

MERCIA AND NORTH WALES AREA OF NAFAS

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AREA LIST

OF ACCREDITED
JUDGES, DEMONSTRATORS, QUALIFIED TEACHERS
AND SPEAKERS

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GENERAL NOTES

All Judges, Demonstrators, Teachers and Speakers are reminded that, if they are unable to fulfil an engagement, it is their responsibility to make every effort to find a substitute and submit their name to the Club concerned. They may, however, withdraw from the commitment without obligation, if unavoidable, six months prior to the meeting.

JUDGING

When organising a competitive show Clubs are advised to submit a draft copy of the schedule before printing, to the appointed Judge for comment and guidance.

OPEN MEETING

The definition of an open meeting is when the meeting is advertised as an Open Meeting and tickets are sold to others than Club Members or where there is a group Meeting of Clubs and the audience is larger than 150.

COMPLAINTS

The Club, not an individual, should write to the Judge, Demonstrator, Teacher or Speaker within 3 weeks stating the reason for dissatisfaction. It could well be that the Demonstrator etc. is unaware that they have not given satisfaction. Remember that the Demonstrator etc. has a point of view too *and* may feel that criticism of a Club is necessary. If either party feels the necessity to write to the JDE&S Committee they should send copies of all correspondence and the relevant Blue Form to the JDE&S Chairman. This procedure applies only to persons appearing in the **Area List**.

If a complaint relating to anyone on the **National List** is considered necessary the Club should contact the relevant Area Representative who will advise as to the procedure. This should be done as soon as possible, ideally within six weeks of the event.

NAFAS Blue Forms, available at Council Meetings and from the Area Secretary, should always be used for booking Judges, Demonstrators, Teachers and Speakers.

AREA TESTS

Any candidate who wishes to take a test in another Area should apply in good time through **Mercia & North Wales** JDE&S Committee so that the necessary arrangements can be made.

TRAVEL ALLOWANCE

NAFAS Recommended Mileage Rates as from April 2022:

Judges, Demonstrators, Speakers & Teachers may claim mileage at the NAFAS recommended rate of 45p per mile, but mileage charged/paid is for negotiation between Judge/Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher and the club concerned.

Adjudicators and Instructors may claim mileage at 4.5 miles to the litre of fuel – pump prices.

NON-AFFILIATED CLUBS

Non-Affiliated Clubs can expect to pay significantly more for Judges, Demonstrators and Speakers, as they have not made any contributions towards training and further development of Judges, Demonstrators and Speakers.

CODE OF PRACTICE for CLUBS, DEMONSTRATORS, SPEAKERS and TEACHERS

The following is based on the NAFAS Code of Conduct document issued 2016.

BLUE FORM

1. All parts of the Blue Form either in paper or electronic format must be returned promptly showing Day and Date in writing
2. This Agreement does not constitute a binding contract until Form C has been signed and returned to the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher. It is important that all relevant information be stated and adhered to by both Club and Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher
3. It is important that **two Club Officers'** addresses with telephone, preferably mobile, numbers are supplied on the Blue Form
4. **Allowance for Flowers/Materials** - An indication should be given when the initial booking is made. A proportion of the allowance can be set against garden plant material. The agreed allowance should not be exceeded without prior agreement, full reimbursement should not be automatically expected
5. If a Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher is VAT Registered, then VAT is payable on the total account
6. The Indemnity Clause, addendum to Part B, must accompany Blue Forms
7. If the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher has agreed to judge the monthly competition, the title should be given in advance and adequate time allowed for judging
8. **Special Requirements** - To prevent misunderstandings, if anything abnormal is requested, a covering letter should always be sent
9. **Accommodation** - Private house or good class hotel, preferably with off street parking, should be agreed in advance with the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher
10. Advance settlement by Club of hotel accounts avoids embarrassment
11. Ensure adequate refreshments are always offered to the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher

HOSTING DUTIES

1. Ascertain time of arrival and **reserve parking space**
2. Ensure change available to pay any parking fees
3. Assist with unloading and re-loading. **Adequate strong helpers required**
4. Offer refreshment and identify locations of cloakroom/dressing room
5. Unless help is requested, leave Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher to prepare in peace
6. Any electrical equipment should be in situ and tested prior to the arrival of the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher. Identify location of any electrical sockets and light switches

CHAIRMAN

1. Ensure that all committee members have a copy of this leaflet and are fully aware of these requirements
2. Ensure help is on hand if requested by Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher
3. Give notices about NAFAS, Area and Club
4. Research information to introduce the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher
5. Organise the Vote of Thanks
6. If necessary supply suitable wrapping for raffle prizes
7. At end of meeting organise helpers – some Demonstrators/Speakers/Teachers prefer to dismantle their own arrangements, but all are very grateful for plenty of helpers to re-load the vehicle
8. At night, if the vehicle is parked away from the venue, someone should always accompany the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher and wait to check that the vehicle starts
9. Chairman to be on hand to say farewell and thank you to the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher

GOOD COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CLUB AND DEMONSTRATOR/SPEAKER/TEACHER HELPS HARMONY AND CREATES EXCELLENCE FOR MEMBERS

THREE WEEKS BEFORE

Reminder phone call and letter/email to include:

1. Name, address and telephone number of Programme Secretary (change may have occurred since initial booking)
2. Send a map and confirmation of venue location and **(postcode)** and identify any major road works or changes since booking. Tolls and parking fees to be paid by the Club
3. **Confirm** day, date, time, venue and title and agreed time for gaining entry into hall. Full address and telephone number/mobile number of the venue, together with instructions for parking
4. Stage size and layout
5. Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher must be advised if audience numbers vary from the original estimation
6. Name, address and directions to overnight accommodation
7. The agreed allowance for flowers and materials. Provision and supply of foliage, if requested
8. ALL PARTIES MUST HAVE their mobile phones switched on
9. If a monthly competition is to be judged, titles and expected number of entries

Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher should acknowledge receipt of this letter/email promptly, confirming that all details are correct and understood

Driving conditions are becoming increasingly hazardous and having a travelling companion is a sensible precaution. Due consideration should be given to this by all Demonstrators/Speakers/Teachers. Please refer to the Extreme Weather Conditions Guidelines on the NAFAS website.

The Club should extend the courtesy of light refreshments for both Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher and companion

The Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher should advise the Club beforehand of the possibility of an accompanying companion. The Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher is responsible for any meals and overnight accommodation for the companion

CANCELLATIONS

CLUBS and DEMONSTRATORS/SPEAKERS/TEACHERS

The Blue Form constitutes a binding contract and both parties may, if unavoidable, withdraw from the commitment without obligation up to six months prior to the meeting

Within six months of the meeting, the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher is expected to find substitute(s) of equal standing

Clubs may decline the substitute(s) but are then responsible themselves for finding a replacement

If a Club cancels a meeting within six months, any fees and expenses incurred are the responsibility of the Club, subject to negotiation

CLUBS – MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR VENUE

Is the stage in place and clear? Are there any obstructions on stage that the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher should note?

Is the layout of stage as required? Are the correct number of tables available?

Is a microphone to be used? Is it radio, clip, headset or stand type? If necessary do you have a spare battery?

Is the lighting adequate? What type? spot or floodlights? May candles and special effects be used and inform Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher of any changes

If the background is 'busy' – are plain portable fabric screens available?

Water may be required – are tap and buckets available? You may need permission to use water on stage

Hall should be booked with sufficient time for the Demonstrator/Speaker/Teacher to prepare, perform and repack. Preparation time is, on average, for Club meetings approximately 1-2 hours, however, for Open Meetings allow anything between 2 and 5 hours

NAFAS policy regarding postings on Social Media:

'NAFAS recommends that permission must be sought from the designer and the event organiser prior to any images being posted on social media.'

AREA JDE&S OFFICERS

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NATIONAL JUDGES

<p>JACKIE CHARNOCK NDSF 8 Brookside Gardens Yockleton SHREWSBURY SY5 9PS Preferred contact number: 01743 821378 M: 07930 474137</p>	<p>National Accredited Adjudicator National Accredited Qualified Instructor RHS Qualified (General Certificate)</p> <p>National & Area Shows RHS Shows</p>
<p>SARAH WOOD Bag End 16 The Wintles BISHOPS CASTLE SY9 5ES M: 07812 586638 E: sarahsnowbunny51@gmail.com</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>

AREA JUDGES

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<p>PENELOPE HARRISON Oakleaf, Wollaston SHREWSBURY SY5 9DN T: 01743 884574 E: pen.harrison@proton.me</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>
<p>SIONEDD HUGHES Gwarclawdd, Selattyn, OSWESTRY SY10 7NT T: 01691 718585 E: sioneddh@gmail.com</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>

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<p>LOUISE JONES 97 Grove Road WALLASEY CH45 3HG Preferred contact number: 07966 847757 T: 07967 136678 E: louise.jones.utopia@gmail.com</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>
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<p>DONALD MORGAN Glasfryn, 4 Heol Islwyn Llanrhystud ABERYSTWYTH SY23 5BW Preferred contact number: 01974 202233 M: 07763 282548 E: blodaurbedol@aol.com</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>
<p>SIMONE SQUIRE 18 Wakefield Way Nether Heyford NORTHAMPTON NN7 3LU Preferred contact number: 01327 342167 M: 07713 584031 E: simone@the-squires.co.uk</p>	<p>Short notice bookings taken</p>

NATIONAL DEMONSTRATORS

<p>BERYL COTTON Belton House 20 The Ridgeway HOLYWELL CH8 7SN T: 07710 132721 E: berylcotton06@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Let's Imagine All Things Bright & Beautiful Other titles on request</p> <p>Happy to adapt to audience requirements – i.e. foam or foam free designs (or both)</p>
<p>SARAH FENTON 25 Wrekin View, Madeley TELFORD TF7 5HY Preferred contact number: 07712 125879 E: sarahfenton77@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Once upon a Time A Floral Delight Strictly Come Flower Arranging Tis the Season</p> <p>Willing to tour</p>
<p>NIGEL WHYLES 2 Castle Gardens, Apley TELFORD TF1 6AE</p> <p>T: 01952 246268 M: 07840 375444 E: nigel@nwfloraldesigns.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles on request</p>

AREA DEMONSTRATORS

<p>JACKIE CHARNOCK NDSF 8 Brookside Gardens, Yockleton SHREWSBURY SY5 9PS Preferred contact number: 01743 821378 M: 07930 474137</p>	<p>Retired, now on request only</p>
<p>JANE COWAN Meadowview Cottage Meadow Road, Albrighton WOLVERHAMPTON WV7 3DZ T: 01902 375457 M: 07970 275550 E: floraltraining@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Titles: Go Green Animal Magic Nature's Treasures Snow and Ice</p>
<p>ELEANOR DAVIES Hillcott, Croeswylan Lane OSWESTRY SY10 9PT Preferred contact number: 01691 657763 M: 07718 160848 E: eleanor.davles@btinternet.com</p>	<p>Titles: This is My Life</p> <p>No Christmas demonstrations or tours due to size of vehicle Willing to commit at short notice Various styles of floral design</p>

<p>JULIE EVANS 9 Brynafon Close Rhewl, Gobowen OSWESTRY SY10 7BT T: 01691 680405 M: 07845 213713 E: evansjulie21@hotmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Pastures New Tales along the Riverbank Odds and Ends</p>
<p>PENELOPE HARRISON Oakleaf, Wollaston SHREWSBURY SY5 9DN Preferred contact number: 01743 884574 M: 07414 852092 E: pen.harrison@proton.me</p>	<p>Titles: Green is the Colour – or Is It? Nature’s Bounty A Foam Free Spring Contrasts</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour</p>
<p>BRENDA HOWELL Parcllyn Farm Betws Ifan Beulah, Ceredigion SA38 9QN M: 07772 105273 (by text) E: brenerick@owlscote.com</p>	<p>Titles: More Than Flowers Inspired by Constance Spry Goodbye Winter, Hello Spring Heritage of Wales All That Glitters</p>
<p>SIONEDD HUGHES Gwarclawdd, Selattyn, OSWESTRY SY10 7NT T: 01691 718585 E: sioneddh@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Superstitions Tantalising Elements Other titles incl. Christmas on request</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour</p>
<p>LOUISE JONES 97 Grove Road WALLASEY CH45 3HG Preferred contact number: 07966 847757 T: 07967 136678 E: louise.jones.utopia@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Elements Imaginario Holly & Ivy (Christmas)</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour Able to undertake traditional demonstration or Teaching demonstration</p>
<p>JACKIE JONES Maes Eglwys Pantyfridd, Berriew WELSHPOOL SY21 9LQ T: 07914 377722 E: gojones672002@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: Artist’s Impressions Victoriana Life’s a Pantomime It’s a Dog’s Life</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour Focus on sustainable & natural materials</p>

<p>BRIGETTE MANTON 11 Saxon Close Clifton-upon-Teme, WORCESTER WR6 6DL Preferred contact number: 01886 812469 M: 07889 713814 brigitte929@btinternet.com</p>	<p>Titles: Sunshine and Showers Brolliology New Beginnings At Home for Christmas</p>
<p>DONALD MORGAN Glasfryn, 4 Heol Islwyn Llanrhystud ABERYSTWYTH SY23 5BW Preferred contact number: 01974 202233 M: 07725 616253 E: blodaurbedol@aol.com</p>	<p>Titles on request</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour</p>
<p>BECCA MORRIS Maes, Maengwynedd Llanrhaeadr-ym-Mochnant, OSWESTRY SY10 0DE Preferred contact number: 01691 780532 M: 07539 170275 E: becca_fleur@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: Around the World Inspired by Nature</p> <p>Willing to tour Short notice bookings taken</p>
<p>JULIE PEARSON 46 Seaford Road Harwood BOLTON BL2 4BX M: 07922 090226 E: julie@juliepearsonfloraldesigner.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: It's a Little Crafty – unique designs created with craft techniques including recycled wax base Julie's Travels – Designs inspired by culture or historical events observed during travelling Afternoon Tea at the V&A Pure Flowers, craft and design without the green stuff Tis the Season – Festive designs, from November</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour</p>
<p>CYNTHIA PRESTON JONES Glaslyn, Weston Road BUCKNELL SY7 0BA T: 01547 530931 M: 07814 816522 E: fbcyn@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: Every Picture Tells a Story Sugar and Spice Dedicated Follower of Fashion Countdown to Christmas</p>
<p>JANE PUGH Jarwood View LYDBURY NORTH SY7 8AU Preferred contact number: 01588 680308 T: 01588 638222 E: janespetals@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Dance the Night Away Music, My First Love Chocolate Fantasy A Walk on the Wild Side</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour</p>

<p>LYNNE ROWLANDS Ceirios Lon Uchaf, Morfa Nefyn PWILHELI LL53 6AL M: 07531 988681 E: lynne@daffodilfoods.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: Flowery Adventures</p>
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<p>CARRON WHITE Lee House Llanfaelog, Ty-Croes ANGLESEY LL63 5TB M: 07812 409866 E: 2carronwhite@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: All Tied Up A Healthy Lifestyle Baubles Articles of the Past</p> <p>Willing to travel and fuel allowance negotiable</p>
<p>LEANNE WILLIAMS 4 Camlad Drive, Forden WELSHPOOL SY21 8NY Preferred contact number: 07930 414223 T: 01938 559165 E: leanne.serendipity@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: Seasonal Sensation Carnival of Colour Serendipity The Holly & The Ivy</p> <p>Willing to commit at short notice Willing to tour I try to avoid demonstrating during school holidays.</p>

NATIONAL SPEAKERS

<p>BERYL COTTON Belton House 20 The Ridgeway HOLYWELL CH8 7SN T: 07710 132721 E: berylcotton06@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles on request Willing to tour Short notice bookings taken</p>
<p>WENDY DAVIS 9 Ger-y-Ddol, Abbey Road LLANGOLLEN LL20 8TP T: 01978 860869 M: 07974 693240 E: wvadis4flowers@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: A Humorous History of Hats Celebrations – linked to your own Romance of the Rose A Thing of Beauty is a Joy Forever Flowers Through the Ages Christmas & Pantomime Tales</p>
<p>SIMONE SQUIRE 18 Wakefield Way Nether Heyford NORTHAMPTON NN7 3LU Preferred contact number: 01237 342167 M: 07713 584031 E: simone@the-squires.co.uk</p>	<p>Titles: A Lot More than a Slab of Chocolate Joy of Spring Other titles on request</p> <p>Willing to tour Willing to commit at short notice</p>

AREA SPEAKERS

<p>JACKIE CHARNOCK NDSF 8 Brookside Gardens Yockleton SHREWSBURY SY5 9PS Preferred contact number: 01743 821378 M: 07930 474137</p>	<p>Titles on Request Small groups, After Dinner Speaker</p>
<p>CYNTHIA PRESTON JONES Glaslyn, Weston Road BUCKNELL SY7 0BA T: 01547 530931 M: 07814 816522 E: fbcyn@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>B Ed Certificate in Education NAFAS Diploma</p>
<p>JANE PUGH Jarwood View LYDBURY NORTH SY7 8AU Preferred contact number: 01588 680308 T: 01588 638222 E: janespetals@gmail.com</p>	<p>Titles: The Wonderful World of Wade</p>

NATIONAL TEACHERS

<p>JACKIE CHARNOCK NDSF 8 Brookside Gardens Yockleton SHREWSBURY SY5 9PS Preferred contact number: 01743 821378 M: 07930 474137</p>	<p>C&G 1&2 Flower Arranging C&G 1&2 Floristry National Diploma Society of Floristry RHS General Certificate C&G 7306 & 7307 Adult Teaching Certificate</p> <p>Workshops for NAFAS Area, National and Contemporary groups Courses and workshops in traditional and contemporary techniques</p> <p>Willing to tour</p>
<p>JULIE PEARSON 46 Seaford Road Harwood BOLTON BL2 4BX M: 07922 090226 E: julie@juliepearsonfloraldesigner.co.uk</p>	<p>GCGI – C&G Graduateship in Floristry & Management, Level 6 NDSF – National Diploma Society of Floristry Level 5 Certificate in Education Level 4 Assessors D32/33 Member of the National Education Committee</p>

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<p>BRENDA HOWELL Parcllyn Farm Betws Ifan Beulah, Ceredigion SA38 9QN M: 07772 105273 (by text) E: breerrick@owlescote.com</p>	<p>B Ed Hons Adv diploma Art & Design Experienced Professional Teacher Max 20 in class Subjects include: Alternative mechanics, Parts 1 & 2 Preparing and using preserved materials Growing and using Willow in Floral Art</p>

<p>LOUISE JONES 97 Grove Road WALLASEY CH45 3HG Preferred contact number: 07966 847757 T: 07967 136678 E: louise.jones.utopia@gmail.com</p>	<p>C&G 7307 Adult Teaching Certificate Beginners' workshops Himeli workshops Christmas workshops including wreaths, table decorations and woodland creatures Foam free designs Imposed workshops</p>
<p>CARRON WHITE Lee House Llanfaelog, Ty-Croes ANGLESEY LL63 5TB M: 07812 409866 E: 2carronwhite@gmail.com</p>	<p>Workshops teaching principles and elements of design, flower arranging up to Level 3. Also available, craft workshops.</p>