NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL, COURSE IV – September 26, 27, 28, and 29, 2022

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Monday, September 26th, 2022	Tuesday, September 27, 2022	Wednesday, September 28, 2022	Thursday, September 29, 2022
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	8:15 – 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 – 6:00 p.m. Written Point Score (2hr)	8:15 – 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 – 6:00 p.m. Written Point Score (2hr)	8:00 – 9:30 a.m. Design **Exam** *HOTEL INFO: LaQuinta 6790 Southwest Freeway 713-784-3838*

The Course IV curriculum for both Horticulture and Design is a five-hour course of study and Flower Procedure is two hours. Horticulture study is on Collections and The Arum Family. Design Study is on Abstract Creative and Transparency Designs.

Instructors:

Horticulture: Jan Griffin is an Accredited Master Flower Show Judge. She teaches Floral Design classes as well as horticulture for Flower Show Schools. She is involved in The Florida Federation of Garden Clubs and Florida Flower Show Judges. She has served as chairman for four state flower shows.**Design:** Penny Decker is an NGC Master Flower Show Judge and an NGC Design Instructor. She currently serves on the Boards of NGC and FFGC. Penny is known for her keen sense of color in creating beautiful traditional and highly creative floral designs. Penny is the winner of numerous top awards for design at major flower shows. Her passion for design has taken her to various countries representing the USA in honorary exhibits at WAFA Seminars in Canada, England, Ireland, Barbados, and India. Her design ability is only exceeded by her ability to teach and instruct others. In 2022 she was honored as MENTOR OF THE YEAR by FFGC and by the Deep South Region of NGC.

Remember

All students must own **Handbook for Flower Shows,** 2017 Revised Edition, and **Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging. These can be ordered from NGC.** All Students must subscribe/read ***The National Gardner***

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

REGISTRATION FORM—HOUSTON FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL, COURSE IV

Please complete Registration by September 20,, 2022, and mail to Regena Williamson, P.O. Box 57, Sheridan, Texas 77475.
No refunds after September 26th, Email regena46@yahoo.com – Phone: 361-550-1485 cell.

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

Name_____ Club_____

Address_____

City_____ State_____ Zip_____Phone_____

Email_____

Student/Student Judge, plus exam……$100_____ Registration Fee……$20_____ Lunch, Tuesday……$15_____

Design only……$60_____ Exam……$10_____ Lunch, Wednesday_____.$15_____

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)