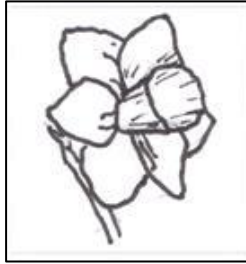


Spaxton Spring Flower Show – guidance for daffodil classes

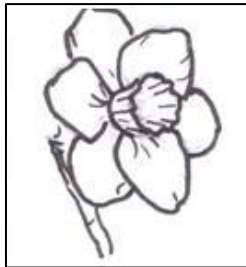
Know your daffs.....

Trumpet variety

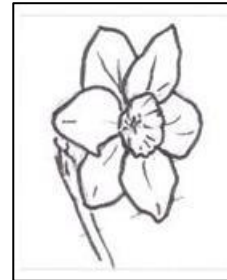


Trumpet: one flower to a stem, trumpet (the 'corona') as long as, or longer than the petals.

Cup variety



Large-cupped: one flower to a stem, cup more than one-third but less than the length of the petals.



Small-cupped: one flower to a stem, cup less than one-third the length of the petals.

Other varieties

Any daffodil which doesn't fall into the categories above, eg: double, more than one flower to a stem, miniature, etc.

Some top tips for showing (there are pages of them, but here's just a few!):

- Cut with long stems
- Use symmetrical flowers
- 'Groom' your flowers to clean them up, maybe use a small paintbrush
- Read the schedule properly (you'll be amazed that there are sometimes entries which have to be disqualified due to a simple error!)
- Don't include foliage if class only calls for stems
- 'Stage' your blooms so they face the judges, you could use a piece of card with a hole in placed on top of your vase, or wedge the stem in with cotton wool, moss or wood.