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'Striving for Life in all its Fullness'

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are really looking forward to our traditional ABCA Horticultural Show on **Thursday 17th September 2026** - a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our natural environment with our local community.

This year's show theme is ***Our Natural World*** and as usual we will be asking the children to grow, forage, photograph, make and bake!

A list of the categories is attached with this letter. We do hope that your child will feel inspired to enter one or more categories even if you do not have a garden or vegetable patch. The summer break is an ideal opportunity to get growing and creating entries.

Administration arrangements are as follows:

Photographs on the theme "*Capture the Wild*" should be emailed to the school office with a subject heading of "**Photographic Competition**" by **Wednesday 9th September**. This will enable judging to take place so that prizes can be awarded on the day of the show. Please include your child's name and class and a title for the photograph. Digital photos only, no pets

Art and craft entries must be brought to the school office by **Wednesday 16th September**. Your child's age and year group should be clearly marked.

Produce and baking entries should be brought into school on **Thursday 17th September** – also clearly marked with your child's name and class and a list of ingredients.

Children can enter as many categories as they wish.

We are all looking forward to a day of celebration and the opportunities for our amazing children to showcase their talents and for parents and carers to come and join us later in the afternoon. More info will be sent out in September. Thank you for supporting our unique Horticultural Show.

Kind regards

Mrs Stevens, Mrs Chilton and Miss Young.

