



Michigan Consultants Council

Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc

GARDEN WALK JUDGING FORM



Submission Deadline - October 15th

MCC AWARD SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

In a large envelope include the following: MGC General Award Application, Walk Map/Ticket, publicity, demonstrations and additional events offered during the day.

- Include any educational handouts you give away.
- Provide a one page narrative that showcases the various types of gardens.
- List the number of club members, their participation and club recruitment efforts.
- List the educational displays that were in the gardens
- Submit hard copy labeled photos of each garden - limit 14 photos. Focus on gardens and not people. Quality of photos is important. Be sure to include structures, pathways, and unique plantings.
- Size your walk map to be easily read.

ALL GARDENS MUST BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

SIZE:

CLUB NAME: _____ DISTRICT: _____ ☐ 1-20 ☐ 21-50 ☐ 51+

NOTE: Any Rubric Score less than 85 points is not eligible for this award

SCORE SHEET FOR MGC GARDEN WALKS

MAX PTS

Completed award application sheet with all sections filled in	5	
Clarity of tour map - tour schedule, location of gardens identified. Map clearly defined, sized to be easily read.	10	
Overall appearance of gardens - theme of garden, flow of pathways, features, plants	20	
Variety of garden types - shade/sun, annuals/perennials, rock, formal, water, rain gardens, Native plants, woodland	20	
Publicity - posters, local paper articles/announcements, fliers	10	
Educational Value - photos of demonstrations, children's activities "Find the Flower Hunt", artist in the gardens, handouts which focus on plants in the garden, plant identification markers within garden	10	
Club Involvement - number of: members involved __, community organizations __, nonprofit organizations __	10	
Miscellaneous - floral designs, plant sales, displays, refreshments	5	
Information Table - MGC: MGC rack cards, NGC schools' information, website information	5	
Information Table - Club: Horticulture literature, Club meeting schedule and contact information, newsletter if applicable, Club projects	5	
TOTAL:	100	

Submit to: Kathy Wolverton, Awards Chair (kwolverton@migardenclubs.org) Phone: 616.460.5957, 276 Greentree Lane, Ada, MI 49301-9708

Comments - (Use Back as needed)