

The 54th Annual Horticultural Show



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The Men's Garden Club of Youngstown
(MGCY)



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Public Welcome

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Why A Flower Show?

To me the sole purpose of a flower show is its educational value. So far as I am concerned, the flower show that has nothing to teach me is a complete failure. The number of blue ribbons that I may be able to collect has nothing to do with it. Naturally, the better growers will have the most to teach me; the more there are of them, the more I can learn. If they get the blue and I can find how and why they did, I get the information cheap. The idea of awards must be kept secondary to the true purpose of the show, which is education. As soon as the award becomes the primary purpose, the death of the show is assured.

-By Ernest L. Scott, Founder of the National Chrysanthemum Society

New Award Boe Korody Largest Zinnia Award

Boe Korody was a friend and neighbor of ours who passed away 3 years ago. In his retirement Boe volunteered at Knoll Run Golf Course planting and maintaining the flowers around the club house and restaurant. Boe's favorite was "State Fair" Zinnia which made quite an impressionable display. A few years ago I encouraged Boe to enter his Zinnia's in the Canfield Fair but he really did not have any interest in competing with his flowers or attending the fair. He just loved that everyone enjoyed them. With his permission I entered them for him and to his delight Boe and his Zinnia's won Best in Show. Boe was so proud he even made a trip to the fair to pick up his Blue Ribbon and have his picture taken. At Boe's funeral which was very small and private his wife passed out "State Fair" Zinnia seeds.

To honor his memory we are pleased to sponsor the **Boe Korody Largest Zinnia Award**. (note p. 6)

Carl and Yvonne Ford

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Class Don Brown	Bruce Brungard	Rex Luckage	Clerks Pat Cunning	Terry Voland
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Class Don Brown	Bruce Brungard	Rex Luckage	Clerks Pat Cunning	Terry Voland
Section C	ANNUALS	Bob Schulick		
Class Steve Fabian	Dennis Penner	Thomas Liggett	Clerks Vince Camp	Ronnie Jones
Section D	PERENNIAL - BIENNIAL			
Class Jim Burger	Bob McGowan	Joe Fagnano	Clerks Mike Banks	David Goist
Section E	DAHLIAS			
Class Hugh Earnhart	Dan Burns	Charlie Grounds	Clerks Cor Kester	Teddy Barritt
Section F	BULBS,TUBERS,ETC.			
Class Hugh Earnhart	Dan Burns	Charlie Grounds	Clerks Cor Kester	Teddy Barritt
Section G	ROSES			
Class Hugh Earnhart	Dan Burns	Charlie Grounds	Clerks Cor Kester	Teddy Barritt
Section H	POTTED PLANTS			
Class Dave Williams	Dave Campana	Lynn Hoffmann	Clerks Carlo Rubino	Bill Laslo
Section HH	BONSAI			
Class Dave Williams	Dave Campana	Lynn Hoffmann	Clerks Carlo Rubino	Bill Laslo
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Class Richard States	David Causer	John Fox	Clerks Jerry Wansack	Dennis Zap
Section II	CACTI			
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Section J	WOODY PLANTS			
Class Art Roden	P. Shanabarger	Greg Fagnano	Clerks Tom Arens	Chris Bacha
Section K	HANGING CONTAINERS			
Class Art Roden	P. Shanabarger	Greg Fagnano	Clerks Tom Arens	Chris Bacha
Youth Gardeners				
Joe Alessi Jr	John Schinker	Dan Burns	Clerks David Causer	Robert Voland
Alternates	Greg Riddle	Joe Raught	William Ricciardulli	Bill MacPherson

Exhibitor Requirements And Qualifications

Participation in the show is open to anyone interested in growing plants.

All Participants must register and receive a registration number.

1. Please supply E-mail address to receive MGCY show information *on line* .
2. **First time exhibitors** will receive a new registration number.
3. **Previous years exhibitor numbers** are available at registration desk for faster, easier show records.

All specimens entered must be grown by the exhibitor.

The fact of entry constitutes a declaration of this point.

Entries will be accepted from - 7:00 am to 10:30 am Saturday*

Judging Starts - 11:00 am

Show Open to Public - 1:00 pm Saturday and Sunday 10:00 am

Awards Ceremony 4:00 pm Sunday

Entries can be removed from show **ONLY AFTER** Awards Ceremony on Sunday.

***LATE ENTRIES WILL BE DISPLAYED BUT WILL NOT BE JUDGED.**

All Entries Must Be Labeled As To Kind and Variety

Entry tags must be completely filled out, **TOP AND BOTTOM**, and folded. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.

Unnamed specimens will be judged, but award ribbons will not be counted toward section or sweepstake awards. **See Exhibitor Advisor for assistance.**

Any number of specimens may be entered in each class, provided each specimen is a different variety. If three or more specimens of the same variety are entered in one class, they will automatically constitute a separate class. In “Any Other” each entry constitutes an individual class.

In the “Any Other” category the name and variety must be on the label.

Where the schedule calls for a quantity of more than one specimen, they shall be of the same variety and color, unless the schedule calls for a variation. A greater or lesser quantity shall disqualify the entry.

Specified varieties must go in the specified section.

Mini varieties should be placed in the class “any other” unless specified otherwise.

No artificial support of stem or blooms, other than small wedges, will be permitted.

Wedges will be supplied by the show committee.

Paper plates will be supplied for the vegetable section.

Vases acceptable where appropriate. Use of club containers is preferred.

Floating Specimens in clear water are permitted (foliage may be included) – Section 99, any other. Container must be supplied by the exhibitor.

Show Management - General Rules

Responsibility for injury or loss of exhibits and personal property will not be assumed by show management.

Exhibitors are not to be present during judging process.

The decisions of the judges will be final in awarding or withholding ribbons. MGCA judging standards will be followed except where noted or show schedule deviates from these standards.

Where applicable the judging standards of the specialized plant societies will be followed.

Awards

No more than one first (blue), one second (red) and one third (yellow) ribbon shall be given in any class except class 99. Any number of honorable mention ribbons (white) may be given. All varieties in the category "Any Other"(Class 99), the last entry of each section, will be eligible for a blue ribbon.

Sectional Awards

Sectional awards will be given in each section of the schedule. These awards shall be determined by the judges from the blue ribbon winners in each section.

Best of Show Award

The Best of Show award will be determined by the judges from the sectional award winners. No points will be given for this award.

Sweepstakes Award

The sweepstakes award shall be determined by totaling the number of blue ribbons of each entrant plus any sectional awards.

Each Blue Ribbon	1 point
Each Sectional Ribbon	5 points

**In case of a tie, RED RIBBONS WILL BE COUNTED.

Presidential Award

Will be given to an adult who wins both, **Best of Show Award and Sweepstakes**

Award

Larry Whetson
Heaviest Tomato Award
Sponsored by Greier Ag

\$25.00 will be given for the heaviest edible tomato.

Boe Korody
Largest Zinnia Award
Sponsored by Carl and Yvonne Ford

\$25.00 will be given for the Largest Zinnia (must be a blue ribbon winner).

Youth Gardeners
(16 and Under)
Must use colored entry tag

Youth exhibitor requirements and entries will be judged under the same rules as noted above. Sectional and Best of

SECTION A

CLASS

A01	Beans, Fava	6 pods (stem showing)
A02	Beans, Lima	6 pods (stem showing)
A03	Beans, Snap - Green	6 pods (stem showing)
A04	Beans, Snap - Yellow	6 pods (stem showing)
A05	Beans, Dry - Shelled	10 (one variety)
A06	Beets	3 (1 variety, tops trimmed to 2")
A07	Broccoli	1 central head
A08	Brussel Sprouts	6
A09	Cabbage, Green	1 head (trimmed)
A10	Cabbage, Red	1 head (trimmed)
A11	Cantaloupe	1
A12	Carrots	3 (tops trimmed to 2")
A13	Cauliflower	1 curd (over 4" diam.)
A14	Corn, Sweet - White	3 (husks pulled back)
A15	Corn, Sweet - Yellow	3 (husks pulled back)
A16	Corn, Sweet - Bicolor	3 (husks pulled back)
A17	Cucumbers, Slicing	3 (over 6", 1/4" stem showing)
A18	Cucumbers, Pickling	3 (under 6", 1/4" stem showing)
A19	Eggplant	1 (stem showing)
A20	Garlic	3 bulbs (trimmed to 2")
A21	Kohlrabi	3 (trimmed)
A22	Leek	1 (trimmed)
A23	Onions, Dry, Unpeeled	3 (tops trimmed to 2")
A24	Parsley	3 stems
A25	Peppers, Hot	3 (stems showing)
A26	Peppers, Sweet	3 (stems showing)
A27	Potatoes, Sweet	3
A28	Potatoes, White or Red	3
A29	Pumpkin, Sugar or Pie	1 (stem showing)
A30	Pumpkin, or Squash (over 20" diam.)	1 (stem showing)
A31	Rhubarb	3 (stems trimmed)
A32	Squash, Acorn	1 (stem showing)
A33	Squash, Butternut	1 (stem showing)
A34	Squash, Crook or Straight Neck	1 (stem showing)
A35	Squash, Scallop	1 (stem showing)
A36	Squash, Zucchini (12", or under)	1 (stem showing)
A37	Swiss Chard	1 stem
A38	Tomatoes, Cherry or Miniature	10 to 15(stems showing)
A39	Tomatoes, Pear Type	5 (stems showing)
A40	Tomatoes, Red	3 (stems showing)
A41	Tomatoes, Yellow or Orange	3 (stems showing)
A42	Tomatoes, Heirloom	3 (stems showing)
A43	Tomatoes, Paste	3 (stems showing)
A44	Six Different Vegetables	(Arranged on your own Container. Each should be Identified as to variety.)
A99	Any Other	(Edible Herbs Included)

ORNAMENTALS

SECTION AA

Class

AA1	Gourds, Large	1 (stem showing)
AA2	Gourds, Small Fancy	5 (stems showing)
AA3	Ornamental Corn	3 (husks pulled back)
AA4	Helianthus, Sunflower, Over 8", diam.	1 head (with part of stem)
AA5	Helianthus, Sunflower, Under 8",diam.	1 head or spray (with part of stem)
AA99	Any Other	

FRUITS

SECTION B

Class

B01	Apples, Red (1 Variety)	3 (stems showing)
B02	Apples, Yellow (1 Variety)	3 (stems showing)
B03	Crabapples (1 Variety)	7 (stems showing)
B04	Grapes, Blue	2 bunches
B05	Grapes, Red	2 bunches
B06	Grapes, White	2 bunches
B07	Peaches	3
B08	Pears	3 (stems showing)
B09	Plums	5 (stems showing)
B10	Raspberries	10
B11	Strawberries	10 (stems showing)
B99	Any Other	3 to 10 (depending on size)

ANNUALS

(To be displayed with foliage showing)

SECTION C

Class

C01	Annual Asters	3
C02	Amaranthus	1 stem

SECTION C - Annuals (contiued)

Class

C03	Bedding Dahlias	3 (alike)
C04	Bedding Dahlias	3 (different)
C05	Calendula	3
C06	Celosia, Crested	1 flower head
C07	Celosia, Plumed or Feathered	1 flower head
C08	Coleus	1 stem
C09	Cosmos	3
C10	Impatiens	3 blooms (one color)
CLASS		
C11	Marigold, Large Flowered	1 (3" or over)
C12	Marigold, Medium Flowered	1 (1 1/2" to 3")

C13	Marigold, Dwarf – Petite – Pygmy	1 spray
C14	Petunia, Single Flower, Plain Edge	1 spray
C15	Petunia, Single Flower, Fringed or Ruffled	1 spray
C16	Petunia, Double Flower	1 spray
C17	Salvia, Blue	3 stems
C18	Salvia, Red	3 stems
C19	Snapdragon, Dwarf (12” or under)	3 spikes (1 color)
C20	Snapdragon, (over 12”)	3 spikes (1 color)
C21	Snapdragon, Butterfly (12” or under)	3 spikes (1 color)
C22	Snapdragon, Butterfly (over 12”)	3 spikes (1 color)
C23	Statice	1 spike
C24	Verbena	3 stems
Note: The Boe Korody Largest Zinnia Award must be a blue ribbon winner.		
C25	Zinnia, Giant Cactus or Dahlia	1 (4” or more)
C26	Zinnia, Medium Flower	1 (2” to 4”)
C27	Zinnia, Miniature Types	3 (under 2”)
C99	Any Other	1 or 3 blooms, spike or sprays

PERENNIALS – BIENNIALS (*Herbaceous*)

SECTION D

Class		
D01	Achillea	1 stem
D02	Buddleia	1 stem
D03	Echinacea (Cone Flower)	3 stems
D04	Ferns	1 or 3 fronds
D05	Garden Mums	1 spray
D06	Garden Mums	1 bloom (disbudded)
D07	Garden Mums, Cushion	1 spray
D08	Hibiscus	1 stalk
D09	Hollyhock, All Varieties	1 stalk
D10	Hosta	1 or 3 leaves
D11	Ornamental Grasses	1 or 3 stems
D12	Rudbeckia (Black-eyed Susan)	3 blooms
D99	Any Other (Ornamental Herbs Included)	1 to 3 blooms, spikes or sprays

DAHLIAS

SECTION E

- At least one pair of leaves per stem must show above mouth of container.
- All entries must be disbudded.
- Entries made in accordance with the Official American Dahlia Society, and will be judged accordingly.
- Undersize and Oversize blooms – Every bloom must be entered as classified, including undersize and oversize blooms.

A – Dahlia – Over 8”, & AA – Dahlia – Over 10”

Class		
E01	Formal Decorative (FD)	1 bloom
E02	Informal Decorative (ID)	1 bloom
E03	Semi – Cactus (SC)	1 bloom
E04	Cactus Str. & Incurved	1 bloom

B – Dahlia – 6” to 8”

Class		
E05	Formal Decorative (FD)	1 bloom
E06	Informal Decorative (ID)	1 bloom
E07	Semi – Cactus (SC)	1 bloom
E08	Cactus Str. & Incurved	1 bloom

BB – Dahlia 4” to 6”

Class		
E09	Formal Decorative (FD)	1 bloom
E10	Informal Decorative (ID)	1 bloom
E11	Semi – Cactus (SC)	1 bloom
E12	Cactus Str. & Incurved	1 bloom

Mini Dahlia – not more than 4”

Class		
E13	Formal Decorative, Informal Decorative (FD & ID)	1 bloom
E14	Semi-Cactus, Cactus (SC & C)	1 bloom

Ball – Dahlia – 3-1/2” or more

Class		
E15	Ball	1 bloom

Mini Ball – Dahlia – 2” to 3-1/2”

Class		
E16	Ball	1 bloom
E17	Ball	3 blooms (same variety)

SECTION E Dahlias (continued)

Pompon – Dahlia not over 2”

Class		
E18	Pompon	1 bloom
E19	Pompon	3 blooms

Other Types

Class		
E20	Water Lily	1 bloom
E21	Single	1 bloom
E22	All Other Types	1 bloom

Seeding Dahlias

Class		
E23	Single (includes Mignon, Orchid Flowering, Anemone, Novelty & Collarete)	1 bloom
E24	A Size	1 bloom
E25	B Size	1 bloom
E26	BB Size	1 bloom
E27	Miniature	1 bloom
E28	Ball	1 bloom
E99	Any Other	1 bloom

BULBS, TUBERS, CORMS, ROOTS, RHIZOMES, TUBEROUS ROOTS

SECTION F

Class		
F01	Canna	1 stem
F02	Gladiolus, Lg. & med. Flowered (as classified)	1 spike above 3-1/2” floret
F03	Gladiolus, Small Flowered (as classified)	1 spike (under 3-1/2” floret)
F04	Tuberous Begonia	1 bloom (accompanied by 1 leaf. To be displayed floating in clear water in container provided by exhibitor.)
F99	Any Other	1 or 3 bloom, spike or stalk

ROSES (with foliage)
All Single Blooms Disbudded

SECTION G

Class

G01	Hybrid Tea	1 bloom
G02	Grandiflora	1 spray
G03	Grandiflora	1 bloom
G04	Floribunda	1 spray
G05	Floribunda	1 bloom
G06	Mini Flora	1 spray
G07	Mini Flora	1 bloom
G08	Miniature	1 spray
G09	Miniature	1 bloom
G10	Shrub	1 spray
G12	Shrub	1 bloom
G13	Most Fragrant	1 bloom or spray
G99	Any Other	1 bloom or spray

POTTED PLANTS

- SECTION H** - Container not to exceed 18 inches in any direction
 - One Variety in a clean container.
 - No foil or other covering on container is permissible.

Class

H01	African Violets, Single Flower Variety	1 crown
H02	African Violets, Double Flower Variety	1 crown
H03	Coleus	
H04	Fibrous Rooted Begonias	
H05	Geranium	
H06	Ferns	
H99	Any Other – (may include mixed varieties)	

BONSAI

Training Support(s) permitted

SECTION HH

Class

HH01	Formal Upright
HH02	Informal Upright
HH03	Slanting Style
HH04	Windswept Style
HH05	Cascade
HH06	Multi-Trunk
HH07	Group Planting
HH08	Saikei (Miniature landscape)
HH99	Any Other

SUCCULENTS

SECTION I

Class

I01	Agave	
I02	Aloe	
I03	Crassula	
I04	Euphorbia	
I05	Sedum	Cut or Potted
I06	Stapelia	
I99	Any Other	

CACTI

Training Support(s) permitted

SECTION II

Class

II01	Opuntia
II02	Cereus
II03	Echinocactus
II04	Echinopsis
II05	Mammillaria
II99	Any Other

WOODY PLANTS OR TREES

Not to exceed 30" in height from the table top

SECTION J

Class

J01	Single Flowering Branch	Not to exceed 30" in height
J02	Single Fruiting Branch	Not to exceed 30" in height
J03	Single Foliage Only Branch	Not to exceed 30" in height
J99	Any Other	Not to exceed 30" in height

HANGING CONTAINERS

Not to exceed 16" (inch) diameter

SECTION K

Class

K01	Hanging Container – with Blooms	(one variety)
K02	Hanging Container – Foliage Only	(one variety)
K99	Any Other	(can include more than one Variety)

TIPS FOR SHOWING

1. Closely abide by all requirements in the show schedule.
2. Be selective. Start surveying your garden for possible exhibits at least a week before the show. (sometimes even earlier)
3. When more than one specimen is called for, they should be as uniform as possible. (color, size and shape) Bring extra to compensate for the unexpected.
4. Specimens should be shown at a mature stage and be true to type. Larger is not always better.
5. In most instances specimens should be shown with foliage attached.
6. Exhibits should be clean and free from dust, soil and insecticides. Good grooming is very important.
7. Arrange exhibits in an artful manner. Emphasize good qualities and minimize defects. Exhibits should match the size of the container.
8. Containers for plants should be clean, plain and uncovered.
9. It is better to concentrate on quality of exhibits rather than quantity of exhibits.
10. Examine your exhibit from a distance as well as close-up. Sometimes you get a different perspective at a distance.

**We would like to thank the following for their kind
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Just Your Type Graphics

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Fellows Riverside Gardens

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