

Spalding Arts & Crafts Society

Next Challenges for members of the society

We have again been invited to take part in events organised by the Springfields Horticultural Society (SHS)



Spring Flower Challenge - April 2019 **Lincolnshire Daffodil 109th Annual Show Competition**

The challenge is to produce a picture of Spring Flowers, which must include at least one daffodil, to be exhibited at the Spring Flower Show, 13-14th April 2019, Springfields Events Centre. Pictures can be in any medium, landscape or portrait - finished size no larger than 16" on longest side.

Paintings can be framed or not. Please mount any paintings on paper & submit in a cellophane sleeve if you have one (we have some spares). Paintings can be framed but please ensure they, and ones on canvas, have a string for hanging.

Entries should be brought to our 2nd April meeting. The winner will be whoever gets the most votes from the meeting & at Springfields. Please give your painting a title and also a price if the painting is for sale. One entry per member - entry is free. Please leave any packing with your name on to ensure their safe transit - paintings will be returned at the May meeting.

We will have the browser at the show for any other paintings - 50p entry fee per painting. Please bring those to the April meeting as well.

Tulipfest - May 2019

SHS are again sponsoring a painting competition for members of SACS to be displayed at Tulipfest, 4th-6th May in the Festival Gardens. They are intending to have a secure exhibition area in the gardens by then.

The subject is 'The History of Tulips in South Holland'. The brief is all encompassing of any aspect of tulips and their production up to the modern day. There must however be tulips in the painting, even if it is just bulbs / flowers on sorting machinery.

The painting can be in any medium, landscape or portrait - oils should be at least touch dry before submission and pastels must be fixed.

Paintings on canvas / board should be 9" x 12", those on paper must be 8" x 12". Please leave an additional border for paintings on paper as these will be mounted by SACS with a standard sized mount supplied by SHS.

Please submit your entries without mounts or frames. Submission date - 2nd or 16th April

Please give your painting a title and also a price if the painting is for sale.

Please fill in an entry form - One entry per member - entry is free

Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd & Visitors Favourite.



Postcard Challenge

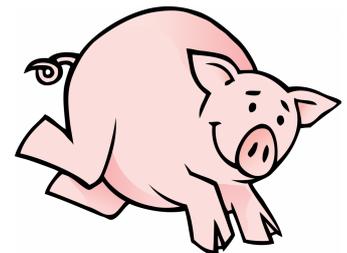
By popular demand there will also be a postcard challenge for display at the Ayscoughfee Exhibition in May. As it's the now the Year of the Pig - the subject is **PIGS** in any shape or form.

6" x 4" postcard in landscape format - please use watercolour or acrylic as anything else will damage the plastic display holder.

The final date for submission will be at the Hub on the 16th April. However

it would be good if you can please hand them to Maggie (or any committee member) as they are ready - you can paint as many as you like.

Unless you say otherwise postcards will be kept by the society for display & offered for sale at events to boost society funds.



Please note that SACS has public liability insurance only. Entry to competitions / challenges is at your own risk.