

**Gulf Coast Garden Club**

**Presents an NGC Standard Flower Show**

**You Are Here!**

**Friday, April 12 & Saturday, April 13, 2019**

**Unity Church  
28285 Imperial Parkway  
Bonita Springs, Florida**

**Open and Free to the Public  
Friday 3 – 6 pm  
Saturday 10 am – 4 pm**

**Demonstrations, Raffles, Sales of Plants and Designs**

# Horticulture Division I

## **“Lanais & Landscapes”**

### **Section A: “It BLOOMED!”**

**Cut specimens of flowering /colorful bracts -annuals, perennials, biennials.**

**One stem.**

**Eligible for Award of Merit**

- 1. Bromeliad**
- 2. Orchid**
- 3. Tagetes (Marigold)**
- 4. Any other worthy named specimen.**

### **Section B: “Foliage is Fun!” Cut specimens of decorative leaves. One stem**

**Eligible for Award of Merit**

- 5. Anthurium**
- 6. Begonia**
- 7. Fern**
- 8. Philodendron**
- 9. Sansevieria**
- 10. Any other worthy named specimen**

### **Section C: “Kitchens are for Cooking” Cut specimens of herbs, fruits and vegetables.**

**Eligible for Award of Merit**

**11. Herbs One - five stems of same herb**

- a. Chives**
- b. Oregano**
- c. Parsley**
- d. Any other worthy names specimen.**

**12. Herbs Three – five stems of different herbs, one stem each**

**13. Vegetables One – five , depending on size. Exhibited on small paper plates provided by committee.**

**14. Fruits One – five, depending on size. Exhibited on small paper plates provided by committee.**

### **Section D: “5 O’clock Somewhere” or “Wine Vines” Cut specimens of vining plants, grown and shown in a wine bottle. Eligible for Valentine Prize**

- 15. Hoya**
- 16. Philodendron**
- 17. Pothos**
- 18. Any other worthy named specimen**

### **Section E: “Shady Side” Cut specimens of foliage shrubs and trees.**

**Max. length 30”**

**Eligible for Arboreal Award**

- 19. Acalypha (Copperleaf)**
- 20. Codiaeum (Croton)**
- 21. Polyscias (Aralia)**
- 22. Any other worthy named specimen**

**Section F: “Gifts From the Sun” Cut specimens of flowering shrubs and trees  
Max. length 30” Eligible for Arboreal Award**

- 23. Hamelia (Firebush)**
- 24. Ixora**
- 25. Jatropha**
- 26. Any other worthy named specimen**

**Section G: “In the Flesh” Container grown succulent plants, including cacti  
Eligible for Growers Choice Award**

- 27. Crassula**
- 28. Kalanchoe**
- 29. Sansevieria**
- 30. Any other worthy named specimen**

**Section H: “Season is Here” Container grown flowering or foliage plant, not  
succulent Eligible for Growers Choice Award**

- 31. Calathea**
- 32. Fern**
- 33. Orchid**
- 34. Philodendron**
- 35. Any other worthy named specimen**

**Section I: “Bright & Beautiful” Bromeliads, in containers or mounted.  
With or without inflorescence . Eligible for Growers Choice Award**

- 36. Achmea**
- 37. Bilbergia**
- 38. Guzmania**
- 39. Tillandsia**
- 40. Any other worthy named specimen**

**Section J: “Outdoor Concerts” Combination Plantings of three or more  
compatible plants. Eligible for Growers Choice Award**

- 41. Dish Garden , with minimal accessories (not Fairy Gardens)**
- 42. Dish Garden featuring succulents**
- 43. Planter – Herbs and /or other edibles**
- 44. Any other worthy combination planting with named specimens.**

## **Design Division II**

### **“Out and About”**

#### **Section A: “Little Things That Mean A Lot”      Eligible for Petite Award**

- 1. “Garden Shops” Design using two or more small clay flower pots provided by committee and any other components. Fresh and/or dried plant material. Staged on upside down clay saucers. Max. 12”**
- 2. “Nail Salons – Pick Your Color!” Colorful design staged on a silver CD and incorporating a bottle of colored nail polish. Fresh and or dried plant material. Max. 8”**
- 3. “Our Spiritual Side” Design of all fresh plant material in cool colors, suggesting serenity. Staged on round blue stand provided by committee. Max. 8”**

#### **Section B: “A Little More....”      Eligible for Petite Award**

- 4. “The Beach!” Design of all dried material and using some objects found on the beach. Staged on sandpaper provided by committee. Max. 10”**
- 5. “The Arts -- Music, Theater, Art Shows.... ” Designers Choice of materials, staged freestanding on 12” black discs provided by committee. Max. 10”**
- 6. “The Green Challenge” Challenge design using all green components provided by committee. Staged on ¼ of a card table. Max. 12”**

#### **Section C: “Hospitality—at Home or Away”      Eligible for Table Artistry Award Designers Choice of All Materials**

- 7. “Northern Visitors” Buffet table for 4, suggesting a Florida BBQ. Staged freestanding on tables 4’ x 18”, 29” high.**
- 8. “Leisure on the Lanai” A Tray with drinks for 2. Max. space 28”**
- 9. “Dining Out” Functional table for 2, suggesting a particular type of cuisine. Staged on card tables 30” square, 29” high.**

**Section D: “What We Love Doing Here” Eligible for Designers Choice Award**

- 10. “Farmers Markets” A design using fruits/vegetables/anything else. Staged in space 36” wide, 28” deep and 36” high. Cork trifolds provided by committee for background.**
- 11. “Thrift Shops” A Design using one or more unusual, strange, unknown , antique or odd object/s. Staged in space 36” wide, 28” deep and 48” high. Trifolds of various colors provided by committee. May paint, drape or otherwise cover trifolds.**
- 12. “Patriotism on Parade – Blue Star Memorial” A design of any style. Staged in space 36” wide, 28” deep and 36” high. Blue trifolds provided by committee.**