Stonehouse Horticultural Society, 1910.

STONEHOUSE FLOWER SHOW

"one of the most attractive events of the season in the Stroud district"

The Citizen, July 1910



Our President Edward Jenner Davies, Esq. J.P.



PRIZES FOR COTTAGERS

Gardens (for Stonehouse only)

Gardens, with finest crops, most neatly arranged, and best cultivated.

Garden, with most tasteful arrangement of flowers

Garden—window

Special Prizes for Climbing Plants on cottage walls and porches

Allotments—best cultivated



Toogood & Sons will not only be offering many Special Prizes but also free advice on any question relating to agriculture or horticulture, including indentification of plants, injurious insects and plant diseases.



PRIZES FOR INDUSTRIAL WORK

Dressmaking—shirts, dresses, buttonholes, pinafores, nightdresses.

Knitting—socks, vests, stockings

Needlework—fancy or plain, crochet.

Drawing, carving.

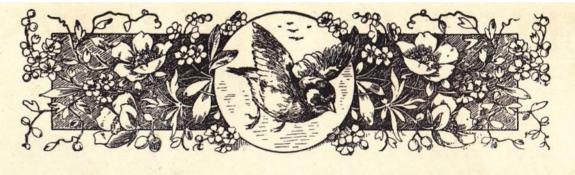
Bread, Cakes and Pies,

Special Prize offered by the Stonehouse Brick and Tile Co. Ltd for the best Bust or panel made from Stonehouse clay.



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Founded in 1867 by Rev William Farren White



PRIZES FOR COTTAGERS

Residing in Stonehouse & adjoining Parishes.

413 prizes for exhibits including:

FLOWERS

Roses, Sweet Peas, Stocks, Begonias, Carnations, Dahlias, Pansies, Ferns, Grasses, Wild Flowers, Bouquets, Table decorations,



FRUIT Apples, Pears, Gooseberries, Raspberries, Currants, Plums Honey



VEGETABLES

Potatoes, Peas, Beans, Parsnips, Cabbages, Cauliflowers, Carrots, Onions, Leeks, Turnips, Beet, Marrows, Celery, Radishes, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Lettuces, Rhubarb, Herbs

'FARREN WHITE' PRIZE, SILVER MEDAL,
For the highest proportion of Firsts in at least six competitions.

Admission from 2 o'clock, 1/-; 4 o'clock, 6d, ; 8 o'clock, 3d. Children, twelve years of age and under, half-price

The Great Western Railway Company's Motor cars run till 10 p.m.

It is earnestly hoped by the Committee that the inhabitants of Stonehouse will decorate their houses on the day of the Show.

J. WESTACOTT, Hon. Gen. Sec.

Floret Floruit Floreat

Flower Shows 1867 — 1911

Stonehouse Horticultural Society organised an annual Flower Show held at a variety of places including The Vicarage, Haywardsend House and Laburnum Field.

1948

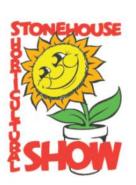
Stonehouse Friendly Circle organised their first Flower and Vegetable Show to be held at Haywardsend House, nearly 50 years after the Horticultural Society Show had been held there.

1974

Stonehouse Gardening Club started. Still going in **2017**.

2008

The Town Council organised Stonehouse Horticultural Show which has now become an annual event held at Laburnum Field.



Saturday, 28 July 2012

To be held in the

Stonehouse Community Centre Laburnum Walk, off Regent Street, Stonehouse

SHOW SCHEDULE and ENTRY FORM

Schedule also available on line via: www.stonehousetowncouncil.com

Flowers, Fruit, Vegetables, Wine,
Cookery, Photography, Floral Art and Crafts
with
Classes for children

Show opens to the public at 1.00 pm

Cream Teas and other refreshments will be available

Community Centre fully accessible

The Stonehouse Rose

1348 - the Stonehouse Manor was given to John Maltravers "by tenure de Marchacia by a rose per annum" - the rose was a symbolic payment in exchange for supporting King Edward III.





1978 - Fred Rowbotham designed a Mayoral Chain of Office which he presented to the Council. He had been inspired by the logo of Stonehouse Horticultural Society which he found on an old programme from the 1902 Flower Show.

The rose with its motto

Floret Floruit Floreat It flourishes, it has flourished, it will flourish

has been adopted as Stonehouse town logo.



