

**THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S**  
**Alpine and Rock Garden Committee**  
(formerly the 'Joint Rock Garden Plant Committee')

The Committee meets at a number of the Royal Horticultural Society's events and at certain selected Scottish Rock Garden Club and Alpine Garden Society Shows. In the current season the committee will meet at the following Alpine Garden Society shows:

Pershire	Saturday February 17
Early Spring	Saturday March 2
Hexham	Saturday April 13
East Cheshire	Saturday June 1
Wisley	Saturday June 29
Harlow Carr Autumn	Saturday October 12

**Awards which may be recommended:**

First Class Certificate	Award of Merit	Preliminary Certificate
Botanical Certificate	Cultural Certificate	

The committee may also recommend a plant be considered for an Award of Garden Merit.

All plants to be submitted to the Committee must be entered on forms obtainable from the Show Secretary on the morning of the Show. Completed forms must be returned to the Committee Secretary by 11am on the day of the Show.

- a) Plants may be entered for the competitive classes in the Show, in which case the Show Secretary will be responsible for moving them to the Committee Room. To assist the Show Secretary to do this, the owner must provide a note of the plants and the classes in which they are being exhibited.
- b) Plants not on the Show Bench should be delivered directly to the Committee Room by the owner one hour before the meeting.

Plants may be recommended for trial, and Exhibitors tacitly agree to send the required plants, bulbs, cuttings etc for trial when desired by the Royal Horticultural Society.

Herbarium specimens may also be required for the horticultural Herbarium at the RHS Garden at Wisley, to provide scientific material for record and study.

**Committee membership for 2024**

**Chair:** D Haselgrove

**Vice-Chairs:** Dr D Millward, J McGregor

**Members**

Dr C Bainbridge, Dr I Bainbridge, B Burrow, D Carver, R Chisu, Mrs D Clement, C Crosbie  
R Drew, Dr C Grey-Wilson, Ms E Mackintosh, G McNaughton, J Mitchell  
D Peace, Ms S Pettit, Prof D W H Rankin  
Mrs J Ryan, Dr M Sheader, Ms K Strange

**Honorary Members**

Mrs J Bishop, T Hall, R J A Leeds, A Leven, Prof A J Richards

**Friends**

I Christie, Prof J E G Good, Dr C Lafong, Mrs M F Randall, Dr P Semple, Mrs R Wallis

**Corresponding Members**

R Bathe, H Jans, J Jermyn, B Mathew, 'GBG representative'

**Associate Member**

B Swainston

**Secretary:** Mrs L Simpkins

**Hon Secretaries:** Dr C Bainbridge, J McGregor