



HARTS OF STUR



**Simpson's Seeds
and plants**

Chilli Plant Competition 2024

Judging takes place live on Saturday 3rd August @ 3.30pm

Chilli Plant Competition:

CLASS 1 – CARDIFF QUEEN variety (Capsicum Annuum) chilli plant

Plants to be grown in maximum 5 litre pots. Only one plant per pot, seed grown this year. Plants will be judged on their health, appearance and yield. Seeds can be bought from www.seaspringseeds.co.uk

CLASS 2 - OPEN COMPETITION

This competition is open to any chilli variety. The plant must have been sown this year. One plant per pot, any size pot.

How to enter:

- Bring your plant with you to the Great Dorset Chilli Festival on Saturday 3RD August 2024. There is no need to notify us in advance that you will be entering the competition. You will need to buy a ticket to enter the festival, but there is no entry fee for the competition.
- Once onsite, take your plant to the competition tent
- Sign the plant in and leave it in the tent while you enjoy the festival.

Judging:

The Competition is on Saturday 3rd August. Entries must be in by 2.00pm. Judging is at 3.30pm. Judging is by respected chilli growers, Michael Michaud of Sea Spring Seeds, Matt Simpson of Simpson's Seeds, plus celebrated Dorset chef Mark Hix of The Oyster and Fish House. You may remove your plant after judging, but if you don't want it back it will be rehomed in my greenhouse.

Prizes:

The winner of each class will receive a £50 voucher for **Harts of Stur** and rosette. Rosettes will also be awarded to 2nd and 3rd. Winners please collect your prize from Mark Hix on stage at the main Music Tent at 4.00pm, or afterwards from the event HQ in the PA trailer near the cider tent.

Rules:

1. You may enter one plant only per class.
2. Pot-grown plants only. No hydroponics please.
3. The Judges' decision is final

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