

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.
FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL, COURSE I – January 21, 22, 23 & 24, 2020
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Tuesday, January 21, 2020	Wednesday, January 22, 2020	Thursday, January 23, 2020	Friday, January 24, 2020
2:30 – 3:00 p.m. Registration and Announcements 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. Flower Show School Procedure 4:00 – 4:15 p.m. Break 4:15 – 5:15 p.m. Flower Show School Procedure	8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Flower Show Procedure Exam 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. Registration and Announcements 10:00 to 12:00 Horticulture (2hr) 12:00 – 12:30 p.m. Lunch 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Horticulture (1hr) 1:30 – 1:45 p.m. Break 1:45 - 3:45 p.m. Practice Point Scoring (2hr) 3:45 – 4:00 p.m. Break 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Written Point Score (1hr)	8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Horticulture Exam 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. Registration and Announcements 10:00 – 12:00 a.m. Design (2hr.) 12:00 – 12:30 p.m. Lunch 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Design (1hr) 1:30 – 1:45 p.m. Break 1:45 - 3:45 p.m. Practice Point Scoring (2hr) 3:45 – 4:00 p.m. Break 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Written Point Score (1hr)	9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Design Exam <i>HOTEL INFO: Crown Plaza Suites, 9090 Southwest Freeway, 713-995-0123 or Comfort Inn Southwest Freeway at Westpark 713-776-2633</i>

Horticulture: Calathea-Container grown & Philodendron-cut specimen **Design: Traditional Designs: Mass and Line**

The Course I curriculum for both Horticulture and Design is a five-hour course of study and Flower Procedure is two hours.

Instructors:

Horticulture: Darlene Newell is an NGC Master Flower Show Judge, Horticulture, Flower Show Procedure, Symposium Instructor and Daffodil Judge. She has lectured in over twenty states. She is a life member of WVGC and NGC and a member of the American Horticulture, Hosta and Daffodil Societies. She serves on the NGC Board of Directors as the Horticulture Instructors Chairman and on the state level as the WV Flower Show Chairman.

Design: Gina Jogan is an NGC Master Flower Show Judge, she has been an instructor for Design and Flower Show Procedure since 2002 and a NGC Symposium Instructor, Design and Allied topics since 2004. She is a NGC Gardening Consultant and Landscape Design Critic. She is on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee, and has served as chairman of Student Schedules/Corrections (2015-2019) and currently serves on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee as Chairman New Instructors in Design and Flower Show Procedure (2019-2021).

REQUIRED AND RECOMMENDED READING LISTS FOR NGC FSS (From NGC Website)

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

Required Reading Flower Show School Courses

- The National Gardener Magazine*
- Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Revised Edition*
- Outlines of Period Flower Arrangement (Hannay)*
- Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging*

Recommended Reading

- Guide to the New Petite Floral Designs (Anna G. Burns)*
- Hortulana The 2nd Edition (Heber)*
- Plants and Their Respective Families*
- Designing by Types (Osborne)*
- Table Setting for All Seasons (Wood and Smith)*
- Plant Families for Designers Constructing Monobotanic Design*

Remember

All students must own **Handbook for Flower Shows, 2017 Revised Edition**, and **Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging**.

All Students must subscribe/read *The National Gardener*

REGISTRATION FORM—HOUSTON FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL, COURSE I

Please complete Registration by January 10, 2020, and mail to Regena Williamson, P.O. Box 57, Sheridan, Texas 77475.

No refunds after January 13. Email regena46@yahoo.com – Phone: 361-550-1485 cell.

Please make checks payable to Houston Area Flower Show Judges or HAFSJ.

Name _____ Club _____

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Student/Student Judge, plus exam.....\$100 _____ Registration Fee.....\$20 _____ Lunch, Wednesday.....\$10 _____

Design only.....\$60 _____ Exam.....\$10 _____ Lunch, Thursday.....\$10 _____

Horticulture only.....\$60 _____

Members of clubs who have made a financial contribution to this school may attend by paying Registration Fee, Lunch (optional), and Exam (if taking for credit)