

DESIGN RULES

1. All design entries are open to any AFGC member.
2. Designs may be entered from 9 am to 10:30 am on November 18th.
3. All entries must pass Classification Chairman before the exhibitor is free to leave the show room.
4. Judging will be at 11 am on November 18th.
5. Dried plant materials may be treated. Treatment of fresh plant material is prohibited
6. Exhibitors accepting assignments in the Design Division must provide a substitute if unable to exhibit.
7. Plant material used, need not have been grown by the exhibitor.
8. All exhibits must be the work of one exhibitor.

DIVISION II

DESIGN

“Harvest and Harmony”

Scale of points used are on Page 130 in *Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2017 revised edition.

Class 1 - “Grateful Gatherings”

An Exhibition Table staged on ½ of a 6’ section of table 32” wide by 30” deep covered with a black tablecloth provided by staging committee. Exhibitor must use a staging panel 36” tall x 24” wide with an underlay. Designer’s choice of plant material. Card listing plant material required.

Class 2 - “Harvest in Motion”

A Multi-rhythmic Design staged in front of a designer furnished staging panel 40” tall by 30” wide and 24” deep on a section of table 32” wide by 30” deep covered with a black floor-length tablecloth to be furnished by the Staging Committee. Exhibitor must furnish a matching underlay. Designer’s choice of plant material and components. Card listing plant material required.

Class 3 - “Woodland Whispers”

A Petite Creative Design 10-12” in height, width, and depth staged on a black column 12” tall with a 12” square black top on a table 32” wide by 30” deep covered with a black floor-length tablecloth to be furnished by the Staging Committee. Exhibitor may furnish additional underlay and/or staging panel. Designer’s choice of plant material and components. Card listing plant material required.

An NGC Small Standard Flower Show



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Arkansas Judges Council

Faith Methodist Church
9820 W. Markham St.
Little Rock, Arkansas

November 18, 2025
1:00-2:30 pm

A Member of
National Garden Clubs, Inc.
Nationally Accredited Flower Show Judges
Arkansas Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
South Central Region
501-206-7401

Free/Open to Public

FLOWER SHOW CHAIRMAN

Schedule Chairman	Nancy Rana 501-206-7401
Staging/Signs	Terri Waterman 405-821-9587
Horticulture Entries	Jean Moser 501-658-6024
Horticulture Classification	Jean Moser Tracey Bonds
Design Entries	Nancy Voyles
Classification	Nancy Voyles
Judges	Rose Knight
Awards	Nancy Rana
Clerks	Rose Knight
Dismantling & Clean-Up	All Exhibitors

AWARDS

Standard System of Awarding:

One blue ribbon. First Place, Scoring 90 or more

One red ribbon, Second Place, Scoring 85 or more

One yellow ribbon, Third Place, Scoring 80 or more

One or more white or Honorable Mention ribbons, scoring 75 or more.

- The decision of the judges is final.
- Awards that are not merited may be withheld.
- Judges will be required to consider designs/ horticulture specimens for a 90+ recognition.

GENERAL RULES

1. All entries must contain some plant material.
2. Horticulture and design entries will be received November 18th from 9 am to 10:30 am.
3. Judging will be November 18th at 11 am. Judging will be in accordance with *Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2017 edition using the Standard system of Awarding.
4. Emphasis is on FRESH PLANT MATERIAL.
5. No artificial plant material will be allowed in any division of the show.
6. No plant Material on the Arkansas Endangered or Threatened Plant list may be used in any division of the show.
7. The Classification Chairman reserves the right to disqualify entries which do not meet schedule requirements, they will be placed and marked "Not for Competition."
8. The show will be open to the public November 18th from 1 pm to 2:30 pm.
9. All exhibits must be removed by 3 pm November 18th.
10. Decision of judges is final.
11. Tables will be covered with black tablecloths.

HORTICULTURE RULES

1. Entries are limited to 10 specimens per member, due to space limitations.
2. Horticulture will be received November 18th 9 am to 10:30 am.
3. Classes will be created as needed by Horticulture Classification.
4. Exhibitor may make more than one entry per class if each is a different species, variety, cultivar, type or color.
5. Containers for cut specimens will be furnished by the exhibitor. Clear bottles of appropriate size with no decorative ornamentation of any kind. Arboreal entries must have apical tip and several nodes.
6. Exhibitor must correctly label all specimens with genus, species and/or variety/cultivar, where available.
7. Specimens may be double potted but inner containers should not be visible. Unobtrusive, natural soil surface coverings such as coarse sand, poultry grit, pea gravel, etc. can be used in container-grown specimens and combination plantings.
8. No unattached foliage is allowed or below water level.
9. All specimens must be fresh plant material and grown by the exhibitor. Refer to HB Pgs. 55-61 for exhibiting horticulture rules.
10. Wedging material of plastic wrap will be provided by the Staging Committee.

DIVISION I HORTICULTURE

"Nature's Bounty"

The Scale of Points to be used for horticulture are appearing in the *Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2017 edition on page 129.

Section A— "Into the Woods"

Cut Arboreal -may have fall color interest. Not to exceed 30" length. Classes as needed.

Section B— "Fields of Gold"

Container grown Flowering or Foliage (no succulents)
Pot size not to exceed 14" diameter.

Section C— "Spice of Life"

Container grown Succulents. Pot size not to exceed 10" diameter. Classes as needed.

Section D— "Amaze of Colors"

Cut Flowers – 1 stem or spray. Classes as needed.

Section E— "Festival of Leaves"

Cut Foliage annuals, perennials, or herbs. 1 leaf or stem.
Classes as needed