

The Upper Keys Garden Club

presents for 1989

A Standard Flower Show

BIRDS OF PARADISE

at the

Frances Tracy Garden Center Mile Marker 94, Tavernier, Florida

Fri. March 24

2:00 to 5:00 PM

Sat. March 25 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Donation \$1.00

Flower Show Committee

Chairman & Educational Exhibit

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Artistic

Katie Rieder

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AWARDS

- The standard system shall be used. There will be only one $\underline{\text{First}}$ (blue); one $\underline{\text{Second}}$ (red); one $\underline{\text{Third}}$ (yellow); and one or more Honorable Mention ribbons (white).
- <u>Tri-Color Award:</u> Best blue ribbon in Classes 2, 3, & 4, represented by a blue, red and yellow rosette. Black-based Silver Urn Trophy.
- Creativity Award: To a blue ribbon winner in Classes 1, 5, & 6. Material may be fresh and/or dried. A minimum of painted and/or contrived material may also be used.

 Originality must be one of the categories used in the evaluation of exhibits, represented by a purple rosette. Wine Cooler Trophy.
- Silver Pitcher I Award: Best miniature in Class 7., represented by a bid
- Silver Pitcher II Award: Best small in Class 8. represented by a blue and white rosette.
- Award of Merit: May be awarded to a named blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or more points in Horticulture Sections (as indicated in program), represented by an orange rosette.
- Sweepstakes Award: One in Horticulture Tall Loving Cup Trophy, and one in Artistic Division Revere Bowl Trophy. For exhibitor winning the highest number of ribbon points in each division, represented by green and white rosette. Blue = 5, red = 4, yellow = 3, white = 2.
- Horticulture Excellence Award: May be awarded to Horticulture exhibit judged finest in the entire horticulture division. Represented by green, orange, and blue rosette. Silver Snifter Trophy.

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General Rules for both Horticulture and Artistic:

- 1. Competition is open to any amateur or grower.
- The exhibitor is allowed only one entry per class; as many classes as desired may be entered.
- 3. All exhibits <u>must</u> be in place by 9:30 AM, March 24, 1989. The Club will open at 8:00 AM, to permit set up of fresh displays.
- 4. Dry arrangements or any other exhibits which will not suffer from early placement should be brought in Thursday, March 23, 1989, between 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM.
- 5. Exhibits must not be removed before 4:30 PM, March 25, 1989.
- 6. Plants on the State Conservation List may be used if legally obtained or grown by exhibitor.
- 7. All decisions by the Judges are final.
- Only authorized personnel will be allowed in the building after 9:30 Ar on March 24, 1989, until the judges and clerks finish their duties.
- 9. The Upper Keys Garden Club will not assume liability for damage or loss of personal property or for personal injury.

Artistic Division Rules:

- 1. Flowers and foliage used need not be grown by exhibitor, except as in General Rules #6.
- 2. Entries must be the work of exhibitor.
- 3. Plant material used should be listed on a 3" x 5" card. Entrant may give an interpretation of design.
- 4. Bases and backgrounds may be used in all classes. Backgrounds and fastening material must not be visible on opposite side of furnished space, except in Class 6, where drapings are permitted.
- 5. All Artistic Division backgrounds are 24" wide, 30" high, and 15" deep, except Class 1 "Heron", Class 6 "Frigate Bird", Class 7 "Hummingbird", and Class 8 "Warbler". See Section A.
- 6. Wilted flowers should be replaced by 9:30 AM Saturday, March 25, 1989.
- 7. Four entries in each Artistic Division.
 - No artificial flowers, foliage, or fruit may be used in Class 1.
- 9. Any exhibitor not able to exhibit at show time must provide a substitute. This is to make certain that each space is filled and that no designer will be penalized an award due to an omitted entry.

Section A. Artistic Design Division:

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- Class 1. "Heron" Staged on pedestals. Should not exceed 14" wide and 36" high. May overhang pedestal front. Dried and/or fresh material. Minimum amount of painted or contrived material may be used. No accessory permitted. Emphasis on originality. Eliqible for Creativity Award
- lass 2. "Spoonbill" Line arrangement of all fresh materials with emphasis on color. Accessories permitted.

 Eligible for Tri-Color Award
- Class 3. "Parrot" All fresh green material. No accessories permitted. Eligible for Tri-Color Award
- Class 4. "Mockingbird" Fruits, berries, and/or vegetable arrangement.

 All fresh materials.

 Eliqible for Tri-Color Award
- lass 5. "Sandpiper" All dried materials. Driftwood and appropriate accessories may be used.

 Eligible for Creativity Award
- Class 6. "Frigate Bird" Entry or Hall arrangement. Material fresh and/or dry. Drapings and accessories permitted. Background is 36" wide, 48" high, and 18" deep.

 Eligible for Creativity Award
- Class 7. "Hummingbird" Miniatures not to exceed 3" x 3" x 3".

 Eligible for Silver Pitcher I Award

Group A - All fresh materials
Group B - All dried materials

Class 8. "Warbler" - Small arrangements not to exceed 8" high x 5" wide x 5" deep.

Eligible for Silver Pitcher II Award

Group A - All fresh materials Group B - All dried materials

Design Classes		Design Classes 2.3 & 4		Small & Miniatures <u>Classes</u>	
Conformance	15	Conformance	15	Conformance	20
Design	35	Design	40	Design	40
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Horticulture Division Rules: "The Rookery"

- Specimen plant containers should be neat, clean, free from mineral deposits. Either clay or plastic.
- Potted plants must have been in exhibitor's possession for at least 90 days.
- 3. Leaves must be free of residue, but not oiled. No damaged leaves.
- 4. Entry tags must show botanical and common name. Failure to conform results in automatic 5 point deduction.
- 5. Containers will be furnished for cut specimens. Specimens not to exceed 18".
- 6. An exhibitor may make more than one entry in a class, provided that each entry is in a different section.
- 7. Cut specimens consist of 3 blooms to a container except one rose, one orchid or spray of orchids, one hibiscus and one gerbera. No exhibitor may enter more than 3 cut specimens.
- 8. Roses must be shown with foliage.
- 9. Judges may subdivide. More classes may be added.
- 10. All horticulture entries, except cut specimens, <u>MUST</u> be brought in on Thursday, March 23, 1989, between 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM. <u>Only</u> cut specimens will be received March 24, 1989 between 8:00 & 9:00 AM.

Section A. Gesneriads:

Class 1. African Violets, single crown only.

A. Single Flower B. Double Flower

Class 2. Gloxinias

Class 3. Other

Section B. Bromeliads: Eligible for Award of Merit

Class 1 - A. Billbergia E. Aechmea

B. Tillandsia F. Cryptanthus C. Vriesea G. Guzmania

D. Neoregelia

H. Other

Class 2 - Multiple plants, mounted, (accessory does not count in judging).

Class 3 - Multiple plants in pots.

Section C. Orchids: Eligible for Award of Merit

Class 1. Cattleyas Class 5. Epidendrum
Class 2. Dendrobriums Class 6. Oncidium

Class 3. Phalaenopsis Class 7. Ascocenda

Class 4. Vandas

Class 8. Other

Section D. Ferns: Eligible for Award of Merit

Class 1. Wide Leaf

A. Platycerium (Staghorn)

B. Polypodium (Bear's Paw)

C. Asplenium (Bird's Nest)

Class 2. Fine Leaf

A. Davallia (Rabbit's Foot)

B. Nephrolepsis (Boston Fern)

C. Adiantum (Maidenhair Fern)

Class 3. Other

Section E. Aroids:

Class 1. Philodendrons

Class 2. Spathiphyllums Class 4. Dieffenbachia
Class 4. Other

Section F. Begonias:

Class 1. Blooming

Class 2. Non-blooming

Class 3. Fancy Leaf

Section G. lvy:

Class 1. English

Class 2. Swedish

Class 3. Fancy Leaf

Section H. Cacti & Succulents: Eligible for Award of Merit

Class 1. Cacti

Class 5. Sedums

Class 2. Blooming Cacti

Class 6. Hoya

Class 3. Kalanchoes

Class 7. Other

Class 4. Aloes

Section I. Other Specimen Plants: Eligible for Award of Merit

Class 1. Blooming

Class 2. Non-blooming

Class 3. Multiple

Section J. Dish Gardens:

Class 1. Bonsai NOT JUDGED - ELIMINATE

Class 2. In a man made container (one or more varieties of plants)

Class 3. In coral or a shell (one or more varieties of plants)

Class 4. Terrariums

Section K. Hanging Containers (one variety of plant)

Class 1. Foliage

Class 2. Flowers

Class 3. Mounted on driftwood or tree moss.

Section L. Cut Specimens:

Class 1. Geraniums

Class 2. Roses

Class 3. Orchids

Class 4. Hibiscus

Class 5. Gerbera

Class 6. Other Worthy Specimens

Section M. Fruit:

Class 1. Key limes (5 per plate) Oranges (3 per plate)
Papaya (1 per plate)
Sapodilla (3 per plate) Class 2. Class 3. Class 4. Carissa (5 per plate) Class 5.

Other fruit, labeled

Section N. Vegetables:

Class 6.

Tomatoes (3 per plate) Class 1. Patio or cherry tomatoes (5 per plate) Class 2. Peppers (3 per plate)
Eggplant (1 per plate) Class 3.

Class 4. Class 5. Herbs

a. Potted b. Cut specimen of herb

Other vegetables Class 6.

Horticulture Scale of Points:

Judges & exhibitors please refer to "Handbook for Flower Shows", 1987 issue.