

DIVISION III **SPECIAL EXHIBITS "RE*CYCLE"**

SECTION J: EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT "RE*CYCLE"

Eligible for the Award of Appreciation

EXHIBIT 1. Delaware Solid Waste Authority

Environmental Educator: Stacey Helmer

How our state deals with trash & recycled material. Tips on how to & what to recycle with specifics on electronics & hazardous waste.

SECTION K: PHOTOGRAPHY

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1. Exhibits should relate to horticulture, gardening, or other NGC objectives.
2. Each image must be single matted using a white mat. Double matting not permitted. Maximum exhibit size including matting is to be 8"x10". No frames permitted.
3. No enhancing or use of advanced creative techniques.
4. An Exhibitor may enter as many classes as desired, but may enter only one exhibit per class. Only three entries per Exhibitor for the Photography Section K.
5. **Advanced registration with consultant required by April 18, 2016.**
6. Entries will be attached by committee to black display board.
7. Entry tags to be filled out in advance by exhibitor & will be placed near the entry. Exhibitors are encouraged but not required to label photographed material, if identifiable, with scientific names on entry tag.
8. Classes will be sub-divided as determined by the committee.
9. Not eligible for exhibiting credits for NGC judges.
10. Total entries limited to 27 or nine per class.
11. Judging panel will be two professional photographers and one NGC Accredited Judge.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES

CLASS 1. Single Specimen featuring a:

- a. Flower
- b. Tree or shrub
- c. Insect
- d. Bird

CLASS 2. Garden

- a. Flower
- b. Vegetable

CLASS 3. Landscape

- a. Winter
- b. Spring
- c. Summer
- d. Fall

Photography Scale of Points:

Conformance	20
Composition	25
Creativity.....	25
Technical Merit.....	20
Distinction/WOW factor	10
TOTAL POINTS.....	100

A SMALL STANDARD FLOWER SHOW

RE*CYCLE
RE*IMAGINE
RE*INVENT



PRESENTED BY
COUNTRYSIDE & MOONFLOWER
GARDEN CLUBS

APRIL 28, 2016
THURSDAY 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

COKEsbURY VILLAGE ATRIUM
726 LOVEVILLE RD
HOCKESSIN, DE 19707

FREE ADMISSION & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Members of
Delaware Federation of Garden Clubs,
Central Atlantic Region,
& National Garden Clubs, Inc.

Countryside Garden Club President ... Ginny Cardona

Moonflower Garden Club President ... Barbara Borleske

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Each club to secure a consultant for each committee.

(M) signifies Moonflower GC & (C) signifies Countryside Garden Club

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DIVISION II DESIGN

"RE*INVENT"

Eligible for Design Best in Show Award

4 entries per class. All entries should include a 3x5 card stating plant material, common names only.

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SECTION I

CLASS 1 "LEFT * OVERS"

Functional Table: *Special Novice Class*

A Functional Table for two. Requires: plates, glasses & or cups, napkins, a floral decorative unit, & table covering, exhibitor's choice of any length. Exhibit space is 41"x41". Floral decorative unit to be in scale with stated exhibit space. To be considered a Novice, exhibitor should never have received any blue ribbon design award.
See pgs. 215-216 & 303 in **HB 2007**.

CLASS 2 "BITS & PIECES"

Small Design:

A Small Design, no larger than 8" in height, width or depth, incorporating into the design or using as accessories, "found objects" or non-art items that are not related. The objects may be painted but must remain recognizable.
Design to be staged on an 8" cream pedestal with an 8" square top.
See pgs. 197 & 208 & 203-4 in **HB 2007**.

CLASS 3 "TRASH TO TREASURE"

Creative Mass:

A Creative Mass Design to incorporate or use as an accessory, recycled material. Design to be staged on a black pedestal 36" high with a 24" square black top. Plant material may extend beyond the pedestal. Neutral concrete pillar background. Underlay permitted.
See pgs. 199 & 200 in **HB 2007**.

DESIGN RULES

1. Advance registration is required in all design classes by **April 18**, 2016. If designer is unable to fulfill assignment, it is the designer's responsibility to notify the Consultant immediately & to provide a substitute.
2. Plant material used in designs need not have been grown by the exhibitor. No artificial (silk, plastic, or otherwise) flowers, foliage, fruit or vegetables are permitted.
3. All components in Class 1 must be suitable for use on a dining table & may include, but not limited to plates, bowls, cups, saucers, beverage service, serving pieces, & napkins. Plastic, wood or inexpensive metal flatware is permitted.
4. Some plant material (fresh +/- or dried) must be used in every exhibit.
5. An exhibitor may enter as many classes as desired, but only one entry per class.
6. Landscapes or scenes are not permitted in the Design Division.
7. The following are permitted unless prohibited by law: Accessories, featured objects; treated dried plant material; contrived flowers & other forms of fresh +/- or dried plant material but may not be replicas of true flowers, fruits or vegetables; cut fruits of vegetables (must be sealed unobtrusively to discourage insects, odor, discoloration); objects of interest tastefully used, e.g. feathers, nests, coral, sponges, sea fans, shells, bones, antlers, battery-operated lighting.
8. The following **are not** permitted in Design; American flags, open beverages, eagle or songbird feathers or religious objects.
9. Best in Show Award & criteria - **HB 2007**, p. 53.

DESIGN - SCALE OF POINTS

Conformance to all schedule requirements	14
Design- Design Principles.....	48
Balance, Scale, Proportion, Dominance, Contrast, Rhythm.....	6
Selection of Components.....	6
Expression	10
Distinction (Degree of Superiority in all respects).....	16
Total Points	100

GENERAL RULES

1. Entries will be received 1:00–4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 27, 2016, & from 8:00–9:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 28, 2016. Exhibits may not be removed before 4:00 p.m. Thursday, April 28, 2016.
2. Horticulture & Design Classes are open to all exhibitors, unless otherwise stated. Any entry to be the product of one exhibitor whose name shall appear on the Entry Card.
3. There must be emphasis on fresh plant material. Fresh plant material may not be treated in any manner (i.e. plant shine, oil, dye, or any other chemical/product.) Any Horticulture or Design exhibit that has treated fresh plant material will be marked "Not in Competition."
4. Design and horticulture exhibits may not contain any living or preserved members of the Animal Kingdom.
5. The **Handbook for Flower Shows, Revised 2007** will be abbreviated "**HB 2007**".
6. All exhibits must be approved by the Classification Committee, whether in Horticulture or Design. Entries that do not conform to the schedule & **HB 2007** will be disqualified.
7. Judging begins at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 28, 2016. Only the Show Chairmen, Horticulture Classification & Design Classification Chairmen & Clerks, or show personnel will be permitted to the show area during judging.
8. Judging will be according to the NGC Standard System of Awarding, **HB 2007**, pg. 5-7. The decision of the judges shall be final. Awards may be withheld if not merited. Any exhibit which scores 90+, but has not won a blue ribbon will have the entry card marked 90+& signed by an accredited judge. Decision of Judges is final.
9. The Committees will exercise caution in safeguarding exhibits & properties, but neither Moonflower nor Countryside Garden Clubs nor Cokesbury Village will assume responsibility of damage or loss.

NGC STANDARD SYSTEM OF AWARDING

In each class or division, the following ribbons may be awarded if merited:

First Place	Blue	90 or over
Second Place	Red	85 or over
Third Place	Yellow	80 or over
Honorable Mention	White	75 or over

NGC AWARDS:

NGC Best in Show Award in Horticulture may be awarded to the blue ribbon winner scoring 90 or above & judged to be the finest in the entire Horticulture Division.

NGC Best in Show Award in Design may be awarded to the blue ribbon winner scoring 90 or above & judged to be the finest in the entire Design Division.

NGC Sweepstakes Award for most blue ribbons in Horticulture per club.

HORTICULTURE RULES

1. All horticulture specimens must be fresh, well groomed, plant material grown by the exhibitor & in their possession at least 90 days. Combination plantings must have been grown together for at least 6 weeks.
2. All specimens must be correctly named, giving genus & species, variety/ cultivar added when available; or the current accepted scientific identification. Common name may be added but is not required.
3. Classification Committee reserves the right to subdivide classes & move exhibits.
4. All entry tags to be filled out in advance using labels, water-proof ink, or pencil. Entry tags available from Horticulture Consultants or Show Chairmen.
5. Exhibitor may make more than one entry per class or sub-class, if each is a different genus, species, variety/cultivar, type, size or color.
6. Multiple specimens of one cultivar permitted in container plants except *Saintpaulia*, which must be a single crown only unless trailing type.
7. Double potting permitted. The committee may elevate plants as needed. Saucers required for container plants.
8. Cut Exhibits to be displayed in clean, clear glass bottles/containers without labels, handles, or conspicuous markings & to be provided by the exhibitor. Wedging of clear plastic for cut specimens will be readily available. Pot size is the inside diameter.
9. All flowering plants & specimens must be in bloom.
10. Scales of Points for judging Horticulture: HB 2007, pgs. 298-302 & on the NGC website (www.gardenclub.org).
11. Horticultural References: The American Horticultural Society Encyclopedia of Gardening & the book, Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging, a supplement to the HB 2007
12. NGC Horticulture Best in Show criteria - HB 2007, pg. 53.
13. NGC Sweepstakes Award criteria - HB 2007, pg. 54.
14. Criteria for Combination Planting- HB 2007, pgs. 112-114.

DIVISION I HORTICULTURE **“RE*IMAGINE”**

Eligible for Horticulture Best in Show Award & NGC Sweepstakes Award

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SECTION A :

Cut Arboreal Branches

One cut branch, maximum length 30” cut end to apical tip.

Class 1. Flowering Shrub.

Class 2. Flowering Tree.

Class 3. Foliage Shrub.

Class 4. Foliage Tree.

DIVISION I HORTICULTURE (CONT.)

SECTION B :

Cut Flowering Perennials

One cut stem with bloom or blooms, maximum length 24”. Excludes herbs.

Class 5. Bulb, corm, or tuber.

Class 6. Other flowering perennials.

SECTION C :

Cut Foliage Perennials

One cut stem maximum length 24”, except where noted. Excludes herbs.

Class 7. Hosta.

Class 8. Ferns.

Class 9. Ground Covers, 12” maximum height.

Class 10. Other foliage

SECTION D : Herbs

One cut stem for medium/large leaf types, maximum length 24”. Three cut stems for small leaf herbs.

Class 11. Culinary.

Class 12. Other type herbs including medicinal, aromatic, ornamental.

SECTION E : Container Grown Plants

Container no larger than 8” across inside diameter. Saucer required. See HB 2007, pgs. 109-112 & 82-84.

Class 13. Flowering-must be in bloom.

Class 14. Foliage.

Class 15. Succulent or Cactus.

SECTION F : Combination Plantings

Container has no size limitation. All plants to be individually numbered. Numbers & corresponding botanical names to be printed on a 3”x5” unlined card & placed with the exhibit. See HB 2007, pgs. 112-114.

Class 16. Planter

Class 17. Dish Garden

Class 18. Terrarium

Class 19. Trough

SECTION G : Challenge Class-

(Open only to Cokesbury Residents)

Container grown plants. Container no larger than 8” across inside diameter. Saucer required. For questions/concerns, call Consultant.

Class 20. Foliage

Class 21. Flowering

Class 22. Succulent or Cactus

SECTION H : Challenge Class-

(Open only to Countryside GC Members)

Small *Mammillaria* plants were distributed fall of 2015. Container no larger than 8” across inside diameter. Saucer required. See pgs. 167-168, Horticulture Exhibiting & Judging.

Class 23. Cactus