Wray Flower, Craft and Produce Show 2022 2.30pm Saturday, 27th August, 2022

A brief explanation of the workings of the show might help new folk in the village and youngsters who, due to Covid, haven't had the pleasure of exhibiting before.

Take a look at the schedule which can be downloaded from <u>Wray Village</u> website and plan now what you can enter. Even if you are on holiday on show day you can still enter by handing your items to a willing neighbour to enter on your behalf.

Bring your show items along to the Village Hall between 8pm and 9pm on Friday, 26th August and 9am and 10.30am on Saturday, 27th August to get them booked in and on show. Entry is open to residents of the Civil Parishes of Wray, Tatham and Roeburndale and to any child attending Wray School. Visitors to Wray will also be welcome to participate. Once the exhibits are in place everyone will be asked to vacate the hall whilst the expert judges make their decisions (which are final).

At 2.30pm the show opens for folk to inspect all the items on display and to see who has triumphed in each category. Children who have been awarded 1st, 2nd or 3rd places can collect their prize money! At 3pm exhibitors are invited to reclaim their exhibits or leave them for sale in the auction, which commences 3.15pm. The winner of 'The Best In Show' award is presented along with fourteen other coveted trophies and cups.

The auction provides a wonderful opportunity to snap up delicious baking, organic garden produce and wonderful flower displays. Children are encouraged to try their hand at bidding (with their parents' permission and funding!) The auctioneer asks for young volunteers to act as his assistants taking purchased produce to the successful bidders and collecting the cash for Village Hall funds. A Wray show tradition!

Please do support the Village Show which costs nothing to enter and with a bit of luck you may be taking home a clutch of certificates at the end of the day. Trophy winners hold on to their silverware for a year and get their names inscribed for posterity.

Wray Village Institute Committee