

# How to prepare radish for the show bench

All vegetables exhibited have to follow a set of rules. These rules are set by The Royal Horticultural Society (RHS).

Radishes should be fresh and firm. They should be free from blemishes\* and have some leaves attached.

Dig them as close to show time as possible so they are fresh.

Be careful to keep the roots intact\*, judges will mark down if the roots are broken.

It is a good idea to dig an extra one so you can cut it and check what the inside looks like.

Judges give marks for:

Condition, size, colour, and uniformity (if they are all the same type).

## **For the BGS Summer Show:**

5 radishes (they can be the same variety or a mixture)

Wash and gently dry them.

Be careful not to rub the small roots off.

Trim the leaves to approximately 8cm.

Put your radishes on a plain plate.

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\*blemishes - marks and odd shapes

\*intact – not damaged in any way, still attached