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"Spur of the Moment"

An NGC Small-Standard Flower Show

Presented by Tulsa Garden Club At Hyde Park Clubhouse

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GENERAL RULES

1. This Flower Show conforms to the standards established by National Garden Clubs, Inc. (NGC). The *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS* (HB), 2017 EDITION, with any revisions printed in *THE NATIONAL GARDENER MAGAZINE* (TNG) is the authority for all issues not covered by the schedule which is THE LAW OF THE SHOW.

2. Any member of the Tulsa Garden Club may enter exhibits in each Division of the Flower Show.

3. Entry tags/cards are available from the Entries Chairman or from the General Chairman on date of the show.

4. Entries can be place from 9:00 to 10:30 am the day of the show.

5. Exhibits must be removed by 1:30pm day of the show.

- 6. Time judging will begin at 11:00 am.
- 7. Open to the public 12:00 noon to 1:00pm
- 7. Final determination for conformance is the judges' responsibility.

8. The General Chairman and the Classification Chairmen for each Division are available during judging for possible consultation. They, along with the Judges and Clerks, are the only personnel allowed on the floor during judging.

9. The decisions of the judges are final. Awards may be withheld if not merited.

10. There must be an emphasis on FRESH plant materials; no artificial plant material is permitted in any exhibit in any division.

11. Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per class, except in the Horticulture Division.

12. The Tulsa Garden Club will strive to assure the safety of all items after arrival and placement, but is not responsible for any loss or damage to exhibits.

13. State's policy concerning use of the State's native plants, invasive plants, noxious plants and those on the State's conservation list.

AWARDS

STATE: THE NGC STANDARD SYSTEM OF AWARDING

The NGC Standard System of Awarding (HB pg. 5) is used in all Divisions

Only one (1) first-place (blue) ribbon per class or subclass; must score 90 points or more Only one (1) second-place (red) ribbon per class or subclass; must score 85 points or more Only one (1) third-place (yellow) ribbon per class or subclass; must score 80 points or more One (1) or more honorable Mention (white) ribbons as merited; must score 75 points or more

AWARDS BEING OFFERED IN THE FLOWER SHOW

List all Awards being offered, requirements stated in full and/or with HB pages referenced, list eligible Sections and Classes and number of awards offered for each award, state color of Rosette.

Horticulture:

Award of Merit (HB pg 41),

Design:

Section Awards: Award of Distinction (HB pg 42), Designer's Choice Award (HB pg 42, Tricolor Award (HB pg 43).

Educational Top Exhibitor Award (HB pg 43-44)

DIVISION I HORTICULTURE ""At This Time" HORTICULTURE DIVISION RULES

1. The NGC exhibit policies are printed in the *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS*, CHAPTER 6, PAGE 55, and EXHIBITING IN THE HORTICULTURE DIVISION.

a. All exhibits must be FRESH. Dried and preserved specimens may be entered in the Botanical Arts-Horticulture Division.

b. All exhibits must have been grown by the exhibitor.

c. Plant material must be in its natural state and may not be altered by application.

(treatment) of oil, commercial "shine" products, etc., that change the natural appearance. No wiring of specimens is permitted.

d. Only foliage and/or flowers naturally grown and still attached to the specimen are

permitted in the Flower Show. Unattached foliage is never included with a cut bloom specimen.

e. All plant material must have been in the possession of the exhibitor the appropriate number of days listed in chart on page 55 of the HB.

2. The rules for a single species, cut or container-grown specimens are listed in THE HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS or its supplement, HORTICULTURE EXHIBITING AND JUDGING.

3. The Exhibitor must identify his/her entry by its binomial or currently accepted scientific designation.

(Consult the HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS, EXHIBITING IN THE HORTICULTURE DIVISION, CHAPTER 6.)

4. Cut specimens should not have foliage below the water line, except for *Gladiolus*.

5. If a plant is considered a flowering plant, it should be exhibited as a flowering specimen. Foliage plants may flower, but should be exhibited as foliage plants if they are grown for their leaves.

6. Specimens with a class designation in the schedule may not be entered in the "any other Worthy Specimen Class.

7. The horticulture classification committee and/or General Chairman are free to subdivide classes by color, form, size, cultivar, variety or other distinguishing characteristics.

8. The Scales of Points for Horticulture are located in Chapter 14 of the *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS*. The Scales of Points may also be listed in the schedule.

9. Exhibitor is to furnish clear containers and wedging for cut specimens.

10. Double-potting is allowed unless prohibited by the schedule

DIVISION I HORTICULTURE

Within Sections/Classes, the required number of specimens per exhibit, stem length, sets of leaves, size restrictions, staging, etc., as appropriate for each horticulture type.

Section A: "Forget About Me" -

Container grown plants -

Class 1 – Succulents

Class 2 – Cacti

Class 3 – Violets

Class 4 – Any other plant

Section B: "Sunshine of my life"

One stem in a clear glass container:

Class 5 – Cut Flowers Class 6 – Cut Foliage

Class 7 – Cut herbs

Section C: "Small but Mighty"

Petite container plants, cut flowers and cut foliage

Class 8 – 3" or less container grown plant

Class 9 – Petite cut flower

Class 10 – Petite cut foliage

DIVISION II DESIGN "Wing It" DESIGN DIVISION RULES

1. The NGC Exhibit Policies are printed in the *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS*, CHAPTER 7, EXHIBITING IN THE DESIGN DIVISION, NGC POLICIES AND GUIDELINES, pages 79-80

a. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit. This includes fresh and/or dried plant material.

b. Exhibitor may enter multiple Classes within the Design Division, but only one (1) exhibit per Class.

c. The exhibit entered in to competition must be the work of only one (1) exhibitor and that exhibitor's name must appear on the entry card/tag.

d. If the designer is unable to fulfill the assignment, it is the designer's responsibility to provide a substitute.

e. If the designer is unavailable to transport and/or set up his/her completed design, a substitute person may enter the exhibit for the designer. The designer may receive exhibiting credit if needed. (Permitted only for completed designs.)

f. A single flower is not a design. Container-grown plants are fresh plant material and are permitted in the Design Division where appropriate, but the are **never** considered floral designs.

g. Landscapes, scenes or anything representing an actual item of clothing, person, animal, etc., are not considered acceptable in the Design Division. (NOTE: Refer to the Botanical Arts Division for exhibiting these items)

h. Religious symbols used in a design must be displayed in a respectful manner.

i. When design techniques are required, they must be listed on a card.

- 2. Advance registration with the design Entries Chairman/consultant is required by July 11, 2021.
- 3. Plant material and non-plant material permitted and not permitted in the Design Division are printed in the *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS*, CHAPTER 7, pages 80-81
- 4. All plant material used in the design must be identified on a card, provided by the exhibitor and included with the entry tag/card.
- 5. The exhibitor is required to conform to the stated descriptions and limitations of the design type if named in the class.
- 6. Rules for Design Types, Advanced Design Types, Table Designs and Table Appointments are printed in the *HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS*, CHAPTER 7.

- 7. Designer is on his/her honor that the design being entered has not been previously entered or judged in an NGC Standard Flower Show.
- 8. Scales of Points for all Designs or refer to HB page 130.

DIVISION II DESIGN SECTIONS AND CLASSES

The designer has the freedom to choose Traditional or Creative Style with any design. All designs not to exceed 18" in width and 16" in depth. All designs will be displayed on tables with an open background.

"Wing It"

Section A "Make me Happy" Class 1 "Past Prime" 4 entries A Creative design using all dried materials. Class 2 "Now and Then" 4 entries Designer's choice of plant materials Class 3 "Almost Ready" 4 entries All fresh plant material

DIVISION III EDUCATION "A Need to Know" EDUCATION DIVISION RULES

- 1. Education Exhibits may be the work of more than one individual. .
- 2. Names of exhibitors may appear in the schedule ONLY if the exhibits are not being judged.
- 3. An exhibit must occupy eighteen (18) square feet of surface area.

4. Schedule may state: "Some plant material is required." Otherwise, it is not mandatory, but encouraged.

5. Staging will be on the floor.

6. Scales of Points for Education Exhibits is listed in the HANDBOOK FOR FLOWER SHOWS, CHAPTER 14, page

130. (Alternatively, the scale of points may be listed in the schedule).

7. Non-competitive

DIVISION III EDUCATION "A Need to Know"

Exhibit 1 "Let's Cook with Peppers"

Recipes for using different peppers when cooking meals.

Exhibit 2 "Petite Exhibits!"

Awards for Petite Exhibits