



Palomar Pruner

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Palomar District of California Garden Clubs, Inc.

2015 Kick Off Edition

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Message from the Director

Welcome to the 2015-2017 term of the Palomar District of California Garden Clubs, Inc. It will kick off with a variety of events, even before the District Meetings on September 28 that we hope you will attend. Our District has the honor of having four members on the CGCI Executive Board: Rilla Crane, 2nd Vice President, Lynne Batchelor, 3rd Vice President, Sandra Graff, Treasurer and Jane McKee, Communications Director. Others serving on the CGCI Board are: Palomar District Director, George Speer and, Honor Book Chair, Deedee Speer.

The District put on a very successful Leadership Workshop at the Fallbrook Library in July organized by Jane McKee. About 60 garden club members, including members of and the Directors of Orange County and Palms to Pines Districts. Lots of information was shared and questions asked. Joan Patten shared information for the Treasurers, and George meeting management.

There are several important announcements and forms included in this issue. Please take note.

As your Director, I'm looking forward to working with and visiting each of the clubs. Please extend an invitation to one of your regular meetings.

George

Palomar District Fall Board Meeting & Special General Membership Meeting

Monday September 28, 2015, 10 AM to 2 PM

Host: **Vista Garden Club**

Vista Valley Country Club, 19354 Vista Valley Drive, Vista, CA

Lunch: \$30

Program: Debra Lee Baldwin "Stunning Succulent Front Yards"

Reservation/Registration form below

Schedule:

- 9:00 a.m. – doors open; light refreshments (coffee, tea, pastries) available; select plants available for sale
- 10:00 a.m. - Board meeting
- 10:45 a.m. - General membership meeting
 - This will include a Board recommended bylaw change and the proposed budget for 2015-16.
 - Since this will be a jam-packed meeting we will not have Presidents reports until the Annual meeting in February.
- 12:15 – Lunch followed by program

Note on Board meeting vs. General Membership meetings: the board consists of the Palomar District elected and appointed officers, previous Directors, Committee Chairmen and Garden Club President(s). For the General Membership meetings the club delegates are added to those with voting privileges. Check to see how many delegates your club is entitled to. Since we expect additional people to be coming to hear our special speaker, Debra Lee Baldwin, please indicate on your reservation if you are a voting member for the general membership meeting.

Reservation/Registration Form
Palomar District Fall Business Meetings/ Lunch/ Program

Name: _____

Club/ Organization: _____

Voting Member: PD Officer _____ PD Chairman _____ Club President _____ Delegate _____

NOTE: Those with registered voting privileges will receive a voting card.

Non-Voting: Club member ___ Guest _____

Lunch Menu (select one). (includes rolls, butter, coffee, tea or water and dessert - chocolate cake with chocolate cream cheese frosting and mango sauce.)

___ **Grilled Chicken** spinach salad, hardboiled egg, blue cheese, bacon with white balsamic dressing.

___ **Roasted Salmon**, basmati dill rice, green beans, cucumber fennel citrus relish.

Make checks payable to Vista Garden Club in the amount of **\$30**.

Mail the checks and registration form to the Vista Garden Club Treasurer;

Karen Taylor

938 Parkwood, Vista, CA 92081

For questions contact: Bob Sangster at 949 350-4133 or robertesangster@roadrunner.com

Remember that your checks MUST be received by September 21. There will be NO ticket sales at the door as the Vista Valley Country Club has asked for six days advance notice to adequately prepare for this event.

All attendees will receive a meal ticket at check-in.

****Directions to Vista Valley Country Club, 19354 Vista Valley Drive, Vista, California**

From North or South on I-5:

- Take Route 76 east approximately 14 miles
- Turn right on E. Vista Way
- Turn left on Gopher Canyon
- Go approximately 2.2 miles to Vista Valley Drive

From North or South on I-15:

- Take Gopher Canyon Road/ Old Castle Road Exit 41.
- Go West on Gopher Canyon Road 2.5 miles to Vista Valley Drive.

****Look for the "Palomar District meeting" signs at the entrance**

Congratulations!
 Palomar District
Man & Woman of the Year



Roy Wilburn, Poway Valley GC
Sandra Duncan, Chula Vista GC

Coming up in the District:

September 2: Wednesday 10:30 AM to 2PM,
 Southwestern Judges Council Meeting, Redwood
 Terrace, Escondido.

September 16: 10am-12pm, Master Gardener
 Open House, War Memorial Building in Balboa
 Park (3325 Zoo Dr., San Diego CA 92101.

September 20: Sunday (9 AM to 3PM) **FREE**
 Shinoda Design Center
 Special Fall-Holiday Show, featuring three of our
 NGC Flower Show Judges as demonstrators.
 Pauline Sechi, Carvill Veech & George Speer.

September 21-23, Flower Show Course I, at the
 San Diego Botanic Garden, by the Southwestern
 Judges Council, still time to sign up. Registration
 Form attached.

October 4, Monday, 12:30 - 2:30 Floral Design
 Forum Kicks Off with Robert L. Gordon, AIFD
 professor, designer, lead off designer for 2015
 AIFD Symposium. Theme for this term is
 "Celebrate the Art of Design"

CGCI Official Calendar

Go to californiagardenclubs.com for Special Events
 open to the public

- **September 10-12, 2015: CGCI Fall Board Meeting.**
- **September 15-19: NGC Fall Board Meeting, St. Louis, MO**
- **December 1:** Deadline for NGC eligible awards
- **January 10:** Deadline for all other awards
- **January 31-February 3, 2016: CGCI Winter Board Meeting.** DoubleTree by Hilton, San Pedro - Port of Los Angeles. Host: Costa Verde District. Co-Chairmen: Alexis Slafer and Gudy Kimmel
- **May 19-22, 2016: 85th Annual CGCI Convention.** Irvine Hotel, Irvine. Host: Orange County District. Chairman: Annie Hall Bosche

**NGC Schools Calendar
 (California)**

All registration forms are on the
 CGCI website Calendar page

Go to gardenclub.org
 for schools in other states

- **September 21-23, 2015: Flower Show School, Course I.** San Diego Botanic Garden, Encinitas. Host: Southwestern Judges Council. Chairman: Emily Troxell
- **October 22-23, 2015: Landscape Design School, Series 26, Course III.** Sponsor: Luther Burbank District. Chairman: Mary Ann Swanson
- **October 29-30, 2015: Tri-Refresher.** Sepulveda Garden Center. Host: Southern California Garden Club. Chairman: Robin Pokorski
- **April 28-29, 2016: Landscape Design School, Series 26, Course IV.** Sponsor: Luther Burbank District. Chairman: Mary Ann Swanson

CGCI PROGRAMS & PROJECTS

Go to californiagardenclubs.com for details

Effective July 1, 2015 there are new chairmen and/or new mailing addresses. See below for updates.

Membership dues:

Mail to: Rita Desilets
8316 Sparton Ave
Van Nuys, 91402-4030

Insurance:

Chairman: Shane Looper
213 Carmelo Lane
South San Francisco, 94080-2204

Group Tax Exemption:

Chairman: Krystal Migliore
P.O. Box 1414
Gridley, 95948-1414

President's Project 2015-17

Chairman: Maryanne Lucas
1986 Channelford Road
Westlake Village, 91361-3558

Donations to the following projects are mailed to:

California Garden Clubs
P.O. Box 75, Graton, 95444-0075
Anza-Borrego Desert State Park
Blue Star Memorials
CGCI Endowments
CGCI Scholarship Fund
Rare Plant Treasure Hunt
Reforestation/Restoration
Sempervirens Fund

The following are unchanged:

⇒ Penny Pines - checks to US Forest Service
⇒ Project Mission Blue
Chairman: Shane Looper
213 Carmelo Lane
South San Francisco, 94080-2204

Angels

Chairman: Jane McKee
1276 Palomares Ct
Fallbrook 92028-4480

Awards Program

Check the website for updated forms and instructions

Business Commendations

Chairman: Launa Gould
New online request form

California Consultants Council

Landscape Design (various) &
Outstanding Private Garden
Chairman: Julie West
850 Grandview Road
Sebastopol 95472-2930

Honor Book

Deedee Speer
30861 Saddleback Road
Valley Center 92082-3848

Life Memberships

Chairman: Carlotta Wixon
14216 Karry's Place
Grass Valley 95945-7934

Long-Term Certificates

Chairman: Mike Gould
New online request form

Member Award of Distinction

Chairman: Mike Gould
1212 Avenida Buena Suerte
San Clemente 92672-2348

Palomar District's - Floral Design Forum 2015-16 Schedule

Objectives: To bring the finest floral designers to San Diego County; promote appreciation of floral art forms; develop skills in critiquing floral art; improve individual skills for in home floral decorating; learn skills for flower show exhibition; encourage members to enter flower shows and promote floral arts in the community. The forum is open to anyone interested in floral design.

When: 1st Monday, October thru May 12:30

Where: **Shinoda Design Center**, 7170 Miramar Rd., San Diego, 92121

Fees: Choose \$70/all 8 program season pass (save \$50 off non-member session tickets) or \$12/ session for NGC/CGCI members or \$15/ session for non-members

- **September 20, 2015 -FREE Special "Fall - Holiday Show" at Shinoda Design Center .** Sunday, 9 AM to 3 PM. Watch while three NGC Flower Show Judges /creative designers get your creative juices flowing with products off the shelves with permanent and fresh botanicals. Notice: FREE...Pauline Sechi, George Speer and Carvill Veech
- **October 5, 2015 Robert Gordon, AIFD Professor of Ornamental Horticulture** A perennial favorite, Bob kicks off our "**Celebrate- the Art Form**" season with designs featuring the latest trends.
- **November 2, 2015 – Designs of National Garden Clubs.** Education, Inspiration and Enjoyment – just in time for the Holiday Season. Over 20 designs to view and learn about as NGC Judges explain the ins and outs of each one.
- **December 7, 2015 Very Special Designer, to be announced later, AIFD, traveler and teacher. Don't miss this one**
- **January 4, 2016 Gerard Toh, AIFD,CFD, CCF Floral Designer, Floral Stylist Art Director** and many more titles and accomplishments. Highly sought after for demonstrations, classes, events and council. Start the year off right.
- **February 1, 2016- Pauline Sechi, Creative Designer** NGC Flower Show Judge, CGCI Floral Design Education Chair, and always presents an outstanding design.
- **March 7, 2016 Jackie Zhang, Master Instructor O'Hara School of Ikebana.** Enjoy the simplicity, meaning and grace of her designs. We are pleased that Jackie could fit us in.
- **April 4, 2016 Gloria Aminian and Monica Lewis: The Bakersfield Mother and Daughter Team** of very creative NGC Flower Show Judges. How much alike or different are their styles.
- **May 2, 2016 "FLOWER POWER" Our most popular Program.** Watch as local designers race against the clock to complete a Surprise Package design from material, container and theme. Then, like a 3 ring circus, they show a "signature Design", a "round robin" and then a "wrap up" design.

Reminder, that California Garden Club Inc. members are able to **shop at Shinoda Design Center** with a pass gotten by your club President. You will have to pay sales tax at the time of purchase. Applications are available at their web site.

NOTICE TO AMEND SOMETHING PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

Notice to Amend Something Previously Adopted to be considered by the members of Palomar District of California Garden Clubs, Inc. at the Fall General Meeting in September 2015.

- The proposed amendment is provided below showing the wording in which they will be presented. They are also provided to you in a three-column format showing **Current Wording; Proposed Amendment; and If Adopted, Will Read.**
- Below the amendment is the identity of the proposers and the rationale furnished by the proposers.

Formatting used in printing the proposed bylaw amendments:

Underlined print = insert or add ~~Line through words~~ = strike out

AMENDMENT: Article III, Section 2. Dues, B.1). Amend by striking out “\$2.00 and inserting \$1.50.”

CURRENT WORDING	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	IF ADOPTED, WILL READ
1. Garden Clubs shall pay \$2.00 (two dollars) per capita including individuals holding Life memberships in CGCI, Pacific Region and/or National Garden Clubs., Inc.	AMEND BY STRIKING OUT AND INSERTING 1. Garden Clubs shall pay \$2.00 \$1.50 (one dollar and fifty cents) per capita including individuals holding Life memberships in CGCI, Pacific Region and/or National Garden Clubs., Inc.	1. Garden Clubs shall pay \$1.50 (one dollar and fifty cents) per capita including individuals holding Life memberships in CGCI, Pacific Region and/or National Garden Clubs., Inc.

Recommended by: The Board of Palomar District of California Garden Clubs, Inc. June 29, 2015

Rationale: The membership of the National Garden Club at the Convention in 2015 approved a dues increase of \$0.50 (to \$1.00) per capita which in turn increased the dues of CGCI to \$2.75 per capita. Palomar District does not need to increase its dues and feels that it can afford to reduce their dues by \$0.50 per member.

Proviso: This amendment shall go into effect for the 2016 -2017 Palomar District year (July 1, 2016).

California Garden Clubs, Inc.- Palomar District - Annual Meeting Minutes
Wilson Creek Winery, Temecula CA.
February 23, 2015

Call to Order-The Meeting was called to order at 10:10 am by Director Lynne Batchelor- Presiding Officer, Barbara Weiler- Recording Secretary

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Cheryl Torres, Temecula Valley Garden Club

The inspiration was read by Virginia Murphy, Temecula Valley GC

Introduction of guests-Director Batchelor introduced the District officers; Adele Kelly- Second Assistant Director, Laura Crenshaw, Parliamentarian, Barbara Weiler-Recording Secretary, Joan Patten-Treasurer Pam Jessop -Corresponding Secretary, Starr Rausch 1st Assistant Director and former District Directors, George Speer, Jerry Thirloway and Jane McKee.

Roll Call-Clubs absent Carlsbad Community Gardens, Carlsbad GC, CHIRP, Del Mar, Mira Costa, Mission Hills, Village GC
A quorum was present.

Minutes – Jane McKee moved to suspend the reading of the minutes of September 22, 2014, which were distributed to all clubs. Motion approved. Hearing no corrections, the minutes were approved as distributed.

Financial Report- Treasurer Joan Patten gave the financial report. Current balance is \$21,478.88 as of January 12, 2015. Report will be filed for audit.

Correspondence-Pam Jessop read the correspondence from CGCI thanking Palomar District for our donation to the President’s Project, Habitat for Humanity.

Officers Reports

District Director Lynne Batchelor read the Palomar District report on the Blue Star Marker installation presented at the CGCI Winter Board Meeting. Director Batchelor reviewed the application for NGC President's project, the CGCI State

Convention in Reno Nevada, OFAD membership forms and a possible dues increase of \$.50 from NGC. Anza Borrego Foundation is looking for assistance with irrigation and planting. Toni Tommey was presented a certificate from CGCI for 40 years of service.

First Assistant Director Starr Rausch no report

Second Assistant Director-Adele Kelly no report

Committee Reports-

Blue Star Marker – George Speer thanked the District membership for all their support.

Palomar Pruner-Susan Currie no report

Penny Pines-Nancy Curtis no report

Website Jane McKee reported CGCI's new website is up and running. All projects have a page on the website. Sale of 3 year calendars in 2017 will benefit Anza Borrego. Online forms for new club officers need to be filled out.

Auditors Report Joan Patten read the auditor's report for Palomar District and the Floral Design Forum. Report on file.

New Business-

Club Presidents' Reports- Roberta Kuse- Fallbrook, Dale Rekus- Pt. Loma, Roy Wilburn- Poway, Laura Crenshaw- Coronado Floral Assoc.

Man/Woman of the Year- Adele Kelly reported on the criteria for nominations and requested nominations by May 1, 2015.

Balboa Park Celebration-Kay Harry reported on the Floral Associations upcoming events for the celebration including garden tour and the flower show May 8-10 in the park.

Flower Show School-Barbara Weiler announced the Southwestern Judges Council is sponsoring Course I of Flower Show School at San Diego Botanic Garden September 21-23, 2015

San Diego Fair- Lynne reported for Betty Patterson del Sol that all information is online.

Master Gardeners-Meredith French reported the next District meeting will be in Balboa Park, El Prado room 101 and the MG Seminar on March 21, 2015

Continuing Business

Floral Design Forum-George Speer reported on the Floral Design Forum, March 2, and two design classes on March 9 at Shinoda Design Center.

By-Laws-Laura Crenshaw no report

Elections-Barbara Weiler reported the Nominating Committee's proposed slate of officers for the 2015-2017 term are: Director-George Speer, First Assistant Director-Adele Kelly, Second Assistant Director- Lynn Paine, Recording Secretary - Sharon Tooley, Treasurer-Ruth Myers. There were no nominations from the floor. Dale Rekus moved to accept the slate as presented. Motion approved. Jane McKee installed the elected and appointed officers, including Laura Crenshaw, Parliamentarian and Bob Stangster, Corresponding Secretary.

Announcements

Bonita Valley Photo contest Mar 18-May 8

Bernardo Gardeners garden tour April 18

Southwest Botanical Gardens being developed in Temecula

District Meeting-June 29, 2015- Master Gardeners hosting

CGCI Convention June 8-11, 2015, Reno Nevada

Flower Shows- 2015 Poway GC April, 11, Pt Loma Flower Show April 11, 2015, Coronado April 18, Temecula. May 9,

Vista GC May 2, Dos Valles May 7-9

Contact for La Jolla Garden Club is LaJollaGardenClub@gmail.com

Meeting adjourned 11:46

Barbara Weiler, Recording Secretary

Lunch followed with a program by Catherine Pepe of Temecula Olive Oil Company

**Palomar District
California Garden Clubs, Inc.
Financials:2015-16 Budget**

	Proposed 2015-2016	As of June 20, 2015 Fiscal Year End 6/30/2015
Operating Revenue		
Member Dues	4,800.00	4,892.00
Affiliate Dues	75.00	75.00
Awards		20.00
Blue Star Donations		250.00
Blue Star Transfer		615.00
District Yearbook income	10.00	10.00
Transfer for Environmental School*	500.00	
Total	<u>5,385.00</u>	<u>5,862.00</u>
Operating Expenditures		
Affiliated Memberships	40.00	40.00
Blue Star Expense		2,053.50
District luncheon expense-guests	50.00	77.00
CGCI Presidents Project	100.00	100.00
CGCI Yearbook Expense	64.00	64.00
Programs	500.00	400.00
Officer Expense		
Director - Travel	2,500.00	1,255.32
Director - Admin	100.00	19.60
Corresponding Secretary	25.00	
Treasurer - Admin	50.00	
Treasurer - Tax Filings	20.00	20.00
Chairman Expense		
Amenities and Awards	100.00	
Yearbook	200.00	183.82
The Pruner	100.00	
Miscellaneous	50.00	
Environmental School Expense	500.00	
Total	<u>4,399.00</u>	<u>4,213.24</u>
Under/(Over) Operating Budget	<u><u>986.00</u></u>	<u><u>1,648.76</u></u>

***This amount will be taken from the Educational Program Fund which has abalance of \$1,342.23.**



UCCE MASTER GARDENER PROGRAM of SAN DIEGO COUNTY

University of California Cooperative Extension

9335 Hazard Way Suite 201, San Diego CA 92123

Phone 858.822-6910 FAX: 858.822-7667

email help@mastergardenerSD.org web site www.mastergardenerSD.org



UCCE Master Gardener Program of San Diego County New Class Recruitment for 2016

The UCCE Master Gardener Program of San Diego County is seeking adults who are enthusiastic about volunteerism, interested in gardening, and value lifelong learning. Inherent in the title "Master Gardener" lies the challenge in educating the public, and answering questions on home gardening, and pest management.

Master Gardeners in Training embark on a 50-hour program of 16 classes over a five-month period beginning in January 2016. After graduating from the program, Master Gardeners must fulfill the required number of volunteer and education hours they need for recertification each year.

Applications may be obtained from <http://www.mastergardenerssandiego.org/2016class/index.php>. The number of people wishing to join the Master Gardeners typically exceeds class capacity. It is important that you make a thoughtful and complete application that fully represents you. Don't be afraid to share your strengths!

Although it is not a requirement before submitting an application, we recommend that interested individuals attend the Master Gardener Open House on Wednesday, September 16, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at the War Memorial Building in Balboa Park (3325 Zoo Dr., San Diego CA 92101)

A complete application should include the application form, and letters of recommendation.

Complete and sign your application, staple pages together, and mail by September 25, 2015 to:

Master Gardener Association of San Diego County
UC Cooperation Extension
9335 Hazard Way, Suite 201
San Diego, CA 92123

Alternatively, you may submit your complete application and letters of recommendation by email to Scott Parker, UC Program Representative, saparker@uncanr.edu.

Master Gardener Association of San Diego County supports the University of California Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners of San Diego County.

The University of California Division of Agriculture & Natural Resources (ANR) prohibits discrimination or harassment of any person in any of its programs or activities (Complete nondiscrimination policy statement can be found at <http://ucanr.org/sites/anrstaff/files/107778.doc>)

Inquiries regarding ANR's equal employment opportunity policies may be directed to Linda Marie Manton, Affirmative Action Contact, University of California, Davis, Agriculture and Natural Resources, One Shields Avenue, Davis, CA 95616, (530) 752-0495

GENERAL INFORMATION

Flower Show School attendance is open to all who want to study horticulture and design. To receive credit, you must be a member of a garden club affiliated with National Garden Club, Inc. You may join a local club at the school or any time prior to the start of class. Those wishing to become Flower Show Judges must attend all sessions. You may begin Flower Show School with any course.

Course 1 is outlined on pp. 243, 246 and 251 of National Garden Club's *Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2007 Edition.

SUGGESTED READING LIST FOR FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL

NGC #	TITLE	COST
8100	<i>National Gardener</i> magazine—3 years	\$ 18.00
1204	<i>Handbook for Flower Shows</i> , 2007 Ed. Chapters 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 14	15.00
1173	<i>Outlines of Period Flower Arrangement</i>	5.00
1336	<i>Designing by Types</i>	44.95
1185	<i>Table Settings For All Seasons</i> Chapter 7 and Creative Designs	34.95
1203	<i>Hortulana</i> , Revised	10.00
1341	<i>Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging</i>	40.00

Books may be ordered online from Member Services, <http://www.shopgardenclub.org/shop/category.aspx?catid=11> or by phone 800-550-6007. Prices are subject to change and do not include tax, shipping or handling charges.

PLEASE NOTE:

Instructors' outlines will be emailed on receipt of payment for this course. If it is not possible for you to print and bring these outlines, you will receive them at registration.

COURSE 1 SCHEDULE

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2015

8:30 am Registration
 8:45 Announcements
 9:00–10:00 Flower Show Procedure: **Tina Tuttle**
 10:00–10:15 Break
 10:15–12:15 Horticulture: **Tina Tuttle**
 12:15–1:00 Lunch
 1:00–4:45 Horticulture practice point-scoring,
 15 minute break included

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2015

8:30 am Registration
 8:45 Announcements
 9:00–10:00 Flower Show Procedure-**Tina Tuttle**
 10:00–10:15 Break
 10:15–12:15 Design - **Gina Jogan**
 12:15–1:00 Lunch
 1:00–4:45 Design practice-point-scoring
 15 minute break included

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2015

8:30–9:00 am Registration & Announcements
 9:00–noon Course 1 Exam*
**For those taking course for credit
 to become a flower show judge*

LOCATION

Ecke House, San Diego Botanical Gardens,
 230 Quail Gardens Drive, Encinitas, CA 92024.
 From I-5, take Encinitas Blvd. inland (east) to
 Quail Gardens Drive, turn left and go about 1/2
 mile to the well-marked entrance on the left.

SUGGESTED LODGING

Day's Inn, 133 Encinitas Blvd (NW corner of I-5
 and Encinitas Blvd.), Encinitas. Pool, free parking
 and continental breakfast included. Reservations:
 (760) 944-0260 or (800) 329-7466. daysinn.com.

For the reduced group rate, use
 Confirmation # 33398304.

REGISTRATION FORM

Flower Show School Course 1 SEPTEMBER 21-23, 2015

Course 1 Fees

Full Course (2 days)	<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ 140.00
Exam for credit	<input type="checkbox"/>	5.00
Thurs. 8/21 only non-exam...	<input type="checkbox"/>	70.00
Fri. 8/22 only non-exam.....	<input type="checkbox"/>	70.00

Fees include lunch and snacks

Total Remittance \$ _____

Please check box if this is a make-up course

PLEASE NOTE: NO REFUNDS AFTER 9/10/15

Please make checks payable to:

Southwestern Judges Council FSS

Mail remittance and registration to:

Jill Coleman, Registrar

5512 Malvern Way, Riverside 92506-3548

Send questions to bcnjill@hotmail.com

or call 951 684-2635

 Name

 Address

 City

 State

 9 Digit Zip

 Area Code/Telephone

 Fax

 Email Address

 Club (Not required)

 District

Do you agree to accept class outlines via email
 and to make and bring a copy for your use? Yes No

All applications for full course with exam should be returned by 9/10/15. No class outlines will be sent until course payment is received. Class outlines will be sent via email to save the school the expense of printing and postage. If this is not possible please make note on your application. You will get your outline at registration on the first day of school.

Instructors' Curriculum
Tina Tuttle, Molina, Florida

FLOWER SHOW PROCEDURE – 2 HOURS

Handbook Chapters 1 & 3

- ◆ Introduction to the Handbook for Flower Shows
- ◆ Definition & purpose of all Standard Flower Shows
- ◆ Six basic requirements of a Standard Flower show
- ◆ Categories & types of Standard Flower Shows
- ◆ Standard System of Awarding & philosophy of point-scoring
- ◆ Explanation of Non-Top Exhibitor Award:
Best in Show, Sweepstakes Award,
Award of Appreciation

COURSE 1 HORTICULTURE CURRICULUM – 5 HOURS

Handbook Chapters 3,4,5,6, & 14

- ◆ Selected plant groups to be studied are annuals & biennials (Zinnia) and container grown foliage (Coleus)
- ◆ General horticulture course curriculum applied to plants with specific emphasis on life cycles
- ◆ Applicable environmental factors
- ◆ Nomenclature & classification of plants studied
- ◆ Exhibiting procedure for entering horticulture in Standard Flower Shows
- ◆ General requirements for all horticulture Top Exhibitor Awards, featuring the Award of Horticulture Excellence & Award of Merit
- ◆ Judging procedures
- ◆ Practice oral point-scoring of selected plant studied (minimum 1 ½ hours)
- ◆ Written exam (third day)

Gina Jogan, Molina, Florida

COURSE 1 DESIGN CURRICULUM – 5 HOURS

Handbook Chapters 3, 7, 8, 9, 10 & pp. 45-49, 151-158, 159-175, 177-183, 193-195

- ◆ Introduction of *Handbook for Flower Shows*
- ◆ Brief history of floral design prior to 1930, including Oriental & European influences
- ◆ Selecting containers, mechanics & plant material
- ◆ Conditioning plant material
- ◆ Elements & Principles of Design
- ◆ American Traditional Line, Line-Mass & Mass designs
- ◆ Still Life design
- ◆ General requirements for all Top Exhibitor Awards
- ◆ Judging qualities which appear on all Design Point scoring
- ◆ Practice point-scoring (minimum 1 ½ hours)

**THIS CURRICULUM IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
PLEASE MAKE SURE TO CHECK FOR AN UPDATED
CURRICULUM AT REGISTRATION.**

SAVE THE DATES!
Course 2: March 21-23, 2016
Course 3: September 19-21, 2016



**Southwestern Judges Council
and Palomar District**

Members
California Garden Clubs, Inc.
Pacific Region
National Garden Clubs, Inc.

FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL

Course 1

SEPTEMBER 21-23, 2015

**Ecke Building
San Diego Botanic Gardens
Encinitas, California**



LOCAL SCHOOL CHAIRMAN

Emily Troxell
14766 High Valley Rd., Poway 92064

REGISTRAR

Jill Coleman
bcnjill@hotmail.com
5512 Malvern Way, Riverside 92506-3548

TREASURER

Adele Kelly
PO Box 27179, San Diego 92198

CGCI PRESIDENT

Rita Desilets

**CGCI FLOWER SHOW
SCHOOLS CHAIRMAN**

Gudrun Kimmel
gudron56@att.net