

Flower Show School Course 4

Program Schedule

Day 1: Thursday, June 13, 2019

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| 8:00-8:30 | Registration & coffee |
| 8:30-9:30 | Flower Show Procedure |
| 9:30-9:45 | Break |
| 9:45-11:45 | Horticulture |
| 11:45-12:30 | Lunch |
| 12:30-1:30 | Horticulture |
| 1:30-1:45 | Break |
| 1:45-3:45 | Horticulture practice point scoring |
| 3:45-4:00 | Break |
| 4:00-6:00 | Horticulture point scoring exam |

Day 2: Friday, June 14, 2019

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| 8:00-8:30 | Registration & coffee |
| 8:30-9:30 | Flower Show Procedure |
| 9:30-9:45 | Break |
| 9:45-11:45 | Design |
| 11:45-12:30 | Lunch |
| 12:30-1:30 | Design |
| 1:30-1:45 | Break |
| 1:45-3:45 | Design practice point scoring |
| 3:45-4:00 | Break |
| 4:00-6:00 | Design point scoring exam |

Day 3: Saturday, June 15, 2019

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| 9:00-12:00 | Written exam* |
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*Students can make arrangements to take the written exam in another location within one week of completing this course. Exam must be taken with designated proctor and must be arranged with GCI FSS Chair BEFORE course 4 begins.

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Lunch

Lunch will be provided at a cost of \$10/day or you can bring your own lunch. Please indicate your lunch plan at the bottom of the registration form.

Location

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
Fellowship Hall
2101 S. Prospect Ave., Champaign, IL 61820
(located at the corner of Prospect and Devonshire)

School Personnel

Registrar: Liz Wagner
Email: elizabeth_wagner@sbcglobal.net

GCI Flower Show School Chairman: Tori Corkery
Phone: (217) 328-2204
Email: corkery@illinois.edu

Accommodations

There are many options in the Champaign-Urbana area. These hotels are very close to the church where this course is being held.

- CHAMPAIGN SUITES
101 Trade Center Dr, Champaign, IL 61820
(off Neil Street just south of Kirby Ave)
(877) 333 6517
- HOME2 SUITES BY HILTON
2013 S. Neil Street
Champaign, Illinois 61820
(217) 355-6468
- HILTON GARDEN INN CHAMPAIGN-URBANA
1501 S. Neil Street
Champaign, Illinois 61820
(217) 352-9970



Garden Clubs of Illinois, Inc.

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June 13-15, 2019

Champaign, Illinois

Flower Show School Course 4 Registration Form

Deadline to register is June 10, 2019. Complete the registration form below and mail with a check payable to "GCI" to Registrar Liz Wagner, 875 White Hawk Drive, Crown Point, IN 46307. Registration form is also available at <http://tinyurl.com/GCI-FSS>.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Garden Club _____

Courses completed, if any _____

Judge Status: ___Accredited ___Life ___Master

Please check one:

☐ Full course \$100

☐ Day 1 only (horticulture) \$60

☐ Day 2 only (design) \$60

[Non-GCI and non-NGC members add \$10 to registration fee]

Students will receive course materials prior to the school.

Please indicate how you want to receive your materials:

☐ PDF file sent by email (provide email address above)

☐ Hardcopy mailed to home address above

Lunch: Beverages will be provided.

☐ Please provide a lunch for me at \$10.00/day.

Please add the cost of lunch to the registration fee.

☐ I will bring my own lunch

Total Enclosed _____

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Horticulture and Flower Show Procedure

Instructor: David Robson

Horticulture topics: *Heuchera* and African Violets, and the Botanical Arts Horticulture Section

David Robson is a retired horticulture and pesticide safety specialist with the University of Illinois. A graduate of Iowa State University and University of IL, he has taught for more than 37 years. He is an NGC Flower Show School and Symposium instructor, teaching Horticulture and Flower Show Procedures. He worked on the 2017 Handbook for Flower Shows, and the NGC Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging book. He currently serves on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee as Chairman of Horticulture and Flower Show Procedure Instructors.

Design

Instructor: Madelyn Hucker

Design topics: Abstract Designs and the Botanical Arts Design Section

In addition to being a Master Judge and NGC Design Instructor, Madelyn is a member of her local garden club, 3 design study groups, the National Association of Floral Arrangers and World Association of Floral Artists. She stays active designing for local, state, regional and national meetings/conventions and was a participant in WAFA's first American hosted World Flower Show in Boston, 2011 and the 11th World Flower Show 2014 in Dublin, Ireland. Madelyn enjoys teaching design courses around the country and getting to know local culture and design styles. She also presents hands-on design workshops, providing tips on florist mechanics and highlighting new NGC designs. Madelyn loves making "something out of nothing" and is a strong advocate for repurposing materials. If it's discarded, artful uses can be found. She and her husband enjoy traveling, photography, gardening and scuba diving.

Reading List

The following required reading list applies to all Flower Show School courses. Students should read pages as noted in Student Outlines provided by each course instructor.

Required Reading

- *The National Gardener Magazine*
- *Handbook for Flower Shows, 2017 Revised Edition (print and/or electronic version available)*
- *Outlines of Period Flower Arrangement (Hannay)*
- *Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging*

Recommended Reading

- *Guide to the New Petite Floral Designs Anna G. Burns*
- *Hortulana The 21st Century Edition (Heber)*
- *Plants and Their Respective Families*
- *Designing by Types (Osborne)*
- *Table Settings For All Seasons (Wood & Smith)*
- *Plant Families for Designers Constructing Monobotanic Designs*

All books may be obtained directly through member services:

NGC Headquarters

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Phone: (800) 550-6007

Email: headquarters@gardenclub.org

Order Online

Books may be ordered online at the official NGC Store, www.shopgardenclub.org