

# NGC FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL COURSE II

November 13-16, 2023

PEARL COMMUNITY CENTER  
2420 Old Brandon Rd.  
Pearl, MS 39208



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## Instructors:

### **David Robson** - Horticulture/Flower Show Procedure

David is a retired horticulture and pesticide specialist with the University of Illinois. A graduate of Iowa State University and University of IL, he has taught for more than 41 years. He is an NGC Master Judge, and Flower Show School and Symposium instructor, teaching Horticulture and Flower Show Procedure. He currently serves on the NGC Board of Directors as the Plant America Committee chairman and a trustee of the NGC PH & E Fund.

Plant Groups to be studied: Cut Aroid Foliage and Cut Arboreal (Ilex)

### **Judy Binns**- Design

Judy is a member of the Salisbury GC, former President of Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, NGC Accredited Master Flower Show Judge and NGC Flower Show School Design Instructor. Judy is a member of The Council at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts where she has been actively involved with "Fine Arts and Flowers"-as an exhibitor, co-chairman, and sponsor liaison. She is a member of the Piedmont District Judges Council, Virginia Flower Show Judges Council, Creative Floral Arrangers of the Americas, and National Flower Arrangers.

Design Types to be studied: Tables and Petites

Both have served in numerous positions on the state, regional and national levels. Both have had designs published and have been presenters, facilitators, speakers at workshops, programs, and other events.

## All taking Course for credit must:

- Attend all Sessions
- Have their attendance cards punched
- Bring *Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Revised, Outlines of Period Flower Arranging, and Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging* and any requested paperwork
- Bring a Clipboard
- Study *Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Revised* and *Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging*

## Required Reading List:

*Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Revised and Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging* which are available to purchase online at [www.gardenclub.org/shop](http://www.gardenclub.org/shop)  
*Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Revised* can also be downloaded for free at [www.gardenclub.org](http://www.gardenclub.org)

Refer to Course Outlines for required pages to be studied

REGISTRATION FORM  
November 13-16, 2023

**NGC FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL  
COURSE II**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee GCM Members \$0.00  
Full course with Exam  
(Includes lunch Tuesday/Wednesday)  
Credit \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee Out of State  
Students/Judges/Others \$150.00  
Master \_\_\_\_ Life \_\_\_\_ Accredited \_\_\_\_  
Student \_\_\_\_ Non-Judge \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee for MS Judges \$100.00

Registration by Day (not for credit)  
First Day (Horticulture) \_\_\_\_\_ \$80.00  
Second Day (Design) \_\_\_\_\_ \$80.00

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to:  
MS Flower Show Schools  
and mail to:  
Carol Bullard  
P. O. Box 9  
Pope, MS 38658

Monday, November 13

8:00 – 1:30pm Set Up

1:30 pm Registration/Announcements

2:00 – 4:00pm Flower Show Procedure

Tuesday, November 14

8:00 – 9:00am Flower Show Proc. Exam

9:00 – 9:30am Break

9:30 – 11:30am Horticulture

11:30 – 12:30pm Lunch

12:30 – 1:30pm Horticulture

1:30 – 1:45pm Break

1:45 – 3:45pm Hort. Prac. Point Scoring

3:45 – 5:45pm Hort. Point Scoring Exam

Wednesday, November 15

8:00 – 9:00am Horticulture Exam

9:00 – 9:30am Break

9:30 – 11:30am Design

11:30 – 12:30pm Lunch

12:30 – 1:30pm Design

1:30 – 1:45pm Break

1:45 – 3:45pm Design Prac. Point Scoring

3:45 – 5:45pm Design Point Scoring Exam

Thursday, November 16

8:00 – 9:00am Design Exam

RESERVED SEATING IS AVAILABLE  
FOR THOSE TAKING POINT SCORING  
EXAMS.

Course Location

Pearl Community Center  
2420 Old Brandon Dr.  
Pearl, MS 39028

Local Lodging:

Fairfield Inn & Suites-Jackson Airport/Pearl  
407 River Wind Dr.  
Pearl, MS 33028  
601-936-3434

Rate: \$119 per night plus tax  
Standard King/Standard 2 Queen  
Request rate for:  
GCM

Deadline: November 1, 2023, for Course  
Registration and October 22, 2023, for Hotel  
Reservation

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