

**MODERN TIMES:
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A Standard Flower Show

JACKSON HIGH SCHOOL
CAREER & TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT
7600 FULTON DRIVE NW
MASSILLON, OHIO 44646

(PLEASE USE ENTRANCE 50w AT REAR
OF SCHOOL –
JUST BEHIND THE BEAR'S DEN)

FRIDAY, SEPT 9, 3–5 PM
SAT & SUN, SEPT 10 & 11, 11 AM–4 PM

**AYOR (AT YOUR OWN RISK)
GENERAL RULES**

1. Only members of this club and invited guests may enter the show.
2. Entry cards will be available from Nancy Quinn-Simon on August 1 or you may call the Canton Garden Center at 330-455-6172.
3. Entries in the Design Division must be pre-registered with the Design Entries Chairman.
4. All exhibits will be accepted from 5:30 to 7:30 PM on Thursday, September 8 and 8 to 9:30 AM on Friday, September 9.
5. Judging will begin promptly at 10:15 AM on Friday, September 9. Only the General Chairman, Classification Chairmen and the clerks will be allowed on the show floor during the time of judging. Judging will be by the NGC Standard System of Awarding. **Handbook for Flower Shows** Revised 2007 Edition and additions found in *The National Gardener*.
6. The General Chairman and the Classification Chairmen must be available during all judging for possible consultations.
7. The Classification Chairmen for the Horticulture and Design Divisions must review all entries for proper identification and conformity to the schedule.
8. The decision of the judges is final. Awards may be withheld if not merited.
9. Plants on the state's endangered or conservation plant list must be grown by the exhibitor or collected in a legal manner and so identified. (State policy prevails.) List is included in schedule.
10. There must be an emphasis on **fresh** plant material. No artificial plant material will be allowed in any division.

**KUTGW
(KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK)
DESIGN RULES**

1. All amateur designers are invited to exhibit.
2. Landscapes or scenes are NOT permitted in the Design Division.
3. No artificial flowers, foliage, fruit or vegetables are permitted.
4. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit. Plant material used in designs need not have been grown by the exhibitor unless the schedule requires it.
5. Fresh plant material may not be treated in any way. Plant material that has been

- treated to alter its exterior appearance may be used only in its dried state.
6. An exhibitor is permitted one entry per class and must provide a substitute if unable to exhibit.
 7. All entries are to be the work of one exhibitor and that exhibitor's name must appear on the entry card.
 8. Religious symbols used must be displayed in a respectful manner in accordance with the policies of local religious organizations.
 9. Living members of the animal kingdom are not permitted.
 10. The American flag and other national flags must be displayed in accordance with proper flag etiquette and may not be incorporated into any competitive designs.
 11. Non-perishable food products are allowed but must be sealed if the possibility exists for attracting insects or produce undesirable odor.
 12. Pre-registration for all design classes is required and must be completed by September 8. Contact Entries Chairman Dolores Hudson 330-863-0273. Youth designers should contact Special Exhibits Chairman Celine Hallier 330-875-1333.
 13. The Design Scales of Points are listed on p.303 of the **Handbook**. Adult scales of points are used for horticulture, design and educational exhibits, however, scores of only 90 are required to place Youth Top Exhibitor Awards.

**B2W (BACK TO WORK)
HORTICULTURE RULES**

1. All plant material must be fresh and have been grown by the exhibitor.
2. Exhibits must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for no fewer than 90 days. Exception: Plants grown by the exhibitor from seed/seedling or immature transplants to flower. Combination plantings must have been in the exhibitor's possession and grown together for no fewer than 6 weeks.
3. Plant material may not be altered by the application (treatment) of oil, commercial "shine" products etc. that artificially change the natural color and texture.
4. All specimens should be correctly labeled with scientific (botanical) names or the currently accepted scientific identification for their educational value. Common name may also be added.
5. An exhibitor may enter more than one entry per class if each entry is a different species, variety, cultivar, type or color.
6. Cut specimens must be displayed in clear transparent bottles provided by the committee or suitable size and stability. Cut specimens should not have foliage below the water line.
7. Wedging, a small, inconspicuous "plug" in the neck of a container to improve the pose of the specimen, is permitted. Wedging may be visible but must not detract from the cut specimen. Wedging must be provided by the committee.

8. Double potting is permitted but the inner pot must not be visible.
9. All entry cards should be filled out in advance, if possible, and if handwritten, should be in pencil or water-proof pen to avoid water damage.
10. The Classification Chairman has the authority to subdivide classes as necessary.
11. The Scale of Points for judging horticulture is listed on pp. 298-302 of the **Handbook**.

**"FACEBOOK"
DESIGN DIVISION I**

Award of Design Excellence

SECTION A — LEARN THE LINGO
(Terms and some do's & don'ts)

Eligible for Designer's Choice Award

CLASS 1 "PROFILE" (A group of pages to form your on-line journal or message board)
A CREATIVE DESIGN STAGED with a 30" w X 38" h backboard panel 30" depth. Exhibitor provides suitable backboard panel.

CLASS 2 "WALL" (A message board on Facebook)

A TRANSPARENCY DESIGN STAGED with a 30" w x 38" h backboard panel 30" depth. Committee will provide white backboard panel. Exhibitor may use panel but not permanently alter.

CLASS 3 "FRIEND" (Anyone in your on-line circle)

AN EXHIBITION TYPE II TABLE STAGED on a 42" h black pedestal with a 16" square top.

SECTION B — PING ME LATER
(Get in touch)

Eligible for Tri-Color Award

CLASS 4 "NEWS FEED" (Up to the minute alert on your friend's profile)
A CREATIVE LINE DESIGN STAGED on a 30" h black pedestal with a 16" square top.

CLASS 5 "POKE" (A friendly way of saying hello)

A CREATIVE DESIGN STAGED IN A FLAT-BED PRINTER PROVIDED BY COMMITTEE. SIZE 8 1/2" X 11 1/2".

CLASS 6 "STATUS UP-DATE" (Lets you post what you are doing at any given moment)

A REFLECTIVE DESIGN STAGED with a 36" w x 38" h backboard panel 30" depth. Exhibitor provides suitable backboard panel.

SECTION C – SOCIAL NETWORK
(On-line communication)

Eligible for Petite Award

CLASS 7 "RELIABLE CONNECTION"
(A good quality service)

A SMALL STRETCH DESIGN NOT TO EXCEED 8", STAGED on a black wire box provided by committee.

CLASS 8 "I-TUNES" (Music downloaded from internet)

A MINIATURE DESIGN NOT TO EXCEED 5", STAGED on a Compact Disc case.

CLASS 9 **“INSTANT MESSAGE”**
(Immediate social messaging tool)
A COLLAGE 8” x 8” STAGED on a clear plastic easel provided by committee.

SECTION D – **“LLOTA”**

(Lots and lots of thunderous applause)

INVITATIONAL

(Non-competitive class)

Eligible for an Award of Appreciation

CLASS 10 **“CRITICAL MASS”** (Involving risk or suspense)

A MULTI-RHYTHMIC DESIGN STAGED on the floor. Design not to exceed 24” w x 24” deep; height unlimited.

“TWITTER”

(A brief messaging tool using no more than 140 characters in length)

HORTICULTURE DIVISION II

Award of Horticulture Excellence

SECTION A – **“BAU”** (Business as usual)

Eligible for the Award of Merit

Annuals – Cut specimen, one stem or spray unless otherwise noted. Include foliage if attached on stem.

CLASS 1 ASTERACRAE (ZINNIA)

CLASS 2 HELIANTHUS (SUNFLOWER)

CLASS 3 CALENDULA (MARIGOLD)

CLASS 4 CLEOME HASSLERANA

(Cleome; Spider Flower)

CLASS 5 COLUS X HYBRIDUS

(COLEUS)

CLASS 6 OTHER CUT FLOWERS FROM ANNUALS

SECTION B – **“BIO”** (Bring it on)

Eligible for the Award of Merit

Herbaceous, Biennials or Perennials – Cut specimen, one stem or spray, unless otherwise noted.

CLASS 7 ACHILLEA MILLEFOLIUM
(COMMON YARROW)

CLASS 8 CHRYSANTHEMUM

CLASS 9 RUDBECKIA

(BLACK-EYED SUSAN)

CLASS 10 ECHINACEA (Coneflower)

CLASS 11 OTHER CUT FLOWERS FROM BIENNIALS OR PERENNIALS

SECTION C – **“BBIAW”** (Be back in a while)

Eligible for the Award of Merit

Bulbs, Corms, Tubers & Rhizomes – Cut specimen, full scapes/stems required. Foliage is not included unless it grows natural on the stem.

CLASS 12 DAHLIA (DAHLIA)

CLASS 13 GLADIOLUS

CLASS 14 LILLIUM (Lily)

CLASS 15 OTHER CUT FLOWERS FROM BULBS, CORMS, TUBERS OR RHIZOMES

SECTION D – **“AWOL”** (Absent with out leaves)

Eligible for the Arboreal Awards—One Arboreal Award to be presented, if merited .

Fresh cut branches from evergreen or deciduous shrubs or trees grown for beauty of

foliage, flowers, fruit or cones. Maximum length 30”; must include several nodes and apical tip.

CLASS 16 FOLIAGE BRANCH

CLASS 17 FRUITED/CONED/BERRIED BRANCH

CLASS 18 EVERGREEN BRANCH – NARROWLEAF/NEEDED

SECTION E – **“BFFTE”** (Best friends forever till the end)

Eligible for the Award of Merit

Herbs – Cut specimen, one stem or spray, unless otherwise noted.

CLASS 19 PARSLEY

CLASS 20 BASIL

CLASS 21 LAVANDULA ANGUSTIFOLIA
(ENGLISH LAVENDER)

CLASS 22 OTHER CUT HERB

SECTION F – **“LTR”**

(Long term relationship)

Hosta

CLASS 23 EXTRA LARGE OVER 8”
ACROSS – 1 LEAF

CLASS 24 LARGE – 6” UP TO 8”
ACROSS – 1 LEAF

CLASS 25 MEDIUM – 3” TO 6”
ACROSS – 1 LEAF

CLASS 26 SMALL – UP TO 3” – 1 LEAF

SECTION G – **“FAB”** (Fabulous)

Eligible for Grower’s Choice Award – One Grower’s Choice Award presented if merited

CONTAINER GROWN PLANTS

CLASS 27 SAINTIPAULIA
(AFRICAN VIOLET)

CLASS 28 CACTUS OR SUCCULENT

CLASS 29 ORCHIDS

CLASS 30 FOLIAGE GROWN PLANT

CLASS 31 FLOWERING GROWN PLANT

SECTION H – **“AYCE”** (All you can eat)

Eligible for the Award of Merit

CLASS 32 TOMATOS – 3 DISPLAYED
ON CLEAR PLASTIC PLATE
PROVIDED BY COMMITTEE

CLASS 33 CAPSICUM ANNUUM
(PEPPERS – 3 DISPLAYED
ON CLEAR PLASTIC PLATE
PROVIDED BY COMMITTEE)

CLASS 34 CUCUBITA PEOP
(PUMPKIN; SQUASH) 1 EACH

CLASS 35 OTHER PRIME CULINARY
QUALITY VEGETABLE IN APPROPRIATE
SIZE BASKET PROVIDED BY EXHIBITOR

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DIVISION III SPECIAL EXHIBITS**

SECTION A — **EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS**

Eligible for Educational Award

Minimum of 18 square feet required – staged on an 8’ table provided by committee.

Exhibit 1 **“WEBINAR”** (Learning on line)
How to find botanical and other gardening information on line.

Exhibit 2 **“RUOK”** (Are you ok?)
Information on healthy gardening.

Exhibit 3 **“WHICH ONE OF MY KIDZ DO U WANT?”** (Which one of my kids do you want?)

Information on dividing plants and sharing the bounty from your garden.

**DIVISION IV – YOUTH DIVISION
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

All entries must be pre-registered. Contact Special Exhibits Chairman Celine Hallier 330-875-1333. Each Youth Section is eligible for Youth Award.

YOUTH DESIGN “MEZ” (Mesmerize)

CLASS 1 **“LOTR”** (Lord of the rings)
A CREATIVE DESIGN using all fresh plant material, height unlimited, to be viewed from all sides staged on a black 36” h pedestal with a 16” square top provided by committee.

CLASS 2 **“JFF”** (Just for fun)

A DESIGN, freedom of style, staged with a 30” w x 38” h backboard panel 30” depth. Exhibitor provides suitable backboard panel.

CLASS 3 **“HW”** (Homework)

A SMALL DESIGN in a creative container no more than 8” height, width or depth; staged on top of a black frame provided by committee. Designers choice of plant material.

CLASS 4 **“WITW”** (What in the world)

Each student designer will create a jazzy table setting using one dish, napkin and floral unit. Space allowed is 15”. Designs are staged on an 8’ x 30” deep table. Designer’s choice of plant material.

YOUTH HORTICULTURE “TTTT”

(These Things Take Time)

CLASS 5 **“NIMBY”** (Not in my backyard)
Container grown flowering plant, pot not to exceed 8” diameter.

CLASS 6 **“SICNR”** (Sorry I could not resist)
Container grown foliage plant, pot not to exceed 8” diameter.

CLASS 7 **“TAFN”** (That’s all for now)
Dish garden not to exceed 12”; accessory required.

CLASS 8 **“SIR”** (Strike it Rich)
Any vegetable staged in an appropriate size basket provided by exhibitor.

YOUTH EDUCATIONAL “BME”

(Based on my Experience)

Exhibit 1 **“MTFBWU”**

(May the Force be with you)

AN EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT ON THE EFFECTS of the sun, wind, rain, sleet and snow on your garden. Minimum of 18 square feet, staged on an 8’ table.

Exhibit 2 **“SLAP”** (Sounds like a plan)

AN EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT on the elements of landscape design. Minimum of 18 square feet, staged on an 8’ table.

Flower Show Chairman, Deanna Stearns

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