Delphinium	1 stem, no laterals
38.	Fuchsia	1 spray single
39.	Fuchsia	1 spray double
40.	Dianthus	3 any varieties
41.	Gerbera	1 single
42.	Gerbera	1 double
43.	Gladioli	3 ruffled any colour, 1 vase
44.	Gladioli	1 ruffled
45.	Gladioli	3 large any colours, 1 vase
46.	Gladioli	1 large
47.	Gladioli	3 small any colours, 1 vase
48.	Gladioli	1 small
49.	Gloriosa Daisies	3 in vase
50.	Hydrangeas	3 blooms different colours, 1 vase
51.	Hydrangeas	1 bloom
52.	Lilium Auratum	1 floret
53.	Lilium Trump	1 stem
54.	Lilium Reflexed	1 stem
55.	Marigold Large African	3 in 1 vase

Section B - Cut Flowers Open to All – Continued

56.	Marigold French	3 in 1 vase
57.	Petunias ruffled	3 in 1 vase
58.	Petunias single	3 in 1 vase
59.	Petunias double	3 in 1 vase
60.	Phlox Drummond	3 in 1 vase
61.	Colchium	up to 3, any colours
62.	Rose	1 full open
63.	Rose	1 decorative
64.	Rose	1 exhibition
65.	Rose	1 stem not more than 3 florets open
66.	Rose	1 stem 4 or more florets open
67.	Rose	1 vase miniature any colour
68.	Belladonna Lily	1 stem
69.	Shasta Daisy	3 in 1 vase
70.	Zinnia Large	3 any colour 1 vase
71.	Zinnia small type	3 any colours 1 vase
72.	Zinnia any type	1 any colour 1 vase
73.	Creeper foliage	1 stem
74.	Creeper Flowering	1 stem
75.	Bulbous flower not specified	1 stem
76.	Any other	1 stem
77.	White or cream flowers	up to 6 varieties 1 stem of each
78.	Conifer	1 stem
79.	Foliage shrub	1 stem
80.	Annuals or biennials	3 varieties , 3 vases
81.	Perennials (not bulbous)	3 varieties, 3 vases
82.	Flowering shrub or tree	up to any varieties, 1 vase
83.		Cut Flowers grown in open
		3 vases of 3 varieties - Roses included
84.	Cut Flowers	6 vases of 6 varieties - Roses Included

Section C - Pot Plants

- 85. Potted plant flowering
- 86. Potted plant foliage
- 87. Cacti 3
- 88. Succulents 3
- 89. Cacti & Succulent Garden not more than 30cm across
- 90. Fern - Maidenhair
- 91. Fern - any other
- 92. Hanging basket or pot plant

Section D - Floral Art open

- 93. Design of Autumn Flowers to include DAHLIAS
- 94. Design using figurine - stage on covered board
- 95. Dinner Table Design
- 96. Design in a trough - not to exceed 36cm wide x 14cm high

Section E - Intermediate

- 97. Design of Autumn Flowers to include DAHLIAS
- 98. Theme "The Beauty of Nature" using vine
- 99. Dinner Table Design
- 100. Own Choice

Section F - Junior Novice

- 101. Dinner Table Design - design in your favourite container
- 102. Design of 5 flowers

Section G - Fruit Open to All

- 103. Strawberries 3
- 104. Lemons 3 of 1 variety
- 105. Nectarines 3
- 106. Plums 3 of 1 variety
- 107. Peaches 3 of 1 variety
- 108. Pears culinary 3 of 1 variety
- 109. Pears dessert 3 of 1 variety
- 110. Apples culinary 3 of 1 variety
- 111. Apples dessert 3 of 1 variety
- 112. Rhubarb 3 stalks
- 113. Grapefruit 3
- 114. Any other fruit 3
- 115. Collection of fruit attractively arranged with foliage

Section H - Vegetables Open to all

116. Beans Green Dwarf	3 pods
117. Beans Runner	3 pods
118. Beans Butter	3 pods
119. Beetroot	3
120. Silver Beet	1 head
121. Cabbage	1
122. Carrots	3
123. Cauliflower	1
124. Onions keeping	3
125. Onions Red	3
126. Shallots Large	6
127. Shallots pickling	6
128. Garlic	1
129. Parsnips	2
130. Potatoes	3 any variety
131. Tomatoes Heaviest	3
132. Tomatoes	3
133. Tomatoes Cocktail	3
134. Lettuce	1 head
135. Cucumber apple shaped	1
136. Cucumber long	1
137. Cucumber short	1
138. Sweetcorn	3
139. Marrow	1
140. Pumpkin table	1
141. Pumpkin Large heaviest	1
142. Pumpkin type butternut kumikimi	1
143. Any other vegetable not specified above ground	1
144. Any other vegetable not specified below ground	1
145. Collection of vegetables suitable for salad	
146. Collection of vegetables not more than 6 varieties	
147. Collection of herbs not growing (in one vase)	

Section I - Children's Classes

Children under 15 years of age must be in Children's Section

Ages under 5, 6 - 7, 8 - 10, 11 -15 years

1. Fruit & veggie novelty
2. Sand Saucer
3. Miniature Garden - paths, tree, flowers, etc.
30cm overall or less
4. Arrangement of flowers