

Directions for Completing Entry Tags

- 1. Enter "Kids in Toyland."
- 2. Enter December 5, 2018.
- 3. Enter I for Youth Horticulture, II for Youth Design, III for Botanical Arts, or IV for Exhibit.
- 4. Enter class number for the exhibit you are entering.
- 5. For Horticulture, list the full name of the exhibit. For Design, enter the design class title.
- 6. Fill in your contact information; you may use an address label.
- 7. Enter club name, if member.



Best Western Hotel 2209 University Park Drive, Okemos, MI, 48864

Kids in



Wednesday, December 5, 2018

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Entries placed from 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Lunches for judges 11:00 - 11:45 Judging of show 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m. Public viewing 2:00-6:00 p.m.

This Small, Standard, Youth Flower Show is Sponsored by District IIB,

Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.



Youth Categories

Preschool to 1st grade

2nd - 5th grades

6th - 8th grades

9th - 12th grades

Youth Exhibit Rules

- 1. All Classes are open to anyone preschool to 12th grade.
- 2. Combination planters (8" max) must have been in an exhibitor's possession at least 3 weeks. Accessories might be a rock, piece of wood, or small toy.
- 2. Entry tags must be completed in advance.
- 3. An underlay may be placed beneath a design. It might be a piece of paper or fabric that compliments the exhibit.
- 4. All designs must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 5. No artificial flowers, fruit, or foliage are permitted.
- 6. Plant material doesn't have to be grown by the exhibitor.
- 7. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit.



Educational Exhibits

Exhibit 1

The Sunflower Youth Garden Club & Sunflower House Learning Center, Mason Sycamore Creek Garden Club.



Action Figures (Planning Committee Members)

General Chair Lois Snover-Hanson Staging District IIB Action Figures Placement Marie Smith Sue Kropschot Judges Clerks Kathi Dominguez Publicity District IIB Hospitality District IIB Volunteers* Schedule Sue Wittick

Educational Exhibits

Signage Sue Wittick

* Jenny Bond, Kathy Denisi, Diane Duffield, Lisa Emerson, Jeannette Foster, Julie Hath, Lynn Keelan, Linda Mogyoros, Jolanta Piecuch, Marie Smith, Lois Snover-Hanson, Jodie Szalankiewicz, Sue Wittick

To enter Adult Botanical Arts Class 2 or 3, contact Lois Snover-Hanson, 694-8091

Division IV - "Deck the Halls" - Adult Botanical Arts

Class 1- Botanical Arts Horticulture (for adults)

Treasures of Olde

dried & preserved plant material

Pressed plant material of one variety attached to $12" \times 12"$ cardstock. More than one piece could be used. Exhibits will be hung vertically. Include botanical name on entry card. Unlimited number of entries. Handbook, page 92.

Class 2 - Botanical Arts Design (for adults)

Swing from a Star

decorated swag

A fresh or dried swag less than 20" total finished size, decorated with fresh or dried plant material, to be displayed on a door with a wreath hanger furnished by the committee. Exhibitor to include botanical name on entry card and provide a hanging loop. Four entries, preregistration required. (Handbook, page 93-94)

Class 3- Botanical Arts Artistic Craft (for adults)

Frosty the Snowman

decorated snowman

A snowman decorated with dried plant material, no larger than two feet tall. Staged on 14" black square. Underlay permitted. Four entries, pre-registration required. (Handbook, page 94)



Botanical Arts Rules for Adults

- 1. Botanical Arts classes are open to garden club member.
- 2. The Classification Committee must check all entries and all entry tags must include exhibitor's name and address before exhibitor places entry into show area.
- 3. An exhibitor may enter as many classes as desired, but only one exhibit per class. All design work must be the work of the exhibitor. Plant material need not be grown by the exhibitor.
- 4. No artificial flowers, fruit, or foliage are permitted.
- 5. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit.
- 6. Fresh plant material cannot be treated.
- 7. An exhibitor may enter more than one exhibit per class if each is a different cultivar, type, or color.
- 8. Entries must have an entry tag, completed in advance.
- 8. Fruits and/or vegetables that are uncut may be used.
- 9. An underlay (fabric, paper, board etc. placed under the design on the table top) adds to the distinction of the design.
- 10. The designer does not need to identify the plant material used on Artistic Crafts. (3"x5" card not required)..



Division I - "Fantasyland" Youth Horticulture Eligible for Youth Award

- Class 1 Succulent one plant growing in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted.
- Class 2 Foliage plant One plant growing in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted.
- Class 3 Cactus Plant One plant growing in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted.
- Class 4 A dish garden containing <u>two</u> or more plants. The container is not to exceed 10 inches in diameter. Use natural-looking accessories to create a garden scene.
- Class 5 An elf garden containing <u>three</u> or more plants. The container is not to exceed 10 inches in diameter. Use natural-looking accessories to create a garden scene.
- Class 6 Flowering plant one plant growing in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted.



Division II - "Play Date" Youth Design Eligible for Youth Award

Class 1

Elf in the Box

Holiday Box Design

A fresh, dried, or combination arrangement placed in a boutique tissue box (5"x5"x5") with a pipe-cleaner fastened to one side and bent to resemble the handle on a classic jack-in-the-box. Box could be decorated.

Class 2

Cocoa Time

Holiday Mug Design

An arrangement of flowers and winter greens in your favorite mug. Accessories can be added (e.g. figurines, wrapped candy, small pine cones, ribbons).

Division III - "Vacation Time" Youth Botanical Arts Eligible for Youth Award



Class 1

Magic Tree

Holiday Tree Artistic Craft

A 12" artificial tree (Dollar Store?) decorated with fresh or dried horticulture. Accessories may be included (e.g. toys, ornaments, ribbons, bows.

Class 2

Surprise Inside!

Wrapped Package Artistic Craft

A closed box no larger than $8" \times 12" \times 4.5"$, decorated on the outside with fresh or dry plant material. Accessories permitted (e.g. small ornaments, ribbons, bells).