

Directions for Completing Entry Tags

- 1. Enter "Snow Angels."
- 2. Enter December 8, 2021.
- 3. Enter I for Youth Horticulture, II for Youth Design, III for Youth Botanical Arts, or IV for Adult Botanical Arts
- 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



Flower Show



Wednesday, December 8, 2021

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Entries placed from 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. Judging of show 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Public viewing 4:00-6:00 p.m.



This Small, Standard, Youth Flower Show is Sponsored by District IIB,
Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.



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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 and Learning Center Presented by the Mason Sycamore Creek Garden Club.

Exhibit 2

Kids' Activity Board

Young people of all ages can post pictures of activities they enjoy in the winter. Pictures can be in any form including (but not limited to) drawings, paintings, photographs, or magazine clippings.



Angels
(Planning Committee Members*)

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

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

Division IV - "T'is the Season" - Adult Botanical Arts

Class 1- Botanical Arts Horticulture (for adults)

Wet Mittens arboreal plant material A 10"-18" cutting from a deciduous tree or shrub showing natural winter color, form, or textural interest. Exhibits will be hung vertically on staging panel. Include botanical name on entry card. Unlimited number of entries. (Handbook, page 91)

Class 2 - Botanical Arts Design (for adults)

Welcome Home decorated wreath or swag A fresh or dried wreath or swag less than 25" 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 provide a hanging loop and identify plant material either on the entry card or on a 3"x5" card. Four entries, pre-registration required. (Handbook, page 93-94)

Class 3- Botanical Arts Artistic Craft (for adults)

For the Birds

A birdhouse decorated with food for birds (e.g. seeds, fruits, suet), no larger than two feet tall. Staged on 14" black square. Underlay permitted. Exhibitor to identify plant material either on the entry card or on a 3"x5" card. Four entries, preregistration required. (Handbook, page 95)



Division I - "Sledding Hills" Youth Horticulture Eligible for Youth Award

- Class 1 Needled evergreen branches 1 cut specimen up to 18." Node to apical tip must be present.
- Class 2 Foliage plant One plant growing in a pot 4" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted. Must be in exhibitor's possession at least 3 weeks.
- Class 3 Flowering plant one plant growing in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted. Must be in exhibitor's possession at least 3 weeks.
- 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. Plants must have been growing together at least 3 weeks.
- Class 5 Bean Plant One bean plant grown from seed by exhibitor in a pot 6" or less in diameter. The pot may be decorated or may be double potted.



Division II - "Snow Balls" Youth Design Eligible for Youth Award

Class 1

Snack Time

Centerpiece Design

A fresh, dried, or combination arrangement placed in a recycled snack container (from nuts, cookies, candies, etc.) that is 5" or less in length, width, and height. Container may be decorated. No restriction on height of design.

Class 2

Time to Get Warm

My Favorite 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 - "Skating Rinks" Youth Botanical Arts Eligible for Youth Award

Class 1 Snow Person

Holiday Tree Artistic Craft

An artificial snow person, maximum 12" tall, decorated with fresh or dried horticulture. There should be more plant material than accessories, but they may be included.

Class 2 Guess What's 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).



Botanical Arts Rules for Adults

- 1. Botanical Arts classes are open to garden club members.
- 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 is to identify the plant material used for Artistic Crafts either on the entry tag or on a 3"x5" card.

