

FLORICULTURE

Dept. FL

Entry deadline for Show 1: July 29

Entry deadline for Show 2: August 2



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FLORICULTURE MISSION STATEMENT: The Flower Show encourages the growing and enjoyment of flowers by both novice and seasoned gardeners, by exhibitors and general public alike. It is our intent to educate by displaying an extensive variety of flower types and by having open displays allowing all to see and smell. To encourage high standards of judging at all times with qualified judges willing to communicate their expertise with all in attendance. To promote the creative use of flowers in artistic arrangements. To provide an attractive, comfortable place for fairgoers to relax and enjoy. To encourage new exhibitors with a friendly, knowledgeable, helpful staff.

JUDGE: Susan Yurman

2021 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(All activities listed will be in the Floriculture Building)

Monday, July 5 – Wednesday, July 29	9am – 4pm, Mon – Fri	Entry Office open in Mercantile Building to accept early entry forms. Early entry forms are encouraged. Need not pay at this time.
Thursday, July 29	2-8pm	Show 1, Divisions 10, 11, 12,13,14 entries accepted.
Friday, July 30	Noon	Fair opens to the public.
Friday, July 30	10am	Show 1, Divisions 10, 11, 12,13,14 Judging
Monday, August 2	2-8pm	Show 2, Divisions 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 entries accepted.
Tuesday, August 3	10am	Show 2, Divisions 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 Judging
Sunday, August 8	10am-2pm	Entries released in Department. Please make every effort to pick up your entries during this time frame. Unclaimed entries will be held at the Entry Office Monday thru Thursday of the week following fair.

Every effort will be made to follow the above schedule but due to unforeseen circumstances the schedule is subject to change.

PREMIUMS

ATTENTION EXHIBITORS

The Entry office will process judging results as quickly as possible after completion of judging. Please allow 3 to 5 days. Notice will be posted in departments when premium checks are processed and ready in the Entry Office. The **Entry Office** will be open from **July 30th through August 7th (8am to 6pm) and August 8th through 12th (9am to 4pm)**. Every effort should be made to collect your Premium Checks between these times. Premium Checks in the amount of \$399.99 or less may be cashed during these times in the Entry Office.

All remaining Premium Checks will be mailed to you in the name and at the address provided by you on the entry form. The Montana State Fair will mail premium awards only to winners.

NOTE: A W9 must be filled out each year if either of the following apply to you:

- **You have had changes to your name or address.**
- **You are a first-time exhibitor at the Montana State Fair**

Entries will be welcomed from members of garden clubs and the general public. **Please note there are two different entry dates for competitive materials to be received. Please make sure of the correct date for your material.**

Entries for display will be welcome at any time during the week.

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All participants at Montana State Fair events are responsible for reading the Montana State Fair GENERAL INFORMATION Section and complying with policies listed therein. This section is located at goexpopark.com under the Montana State Fair tab.
2. AGREEMENT TO ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS HEREIN STATED IS UNDERSTOOD WHEN THE EXHIBITOR SUBMITS THE ENTRY FORM.
3. All entrants must complete a W9 form at time of entry to receive any premiums.
4. **All exhibitors are expected to purchase admittance tickets to attend the fair.** Adult and Youth exhibitors may purchase an Exhibitor's Packet for the discounted price of \$20 good for 10 admission tickets for Fair week. With purchase of first Exhibitor's Packet, additional free packets are issued for every \$50.00 of entry fees. Exhibitors may purchase individual tickets for \$4.00 each.
5. Exhibitors are limited to ONE ENTRY PER CLASS unless otherwise specified.
6. All competitive entries must be in clear glass containers. Clear glass containers of many different sizes and shapes will be provided. No entries will be allowed to compete if displayed in tin cans or milk bottles. Completed arrangements/designs can be brought assembled or exhibitor may utilize table space in the Fine Arts Building to make flower arrangements before entries close.
7. Entries may be brought in "A" Gate, located on 3rd Street NW near the Fine Arts Building from 2pm to 8pm on entry days. For easier access to the building, please follow directions by security personnel to **temporarily** park along the side of the building while you drop off your entries. A cart will be available for use by floral exhibitors. Please call **781-7615** to have someone from the department come out to help.
8. Floriculture exhibits cannot be replaced with fresh flowers until judging has been completed.
9. Judges are instructed to award prizes on individual merit. Absence of competition will not be accepted as justification for awarding a high prize to an exhibit of inferior quality. After exhibits are arranged, they shall be under the exclusive charge of the superintendent and cannot be removed/moved except with consent.
10. Superintendent shall have the right to remove from the hall at any time any exhibits or parts of exhibits which have become unsightly e.g. fresh flowers from Show 1 may not survive the entire fair. Proper conditioning when the flowers are cut is essential for long term survival.
11. Same exhibit cannot be shown in individual and collective exhibits.
12. Exhibits including noxious weed will be removed. Please ask when entering if in doubt.
13. **Youth & Junior age exhibitors may also enter in Open Class. Entry fees of \$1.25 per entry apply.**

FLORICULTURE DEPARTMENT SPONSORED AWARDS

Each Award receives a Special Rosette, sponsored by *Montana State Fair*, in addition to sponsored prize.

BLOOM AND BEAN, 1012 9th St South, Great Falls (1 Gift Certificate for each Show)
2nd Place Champion Arrangement : Chosen by judges from all designs entered.

BUNDI GARDENS, 4410 10th Ave N, Great Falls (1 Gift Certificate for each Show)
Junior Champion of Bloom: Chosen by judge from all junior/youth flower entries

ELECTRIC CITY CONSERVATORY, 1415 5th Avenue N, Great Falls (1 Gift Certificate for each Show)
Champion Rose or Lily of Show: Chosen by judge from all Rose and Lily entries

FLOWER FARM, 1500 5th Avenue SW, Great Falls (1 Check for each Show)
Champion Daisy of Show: Chosen by judge from all Daisy/ Composite Form Flowers

FORDE NURSERY, 2025 2nd Ave NW, Great Falls (1 Gift Certificate for each Show)
Champion Perennial of Show: Chosen by judge from all perennials not specifically included in Daisy, Composite, Rose, Lily awards.

FLORICULTURE DEPARTMENT SPONSORED AWARDS, continued

GREAT FALLS FLOWER GROWERS (One (1) \$25.00 Check for each Show)

Best in Show: Chosen by judge and awarded to the highest scoring blue ribbon exhibit in each show.

HERMAN'S FLOWERS, 1426 14th Street SW, Great Falls (One Gift Certificate for each Show)

Champion Bloom of Show - Chosen by judge from all flower entries.

RAINBOW GARDEN CLUB

Champion Arrangement: (One Check for each Show) Chosen by judges from all designs entered.

Youth/Junior Champion Arrangement: (One Check for each Show) Chosen by judge from all junior/youth design entries.

MY VIOLA FLORAL STUDIO, 716 Central Ave., Great Falls (One Gift Certificate for each Show)

Champion Houseplant or Container Plant- Chosen by judge from all Houseplant and Container Plants entries.

HOW TO CHOOSE FLOWERS AND EXHIBIT THEM!

- Exhibits are judged on the following basis:
 - Size – 25%; Stem and Foliage – 10%; Color – 25%; Quality of Material – 40%.**
- Cutting and hardening of plant material – If plant material is to hold up through the exhibition period, it must be cut no later than the day before it is to be exhibited. Cutting should be done about 4pm, since at that time there is the greatest amount of sugar in the leaves, and as soon as the flowers are plunged in water, they take up enough to overcome any apparent temporary wilting. Plunging stems in water at 110° F is usually best, then set in a cool room out of any draft and let the water cool to room temperature. This enables the flowers to regain their turgidity and last much longer.
- Cut stems cleanly at an angle with a sharp knife and place at once in deep water. Flowers should be kept in deep water 8-12 hours or overnight. All foliage that is below the waterline should be removed. Foliage to be used in arrangements, such as hosta, vegetable leaves, canna, peony, etc. should be immersed in water overnight. Foliage should be clean; any broken, diseased or disfigured foliage or petals should be removed.
- Flowers or branches with wood stem, such as Phlox, Stocks, Chrysanthemums, etc. should be split, crushed or pounded before being placed in deep water. Dahlias should be picked at daybreak with long stem, placed first in cold water and then in hot water and placed in a dark, cool place during the day.
- An exhibitor should pay close attention to grooming all exhibits by removing all dirt, spray residue and dead leaves and blooms. No plant shine should be used on foliage or blooms.
- A few definitions to help exhibitors:
 - ❖ Bloom: Individual flower, a solitary flower on one stem.
 - ❖ Spray: Portions of plants with a number of flowers on one stem.
 - ❖ Spike : A flower structure with flowers stemless on a common lengthy stalk.

DIVISIONS/CLASSES

SHOW 1

10	HOUSEPLANTS and CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS
11	HORTICULTURE SHOW (1)
12	ARTISTIC DESIGN (1)
13	JUNIOR HORTICULTURE SHOW (1)
14	JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN (1)

SHOW 2

20	HOUSEPLANTS and CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS
21	HORTICULTURE SHOW (2)
22	ARTISTIC DESIGN (2)
23	JUNIOR HORTICULTURE SHOW (2)
24	JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN (2)

DIVISION 10 (SHOW 1) and DIVISION 20 (SHOW 2): HOUSEPLANTS and CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS

REGULATIONS:

1. Entries will be judged only in Show 1 or 2 as entered.
2. All entries in these divisions must be rooted/ living plants.
3. All entries must include class code. Use separate form for each show.
4. Judging is open to the public and exhibitors are encouraged to attend this highly educational session.
5. In all classes, judging will be done on the basis of the condition and appearance of the plants, as well as the selection and harmony of the container (how well the container suits the plant or plants).
6. **NOTE: CLASS NUMBERS ARE THE SAME FOR BOTH DIVISIONS. DIVISION NUMBERS ARE 10 (SHOW 1) AND DIVISION 20 (SHOW 2).**

PLEASE INSERT 10 OR 20 IN BLANK SPACE. Example FL-10-1 or FL-20-1

ENTRY FEE: \$1.25 per class

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.25

CLASSES:

FOLIAGE PLANTS – A single plant in its container

FL-___-1	Cacti	FL-___-4	Succulents
FL-___-2	Ferns	FL-___-5	Any other, specify
FL-___-3	Ivy		

FOLIAGE PLANTS WITH FLOWERS – A single plant in its container

FL-___-10	Orchids	FL-___-13	Violets – miniature
FL-___-11	Violets – single	FL-___-14	Any other, indoor
FL-___-12	Violets – double		

OUTDOOR CONTAINER-GROWN PLANTS

FL-___-20	Single blooming plant
FL-___-21	Single arboreal or succulent plant
FL-___-22	Two or more blooming plants
FL-___-23	Two or more arboreal or succulent plants

COMBINATION PLANTINGS – Usually a grouping of three (3) or more botanically different plants with similar cultural requirements, such as light, water, and humidity. Naturalistic accessories permitted, but must be in scale with plantings, container, and theme appropriate to the plants. No artificial plants are permitted.

DISH GARDENS AND TERRARIUMS (Classes 30,31,32 are eligible for Miniature Garden Award)

FL-___-30	A miniature landscape – Three (3) or more different plants in an open shallow container
FL-___-31	A Fairy Garden – Three (3) or more different plants in an open shallow container
FL-___-32	A terrarium miniature landscape – Three (3) or more different plants in container with high transparent sides. Top may be open or closed. May be traditional lush greens or desert style with cacti and other succulents

PLANTERS with a THEME A collection of three (3) or more different growing plants in a planter within scale accessories that support a theme as one of the following classes.

FL-___-35	“Pollinator Garden” - At least 2 blooming flowers must be included.
FL-___-36	“Mother Nature” - At least 3 different plants chosen to demonstrate a natural scene.
FL-___-37	“America, America” - Plants chosen feature Red, White and Blue blooms and/or foliage.

DIVISION 11 (SHOW 1) and DIVISION 21 (SHOW 2): HORTICULTURE

REGULATIONS:

1. Judging is open to the public and exhibitors are encouraged to attend this highly educational session.
2. All flowers in these entries must be grown by exhibitor. Stem count must be correct. Foliage should be shown as much as possible with the exhibit, but **NO FOLIAGE SHOULD BE UNDER WATER**. Please name varieties whenever possible. No plant shine should be used on blooms or foliage.
3. All entries must include class code. Use separate form for each show.

4. NOTE: CLASS NUMBERS ARE THE SAME FOR BOTH DIVISIONS. DIVISION NUMBERS ARE 11 (SHOW 1) AND DIVISION 21 (SHOW 2).

PLEASE INSERT 11 OR 21 IN BLANK SPACE. Example FL-11-50 or FL-21-50.

ENTRY FEE: \$1.25 per class

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.25

CLASSES:

DAISIES/COMPOSITE FLOWERS – One stem, disbudded

FL-___-50	Gloriosa, double, bi-color	FL-___-57	Gaillardia, bi-color
FL-___-51	Gloriosa, double, solid color	FL-___-58	Echinacea - Single Bloom Type
FL-___-52	Gloriosa, single, bi-color	FL-___-59	Echinacea - Semi-Double Bloom Type
FL-___-53	Gloriosa, single, solid color	FL-___-60	Echinacea - Double Bloom Type
FL-___-54	Shasta, fully double	FL-___-61	Helianthus - Annual Sunflower
FL-___-55	Shasta, single	FL-___-62	Helianthus - Perennial Sunflower
FL-___-56	Gaillardia, solid color	FL-___-63	Any other

BULBS, CORMS, RHIZOMES, and TUBERS

ALLIUMS (These classes include cut flower alliums, not vegetable bulbs)

FL-___-68	Miniature or Small
FL-___-69	Medium
FL-___-70	Large or Giant

BEGONIAS

FL-___-71	1 Spray, Tuberos, with side flowers detached
FL-___-72	1 Spray, Other

DAHLIAS – One stem, disbudded with foliage (1 set of true leaves) attached.

FL-___-75	Giant flower, over 8", formal or informal decorative
FL-___-76	Giant flower, over 8", cactus or semi-cactus
FL-___-77	Large flower, 6-8", formal or informal decorative
FL-___-78	Large flower, 6-8", cactus or semi-cactus
FL-___-79	Medium flower, 4-6", formal or informal decorative
FL-___-80	Medium flower, 4-6", cactus or semi-cactus
FL-___-81	Miniature flower, 2-4", formal or informal decorative
FL-___-82	Miniature flower, 2-4", cactus or semi-cactus
FL-___-83	Ball, over 3 1/2"
FL-___-84	Ball, 2-3 1/2"
FL-___-85	Pompom, under 2"
FL-___-86	Collarette, single or orchid
FL-___-87	Seedling (annual)

GLADIOLUS – One spike with side shoots removed; each displayed separately; dead flowers removed. Flower size of 3.5" or more (correct proportion is 1/3 stem, 1/3 flowers, 1/3 buds). Color determined by the color of the back of the petals. Spent blossoms should be groomed off.

FL-___-90	White
FL-___-91	Solid Color
FL-___-92	Bi-Color

MINIATURE GLADIOLUS – One spike with side shoots removed; each displayed separately; dead flowers removed. Flower size of 3.5" or more (correct proportion is 1/3 stem, 1/3 flowers, 1/3 buds). Color determined by the color of the back of the petals. Spent blossoms should be groomed off.

FL-___-105	White
FL-___-106	Solid Color
FL-___-107	Bi-Color

LILIES – one stalk

FL-___-115	Bowl	FL-___-119	Upright – Asiatic
FL-___-116	Oro – Pet Lily Tree	FL-___-120	Upright – Oriental
FL-___-117	Reflex – (recurved flowers)	FL-___-121	Any Other Type
FL-___-118	Trumpet (funnel flowers)		

DAY LILIES (Hemerocallus) – one stalk

FL-___-126	Bicolor	FL-___-131	Orange
FL-___-127	Darks	FL-___-132	Pink
FL-___-128	Gold	FL-___-133	Miniature
FL-___-129	Lemon Yellow	FL-___-134	Miniature Bicolor
FL-___-130	Melon - Apricot	FL-___-135	Any other color

FOLIAGE PLANTS – Cut grasses and plants grown primarily for foliage

FL-___-139	Artichoke (1 leaf required)
FL-___-140	Liverwort (3 leaves required)
FL-___-141	Statice (One spray/Head required)
FL-___-142	Heuchera (3 leaves required)
FL-___-143	Hosta Leaf, Small or Medium, single color (3 leaves required)
FL-___-144	Hosta Leaf, Small or Medium, variegated color (3 leaves required)
FL-___-145	Hosta Leaf, Large, single color (1 leaf required)
FL-___-146	Hosta Leaf, Large, variegated color (1 leaf required)
FL-___-147	Hosta Leaf, Giant, single color (1 leaf required)
FL-___-148	Hosta Leaf, Giant, variegated color (1 leaf required)
FL-___-149	Kale (3 leaves if small/medium, 1 leaf if large/giant)
FL-___-150	Millet, Corn Grass Stalk (1 stalk)
FL-___-151	Short Grass, Ornamental, Annual, or Perennial (3 stems, foliage required)
FL-___-152	Medium Grass, Ornamental, Annual, or Perennial (3 stems, foliage required)
FL-___-153	Tall Grass, Ornamental, Annual, or Perennial (3 stems, foliage required)

PETUNIAS – Wave and Million Bell petunias are best exhibited as a spray, a fingerlike set of small stems with foliage and many small blooms. Single, Double, and Giant petunias are exhibited on longer stems that come from the main plant.

FL-___-160	Double Bloom Type, Mixed Colors, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-161	Double Bloom Type, Same Colors, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-162	Single Bloom Type, Mixed Colors, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-163	Single Bloom Type, Same Colors, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-164	Giant, Ruffled or Fringed, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-165	Wave Type, Single color, 3 sprays
FL-___-166	Wave Type, Bi-color, 3 sprays
FL-___-167	Million Bells (Calibrachoa), Single Color, 3 Sprays
FL-___-168	Million Bells (Calibrachoa), Mixed Colors, 3 Sprays

ROSES – Name of Roses is needed to ensure it is in the correct class. It is recommended that extra blooms be left on stems until entry to the Fair to choose best blooms/buds.

HYBRID TEA ROSES – One stem with foliage attached. Flower should be at least half open at time of judging. Disbudded.

FL-___-175	Bi-Color	FL-___-179	Red
FL-___-176	Lavender	FL-___-180	White
FL-___-177	Orange	FL-___-181	Yellow
FL-___-178	Pink	FL-___-182	Any other color no listed

SPECIAL ROSES

- FL-___-187 Floribunda, 1 stem with foliage
FL-___-188 Grandiflora, 1 stem with foliage
FL-___-189 Shrub Rose, 1 spray with foliage
FL-___-190 Group of 3 roses on 3 stems with foliage: one bud showing color, one flower half open, one flower fully open, all same color
FL-___-191 Rose Bowl - 1 rose bloom displayed in a bowl with foliage included, but not attached. May use own clear bowl if desired, with clear water and no artificial materials
FL-___-192 Miniature Rose, one spray with foliage, disbudded
FL-___-193 Any other Rose (if not in another class)

GIANT ZINNIAS – One flower, over 4", disbudded with foliage. Each displayed separately.

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| FL-___-197 | Bicolor | FL-___-201 | Red or scarlet |
| FL-___-198 | Dark pink or rose | FL-___-202 | White |
| FL-___-199 | Pink shade | FL-___-203 | Yellow or orange |
| FL-___-200 | Lavender or violet | | |

MEDIUM ZINNIAS – One flower, 2-4", disbudded with foliage. Each displayed separately.

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| FL-___-207 | Bicolor | FL-___-211 | Red or scarlet |
| FL-___-208 | Dark pink or rose | FL-___-212 | White |
| FL-___-209 | Pink shade | FL-___-213 | Yellow or orange |
| FL-___-210 | Lavender or violet | | |

SMALL ZINNIAS – One flower, under 2", disbudded with foliage. Each displayed separately.

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| FL-___-217 | Bicolor | FL-___-221 | Red or scarlet |
| FL-___-218 | Dark pink or rose | FL-___-222 | White |
| FL-___-219 | Pink shade | FL-___-223 | Yellow or orange |
| FL-___-220 | Lavender or violet | | |

ZINNIAS COLLECTION – Three stems displayed together.

- FL-___-227 Large zinnias – over 4" blooms, single color
FL-___-228 Large zinnias – over 4" blooms, mixed color
FL-___-229 Medium zinnias – 2-4" blooms, single color
FL-___-230 Medium zinnias – 2-4" blooms, mixed color
FL-___-231 Small zinnias – under 2" blooms, single color
FL-___-232 Small zinnias – under 2" blooms, mixed color
FL-___-233 Cactus or Feathered Zinnias, single color
FL-___-234 Cactus or Feathered Zinnias, mixed color

MISCELLANEOUS – Collections should be uniform in color and size. Short stemmed plants like Calendulas, Dianthus, Nasturtiums, Pansies, and Violas, etc. should be cut at the lowest point possible to be sure stems can be equally displayed for best competition. Multiple flowers should be the same size and maturity for best showing.

- FL-___-239 Asters, double, 3 stems
FL-___-240 Astilbe, 3 stems
FL-___-241 Calendulas, Bicolor, 3 stems
FL-___-242 Calendulas, orange, 3 stems
FL-___-243 Carnation, 3 stems with foliage
FL-___-244 Cosmos, 2 sprays
FL-___-245 Delphiniums, blue, 1 stem, all side shoots removed
FL-___-246 Delphiniums, pink, 1 stem, all side shoots removed
FL-___-247 Delphiniums, white, 1 stem, all side shoots removed

- FL-___-248 Delphiniums, any other color, 1 stem, all side shoots removed
- FL-___-249 Dianthus, 3 stems with foliage
- FL-___-250 Geranium, 1 bloom, stem, no foliage
- FL-___-251 Geranium, Martha Washington, 1 bloom, stem, no foliage
- FL-___-252 Heuchera, 3 flower stems, same color, no foliage
- FL-___-253 Hydrangea – one stem
- FL-___-254 Larkspur, annual, 3 flower stems
- FL-___-255 Marigolds, large flowers, over 3", 3 stems
- FL-___-256 Marigolds, medium flowers, 2-3", 3 stems
- FL-___-257 Marigolds, small single flowers, under 2", 3 stems, same color
- FL-___-258 Marigolds, small double flowers, under 2", 3 stems, same color
- FL-___-259 Monarda (Bee Balm), 3 stems
- FL-___-260 Nasturtiums, 3 stems
- FL-___-261 Pansies, 3 flowers, under 1", without foliage
- FL-___-262 Pansies, giant, 3 flowers, over 1", without foliage
- FL-___-263 Violas, 3 flowers, under 1", without foliage
- FL-___-264 Phlox, annual, 3 stems, all flowers
- FL-___-265 Phlox, perennial, 1 stem with foliage
- FL-___-266 Snapdragons, 1 color, 3 spikes
- FL-___-267 Snapdragons, mixed colors, 3 stems
- FL-___-268 Stocks, 3 stalks
- FL-___-269 Sweet Peas, perennial, 3 stems, all flowers same color
- FL-___-270 Sweet Peas, annual, 3 stems, all flowers same color
- FL-___-271 Sweet Peas, annual, 3 stems, mixed colors
- FL-___-272 Sweet Peas, collection of 5 stems each variety, same color, displayed separately
- FL-___-273 Sweet William, 3 stems
- FL-___-274 Verbena, 3 stems
- FL-___-275 Yarrow, 3 stems
- FL-___-276 Any annual flower not listed herein. Please name when possible. Class may be divided if judge so warrants. Exhibitor may enter more than one in this class if each entry is different.
- FL-___-277 Any perennial flower not listed herein. Please name when possible. Class may be divided if judge so warrants. Exhibitor may enter more than one in this class if each entry is different.
- FL-___-278 Collection, 5 stems of different variety within one Species or Genus warrants. Exhibitor may enter more than one in this class if each entry is different.

DIVISION 12: ARTISTIC DESIGN (SHOW 1)

REGULATIONS:

1. Judging is open to the public and exhibitors are encouraged to attend this highly educational session.
2. Flowers used in designs can be grown or purchased. Fresh plant material is preferred unless otherwise stated.
3. Accessories permitted in all classes. Fruits and vegetables allowed. No artificial flowers permitted and no fresh food, other than uncut fruits and vegetables, used as accessories or props.
4. Foliage/Greens should remain their natural color and do not have to be sprayed to match a monochromatic color scheme.
5. No noxious weeds permitted.
6. Novice classes are designed for beginning flower arrangers and/or exhibitors that have won less than 3 blue ribbons in this division. These classes will not be policed but will count on the exhibitor's own integrity to move into the open classes when they have exceeded these class requirements.

ARTISTIC DESIGN - Open; in all categories, designer's interpretation using appropriate containers and/or accessories.

ENTRY FEE: \$1.25 per class

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.25

CLASSES:

FL-12-1	“Here Comes the Bride” - Designer’s interpretation suitable for a Wedding
FL-12-2	“Just Ducky” - Design featuring a duck with compatible flower/foilage colors.
FL-12-3	“Chinook, Chinook” - Design must portray motion
FL-12-4	“Rainy Day Puddles” - Design featuring open water
FL-12-5	“Looking Up Close” - Miniature design not to exceed 5” in any direction
FL-12-6	“Double the Fun” - Design featuring two containers
FL-12-7	“Escaped the Snow” - Travel themed design
FL-12-8	Novice: “Look at Me” - Design featuring at least one mirror
FL-12-9	Novice: “Just Ducky” - Design featuring a duck with compatible flower/foilage colors.
FL-12-10	Novice: “Here Comes the Bride” - Designers interpretation suitable for a wedding
FL-12-11	Novice: “The Big Sky” - Vertical Design
FL-12-12	Novice: “Rainy Day Puddles” - Design featuring open water.

DIVISION 22: ARTISTIC DESIGN (SHOW 2)

REGULATIONS:

1. Judging is open to the public and exhibitors are encouraged to attend this highly educational session.
2. Flowers used in designs can be grown or purchased. Fresh plant material is preferred unless otherwise stated.
3. Accessories permitted in all classes. No artificial flowers permitted and no fresh food, other than uncut fruits and vegetables, used as accessories or props.
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PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.25

CLASSES:

FL-22-1	“Oh, So Zen” - A minimalist design in the traditional Asian style
FL-22-2	“For the Sport of It” – Themed design featuring an outdoor pastime
FL-22-3	“For the Birds” – Designer’s choice
FL-22-4	“Flower Power” – A traditional American Design using a vase or container to hold all stems. Must be a line, line-mass, or mass design
FL-22-5	“Swimming the Day Away” – Design featuring open water
FL-22-6	“Hot, Hot, Hot” – Design featuring peppers
FL-22-7	“Christmas is Coming” – Holiday themed design
FL-22-8	Novice: “Oh, So Zen” - A minimalist design in the traditional Asian style
FL-22-9	Novice: “Flower Power” – A traditional American Design using a vase or container to hold all stems.
FL-22-10	Novice: For the Birds” – Designer’s choice
FL-22-11	Novice: “Christmas is Coming” – Holiday themed design
FL-22-12	Novice: Oh, the Snow” – An All white Design (natural stem colors allowed)

DIVISION 13 (SHOW 1) and DIVISION 23 (SHOW 2): JUNIOR CLASS HORTICULTURE AGE 18 AND UNDER

REGULATIONS:

1. Entries will be judged only in Show entered in.
2. All entries must include class code. Use separate form for each show.
3. Judging is open to the public and exhibitors are encouraged to attend this highly educational session.
4. In all classes, judging will be done on the basis of the condition and appearance of the plants, as well as the selection and harmony of the container (how well the container suits the plant or plants).

5. **NOTE: CLASS NUMBERS ARE THE SAME FOR BOTH DIVISIONS. DIVISION NUMBERS ARE 13 (SHOW 1) AND DIVISION 23 (SHOW 2).**

PLEASE INSERT 13 OR 23 IN BLANK SPACE. Example FL-13-300 or FL-23-300.

ENTRY FEE: **NONE**

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1

CLASSES:

- FL-___-300 Any Foliage Plant – A single plant in its container
- FL-___-301 Any Other Foliage Plant – A single plant in its container
- FL-___-302 Any Foliage Plant with Flowers – A single plant in its container
- FL-___-303 Any Other Foliage Plant with Flowers – A single plant in its container
- FL-___-304 Any Hanging Plant – A single plant in a hanging container
- FL-___-305 Miniature Fairy Garden
- FL-___-306 Dish Garden
- FL-___-307 Terrarium
- FL-___-308 Any Single Container Grown Plant – grown in a planter
- FL-___-309 Any Container Grown Collection – 3 or more different plants
- FL-___-310 Daisies – 3 stems, any variety,
- FL-___-311 Dahlias- 1 stem
- FL-___-312 Any flowering plant from a bulb
- FL-___-313 Any other flowering plant from a corm
- FL-___-314 Any other flowering plant from a tuber
- FL-___-315 Sunflower-1 stem with leaf
- FL-___-316 Lilies – 1 stalk, any variety
- FL-___-317 Lilies – 1 stalk, any other variety
- FL-___-318 Petunias – 3 blooms
- FL-___-319 Petunias – Ruffled, 3 blooms
- FL-___-320 Petunias – Trailing, 1 spray
- FL-___-321 Roses – 1 stem or spray, any variety
- FL-___-322 Roses – 1 stem or spray, any other variety
- FL-___-323 Zinnias – 1 flower, any variety
- FL-___-324 Zinnias – 1 flower, any other variety
- FL-___-325 Zinnias – 1 flower, any other variety
- FL-___-326 Geraniums – 1 single bloom, stem, no foliage, any variety
- FL-___-327 Geraniums – 1 single bloom, stem, no foliage, any other variety
- FL-___-328 Marigolds – 3 flowers, any variety
- FL-___-329 Marigolds – 3 flowers, any other variety
- FL-___-330 Marigolds – 3 flowers, any other variety
- FL-___-331 Pansies – 1 bloom, any variety
- FL-___-332 Pansies – 1 bloom, any other variety
- FL-___-333 Pansies – 1 bloom, any other variety
- FL-___-334 Violas – 3 blooms, any variety
- FL-___-335 Violas – 3 blooms, any other variety
- FL-___-336 Violas – 3 blooms, any other variety
- FL-___-337 Any annual flower not listed
- FL-___-338 Any perennial flower not listed

DIVISION 14: JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN (SHOW 1)

JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN – YOUTH (Exhibitors 13-18 years of age)

ENTRY FEE: **NONE**

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1

CLASSES

FL-14-1 "My Country" – Designer's choice

FL-14-2 "Creature of the Forest" – Animal/Creature created of assorted plant material, cones, nuts, fruits and/or vegetables

FL-14-3 "Flower Power" – A traditional American Mass design using a vase or container to hold all stems. Many vases are available if needed. Contact superintendents.

JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN – JUNIOR (Exhibitors age **12 years and under**)

ENTRY FEE: **NONE**

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1

CLASSES

FL-14-4 "My Country" – Designer's choice

FL-14-5 "Creature of the Forest" – Animal/Creature created of assorted plant material, cones, nuts, fruits and/or vegetables

FL-14-6 "Flower Power" – A traditional American Mass design using a vase or container to hold all stems. Many vases are available if needed. Contact superintendents.

DIVISION 24: JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN (SHOW 2)

JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN – YOUTH (Exhibitors **13-18** years of age)

ENTRY FEE: none

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.00

CLASSES:

FL-24-1 "Going Snowboarding"-An All white design (stem colors allowed)

FL-24-2 "Another Slimy Mess" Design uses SLIME with natural elements

FL-24-3 "For the Birds"-Designer's choice

JUNIOR ARTISTIC DESIGN – JUNIOR (Exhibitors age **12 years and under**)

ENTRY FEE: none

PREMIUMS: 1st - \$3; 2nd - \$2; 3rd - \$1.00

CLASSES:

FL-24-4 "Going Snowboarding"-An All white design (stem colors allowed)

FL-24-5 "Another Slimy Mess" Design incorporates SLIME with natural elements

FL-24-6 "For the Birds"-Designer's choice

