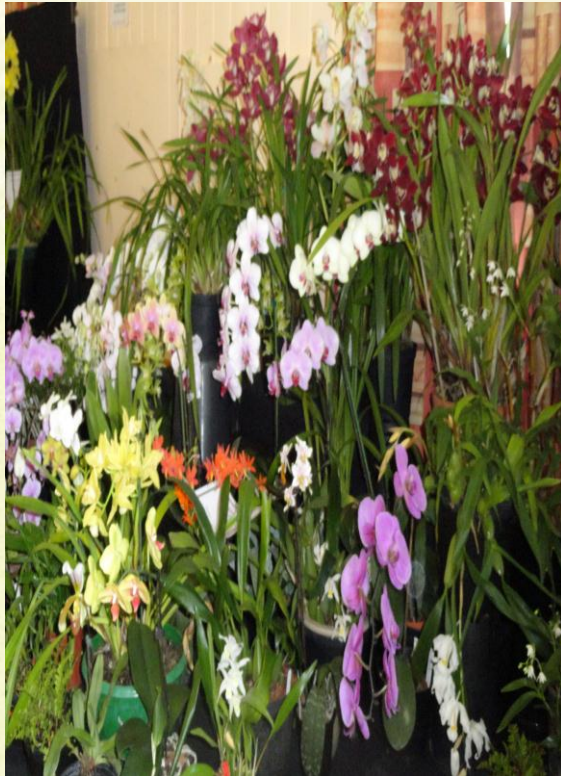


NORTH HAMPSHIRE ORCHID SOCIETY

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NEWSLETTER



NORTH HANTS DISPLAY

NORTH HANTS ORCHID SOCIETY ANNUAL SHOW

The society's Annual Spring Show was held on Sunday 19th February 2012 at East Oakley Village Hall. Members who attended were treated to a very pleasant afternoon which was enjoyed by participants and public alike.

There were not so many visitors through the doors this year, but as it was decided to increase the entrance fee to £1 per adult, it transpired that the society made the same amount of profit on the door as last year. However, because this meant that the attendance was down by half, refreshments, tombola and traders obviously missed out on the prospective custom to be derived from more visitors.

Even though this was the case, I have had notes from crafts and traders, who have said that they still enjoyed the friendly atmosphere of the show. This has got to be due to the efforts of those members present whose natural friendliness made people feel at ease.

SHOW CONTINUED

Includes breakdown of expenses and profits.

I am not going to thank individuals because those helpers present and members who came to the show and helped out, all deserve a mention and it would be unfair as I would hate to miss out anyone. So please be assured that all your time and efforts were greatly appreciated.

EXPENSES AND PROFIT

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| <u>Entrance Money</u> | £53.00 |
| <u>Refreshments less exps</u> | £43.66 |
| <u>Tombola [- cost 2 prizes]</u> | <u>£72.52</u> |
| | £169.18 |
| <u>Less Judging Awards</u> | <u>£25.00</u> |
| <u>Total Profit</u> | <u>£144.18</u> |

[Last year's profit £142.76]



THAMES VALLEY DISPLAY