A Small-Standard Flower Show

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presented by

The Shippan Point Garden Club
Stamford, CT

at the home of

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Thursday, July 21, 2016 - 1:30 - 4:30pm

Admission: free

Member of
National Garden Clubs, Inc.,
New England Region National Garden Clubs, Inc.,
and the Federated Garden Clubs of Connecticut, Inc.
1. This is a Small-Standard Flower Show in accordance with the standards of the National Garden Clubs, Inc. (NGC). The Standard System of Awarding will be used, see HB pp 5-7. Decisions of the judges are final; awards may be withheld if not merited. Non-blue ribbon winners scoring 90 points or more will be indicated by a 90+ along with an Accredited Judge’s signature. All judging will begin promptly at 11:00 am on Thursday, July 21, 2016.

2. Design and Horticulture competition is open to members of the Shippan Point Garden Club.

3. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit. No artificial flowers, foliage, fruits or vegetables are permitted. Fresh plant material may not be treated in any manner. Treated or otherwise embellished dried plant material is permitted.

4. Plant Material listed in the Preservation List of CT Wild Plants, 2004 Edition and the List of CT Invasive Plants may not be used in any Division.

5. All entries will be accepted on Wednesday, July 20 from 4-7 pm and Thursday, July 21 from 8-9:30 am. Entries must be removed by Friday, July 22 by 11 am.
Division I - Design - Ocean Current

Design Rules

1. An exhibitor may enter as many classes as desired, but only one exhibit per class.

2. No living or preserved members of the animal kingdom are permitted.

3. No fresh-cut fruit or vegetable will be allowed, even if sealed.

4. All entries must be passed by Classification Chairman before exhibitor leaves the floor.

5. Design Scale of Points: There is now one scale of points for all designs including Table Designs. See NGC, Inc. website: http://www.gardenclub.org/schools/flower-show-schools/flowershowhandbook.aspx

Design Awards

Award of Design Excellence - NGC Division Award.
One is offered and may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit in the entire Design Division (must score 95 or higher). Sections A and B are eligible.

Designer’s Choice Award - NGC Section Award.
One is offered and awarded to the highest scoring exhibit in Section A. The exhibit must score 95 or higher. Designer has complete freedom to choose design components in accordance with general and design division rules.

Connecticut Judges’ Design Award - FGCCT Award.
One is offered and awarded to an outstanding exhibit scoring 95 or higher in a design class ineligible for an NGC award. Section B is eligible.

Sweepstakes Bowl - SPGC Award.
One is offered and awarded to the member who has accumulated the greatest number of points in the Design Division. Points are 5,3,2,1 for First, Second, Third and Honorable Mention. Section Awards and the Division Award are each worth an additional 5 points.
Division I - Design - Water’s Edge

Section A
Summer On The Sound Eligible for Designer’s Choice Award

Class 1 - Swaying In The Breeze
A Hanging Design, staged hanging from a Shepherd’s Hook measuring 70” from hook to ground.
Exhibitor to provide hanging components.
Background: Lawn and Long Island Sound.

Class 2 - Supper By The Sea
A Functional Alfresco Table for Two, staged on a 35” diameter white table on the terrace. 70” round white underlay provided by committee, optional.

Class 3 - Sunlight On The Water
A Reflective Design, staged on a 36” high black pedestal with a 16” square top. Pedestal may be incorporated.
Background: green hedge near the pool.

Section B
Every Breaking Wave Eligible for CT Judges Design Award

Class 4 - Tide Pool Treasures
A Small Design, not to exceed 8” in any direction, staged on a 40” high white pedestal with a 16” square top. Staging area is near the guest house. Underlay recommended, background optional.
Division II - Horticulture - High Tide
Horticulture Rules

1. All horticulture exhibits must be fresh plant material grown by the exhibitor and in the exhibitor’s possession for at least 90 days. Plants grown from seed, seedlings, bulbs, corms, tubers, rhizomes, cuttings or immature transplants must have been grown to maturity by exhibitor. Exception: Combination Plantings must have been in exhibitor’s possession and grown together for at least 6 weeks.

2. More than one entry per class is permitted by exhibitor if each entry is a different cultivar, color or type. Collections must exhibit similar characteristics, i.e., herbs, perennials, flowering shrubs, vegetables, etc. Classification may subdivide.

3. All entries must be correctly and fully labeled, giving genus and species, with variety or cultivar added if possible. Top awards cannot be given to unnamed specimens.

4. One stem each of cut specimens should be shown in clear glass bottles, supplied by exhibitor. Clear plastic wedging or unobtrusive staking may be used. Fruits and vegetables to be shown on white plates provided by committee.

5. **Horticulture Scales of Points:** There have been updates with separate point scales for flowering, foliage, arboreal, fruits/nuts/vegetables and combination planters.
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Division II - Horticulture Awards

**The Award Of Horticulture Excellence** - *NGC Award*
One is offered and may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit in the entire Horticulture Division (must score 95 or higher). All sections are eligible.

**The Award Of Merit** - *NGC Award*
Five are offered in Sections A,B,C,D and J.

**The Arboreal Award** - *NGC Award*
One is offered in Section G

**The Collector’s Showcase Award** - *NGC Award*
One is offered in Section I

**The Grower’s Choice Award** - *NGC Award*
Two are offered in Sections K and L

**The Mary Lou Smith Award of Merit** - *FGCCT Award*
One is offered in Section M

**Sweepstakes Bowl** - *SPGC Award*
Awarded to the member with greatest number of points in the Horticultural Division. The same criteria apply for awarding points in the Design Division, with additional points awarded for **Collections in Section I**: 7,4,2,1 for First, Second, Third and Honorable Mention.
Section A
Roses - Long Island Iced Tea  
Award of Merit

Class 1  Shrub
Class 2  Hybrid Tea
Class 3  Climber or Rambler
Class 4  Floribunda
Class 5  Any other

Section B
Perennials Flowering - Beach Babes  
Award of Merit

Class 6  Rudbeckia
Class 7  Echinacea
Class 8  Any other

Section C
Perennials Foliage - Life Savers  
Award of Merit

Class 9  Hosta
Class 10  Fern
Class 11  Any other

Section D
Annuals Flowering - Beach Bloomers  
Award of Merit

Class 12  Geranium
Class 13  Zinnia
Class 14  Any other

Section E
Annuals Foliage - Under The Beach Umbrella

Class 15  Coleus
Class 16  Potato Vine
Class 17  Any Other
Section F
Bulbs, Corms, Tubers - Summer Show Offs

Class 18  Dahlias
Class 19  Gladioli
Class 20  Caladium
Class 21  Any Other

Section G
Flowering Tree Or Shrub - Compass Point  Arboreal Award

Class 22  Hydrangea
Class 23  Buddleia
Class 24  Any other flowering branch

Section H
Flowering Vines - Hangers On

Class 25  Clematis
Class 26  Trumpet Vine
Class 27  Any other flowering vine

Section I
Collections: 5 Or More Different Specimens With Similar Characteristics - Beach Party

Collector’s Showcase Award

Class 28  Herbs
Class 29  Roses
Class 30  Any Other
Section J
Fruits & Vegetables - Summer Bounty

Award of Merit
Class 31 Club Project: Patio Star Zucchini
Class 32 Tomatoes
Class 33 Eggplant
Class 34 Peppers
Class 35 Any other vegetable
Class 36 Any Fruit

Section K
Flowering Container Grown Plants - Summer Jewels
Grower’s Choice Award
Class 37 Orchids
Class 38 African Violets
Class 39 Any other flowering plant

Section L
Foliage Container Grown Plants - Summer On The Porch
Grower’s Choice Award
Class 40 Begonia
Class 41 Fern
Class 42 Any other foliage plant

Section M
Cacti and Succulents - Toes In The Sand
Mary Lou Smith Award of Merit
Class 43 Cacti in pot over 6”
Class 44 Cacti in pot under 6”
Class 45 Succulent in pot over 6”
Class 46 Succulent in pot under 6”

Section N
Container Grown Dish garden - Summer Sweeties

Club Project: 5 or more plants, grown in an 8” pot provided by the club.
# Flower Show Committee

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