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THE HEAVIEST PUMPKIN COMPETITION

RHS GARDEN HYDE HALL

30 SEPTEMBER - 2 OCTOBER 2022

ENTRY FORM

Please return this form by **Thursday 15 September** using one of the following methods:

Email: georginabarter@rhs.org.uk

Post: **Shows Department, The Royal Horticultural Society,
80 Vincent Square, London SW1P 2PE**

Late entries should be sent to the Horticultural Competitions Manager by phone or email:
Tel: **020 7821 3142**, Email: georginabarter@rhs.org.uk

☐ I / We have read the regulations and undertake to comply with them.

Contact Name	
Competitor Name (if different from above)	
Address	
Post Code	
Tel No	
Email	
Pumpkin dimensions	<p>Circumference (in cm) <input type="text"/></p> <p>Diameter – front to back* (in cm) <input type="text"/></p> <p>Diameter – side to side* (in cm) <input type="text"/></p> <p>*These two measurements must be taken over the highest point and straight down to the ground.</p>
Photograph	<input type="checkbox"/> I have enclosed a photograph of my entry
Signature	<input type="checkbox"/> By checking this box and typing my name I am electronically signing this document <input type="text"/>

Privacy Statement: Unless you are a RHS member or have chosen to receive other information from us, your personal data provided will be used by the RHS for the purpose of running the competition, including contacting the competition entrants. The personal data of all entrants including the winner will be kept for a period of one year from the closing date and then deleted. All competitors' names will be published and made public at the show. Please read our full [RHS Privacy Policy](#) to find out more about how we use your personal data and how to exercise your rights under the applicable data protection legislation.



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RHS Heaviest Pumpkin Competition

Get growing and be part of this exciting competition, at the RHS Garden Hyde Hall, as part of Taste of Autumn

When: 30 September - 2 October 2022
Where: RHS Garden, Hyde Hall
Who: Competition open to everyone, there are no entry fees
Prize Money: 1st; £1000, 2nd; £500, 3rd; £400, 4th; £300, 5th; £200

For further details please contact the RHS Competitions Manager Georgina Barter on 07970 138322 or georginabarter@rhs.org.uk

Regulations:

- 1 The competition is open to all.
- 2 Exhibits must be the property of the competitor. All specimens exhibited must be the *bona fide* property of the competitor and must have been grown by the competitor for at least 3 calendar months.
- 3 There are no entry fees.
- 4 The final selection of entries to be exhibited at the show will be made from photographic and measurement information to be submitted 2 weeks before the competition (by Thursday 17 September).
- 5 Only one entry per competitor is allowed.
- 6 Sticks, stones, soil or any substance that is not the plant matter of the specimen, must not be included in the weight of the entry.
- 7 Pumpkin stalks should not be more than 10cm in length.
- 8 Pumpkins can be delivered from 8am – 10am on Saturday 1 October.
- 9 Exhibits will be weighed on Saturday 1 October from 12noon.
- 10 All entries will be assessed for condition by an NVS judge and only those considered to be in good condition will be weighed.
- 11 Pumpkins may be removed at the end of the day, on Sunday evening or left at the garden.
- 12 The decision of the Judge is final.