



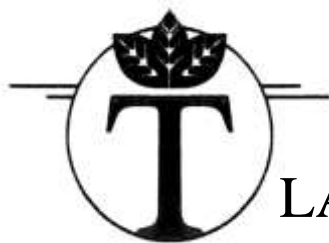
2011 FLOWER SHOW



Director in Charge: Jennifer Harbert
Judging Time: 1:00 p.m., Saturday, Merchants Hall - Downstairs

GENERAL RULES

- All listings in this section of rules are declared to be Eastern Daylight Savings Time.
- Competition shall be open to all amateur gardeners with the exception of classes 816 and 875, which are invitational classes. All persons entering shall purchase a Washington County Fair Membership Ticket, either individually or through a Garden Club.
- The rules of standard flower show practices as stated by Ohio Association of Garden Clubs, Inc. in the Exhibitors and Judges Handbook shall govern the show. Each club and each individual should use this book in preparing exhibits.
- Entries in all sections are to be staged under the direction of the placement committees. ALL ENTRIES SHOULD BE OF SHOW QUALITY.
- All specimen flowers must be delivered to the placing committees BEFORE 9:00 A.M. Saturday.
- ALL ARTISTIC DESIGNS ARE TO BE IN THE HALL PRIOR TO 9:30 a.m. Saturday for placement by the committee. The arranger should be available to assist the committee if the design needs to be moved.
- Judging will start at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday.
- No exhibit is to be removed BEFORE 8:00 P.M. Tuesday.
- Any exhibit removed before that time, shall forfeit the premium.
- ALL exhibits should be removed PROMPTLY at 8:00 P. M. to protect the exhibit.
- The area of the gardens should be swept and returned to the original state on Tuesday night.
- Specimen cut flower bottles must be emptied on Tuesday night. Paper coverings to be removed Wednesday morning.
- Each entry form should be clearly marked as to how premiums will be paid. For example: if displaying as an individual, the entry form must have the individuals name and their fair membership pass number. If displaying under a garden club, the entry form must have the **garden club's name, the individual's name and the garden club's membership ticket number.** All forms must be clearly marked as to who should receive the premium.
- All premiums will be available AFTER the Director in Charge and the Fair Board has checked the entry forms. If displaying as an individual, the check will be issued to that particular individual. If displaying under a garden club, the check will be issued to that particular garden club.



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HORTICULTURE-POTTED PLANTS

Premiums-1st:\$3.00; 2nd: \$2.50; 3rd: \$2.00; 4th: \$1.50

Potted Plants are to be delivered BEFORE 1:00 P.M. Friday.

In Horticulture, classes may be added, subdivided, or combined if entries warrant. Plants must be owned and grown by the exhibitor for at least three months. All plant names must be furnished by the exhibitor. An exhibitor may make more than one entry in a class, providing each entry is of a different variety. No oil or polish permitted on foliage.

Pots must be scrubbed clean. No foil covering. All plant materials must be clean and well-groomed. Potted plants should be large enough to be good specimens for the variety, but not too large to be handled easily. Pots over 10 inches (top measurement) will not be accepted. Dish gardens may be any shape, so long as they are not more than 12" across the top and no more than 6" deep. Plants must not take up too much shelf space. Due to the difficulty in staging and judging, entries in classes 800-813 WILL NOT be hung.

- 801 AFRICAN VIOLETS
- 802 COLEUS
- 803 EVERBLOOMING BEGONIAS (Semperflorens)
- 804 OTHER BEGONIAS
- 805 FERNS, no large Boston Ferns, no Asparagus Ferns, no Sprengeri
- 806 CACTI (no Christmas Cactus type)
- 807 SUCCULENTS
- 808 PAINTED LEAF CALADIUMS (SPECIAL CLASS)
- 809 FOLIAGE PLANTS not listed elsewhere
- 810 BLOOMING PLANTS not listed elsewhere
- 811 PHILODENDRON and POTHOS (no extremely large ones)
- 812 OTHER VINES not blooming
- 813 OTHER BLOOMING VINES
- 814 DISH GARDENS 12"x4" or smaller. (Container size 12" across top x 6" deep or smaller). No porch boxes or large containers.

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HORTICULTURE - SPECIMEN FLOWERS

Premiums- 1st: \$3.00; 2nd: \$2.50; 3rd: \$2.00; 4th: \$1.50

An exhibitor may enter more than one specimen in a class, providing each entry is of a different variety. All specimens must be grown by the exhibitor and 'named' with the correct variety name written on the front of the entry tag for each exhibit.

Specimen entries should be disbudded unless the schedule states otherwise. These exceptions would be class 823 Roses, Floribunda; 824 Roses, Grandiflora; 825 Roses Miniature; 826 and any in class 845 Unclassified, 846 Unclassified, that would be grown as a stalk or stem (Example- Lilies). The number of specimen blooms, or stems, is indicated in each class; the wrong number will be disqualified.

Container for the specimens (clear glass bottles) will be the responsibility of each club or individual. Specimens should be ready to exhibit before bringing to the staging area. Roses shall be classified according to the American Rose Society's Buyer's Guide (current edition).

Classes will be subdivided, added or combined as needed.

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820 ROSES, Peace, 1 bloom

821 ROSES, any other variety, 1 bloom

823 ROSES, Floribunda, any named variety, 1 stem, not disbudded

824 ROSES, Grandiflora, 1 stem, not disbudded

825 ROSES, Miniature, 1 stem, not disbudded

827 CELOSIA, crested, (Special Class)

828 CELOSIA, any plumed variety, large flowered, 1 bloom, not disbudded

829 DAHLIA, over 8 inches, 1 bloom

830 DAHLIA, 4 to 8 inches, 1 bloom

831 DAHLIA, 2 to under 4 inches, 3 blooms, 1 variety

832 DAHLIA, under 2 inches, 3 blooms, 1 variety

833 MARIGOLD, yellow or orange, 1 bloom

834 MARIGOLD, large, light yellow, 1 bloom, any variety

835 MARIGOLD, large, dark yellow or orange, 1 bloom, any variety

836 CONEFLOWER, (Echinacea), 1 bloom, any variety

837 ZINNIA, large, 3" or more, 1 bloom, any other variety

838 ZINNIA, cactus flowered, ruffled, curls, etc., 3 blooms

839 ZINNIA, medium flowered, single and mixed, 3 blooms, 1 variety

840 ZINNIA, small flowered, single color, 3 blooms, 1 variety

841 ZINNIA, small flowered, mixed colors, 3 blooms

842 SUNFLOWER, small flowering and medium-sized, 1 bloom

843 GRASSES, 1 stalk

844 GLADIOLUS, 1 spike

845 UNCLASSIFIED, annual 1 large bloom, or 3 small, or spray, (limit 4 per class, per person)

846 UNCLASSIFIED, perennials 1 large bloom, or 3 small, or spray, 6 inch stem or longer, (limit 4 per class, per person)

847 SHRUB, 1 bloom or spray, 6 inch stem or longer, (limit 4 per class, per person)



GARDENS

PREMIUMS - \$100.00

CLASS 816 GARDENS

Space will be provided, approximately 10' X 13'. Clubs or garden club members are to furnish all plant material and accessories, which should be in good scale and proportion. Awards will be made according to design, workmanship, suitability, and quality of plant material used in featuring one or more floricultural ideas for the home gardener. Garden must have a title or theme.

Plant material should be labeled. (These names may be listed in the front with corresponding numbers at plant locations). Each exhibitor with a commendable display will receive a premium. Gardens must be completed on Friday. Exhibitors' names should be taken down or covered during judging.



GARDENS ARE AN EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT



ARTISTIC DESIGNS

Premiums - 1st: \$5.00; 2nd: \$4.00; 3rd: \$3.00; 4th: \$2.00

Competition shall be open to all amateur gardeners holding a current ticket, with the exception of class 875, which is an invitational class. Arrangements must be the work of the exhibitor. Only one entry in a class by an individual. The exhibitor's name should be written in both spaces provided on the entry tag, which should be filled in completely. Plant material should be named on the tag, and/or on a card to be read by the viewer.

All designs are to be delivered to the placement committee BEFORE 9:30 A.M. Saturday. There will be no workspace for making arrangements in the hall. In all fairness to the placement committee, all designs must be moveable.

If the arranger desires, painted or dyed DRIED plant materials may be used with any design. DO NOT PAINT OR DYE live plant materials. No artificial plant material will be permitted. All containers, bases, and accessories should have the owner's name on the underside for identification. The use of free standing or unattached figurines and accessories is discouraged because of the hazards involved in staging and loss by theft. Neither should items to which the owner attaches great value be displayed. While care will be exercised, the Fair Board and Flower Show Committee will not be responsible for loss.

Exhibitors are expected to freshen their arrangements if needed throughout the Fair.

An arrangement may be repaired if the judge is not in the immediate area.

If entries warrant, classes in the Artistic Design Section can be divided.

Natural cedar niches will be provided for class 875. Each one will measure approximately 20 inches deep, 30 inches wide, and 49 inches high. A 4 x 6 card with a BRIEF interpretation must be used for class 875.

ANTIQUE FARM EQUIPMENT SHOW

Director in Charge: Paul Barth

1. All entries shall be in place by Friday, September 2, 2011.
2. All exhibitors must have a membership pass or season pass.
3. The best possible care will be taken to protect your equipment, however, the Fair Board is not responsible for any loss or destruction of your properties.
4. Tractors and equipment may be removed after 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2011.
5. Each antique tractor exhibiting will receive \$4.00.
6. Each antique equipment exhibiting will receive \$2.00.

For additional information contact Paul Barth, 740-373-1347.

GOING GREEN

CARBON FOOTPRINT (using 2 containers)

850 Traditional

851 Creative

HYDROELECTRIC (showing water)

852 Arranger's Choice

SOLAR ENERGY (reflective) (Special Class)

853 Creative

NUCLEAR ENERGY (all dry materials)

854 Traditional

855 Creative

LED BULBS (miniature under 5")

856 Traditional

857 Creative

858 Arranger's Choice (using all dried materials)

HYBRID CARS (small 5" to under 8")

859 Traditional

860 Creative

861 Arranger's Choice (using all dried materials)

CAR POOL (mass)

862 Traditional

863 Creative

TREE HUGGER (incorporating wood)

864 Arranger's Choice

RECYCLE (using found/recycled materials) (those having won fewer than 5 blue ribbons)

865 Arranger's Choice

REFORESTATION (stressing green)

866 Traditional

867 Creative

WIND POWER (showing motion)

868 Arranger's Choice

SECOND HARVEST (fruit/and or vegetables)

869 Traditional

870 Creative

COMMUNITY GARDENS (synergistic)

871 Creative

STEWARDSHIP (Guardians of the Earth)

Invitational (special class by invitation only)

875 Creative (describe on a 4"x6" index card)

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JUNIOR CLASSES

The same general rules will apply for specimen flowers, potted plants, and artistic arrangements in the Junior Division as in the Senior Division of the Flower Show.

The Junior Section of the Flower Show is open to anyone under 18 years of age. A Junior Fair Ticket is required. Age of child should be on the entry tag prior to placement.

Premiums - Participation \$2.00 per entry up to 10 entries

POTTED PLANTS

Pots, saucers, and plants must be clean and well groomed. No decorations allowed on plants.

All plants are to be delivered BEFORE 4:00 P.M. Friday.

10 years old and younger

890 One small potted plant - 3 or 4-inch pot

891 One medium sized potted plant - 5 or 6-inch pot

Ages 11 through 18

892 One small potted plant - 3 or 4-inch pot

893 One medium sized potted plant - 5 or 6-inch pot

If Juniors have larger plants, they will be entered in the Senior Potted Plant Section, Classes 801-813; plants must be delivered BEFORE 1:00 P.M. Friday.

SPECIMEN FLOWERS

All specimen flowers must be delivered BEFORE 9:30 A.M. Saturday. Clear glass containers (example Gatorade bottles)

894 MARIGOLD, large flowering, 1 bloom, named variety

895 ZINNIA, large flowering, 1 bloom, named variety

896 CELOSIA

897 UNCLASSIFIED (Limited to 4 entries per person)

ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENTS

All designs must be delivered BEFORE 9:30 A.M. Saturday.

Open to all Juniors under age 18. Age of child should be stated on entry tags.

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900 Creative

Special Awards are:

Best of Show - Horticulture Potted Plants (Plaque)

Horticulture Specimen (Plaque)

Artistic Traditional (Plaque)

Artistic Creative (Plaque)

Artistic Junior Division (Plaque)

Most Creative - Artistic (Plaque)

Award of Distinction - Artistic (Plaque)

Lilliput Award- Artistic (Plaque)



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