

# *Largs and District Horticultural Society*

## **Newsletter – Spring 2023**

Welcome to Spring. At last we have some dry sunny days. Snowdrops, crocuses and even daffodils are giving some colour to our gardens again. Although some of us will be ‘raring to get going’ remember that the soil temperatures are still very low. Far better to hold off for a few extra weeks before we start gardening. Happy Gardening *Ian Taylor*

### **Dates for your Diary**

**Workshop with the FlowerPot  
Men (Ian Halbert & Ian Taylor)**

**Wednesday 15 March 7pm**

**St John's ToCH Hall, Bath Street  
Largs.**

**Seed Sowing, chitting potatoes,  
Veg, Dahlias etc.**

Question & Answer Session

Refreshment & Raffle

Free seed & seed potatoes

Membership/show schedule available.

**Plant Sale, Society Information  
and Membership**

**Saturday 27 May 9am-1pm**

**Saturday 22 July 9am –1pm**

**Car Boot Sale, St Columba's**

**Episcopal Church Aubrey Crescent**

Selling plants grown by members

Plant donations welcome. Drop off  
by 10am at the stall on the day.



**Preparing your Exhibits for the Flower Show**

**Wednesday 14 June at 7pm St John's ToCH Hall, Bath Street, Largs**

Hints and Tips on how best to prepare your exhibits for the show. Refreshments.

**Largs Flower Show 2023 – Saturday 26 August 10am-4.30pm. Dunn Memorial Hall, St John's Church, Bath Street, Largs.** Staging of Exhibits from 12noon Friday 25 August.

There are classes for everyone including children. Check out the schedule on our website or come along to any of our events to hear more. If you are available to assist at set-up on Thursday 23 or Friday 24 please let our Secretary Etta know: 01475 689423

**Membership.** Membership remains at £2.50 and can be paid only at our events, online and the show. To pay online use a Bank Transfer to 'Largs and District Horticultural Society' Sort Code 83-24-15 Account No. 00697131 giving your **NAME** as reference eg JOHN SMITH

**Contact Us.** Our website [www.largshorticultural.org.uk](http://www.largshorticultural.org.uk) has all the latest news, photographs of past shows, history, and the show schedule (from 15 March). Join our Facebook page Largs Horticultural Society where you can post and find photos, hint, tips, and information on our activities etc. Alternatively, you can contact our Secretary Etta on 01475 689423.