

RHS London Orchid Show and Plant Fair



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Late Thu 5 April 5–9pm
Fri 6 April 11am–8pm,
Sat 7 April 11am–6pm
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Welcome to the RHS Orchid Show and Plant Fair

Thursday 5 April (Late event) – Saturday 7 April 2018

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Orchid Exhibitors

All orchid exhibitors will be in the Lindley Hall except for Harperley Hall Farm *pleione* orchid display which will be in the **Lawrence Hall**

Akerne Orchids (Orchid Web bvba)
www.akerne-orchids.com

Burnham Nurseries Ltd
www.orchids.uk.com

Double H Nursery
www.loveorchids.co.uk
www.doubleh.co.uk

Ecuagenera Cia Ltda
royden.orchids@gmail.com

Helen Millner
hmillner@virginmedia.com

Harperley Hall Farm Nurseries (Lawrence Hall)
www.harperleyhallfarmnurseries.co.uk

Kopf Orchideen
www.kopf-orchideen.de

Laurence Hobbs Orchids Ltd
www.laurencehobbсорchids.co.uk

Laneside Hardy Orchid Nursery
www.lanesidehardyorchids.co.uk

Lea Valley Orchid Society
radleymichael@yahoo.co.uk

NT Orchid Nursery
cwtang270970@yahoo.com

Orchid Society of Great Britain
www.osgb.org.uk

Orchid Botanics
www.orchidbotanics.co.uk

Orchis Floriculturing Inc.
www.orchis.com.tw

Peruflora
www.peruflora.net

Röllke Orchideenzucht
www.roellke-orchideen.de

Writhlington School Orchid Project
www.wsbeorchids.org

Floral Exhibitors

Brookfield Plants (Lawrence Hall)
www.brookfieldplants.co.uk

Dibleys Nurseries (Lawrence Hall)
www.dibleys.com

D'Arcy & Everest (Lawrence Hall)
www.darcyeverest.co.uk

Driftwood Bonsai (Lawrence Hall)
mark.driftwoodbonsai@live.co.uk

Eleplants (Lawrence Hall)
www.eleplants.co.uk

Every Picture Tells A Story Ltd (Lawrence Hall)
www.every-picture.com

Floyd's Climbers and Clematis (Lawrence Hall)
www.floydsclimbers.co.uk

Foster's Exotic and Unusual Plants (Lawrence Hall)
kevin56foster@yahoo.co.uk

Glendon Nursery (Lawrence Hall)
rosiebose@gmail.com

Hoyland Plant Centre (Lindley & Lawrence Hall)
www.somethingforthegarden.co.uk

H.W. Hyde & Son (Lawrence Hall)
www.hwhyde.co.uk

La Famille (Lindley Hall)
Moth orchid floral installation
paul@lafamille.co.uk

National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies (NAFAS) (Lawrence Hall)
www.nafas.org.uk

Ottershaw Cacti (Lawrence Hall)
www.ottershawcacti.com

Summerdale Garden Nursery (Lawrence Hall)
www.summerdalegardenplants.co.uk

Sea Spring Seeds (Lawrence Hall)
www.seaspringseeds.co.uk

The Botanic Nursery (Lawrence Hall)
www.botanicnursery.co.uk

W & S Lockyer (Lawrence Hall)
simonlockyer39@gmail.com

Weird Plants by Gill (Lawrence Hall)
weirdplantsbygill@gmail.com

Tradestand Exhibitors

Backdoorshoes® Ltd (Lawrence Hall)
www.backdoorshoes.co.uk

Beans And Herbs (Lawrence Hall)
www.beansandherbs.co.uk

BeeInspired (Lawrence Hall)
www.beeinspiredcreams.buzz

Chelsea School of Botanical Art - CSBA (Lindley Hall)
The CSBA classroom will pop up at the show with a paid for Botanical Art workshop, see Workshops section for details
www.chelseaschoolofbotanicalart.co.uk

Freddies Flowers (Lawrence Hall)
www.freddiesflowers.com

Jardin De France (Lawrence Hall)
www.jardin-defrance.com

Potting Up Limited (Lawrence Hall)
www.pottingup.com

The Orchid Review, RHS Media (Lawrence Hall)
www.rhs.org.uk/orchidreview

Real Escape Travel (Lindley Hall)
www.realescapetravel.co.uk

RHS Lindley Library (Lindley Hall)
The world's finest horticultural library, sharing the Royal Horticultural Society collections of books, periodicals, photography and botanical art. Sign up for free tours (see below for details)
www.rhs.org.uk/education-learning/libraries-at-rhs

RHS Gardening Advice (Lindley Hall)
Our friendly staff will be on hand to give free advice, whatever your query may be, feel free to bring photos along.
www.rhs.org.uk/membership/rhs-gardening-advice

RHS Bookshop (Lawrence Hall)
A selection of RHS books and gifts, book signings will also be taking place

RHS Membership (Lindley & Lawrence Hall)

Enjoy unlimited days out in our gardens, exclusive access to shows, and expert advice, all while helping support a beautiful Britain

Save Me I'm Wild (Lawrence Hall)

www.savemeimwild.com

Second Nature Soaps (Lawrence Hall)

www.secondnaturesoaps.co.uk

Smith&Strand (Lawrence Hall)

smithandstrand@talk21.com

Tendance Orchidee (Lindley Hall)

Jewellery

www.tendance-orchidee.com

Wells & Winter (Lawrence Hall)

www.wellsandwinter.co.uk

Food and drink

Old Granary Pierogi (Dais Lawrence Hall)

Hot baked and boiled pierogi, veggie, meaty and gluten free

www.oldgranarypierogi.co.uk

Elephant Kitchen (Dais Lawrence Hall)

Scrumptious toasted cheese sandwiches

elephantkitchen@mail.com

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Speciality coffee bar, offering freshly roasted single origin espresso, filter and decaf coffee along with tea and hot chocolate

www.origincoffee.co.uk

Lucia's Kitchen (Lawrence Hall)

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lucia.felix@me.com

Sands Catering (Lindley Hall Mezzanine)

Tea, coffee, soft drinks, cakes and sandwiches, including gluten free options.

sales@sandscatering.co.uk

Warner Edwards Distillery Ltd (Lawrence Hall) Late Event Only

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www.warnerdewards.com

Exclusive Curated Free Lindley Library Tours

Friday 6 & Saturday 7 Apr

Tours start 12pm and 2pm on both days from the Library Stand in the Lindley Hall

Join us at the RHS Lindley Library for a special viewing of our exhibition '*Handle with Care: Preserving our Gardening Heritage*' which explores how we protect and preserve our collections. The tour includes a curator's introduction to the exhibition and the chance to go behind the scenes to view early books and artworks.

Library opening hours have been extended for the show

Friday 6th	10am - 6pm
Saturday 7th	11am - 6pm

Orchid Installations

Celebration of Orchids: Floral designer Paul Malget will create a stunning display of Moth orchids (phalaenopsis) celebrating the tropical origins of these alluring plants. Large spherical floral designs will hang in the air surrounded by a floating mix of tropical foliage high above the exhibitors below. All orchids will be supplied by UK grower Double H Nurseries. **Lindley Hall**

Pleione Orchid Display: Harperley Hall Farm Nurseries will create a stunning display of *pleione* orchids, learn how to grow these beautiful hardy plants from the experts. There will be plenty of varieties on offer for you to take home and create your own tropical garden paradise. **Lawrence Hall**

Orchid Pollinators Virtual Reality Experience: We have teamed up with RHS Chatsworth Flower Show to bring you a sneak peek of the Orchid Pollinators Virtual Reality Experience. You will enter the world of pollination from an insect's point of view and discover the tricks these plants use to attract pollinators. This exhibit will feature at Chatsworth in the 'Great Conservatory' as part of a stunning floral installation celebrating the world of orchids, designed by florist Jonathan Mosely. **Lawrence Hall**

Talks Programme

All Orchid talks will take place in the **Lindley Hall Annexe**

Friday 6th

11.30am	Why Orchids Are Different by Helen Millner, RHS Gold Medal Exhibitor
12.30pm	Wild Orchids in the Balkans by Dino Zelenika
1.30pm	In Search of Wild British Orchids by Jon Dunn, author of new publication Orchid Summer
2.30pm	Add the Wow to Your Garden by Growing Hardy Orchids by Jeff Hutchins, from Laneside Hardy Orchids

3.30pm **Practical Guide to Orchids for Beginners** by Laurence Hobbs, from Laurence Hobbs Orchids

Saturday 7th

11.30am **Facts About Orchids Worthwhile to Know** by Andy Phillips

12.30pm **Orchid Project Rwanda** by Jess Buckle from Writhlington School, RHS Young Gardener of the Year

2.30pm **Easy Growing Orchids in the Home** by Sara Ritterhausen, from Burnham Nurseries

3.30pm **Practical Guide to Orchids for Beginners** by Laurence Hobbs, from Laurence Hobbs Orchids

Chelsea Flower Show Preview

In the **Lawrence Hall** a selection of this year's show garden designs will be on display in our Chelsea Flower Show exhibition, featuring planters filled with the latest planting trends for 2018 (plants supplied by Hortus Loci).

Talks Programme

Top designers will be giving a unique insight into what it takes to create a show garden and their own design inspiration.

Talks will take place in the **Lawrence Hall talks area**

Friday 6th

1.30pm **Johnathan Snow**, first time Chelsea garden designer, will be speaking on his design for the Trailfinders South African Wine Estate garden.

3pm **Kate Gould**, 2017 Chelsea Gold winner, will be speaking on her West End Secret Garden that incorporates smart eco-technology.

Saturday 7th

1.30pm **Tamara Bridge & Kate Savill** creative duo will be speaking on their design for the Warner Edwards garden.

3pm **Paul Hervey-Brookes** will be speaking on his design for the Viking Cruises Garden.

Sound Garden: As part of the Chelsea Flower Show Preview James Alexander Sinclair will be creating a remix of his reverberating 'Radio 2 Sound Garden' which featured at Chelsea in 2017. This garden will feature woodland planting but with a difference:

'It is an extension of the Radio 2 Sound Garden from Chelsea 2017 but this time the subtleties of sound is used to do interesting - and slightly unnerving - things to the woodland floor. It is a garden about sound that you cannot hear.'

James will also be giving tours of his garden at the Late Event and on Friday 6.

Workshops

All workshops are taking place on both show days unless stated otherwise.

- **Orchid Potting Demonstration by the Orchid Society of Great Britain (Lindley Hall)**
Free, drop-in

Free: Learn the secrets of orchid growing success with live potting demonstrations and expert advice from incredibly knowledgeable growers.

- **Seed Sowing Workshop alongside RHS Gardening Advice (Lindley Hall)**
Free, drop-in

Free: Our expert garden advisors will teach you how to sow a variety of seeds and advise you on how best to nurture your seedlings into a blooming beauty at home.

- **Paint a Beautiful Exotic Orchid by Chelsea School of Botanical Art (Lindley Hall)**
£10 per ticket, book in advance online through 'Buy tickets' or sign-up on the day, 8 people max per session

Friday 6th: 11.30am, 1.30pm, 4.00pm, 6.00pm

Saturday 7th: 11.30am, 1.30pm, 3.30pm

Paid for: Learn the art of botanical painting and create your very own exotic orchid masterpiece to take home and hang on your wall. Chelsea School of Botanical Art tutors will guide you through the study and painting techniques required to produce a beautiful water colour of an orchid. All materials will be supplied.

Late event

Monday 12 February 5pm - 9pm

- Free drop-in Springtime Floral Crown and Macrame workshop.
- **Paint a Beautiful Exotic Orchid by Chelsea School of Botanical Art (Lindley Hall)**
£10 per ticket, book in advance online through 'Buy tickets' or sign-up on the day, 8 people max per session

6.30pm, 1hr workshop

Learn the art of botanical painting and create your very own exotic orchid masterpiece to take home and hang on your wall. Chelsea School of Botanical Art tutors will guide you through the study and painting techniques required to produce a beautiful water colour of an orchid. All materials will be supplied.

- Free drink for the first 200 tickets booked in advance.
- Music and food for all taste-buds, including gluten free options.
- **Buy Your Show Tickets:** Take the opportunity to buy your tickets for the upcoming show season at our Shows Ticket Booth. Warner Edwards will also be serving show themed cocktails for you to sip whilst deciding on which show to visit.

RHS London Shows 2018

In 2018 we have a spectacular season of shows planned for our Horticultural Halls, giving visitors more to enjoy and take home than ever before. This includes a new **Plant and Art Fair** taking place in July, which will feature the world renowned Botanical Art Show.

All RHS London Shows in 2018 will be held in both RHS Halls, on the following dates:

- RHS Early Spring Plant Fair: 13 – 14 February (Late event 12 February)
- RHS Orchid Show & Plant Fair: 6 – 7 April (Late event 5 April)
- RHS Plant & Art Fair: 11 – 12 July (Late event 10 July)
- RHS Urban Garden Show: 27 – 28 October (Late event 26 October)

There will also be one smaller RHS Gardening Show in the Lindley Hall which members and the public will be able to visit for free:

- RHS Harvest Festival Show on 2 - 3 October

In addition to all of this the **RHS On Tour** will hit the road again in 2018 teaming up with other organisations to hold **free** events with a host of specialist growers, talks, workshops and gardening advice, more details coming very soon.

Tickets on sale now, book online at www.rhs.org.uk/shows-events/rhs-london-shows

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