

Weston super Mare Horticultural Society 2020 Programme

All meetings are held at St Peters Church Hall, Baytree Road, Weston super Mare BS22 8HG

2nd Thursday of the month 7.30pm unless otherwise stated

9 January		Jackie Petherbridge will give us the benefit of her experience across a wide range of gardening topics and problems. Jackie is an RHS qualified judge of daffodils with an interest right across the plants and flowers we use in our gardens.
13 February	Pruning	Local expert Tony Gray gives advice and top tips on pruning
12 March	No dig and hedgehogs	Award winning author, no dig expert and kitchen gardener Stephanie Hafferty tells us all we need to know about 'no dig' NoDigHome.com This event was postponed and replaced by a talk by Laura Batt , who told us about the work of the Hedgehog Rescue Organisation - Prickles.
April	No meeting	
18 April	Coach Trip	RHS Early Spring Show Cardiff Details from Sue Thomas Now cancelled as a result of Covid-19
2 May	Plant sale	Come to the plant sale on Saturday 2 May 9.30-1 at the home of Sue and Rod Thomas 5 Quantock Road WSM BS23 4DS Now cancelled as a result of Covid-19
14 May	How to show and exhibit	Our expert judges will tell you how to approach showing your flowers, vegetables, and home craft. The Flower Show schedule will be available Now cancelled as a result of Covid-19
11 June	Gardening without plastic	UK gardeners currently get through about 500 million plastic pots every single year. Since 2017 Sally Nex has been working to reduce, and where possible eliminate the plastic from her garden. See her experiences each month in The Garden (the RHS journal)
July	No meeting	
July-September	Summer Coach Trip	To be arranged
8 August	Annual Flower Show	Contact John Chapman for further details 01934 418904 or visit our website
10 September	Garden design	Jane Hollis , a member of the Society of Garden Designers, shows us gardens before and after with plenty of opportunity to ask questions
8 October	Question Time	Our own panel of experts will answer all your questions!
12 November	Allotment gardening in the media spotlight	Terry Walton got his first allotment age 11 and has had one ever since. He is the allotment doctor for

		the Jeremy Vine Show on BBC Radio 2 and author of My life on a Hillside Allotment.
10 December	AGM and Social	Come and join us for the AGM and an end year celebration

Bring and buy plant sale at each meeting as well as the raffle! Non-members welcome <http://www.wsmhorticultural.org.uk/>

For more information please contact Sarah Ireland, Secretary via the website