

Ring Around The Roses



FORT VANCOUVER ROSE SOCIETY
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June/July 2026

LEADERSHIP REMARKS

What a month and a half! I am so proud of our FVRS volunteers who went above and beyond this past month of May and to date in June to staff the Camas Plant & Garden Fair on May 9, workdays at the public parks May 5 and June 12, an outstanding 2026 Rose Show on May 30, and the Fort Vancouver Heritage Garden Fair on June 20. The long hours and hard work have paid off with new members gained and, most thankfully, the annual rose show concluding on solid financial footing.

We have been promoting Fort Vancouver Rose Society in Vancouver and surrounding communities, and interaction at events has been resoundingly positive.

Keep up the good work everyone, spreading the news about FVRS

--Submitted by Kathy Fry, President

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

There are NO General Membership meetings in July and August

Friday, July 10, 8:30 a.m. Workday at Community Gardens

We'll start at the Esther Short Park Rose Garden to do weeding, deadheading and garden cleanup ... then move on to the Covington House Rose Garden, depending on time and everyone's energy levels.

Thursday, September 3, 7:00 p.m. General Membership Meeting

Parish Hall at St. Luke's Episcopal Church
426 E. Fourth Plain Blvd. in Vancouver

*The September meeting will be our annual In-House Rose Show and potluck supper ... details to be announced as the date approaches. **Can't wait!***



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2026 ROSE SHOW
SATURDAY, MAY 30
CLARK COUNTY EVENT CENTER
AT THE FAIRGROUNDS

WORKDAYS in May and June

On May 5 and June 12, our die-hard FVRS volunteers, with pruners, loppers, rakes, and buckets, were at it again in the Esther Short Park Rose Garden.

On the May workday, it was rainy and cold ... not a pleasant day to be out in the roses but the job of maintaining the roses got done.



Frank Cardineaux



Leslie Mowers, Gene Fults and Louis Rossetto

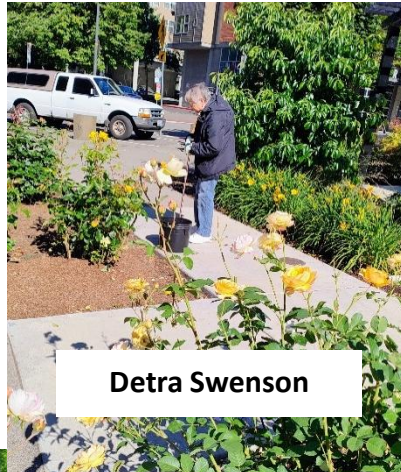
After some moderate deadheading, weeding and raking back mulch from around the roses, the sodden workday “adventure” was called due to the weather.

What dedicated folks!

On June 12, the weather was MUCH nicer. The roses were looking lovely but very much in need of deadheading. Here are some photos from the June 12 workday:



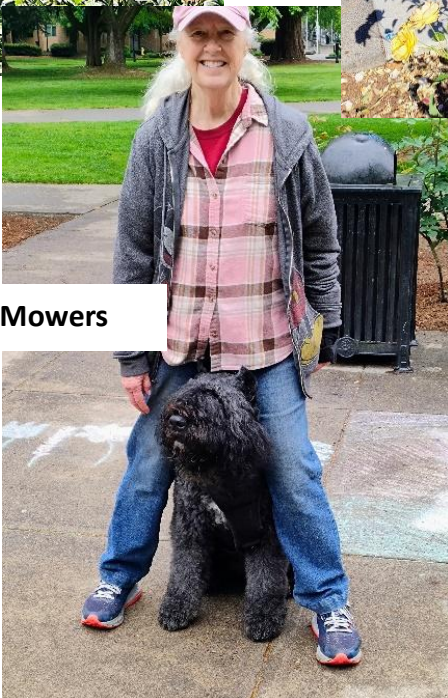
Jim Swenson



Detra Swenson



**Jim Swenson and
Louis Rossetto**



Leslie Mowers



Gene Fults

Besides the folks pictured on this and the previous page, on most of our workdays, these other FVRS volunteers can usually be found working in the garden: Bob Britt, Jan DeWeese, Jim and Kim Erion, Kathy Fry, Michael and Cheryl Giddings, Julie Goggin, Pete and Maggie Mikalatos, Fiona Neumann, Larry O'Leary and Sally Rossetto. *—Submitted by Kathy Fry*

CAMAS PLANT & GARDEN FAIR

Fort Vancouver Rose Society hosted a booth at the 2026 Camas Plant & Garden Fair—this was our third year at the Fair.

Orchestrated by Michael Giddings, FVRS volunteers arrived at 6:45 a.m. on Saturday, May 9, to set up the booth with tables, chairs, pop-up tent, banners, etc., and lots of water!



In just a few minutes, the booth was set up and ready for the day. There were also T-shirts and rose photo notecards for sale and, in addition to FVRS membership forms, lots of helpful FVRS rose information.

Approximately 15 to 20 FVRS volunteers worked four shifts to fully staff the booth throughout the day. As in past years, the 2026 Camas Plant & Garden Fair was hugely attended; and we made many new friends. The Society is looking forward to participating in 2027!



--Submitted by Kathy Fry



FORT VANCOUVER ROSE SOCIETY 71st Annual Rose Show

--article submitted by Jan DeWeese--

Fort Vancouver Rose Society
71ST ANNUAL ROSE SHOW



A Rosy Affair

Saturday, May 30, 2026
Clark County Event Center at the Fairgrounds
Ridgefield, Washington

THE COURTS

LARGE COURT



MINIATURE COURT



MINIFLORA COURT



*NOTE: This list does not include the categories not entered or awarded.
Only the winners of categories entered are listed.*

HORTICULTURE

Large, Miniature and Miniflora Courts

Queen of Show: "Ring of Fire" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

King of Show: "Hoagy Carmichael" by Gretchen Humphrey

Princess of Show: "Marilyn Monroe" by Carl and Carolyn Finch

Miniature Queen: "Irresistible" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Miniature King: "The Lighthouse" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature Princess: "Chessie's Favorite" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Miniflora Queen: "Sweet Marilyn" by Margaret Snitzler

Miniflora King: "Family Holiday" by Michael and Gretchen Humphrey

Miniflora Princess: "Dr. John Dickman" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Grand Challenge

Bloom Cycle Challenge: "Gold Medal" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Rainbow Bloom Cycle Challenge: "Randy Scott," "Timeless" and "Chris Evert"
by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Esther Short Challenge: "Hot Princess," "Diana, Princess of Wales," "Neptune," "Snuffy" and
"Veterans' Honor" by Carl and Carolyn Finch

Colorama Challenge: "Veterans' Honor," "Gemini" and "Cajun Moon" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

English Rose Box: "Tineke," "Marilyn Monroe," "Hot Princess," "Gemini," "Snuffy" and
"Let Freedom Ring" by Carl and Carolyn Finch

Rose Portrait: "Day Breaker" by Gary and Cheryl McClain

Rose in A Bowl: "Selfridges" by Gretchen and Michael Humphrey

Mini Maxi Rose Portrait: "Olympiad" and "Miss Flippins" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Floribunda Spray Challenge: "City of London," "Betty Boop" and "Blueberry Hill" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Most Fragrant Rose: "Sugar Moon" by Dee Pigman

Large Exhibition-Type Roses

Three Large Exhibition Blooms: "Love & Peace" by Judy Burge

One Large Open Bloom: "Sweetness" by Jan DeWeese

Large Open Bloom Collection: "Gold Medal" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Hybrid Tea/Grandiflora Spray Collection: "Randy Scott" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature / Miniflora Challenge

Miniature Bloom Cycle Challenge: "Fairhope" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature Rainbow Bloom Cycle: "Miss Flippins," "Irresistible" and "The Lighthouse"
by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature / Miniflora Challenge (continued)

Miniature Colorama Challenge: "Irresistible," "Klassy Lady" and "Daddy Frank"
by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature Rose Palette: "Irresistible," "Bees Knees," "Daddy Frank," "Magic Show" and
"Miss Flippins" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Miniature English Rose Box: "Daddy Frank" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Vase of Three Miniature Sprays: "Irresistible," "Merlot" and "Lipstick 'n' Lace" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Miniature Floating Rose: "Little Meghan" by Kimberly Bown

Miniature Rose Portrait: "The Lighthouse" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Miniature / Miniflora / Micro-Miniature Roses

Micro-Miniature Bloom: "Little Meghan" by Charold and Rich Baer

One Low-Petaled Bloom: "Marriotta" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Three Exhibition-Type Blooms: "Dr. John Dickman" by Karen and Merrill Allen

One Miniature Open Bloom: "Flawless" by Cheryl McClain

One Miniature or Miniflora Spray: "Lipstick 'n' Lace" by James and Nancy Cavanaugh

Three Miniature or Miniflora Sprays: "Lipstick 'n' Lace" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Polyanthas, Floribundas and Climbing Rose Sprays

Polyantha Sprays: "The Fairy" by Judy Burge

One Floribunda Spray (single blooms): "Fired Up" by Kimberly Bown

Three Floribunda Sprays (single blooms): "Playboy" by Karen and Merrill Allen

One Floribunda Spray (semi- and fully-double blooms): "Sexy Remy"
by Gary and Cheryl McClain

Three Floribunda Sprays (semi- and fully-double blooms): "Lavaglut" by Charold and Rich Baer

Climber, Pillar and Rambler Sprays: "Eden" by Karen and Merrill Allen

Old Garden Roses and Shrub Roses

Any Old Garden Rose (introduced before 1867): "Rose de Rescht" by Michael and Gretchen Humphrey

Shrub Roses (one stem or spray): "Gertrude Jekyll" by Gary and Cheryl McClain

Shrub Roses (three stems, one or three varieties): "Olivia Rose Austin," "Princess Alexandra of Kent" and
"The Prince" by Gretchen and Michael Humphrey

Clark County Residents

One Large Exhibition-type Bloom: "Ring of Fire" by Louis and Sally Rossetto

Three Large Exhibition-type Blooms: "All My Loving" by Dee Pigman

One Miniature Exhibition-type Bloom: "Luis Desamero" by Louis and Sally Rossetto

One Spray Large Blooms: "Fourth of July" by Jan DeWeese

Novice

One Large Exhibition-Type Bloom: "All My Loving" by Dee Pigman
Three Large Exhibition-type Blooms: "Marilyn Monroe" by Audrey Schmidt
One Large Open Bloom: "Electron" by Beth Britt
One Spray: "Drop Dead Red" by Daniel Clark

Student

Runner-Up: One Large Exhibition-type Bloom: "Sugar Moon" by Claire Pilkington
One Spray: "Sentimental" by Claire Pilkington

Artistic Design: Arrangements using Large Roses

Traditional Line Design (Theme *Roses on Parade*)
"Electron," "Fame," "Falling in Love," "Ultimate Pink," and "Mavrik" by Louis and Sally Rossetto
Modern Creative Design (Theme *Tool Time in the Garden*)
"Hot Cocoa" by Carol Adams
East Asian Nageire Design (Theme *And the Winner Is ...*)
"Brandy" by Victoria Holman

Artistic Design: Personal Adornment

A Boutonnière: "Ty" by Judith Fleck

Artistic Design: Arrangements using Miniature and/or Miniflora Roses

East Asian Moribana Design (Theme *A Black-Tie Affair*)
"Lipstick 'n' Lace" by Kimberly Bown

Artistic Design: Novice Arrangements using Large Roses

Traditional Mass Design (Theme *Garden Party*)
"Sugar Moon," "Sunbelt," "South Africa" and "Ingrid Bergman" by Jen Jacobus
Modern Creative Design (Theme *Roses for You, Special Delivery*)
"Ingrid Bergman" by Jen Jacobus
East Asian Nageire Design (Theme *Desert Rose Fiesta*)
"Ketchup & Mustard" by Carol Adams

PHOTOGRAPHY

One Large Exhibition-type Bloom

MASTER: "Tineke" by Marril Allen

AMATEUR: "Neptune" by Jan DeWeese

One Spray

MASTER: "Fragrant Wave" by Merrill Allen

AMATEUR: "Fourth of July" by Jan DeWeese

One Miniature/Miniflora Exhibition-Type Bloom

MASTER: "Jerry Lynn" by Merrill Allen

One Miniature/Miniflora Spray

MASTER: "Grace Seward" by Merrill Allen

Standard Arrangement

"Soaring Glory" and "Touch of Class" by Katherine Fry

Macro (any portion of a rose)

"Mrs. Oakley-Fisher" by Jan DeWeese

Any Rose Garden

A Private Rose Garden by Katherine Fry

First Rose (two image entry: bud then open bloom with stamens showing)

"Fourth of July" by Jan DeWeese



PHOTOGRAPHY BEST OF SHOW

"Tineke" by Merrill Allen



FRIDAY, MAY 29: SET-UP-THE-ROSE-SHOW DAY!



Mike and Cheryl Giddings set up the Hospitality booth.

Mike and Cheryl Giddings arrived first, quickly followed by Fiona Neumann as Clark County Event Center (CCEC) staff opened the huge Exhibition Hall B for rose show set up. Mike and Cheryl were our hospitality crew and make sure coffee, tea, and water were ready for the day. Fiona was there to help set up the award/trophy tables and assist anyone and everyone with whatever needed to be done.



Margaret Snitzler made effective use of her walker to set up the rose exhibit table placards

Other FVRS 2026 Rose Show Committee members and more volunteers arrived to set up the show: trophy tables; the arrangements tables; the grooming tables; perpetual trophy table; FVRS membership and sales tables; vendor booth area; and, of course, the rose exhibit tables! And, so many other jobs, etc., etc.!



Kathy Fry and Julie Goggin confer at the FVRS membership and sales tables during set up.

Carol Adams made quick work displaying FVRS logo wear at the FVRS membership and sales tables.



Kim Erion and daughter, Lili Erion, set up their large, shared booth for Prindle Mountain and Rescued by Roses.

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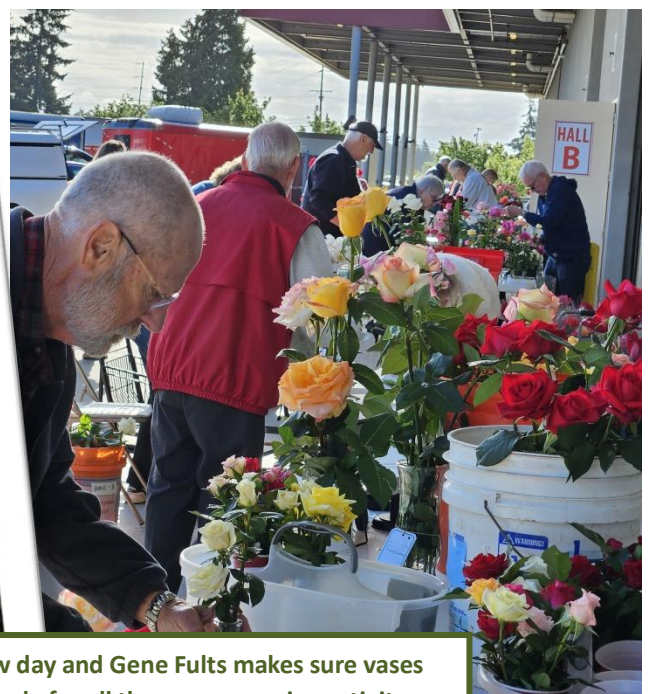


Then, much later in the day, the vases and photo racks arrived via the You Move Me truck and crew, generously donated by FVRS member Nathan Day.

Troop 10390 Girl Scouts and Leaders helped unload the truck and reload it at the end of the show the next day.



SATURDAY, MAY 30: ROSE SHOW DAY!

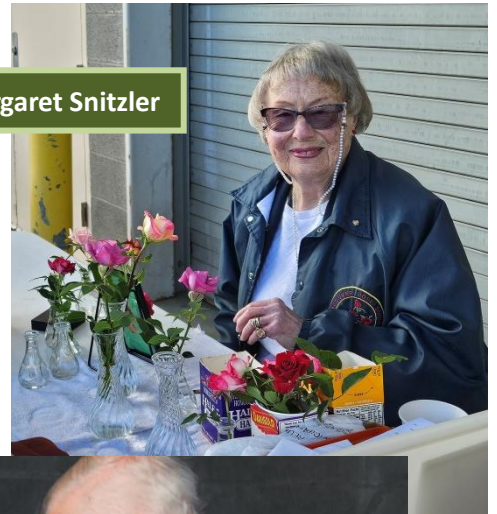


Early morning of Rose Show day and Gene Fults makes sure vases and exhibit displays are ready for all the rose grooming activity.

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Gary and Cheryl McClain

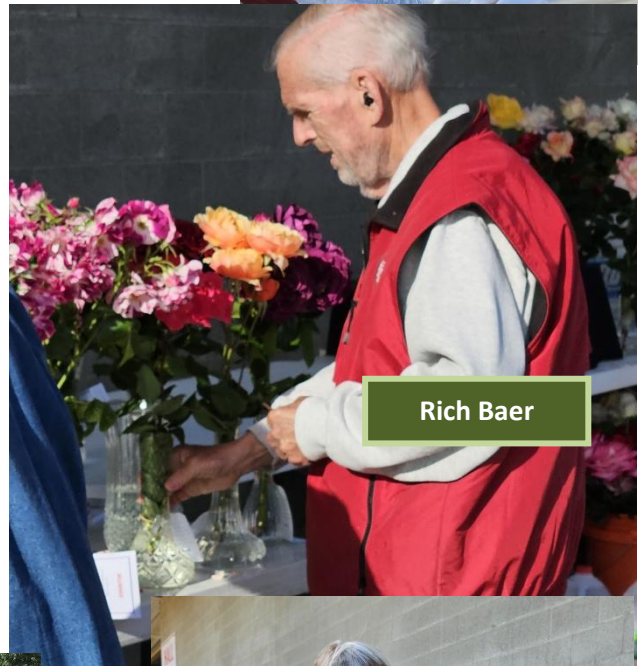


Margaret Snitzler

IT WAS A BEEHIVE
OF ROSE GROOMING
ACTIVITY UNTIL THE
10:15 A.M. DEADLINE
TO SUBMIT EXHIBITS.



Audrey Schmidt



Rich Baer



Karen Allen



Judy Burge



Jan DeWeese
(photo by Mike Giddings)

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Dee Pigman



Jen Jacobus



Carol Adams



James Cavanaugh



Bob Britt



Gary McClain

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2026 Rose Show Co-chairs Sally Rossetto and Julie Goggin meet with judges and clerks prior to judging the Horticulture and Arrangement sections.



JUDGES AND CLERKS



**BEGIN JUDGING THE EXHIBITS
AND AWARDING RIBBONS**





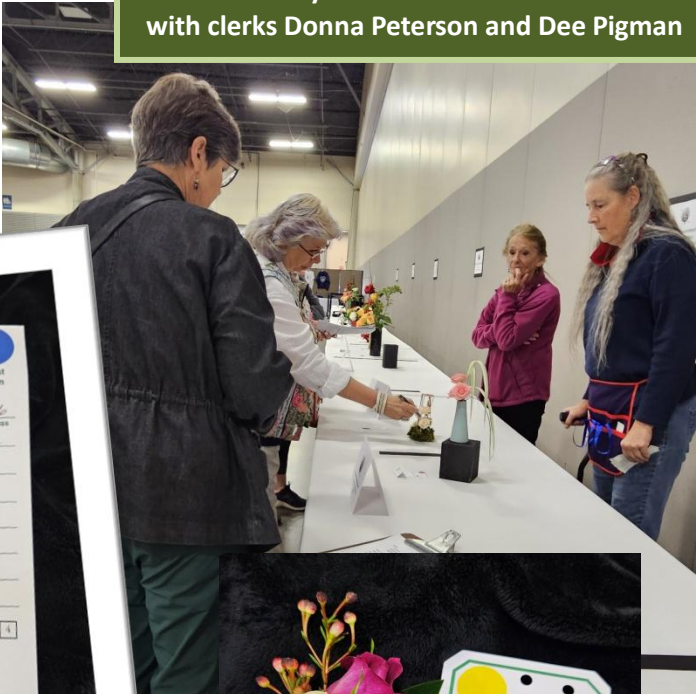
Groomed and looking their best, the Horticulture rose exhibits and Artistic Design (arrangement) exhibits are ready for judging under the Guidelines and Rules for Judging Roses by the American Rose Society.



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JUDGES Judy Fleck and Deborah Erickson
with clerks Donna Peterson and Dee Pigman

ARTISTIC DESIGN
JUDGING INCLUDED THE
BOUTONNIÈRE ENTRIES
IN ADDITION TO FLORAL
ARRANGEMENTS.





JUDGES Jim Stahl and Jerry Kaija
with clerk Susan Feigion.

THE JUDGES WERE DILIGENT IN THEIR
EXAMINATION OF EACH EXHIBIT, ENSURING THE
BEST OF THE BEST WERE SELECTED FOR RIBBONS.



Judges used flashlights to closely
examine Miniature exhibits, capturing
nuances between exhibit blooms.



JUDGES Merrill Allen, Gretchen Humphrey
and Margaret Snitzler.



JUDGES Michael Humphrey and Charold Baer
with clerks Kelli Roesch and Philip Rossetto.

JUDGES Margaret Snitzler, Carl Finch and Gretchen Humphrey.



JUDGES Judy Fleck, Cheryl McClain and Deborah Erickson with clerk Dee Pigman.



JUDGES Rich Baer and Karen Allen with clerk Cathy Olsen.



JUDGES Jeanie Gougler and Mary Hoover.

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Caterers set up lunch.
(photos by Mike Giddings)



RAVEN MOON CATERING DID AN EXCELLENT JOB PROVIDING LUNCH FOR THE JUDGES, CLERKS AND ALL THE VOLUNTEERS.



**THE 2026 ROSE SHOW
OPENED TO THE PUBLIC**

1 P.M. TO 4 P.M.

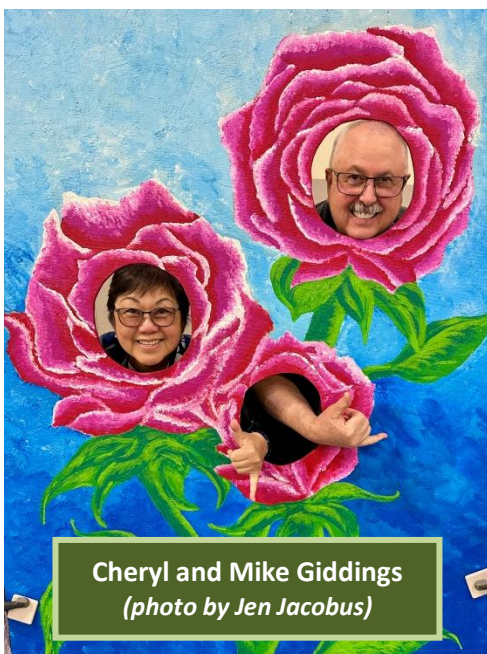




THE AWARD/TROPHY TABLES, ALONG WITH THE PHOTOGRAPHY DISPLAYS WERE OF GREAT INTEREST TO OUR ROSE SHOW VISITORS.



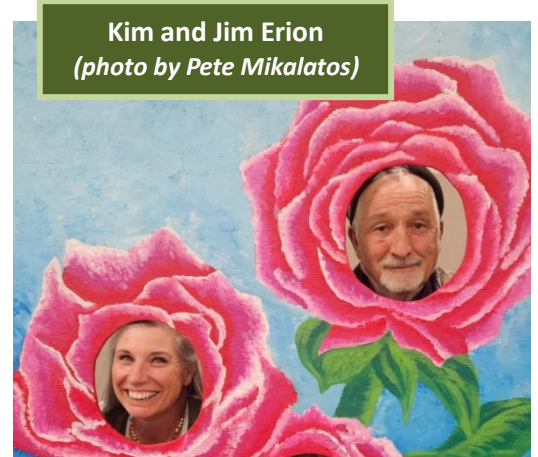
In addition to all the beautiful rose exhibits, there was a Powerpoint of past rose show photos and logos of our supporting vendors. And, visitors had fun at the photo op booth, designed by Maggie Hunter, constructed by Kathy Fry and painted by Maggie Hunter, Kathy Fry and Julie Goggin.



Cheryl and Mike Giddings
(photo by Jen Jacobus)



Angie Rupe



Kim and Jim Erion
(photo by Pete Mikalatos)

THESE FVRS FOLKS SHOWED US ALL THEIR FUN SIDE!

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THESE 2026 ROSE SHOW SUPPORTING VENDORS HAD BOOTHS AT THE SHOW WITH EXCITING DISPLAYS FOR ROSE SHOW VISITORS, JUDGES AND VOLUNTEERS TO BROWSE!



BLOM REALTY (THE BLOM TEAM)
BEACON ROCK POTTERY STUDIO
PRINDLE MOUNTAIN
RESCUED BY ROSES



SEA SALT ART STUDIO
THE INNER SPARK



WASHOUGAL ORNAMENTAL IRON
THE ROSE GARDENER

 **The Rose Gardener**
Harlane Garden Labels



Kim Erion and Margaret Snitzler
(photo by Jim Erion)

KIM ERION OF RESCUED BY ROSES HELPS MARGARET SNITZLER WITH HER NEW ROSY SHOES ... FANCY, SNAZZY AND OH-SO-STYLISH FOOTWEAR. DIDN'T KNOW MARGARET WAS SUCH A TRENDSETTER!



Wendy Tilley
(photo by Kim Erion)

ONE OF OUR VERY POPULAR VENDORS WAS THE ROSE GARDENER, OPERATED BY WENDY TILLEY. HER BIONIC GLOVES AND HARLANE GARDEN LABELS ARE THE BEST!

THESE 2026 ROSE SHOW SUPPORTING VENDORS HAD THEIR BUSINESS BANNERS DISPLAYED AT THE SHOW:

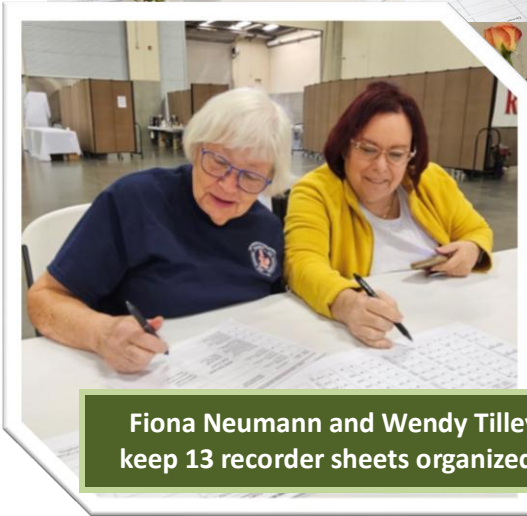
YOU MOVE ME TSUGAWA NURSERY
YARD 'N GARDEN LAND SHOVEL & THUMB

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RECORDERS
Fiona Neumann and Wendy Tilley

OUR RECORDERS AND CALLIGRAPHERS WERE KEPT VERY BUSY DURING THE JUDGING PHASE OF THE SHOW. THESE LADIES DID SUCH AN OUTSTANDING JOB, KEEPING TRACK OF ALL THE WINNERS AND SKILLFULLY COMPLETING 75 CARDS FOR THE AWARD/ TROPHY TABLES!



Fiona Neumann and Wendy Tilley keep 13 recorder sheets organized.



CALLIGRAPHERS
Judy Burge, Brenda Lillie and Star Studoniv



Star Studoniv carefully completes another trophy card.



Judy Burge and Brenda Lillie complete trophy cards for the Grand Challenge.

TIME FOR THE AWARD / TROPHY CEREMONY WHEN ALL THE WINNERS ARE PRESENTED WITH THEIR AWARD OR TROPHY, INCLUDING THE PRESENTATION OF THE THREE COURTS WINNERS. JULIE GOGGIN, 2026 ROSE SHOW CO-CHAIR, WELCOMED ALL THE EXHIBITORS TO THE CEREMONY.



Julie Goggin



LARGE COURT
(Mike Humphrey accepting for Gretchen Humphrey and Charold Baer accepting for Carl & Carolyn Finch)

QUEEN
James & Nancy
Cavanaugh



PRINCESS
Carl & Carolyn
Finch

KING
Gretchen Humphrey

MINIFLORA COURT

MINIATURE COURT



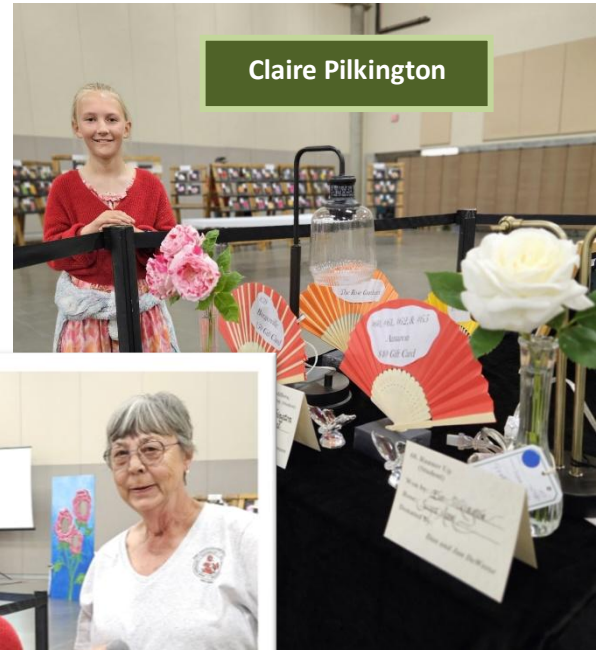
QUEEN Karen & Merrill Allen	KING James & Nancy Cavanaugh	PRINCESS Karen & Merrill Allen
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QUEEN Margaret Snitzler	KING Mike & Gretchen Humphrey	PRINCESS Karen & Merrill Allen
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FVRS PRESIDENT KATHY FRY PRESENTED ALL THE AWARDS AND TROPHIES THIS YEAR. WE WERE ALL ESPECIALLY THRILLED TO HAVE STUDENT EXHIBITOR CLAIRE PILKINGTON EXHIBIT HER ROSES AT THE 2026 ROSE SHOW. CLAIRE WON TWO TROPHIES: Runner-Up for One Large Exhibition-type Bloom “Sugar Moon” and One Spray “Sentimental.” So proud to have young Claire at our show!



Claire Pilkington



SUGARMOON

SENTIMENTAL



Claire Pilkington with
FVRS President Kathy Fry

SHOW STATS AND FUN FACTS

Fort Vancouver Rose Society
71ST ANNUAL ROSE SHOW



36 Horticulture & Artistic Design EXHIBITORS

492 HORTICULTURE ENTRIES

11 ARRANGEMENT ENTRIES

1,390 BLOOMS

12 Photography EXHIBITORS

96 PHOTO ENTRIES

20 JUDGES

20 CLERKS

34 FVRS VOLUNTEERS

8 VENDORS

6 NEW FVRS MEMBERS

And, with 207 visitors counted at the front door and approximately 25 entering the ADA-available loading dock door, the rose show had nearly 235 total visitors!

This last photo below needs to be “squeezed” in for one last look at the show. It was the second year the FVRS Rose Show was held at the Clark County Event Center. The exhibit space is HUGE and affords the Society ample room for all Horticulture, Artistic Design (arrangements) and Photography exhibits. New this year, the 2026 Rose Show hosted a *GARDEN MARKET* with eight participating local vendors of rose-related garden and floral tools, supplies, art, jewelry, etc. *And, we’ve learned that all 8 vendors will return next year!*

Also new this year, the 2026 Rose Show Committee welcomed Kim Erion as its Donation Chair. Her efforts of fundraising, vendor procurement and expertise with creating our show logo wear are unmatched.

All 34 rose show FVRS volunteers—those on the show committee and the additional folks who helped at the show—were skillfully and patiently guided by **2026 Rose Show Co-Chairs Julie Goggin and Sally Rossetto**. The success of this show reflects their competent leadership, and all FVRS members extend a sincere thank you!



An important addition to the show in recent years, the Society proudly assembles a table of Perpetual Trophies--each displayed and polished to a beautiful shine by Cheryl Giddings.





FORT VANCOUVER ROSE SOCIETY 2026 FVRS MEMBERSHIP FORM

\$ _____ **ANNUAL Fort Vancouver Rose Society DUES at \$25 (per household)**

PLEASE PRINT:

NAME: _____

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NOTE: The Fort Vancouver Rose Society is affiliated with the American Rose Society. The American Rose Society exists to promote the culture, preservation and appreciation of the Rose, and to improve its standard of excellence for all people, through education and research.

*If you wish to join the American Rose Society, please go directly to the ARS website:
www.rose.org.*

\$ _____ **FVRS MEMBERSHIP NAME TAG at \$12 each**

If you would like to order a FVRS name tag, please check below. If you are a Consulting Rosarian or Master Rosarian, check the applicable box and the designation will be included on your name tag.

_____ Yes, I would like a FVRS NAME TAG
(tag will reflect name provided above)

☐ I am a Consulting Rosarian ☐ I am a Master Rosarian

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Invitation to Join the American Rose Society



Benefits

Member of the American Rose Society receive the following benefits:

- Six issues of the award-winning *American Rose* magazine. This bi-monthly publication features informative articles and beautiful photography.
- *The Handbook for Selecting Roses*. This publication provides evaluations on over 3,000 roses.
- Educational Webinar programming available free of charge to ARS members.
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- Free or reduced admission to over 350 botanical gardens throughout the US through the Reciprocal Garden program.
- An updated website including our Rose Forum where members can find information, ask questions, access publications and more.
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- Online access to World Federation publications featuring rose history and gardens around the world.
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American Rose Society Membership:

- **Annual Individual Membership** is \$55 with a digital magazine or \$75 with a printed magazine
- **Annual Associate Membership** is \$20. When a husband and wife are both members of the ARS one pays the full membership while the other pays only \$20. Only one magazine per household.
- **Lifetime Membership** is a membership for one person for their lifetime: \$1,900 or \$950 for seniors 65+.

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- **Join on line at** rose.org/join-renew Fill in the on line form and provide credit card information.
- **By Mail:** Print and fill in the form below, enclose a check or provide credit information.

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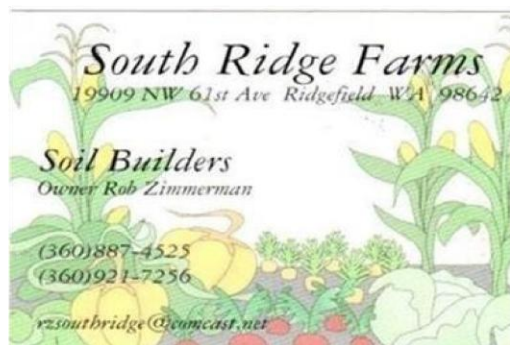
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Benefits:

- * suppresses weeds
- * retains water
- * provides micronutrients
- * pastuerized -- no weed seeds!
- * nearly neutral pH (8.0)
- * supplies humic & fulvic acids
- * builds healthy soil
- * low in salts

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