

Department K Flowers

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IMPORTANT ENTRY INFORMATION

MAIL OR HAND DELIVERY ENTRY DEADLINE:
JULY 30, 2011 - 5 PM

ONLINE ENTRY DEADLINE
AUGUST 7, 2011 midnight

JUDGING: Monday August 15, 2011 - 5 PM

It is the exhibitor's responsibility to make sure that his or her entry form is received in the Fair Office on or before the deadline.

Additional entries may be added to your previously submitted entry form one day only Sunday, August 14, 2011, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

PRE ENTRY IS REQUIRED. SEE #3 BELOW

1. Competition is open to all amateurs. Garden Club affiliation is not required.
2. The use of plant materials in any division of the show must conform to the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation list.
3. **All exhibitors must submit at least one walk in or mail in entry prior to 5 PM on July 30, 2011, or an online entry must be submitted by midnight August 7, 2011. All exhibits must be in place by 4 PM on Sunday August 14, 2011.**
4. Standard Systems of Awarding will be used and awards given only when merited. Decisions of the certified judges will be final.
5. Building will be open to the public at 10 AM Tuesday, August 16. Building will be open for removing exhibits Monday, August 22 from 2 to 6 PM. Exhibits must remain in place until then.
6. Only one (1) entry in any one lot.
7. **NO ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, FOLIAGE OR FRUIT WILL BE PERMITTED.**
8. Any lot in Horticulture may be subdivided if the number of exhibits warrants and exhibits will be judged in newly formed subdivision.
9. Horticulture specimens must have been grown by the exhibitor and potted plants been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least 45 days.
10. Flower pots must be clean.
11. Cut specimens must be in bloom. (Containers will be provided.)
12. Correctly-named specimens will be given preference by judges.

13. Exhibitors must consult the Classification Chairman before placing exhibit.
14. To win the top awards in Horticulture (Adult or Youth), the specimen must be named.
15. Youth exhibitors limited to children up to the age of 18.
16. Reasonable supervision will be maintained at all times; but the Fair Board of Directors, the Committee and the sponsors cannot be responsible for exhibitor's property.

NOTE: Entry fee is \$1.00 per Lot.

HORTICULTURE (Adult-Competitive)

The Award of Horticulture Excellence will be given to the finest NAMED exhibit scoring 95% or higher in this Division.

Awards: 1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$3	\$2	\$1
(For all lots in Adult Show)		

Class 1 - Potted Plants

LOT

1. African Violets
2. Dracaena
3. Mix Combination plants in decorative container
4. Coleus
 - a. Single Plant
 - b. 2 or more in container
5. Ferns
 - a. Table
 - b. Hanging
6. Fruited Plant
 - a. In flower
 - b. With fruit
7. Spider Plant
 - a. Green Leaf
 - b. Variegated
8. Fuschia
 - a. Table
 - b. Hanging
 - c. Floor Specimen
9. Hanging Vines
 - a. Foliage
 - b. In bloom
 - c. Variegated
10. Impatiens
 - a. Single Flower
 - b. Double Flower
 - c. Hanging Basket
 - d. Variegated
11. Ivy
 - a. English
 - b. Swedish
 - c. Devils Ivy (Pothos)
12. Philodendron
 - a. Table
 - b. Hanging
 - c. Floor Specimen
13. Begonias
 - a. Tuberous
 - b. Fibrous
 - c. Angel Wing
 - d. Rex
14. Pelargonium (Geranium)
 - a. Scented
 - b. Ivy
 - c. Fancy Leaf
 - d. Miniature
 - e. Zonal
 - f. Seed

15. Any Other Potted Plant
 - a. Container under 6"
 - b. Container over 6"

Class 2 - Cactus & Other Succulents

LOT

1. Jade Plant
 - a. Small
 - b. Large
2. Snake Plant
 - a. Birds Nest
 - b. Mother-in-law's Tongue
3. Peperomia
 - a. Small
 - b. Large
4. Hoya (Wax Flower)
 - a. Table
 - b. Hanging
 - c. Variegated
5. Cactus
 - a. In bloom
 - b. Under 6"
 - c. Over 6"
 - d. Collection 2 or more
6. Other Novelty Succulents
 - a. Specimen
 - b. Collections (2+)

Class 3 – Container Gardens Using House Plants

LOT

1. Dish Garden
 - a. All Foliage
 - b. Some in Bloom
2. Terrarium (Plants under/in Glass)
 - a. Under 10"
 - b. Over 10"
3. Combination Pots
 - a. Hanging
 - b. Under 10"
 - c. Over 10"
 - d. Window Box
4. Other container garden configuration

Class 4 - Perennials Woody or Herbaceous (one specimen per class with foliage)

LOT

1. Summer Flowering shrub
2. Astible
3. Buddleia (Butterfly Bush)
4. Campanula (Bellflower)
5. Coreopsis (Tickweed)
6. Delphinium
7. Dianthus (Hardy Carnation) 3 or more
8. Digitalis (Foxglove)
9. Echinacea (coneflower)
10. Gaillardia (Blanket Flower)
11. Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)
12. Hosta (one leaf + flower spike)
13. Rudbeckia (Black-Eyed Susan) one stem's worth
14. Veronica (Speedwell)
15. Achillea.
 - a. Yellow
 - b. White
 - c. Pink
16. Roses
 - a. Red
 - b. Yellow
 - c. White
 - d. Pink
 - e. Peace
 - f. Bi-Color
 - g. Miniature
 - h. Any other color

- i. Collection of three or more.
17. Any other Perennial
 - a. Single
 - b. Collection (3 or more)

Class 5 - Annuals 3 specimens must contain foliage (NO Impatiens)

LOT

1. Aster
2. Bachelor Button (cornflower)
3. Calendula
4. Cosmos
5. Cleome (one spike)
6. Celosia
 - a. Feathered
 - b. Crested (1 flower)
7. Marigold
 - a. Dwarf (French)
 - b. Large (African)
8. Petunia
 - a. Single
 - b. Double
9. Zinnia
 - a. Miniature
 - b. Large
 - c. Cactus
10. Snapdragon
 - a. Miniature
 - b. Butterfly
 - c. Large Rocket (1 flower spike)
11. Sunflower
 - a. Miniature
 - b. Multi-bloom
 - c. Large (1 flower)
 - d. Teddy Bear.
12. Any other annual

Class 6 - Bulbs & Corms (1 Flowering Stalk/1 Stem with Foliage)

LOT

1. Canna
2. Lily
 - a. Asiatic
 - b. Oriental
 - c. Tiger
 - d. Novelty
3. Dahlia
 - a. Pompon
 - b. Cactus
 - c. Large
 - d. Bi-color
 - e. Miniature - 3 specimens
4. Gladiolus
 - a. White
 - b. Yellow
 - c. Pink
 - d. Red
 - e. Orange
 - f. Lavender
 - g. Bi-Color
 - h. Miniature
 - i. Other Color
5. Any other flowering bulb or tuber in bloom

Class 7 - Artistic Design
(Adult Competitive)

2011 THEME
EVERYTHING OLD IS NEW AGAIN

Awards:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
	\$10	\$7	\$3	\$2

Lot 1—Garden Potluck

Use homegrown flowers, grasses, or foliage to create a small to medium sized informal arrangement that reflects the random beauty of the summer garden.

Lot 2—Summer’s Simple Joys

Using homegrown garden flowers and grasses, this small to medium sized informal arrangement will portray a simple, no frills theme.

Lot 3—Patio Pleasures-Vase Arrangement

Color rules in this vase arrangement that might decorate an outdoor space. Backyard blooms should provide the basis for this color splash.

Lot 4—Country Quilts

Using predominantly New York wildflowers such as daisies and brown-eyed Susan’s, this table centerpiece incorporates simple homespun elements. **No NYS endangered species can be used or entered in this or any other Lot.**

Lot 5—Patio Entertaining

Use garden flowers, grasses, wildflowers, or foliage to reflect this year’s theme in a table setting for today’s casual style of entertaining. This entry provides the table, the cloth, place settings and floral arrangement. The entire tablescape will be judged.

Lot 6 – Everything Old is New Again

This arrangement reflects our theme by using new cultivars of old familiar garden favorites, annual and/or perennial in any size arrangement. Think outside the box and let your creative juices flow! Please include a list of all plants used for this unique display. The list will be displayed with the arrangement so that fairgoers can learn about the new cultivars and grow them in their gardens.

YOUTH DIVISION

Class 8 – Cut Flowers
(3 Specimens with foliage)

Awards	1st	2nd	3rd
	\$3	\$2	\$1

(For all Lots in Youth Show)

LOT

1. Gladiolus (one stem only)
2. Cosmos
3. Daisy
4. Marigold

- a. Dwarf (French) b. Large (African)
5. Petunias
 - a. Single b. Double
6. Sunflower
 - a. miniature b. multi-bloom
 - c. large d. Teddy Bear
7. Any annual or perennial

Class 9 - Potted Plants

LOT

1. Foliage
2. In bloom
3. Combination Hanging Basket
 - a. under 10” b. over 10”
4. Terrarium
5. Dish Garden
6. Any specimen plant under 6”

Class 10 - Artistic Design

Awards:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
	\$10	\$7	\$3	\$2

Lot 1 – Summer Camp

Arrangement featuring a camp activity

Lot 2 – Happy Go Lucky!

Set your creative juices free and fashion an arrangement that speaks to color and exuberance.

LOT 3 – Beach Combing

This floral arrangement uses seashells, driftwood, or sand along with flowers to reflect a seaside scene. The arrangement can be of any size but it must incorporate several elements of seashore landscape.

AWARDS If Merited

(No entry required.)
Adult Horticulture

Award of Horticulture Excellence:	\$15
Winner of most Blue Ribbons	\$10
2nd, 3rd, 4th	Ribbons

Adult Artistic Design

Tri-Color Ribbon	\$10
Adult Design	\$10
2nd Prize Ribbon	\$ 7
3rd Prize Ribbon	\$ 3
4th Prize Ribbon	\$ 2

Youth Horticulture

Youth Achievement Award	\$ 8
Winner of most Blue Ribbons	\$ 5
2nd, 3rd, 4th	Ribbons

