

Dethick, Lea and Holloway
Horticultural Society
Annual Programme 2025



- Fri 10th Jan** **David Kerstevan**
“The new borders at Renishaw designed by Arne Maynard”
David has been Head Gardener at Renishaw Hall for 25 years. During that time he has overseen a great many remarkable changes to the gardens, including the recent redesign and replanting of the main borders.
- Fri 14th Feb** **Martin & Jill Fish**
“Gardening on the menu – through the seasons”
Martin will talk about his lifelong passion for growing vegetables, whilst Jill will suggest tempting recipes for using the vegetables with samples to taste! (*Their books and preserves will be on sale*)
- Sun 2th March** **Garden visit**
Broomfield College Winter Gardens
The Winter Garden at the college’s Broomfield Hall campus showcases stunning winter flowers, colourful stems, creative plants and intoxicating scents.
Cost £5 per person. Hot drinks & refreshments will be on sale. (Meeting time to be agreed)
- Fri 14th March** **Dr Andrew Ward**
“Scents and Desirability?”
Andrew’s talk tries to unravel the mysteries of why plants produce both scented flowers and aromatic foliage. It looks into how plants attract pollinating insects and animals, illustrating why we should use scent to its full potential in our garden and giving examples of plants that should be grown for their scent alone.
(*Plants from Andrew’s nursery will be on sale*)
- Fri 11th April** **Rachel Barrowcliffe**
“Future proof your garden”
Rachel will look at ways to future proof your garden for the years ahead. She will

encourage us to think about how to adapt our gardens to make them easier to manage.

Sat 10th May

Annual Plant Sale

Fri 13th June

Garden visit (arrive for 2.30pm)

Park Hall, Walton, Chesterfield

Romantic 2-acre plantsman's garden in a stunning setting with terraces, lawns, pergolas, pleached hedge, topiary, statuary, roses, rhododendrons, camelias and water features.

Cost £12 per person including refreshments.

Fri 11th July

Garden visit (arrive for 7.00pm)

Snitterton Hall, Snitterton, Matlock

The Hall is a late Elizabethan Manor House with gardens extending over 4 acres. There are areas of formal planting, a productive vegetable garden and more natural planting extending into the surrounding countryside.

Cost £12 per person including refreshments.

Sun 10th Aug

Full day coach trip to

Hodnet Hall Gardens, Shropshire

(full details of the trip are on a separate flyer)

Sat 20th Sept

Annual Horticultural Show

Fri 10th Oct

Jonathan Moseley

"Floral inspiration from an Autumn Garden"

Jonathan is a celebrated florist, broadcaster, presenter, teacher & writer. He will demonstrate three autumn arrangements in his highly entertaining and engaging manner! *(The arrangements will be raffled at the end of the evening).*

Fri 14th Nov

Members' Evening

More details to follow.

Fri 12th Dec

AGM and Christmas Fuddle

Indoor Meetings are at 7.30pm, usually on the second Friday of the month at

**Florence Nightingale Memorial Hall,
Mill Lane, Holloway, DE4 5BD**

New members are always welcome and guests, for a small fee.

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