

THE UPPER KEYS GARDEN CLUB  
Presents Its Twelfth Annual Flower Show

"BEAUTY ON THE KEYS"

A Standard Show at THE FRANCIS TRACY GARDEN CENTER, Tavernier, Fla.  
(Overseas Highway at Milepost 94)

Friday, March 12, 1970

Saturday, March 13, 1970

1:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.

10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Donation \$1.00. One child free with each adult. Tickets valid both days.

FLOWER SHOW COMMITTEE

General

Chairman - Mrs. J. A. Thackeray  
Vice-Chairman - Mrs. Herman Nichols

Artistic Division

Mrs. S. B. Griscom  
Mrs. Dwight Caswell

Horticulture Division

Mrs. William Jurgens  
Mrs. M. B. Waldin

Junior Division

Miss Betty Drugich  
Mrs. E.M. Townsend  
Mrs. Ivan Taylor  
Mrs. Samuel Lund

Boutique - Mrs. Hilda Faircloth

Artistic Arrangement of Entrance - Mrs. Nicholas DeGrazio.

Judges - Mrs. Malcolm Knox

Awards - Mrs. Stanley Castor  
Mrs. Arthur Gasser

Clerks - Mrs. Seaver Harlow  
Mrs. H. E. Hoff

Publicity - Mrs. Warren Small

Tickets - Mrs. Clyde Holmes

Hostesses - Mrs. Rowland Bell

Judges' Hospitality - Mrs. L.C.  
Brown

Bake Booth - Mrs. Sven Hokensen  
Mrs. John Nelson  
Mrs. Michael Ceston

GENERAL RULES

- 1 - Competition is open to all members of the Upper Keys Garden Club.
- 2 - Special exhibits will not be judged for competition.
- 3 - All entries must be in place by 9:30 A.M. Friday, March 12th.  
Potted plants must be brought in Thursday, March 11th between 9:30 A.M. and 3 P.M. Cut specimens must be brought in between 8:30 A.M. and 9:30 A.M. Friday, March 12th.
- 4 - Plants on the Conservation List of the State of Florida may now be exhibited in competition.
- 5 - All decisions of the Judges are final. The committee reserves the right to reject any inferior specimen.
- 6 - The Upper Keys Garden Club does not assume liability for personal injury or for damage to or loss of personal property.



RULES

- 1 - Flowers and leaves used in arrangement need not be grown by exhibitor.
- 2 - Flower arrangements must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 3 - All plant material must be listed on the entry card.
- 4 - Accessories in those classes where permitted are optional. Bases may be used in all classes.
- 5 - To be eligible for competition, ALL ARRANGEMENTS must be in place not later than 9:30 A.M., Friday, March 12th.

SECTION AClass 1 - Treasures of the Coral Reef

All sea material, fans, shells, sponge, coral, driftwood, etc.  
(line arrangement) Accessories permitted.

Four entries. Mrs. Jens Olsen Consultant - 852-5439

Class 2 - Keys Sunset

Fresh flowers in shades of Orange and Yellow; foliage to correspond depicting a sunset. A dramatic interpretation.  
Accessories not permitted.

Four entries. Eligible for Tri-color award. Mrs. Victor Strivings,  
Consultant - 852-9370

Class 3 - Florida Bay

Water scene; flat dish or bowl showing some water and using fresh or dried material. Accessories permitted.

Four entries. Mrs. John Petrossi, Consultant - 852-5855

Class 4 - Bounty of the Keys

An arrangement of fruits and/or vegetables on the Keys with foliage. Accessories not permitted.

Four entries. Eligible for Tri-color award. Mrs. Fred Flancher,  
Consultant - 664-4078.

SECTION BInvitation Class - Good Neighbors on the Keys!

Driftwood and flowers showing the rhythm of the waves; on pedestals not less than thirty (30) inches in height. Not to be judged.

SECTION CCorsages: "Let's Go Key-hopping."

All fresh material.

Six entries. Mrs. Stanley Caster, Consultant - 852-8730

SECTION DDish Gardens: "Patio Treasurer."

Plants must be growing in container and have been in the possession of the exhibitor for three months.

Six entries. Mrs. E. M. Townsend, Consultant - 664-4985.

SECTION E - MINIATURESClass 1 - Beauty Preserved. (line arrangement)

All dried material of the Keys. Five inches in any direction.

Six entries. Mrs. Samuel Lund, Consultant - 852-5221



Class 2 - "Gems of the Keys"

All fresh material - three (3) inches in any direction.  
Six entries. Mrs. Samuel Lund, Consultant - 852-5221.

SECTION F - "Keys Hospitality on the Patio" - An arrangement suitable for a table placed against a wall, using mats, cloth, etc.  
One place setting - no silver.

Four entries. Mrs. John Nelson, Consultant - 664-4809.

HORTICULTURE DIVISION

RULES

- 1 - Both potted plants and cut specimens must have been in the possession of the owner at least three months (90 days) before the show.
- 2 - Each entry tag must be filled in with the common and botanical name of the plant. (very important.)
- 3 - Growing plants in unsightly containers will not be accepted.
- 4 - Leaves of all specimens must be free of residue and must not be oiled or waxed.
- 5 - Containers for all cut specimens will be furnished.

SECTION A - Gesneriads

Class 1 - African violets  
(single crown only)

Class 2 - Episcias  
Class 3 - Gloxinias

SECTION B - Bromeliads - Plants need not be in bloom.

SECTION C - Orchids

Class 1 - Cattleyas  
Class 2 - Dendrobium  
Class 4 - Phalaenopsis

Class 4 - Vandas  
Class 5 - Any other species  
(only one to a person)

SECTION D - Ferns (including all commonly cultivated ferns)

Example: Maidenhair, Boston types, Peacock, Bear-paw, Stag horns, etc

SECTION E - Cacti and Succulents

Class 1 - All Cacti  
Class 2 - Succulents such as aloes, echevaria, kalanchoes, sedums, etc

SECTION F - Miscellaneous - Aralias, Azales, Hoyas, Dracenas, Philodendri  
Dieffenbachia, Spider Plant, Peperomia, Sansevieria, etc.

SECTION G - Bulbs.

Class 1 - Begonias (May or may not be in bloom)  
Class 2 - Caladiums, (Grown for their colorful leaves.)  
Class 3 - All other Bulbs. (Must be in bloom.) (Example: Amaryllis, Lillies, etc.)

SECTION H - Hanging Baskets

Class 1 - Baskets with one variety only.  
Class 2 - Baskets with more than one variety.

SECTION I - Cut Roses - one stem only.

SECTION J - All other cut flowers - one stem only (no Hibiscus.)



## JUNIOR DIVISION

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - No limit on number of entries.SECTION A - ARTISTIC

- Class 1 - Flower arrangements  
 Class 2 - Dish Gardens

SECTION B - HORTICULTURE

- Class 1 - Cut flowers (one stem only)  
 Class 2 - Growing plants.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL - Limit of four entries in each class.SECTION A - ARTISTIC

- Class 1 - Flower Arrangements  
 Class 2 - Dish Gardens

SECTION B - HORTICULTURE

- Class 1 - Cut Flowers. (One stem only)  
 Class 2 - Growing plants.

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBIT BY GIRLS SCOUT TROUPS - (Not to be judged.)

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## JUDGES' SCALE OF POINTS

ARTISTIC DIVISIONSection A (Niches)

Scale	30
Design	30
Color	15
Interpretation	15
Distinction	10
	<u>100</u>

Section D (Dish Gardens)

Design and consistency to scale	30
Quality & Type of material	25
Distinctiveness & originality	20
Accessories	10
Perfection of detail	10
Correct & Suitable labeling	05
	<u>100</u>

Section C (Corsages)

Technique	15
Design	25
Color	15
Suitable Combination	15
Distinction	20
Condition	10
	<u>100</u>

SECTION E (Miniatures)

Scale	40
Design	30
Color	20
Condition	10
	<u>100</u>

CLASSES ELIGIBLE FOR TRICOLOR AWARD - Section: A - Classes 2 & 4  
 Design 30 - Color - 30 - Interpretation 20 - Distinction 20 - 100.

HORTICULTURAL DIVISIONPotted Plants (Flowering or Fruited)

Cultural perfection	35
Size according to variety	20
Abundance of flowers or fruits	15
Rarity	10
Color	10
Foliage	10
	<u>100</u>

Potted Plants (Dormant or Foli Only)

Cultural perfection	35
Size according to variety	20
Distinction	15
Rarity	15
Form according to variety	15
	<u>100</u>



## Judges' Scale con't.

Cut Specimens (Roses and Flowers)	20
Cultural perfection ( form, color, substance, abundance	20
Size, according to variety	20
Foliage and stem	20
Distinction of species or variety	20
Condition	100

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A W A R D S

- 1 - Blue ribbons indicate 1st place. Red ribbons 2nd place. Yellow 3rd place. White ribbons may be awarded for Honorable Mention if entries so warrant.
- 2 - Pink ribbons may be given for special exhibits which are not judged for competition.
- 3 - Two Awards of Merit (orange rosette) may be awarded in the Horticultural Division. One for the best growing plant and one for the best cut specimen. Each must score 95 points or higher.
- 4 - The Tricolor Award (blue, red and yellow rosette) may be awarded in the Artistic Division as indicated on the schedule.
- 5 - Two SWEEPSTAKES Awards (green and white rosette) will be awarded one to the winner of the greatest number of blue ribbons in the Artistic Division, and one to the winner of the greatest number of blue ribbons in the Horticultural Division. (In the event of a tie, red and subsequent ribbons will be counted.
- 6 - The Junior Achievement Award (red, white and blue rosette) may be given to the outstanding artistic exhibit in the Junior Division.
- 7 - Four Junior Prizes donated by the Fla. Keys Electric Cooperative Assn. will be given for the best exhibit in Artistic and Horticulture, 2 for Elementary and 2 for Jr. High Students.
- 8 - The Mrs. Arthur Gasser Award for the best Dish Garden by a member of the Jr. Gardeners' Club.
- 9 - The Francis Tracy Award for Horticulture. A silver trophy donated by Mrs. S.H. Buckle will have the name of the exhibitor of the finest horticultural specimen engraved upon it and remain in the possession of the Club.
- 10 - The First National Bank of the Upper Keys Award for Artistic Merit. A silver trophy having the name of the exhibitor of the most outstanding exhibit in the Artistic Division engraven upon it, and remain in the possession of the Club.
- 11 - The Upper Keys Garden Club Award For Best Miniature in Show. The winner's name will be engraved on a silver salver to remain in the possession of the Club.
- 12 - The Upper Keys Garden Club Award for Best Corsage In Show. The name of the winner will be engraved on a silver salver to remain in the possession of the Club.