

**NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC**  
**AWARD WINNERS**  
**2019 PROJECTS/ACTIVITIES**  
**TO HAVE BEEN AWARDED MAY 14, 2020**

The cancellation of the 91<sup>st</sup> convention of National Garden Clubs, Inc. in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, eliminated the formal presentation of national awards to each state president and International Affiliates. The awards committee completed the judging of all applications and will mail all award certificates and ribbons to state presidents. These packets will include a printed awards booklet. This award winners listing is for entries that reflect projects/activities that occurred in 2019. A project may be new or continued. Yearbooks were judged on the state and regional levels. Each region selected First Place winners in each category to be awarded NGC Certificates of Commendation.

Member Award of Honor Winners were selected at the state and regional levels and eight winners chosen to receive the national award. All other awards were judged at state level and worthy applications forwarded to national. The **OVERALL WINNERS** received a check for \$100, unless indicated otherwise (with the exceptions of Publication Awards and Flower Show Achievement Awards, which receive Certificates only, or Certificates and a Rosette). All applications correctly submitted received a certificate.

Congratulations to all for outstanding applications!

We have made every effort to ensure that all awards were printed correctly and mailed to each state president. If you discover an error, please contact National Garden Clubs Awards Chairman Pat Young ([patwyong2844@gmail.com](mailto:patwyong2844@gmail.com)).

**2019-2021 AWARDS COMMITTEE**

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**THANK YOU TO OUR CURRENT AWARD SPONSORS:**

1. CS-1 The Garden Club of North Carolina, Inc.
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3. CB-1 California Garden Clubs, Inc.
4. EC-1 National Capital Area Garden Clubs, Inc.
5. EC-2 Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
6. EC-3 The Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland, Inc.
7. EC-4 The Garden Club of Kentucky, Inc.
8. EC-5 The Kent Garden Club (MI)
9. L-1 Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc.
10. L-6 Nancy Voyles (AR)
11. MP-3 The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc.
12. MP-4 The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc.
13. MP-8 Bobbie Verser (AR)
14. Y-4 Garden Club of Ohio, Inc.
15. Y-5 Wisconsin Garden Club Federation
16. YR-2 Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.

This award listing reflects the work of garden club members at local, state, regional and national levels. Local clubs completed and documented their projects. State awards chairmen judged applications at the state level and sent worthy applications on to national. Regional Chairmen judged awards that receive national certificates. National chairmen in many different areas judged their applications. This document is the reflection of the efforts of many, many people. Thank you to all.

Pat Young

## **JUDGING CRITERIA:**

**Categories by size**-Garden Club applications are judged according to size determined by number of members on whom NGC and State dues are paid, including Active, Associate, Inactive, Honorary, etc.

- i. Small Club- 29 members and under
- ii. Medium Club- 30-59 members
- iii. Large Club- 60-99 members
- iv. Ex-large Club- 100 members plus

State Garden Club applications are judged according to size determined by number of members on whom NGC dues are paid, including garden club members, Affiliates, State Life Members, etc.

- i. Small state- 999 members and under
- ii. Medium state- 1,000-2,999 members
- iii. Large state- 3,000-7,999 members
- iv. Ex-large state- 8,000 plus members

**Categories by type**-Eligibility: Eligibility to apply and receive awards as noted:

- A. Single member garden club (further divided by size-noted above)
- B. Group of member clubs (council, districts, etc.)
- C. Individual garden club members
- D. State Garden Club (further divided by size-noted above)
- E. Affiliates (dues paid directly to NGC)
- F. Individual Affiliate members (member of NGC Affiliate)
- G. International Affiliate
- H. Individual International Affiliate
- I. Region
- J. Junior Garden Clubs
- K. Individual Youth

**Certificates:** After judging, award applicants will receive one of the three certificates listed below, according to judges' decisions:

**Overall Winners: First Place Certificate or Certificate of Merit**

**Runners-Up: Certificate of Commendation (by category size/type)**

**All other submissions: Certificate of Appreciation**

## NATIONAL GARDEN CLUB AWARD WINNERS FOR 2019 AWARD YEAR

### #CS-1 Community Gardens

OVERALL WINNER: **Hearthstone Garden Club: CS-1 (Dii) (Texas)** – Members work with 150-175 students a month at Owens Elementary School in planning, planting and harvesting vegetables at the school vegetable garden. Last year 1000 pounds of produce and herbs were harvested and taken home to students' families.

Ai-Judy's Garden Club (West Virginia)

Aii-Brighton Garden Club (Michigan)

Aiv-Gates Mills Garden Club (Ohio)

Bii-Shepherd of the Hills Garden Club (Missouri)

Biii-Bonita Valley Garden Club(California)

Ci-Fort Benjamin's Blossoms Garden Club (Indiana)

Cii-Highland Heights Garden Club (Ohio)

Di-Tuscaloosa/Northport Garden Club (Alabama)

Diii-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)

Div-Salisbury Garden Club (Virginia)

### #CS-2 The Kellogg Achievement Award (Community Service Project)

OVERALL WINNER: **Plano Garden Club: CS-2 (Aiii) (Texas)** – Members created the Meadow Garden at Children's Health Hospital in Plano. It consists of 2 large berms with native and adaptive trees and plants that serve as bioswales (preventing runoff to a local creek), and also of three raised-bed vegetable gardens used as therapy for children with eating disorders.

Ai-Chapin Garden Club (South Carolina)

Aii-Hondo Garden club (Texas) tie

Aii-South Schuylkill Garden Club (Pennsylvania) tie

Aiv-Garden Club of Stuart (Florida)

Biii-Greer Council of Garden Clubs (South Carolina)

Biv-Greenville Council of Garden Clubs (South Carolina)

Bv-Huntington Council of Garden Clubs (West Virginia)

### #CS-3 The Fisher Garden Center Award (Community Garden Center)

OVERALL WINNER: **Spring Lake Garden Club: CS-3 (Ai) (Mississippi)** – Members are allowed to use a designated area in the City of Pearl Library for their Garden Information Center. Members change out the information seasonally and also use it to coordinate with what is currently growing in the Children's Learning Garden they maintain at the library.

Bv-Thomasville Garden Club, Inc. (Georgia)

#### **#CS-4 Food Bank Donations**

OVERALL WINNER: **Charleston's Magnolia Garden Club: CS-4 (Bi) (Mississippi)** – Members partnered with the JCK Wellness Center in a new fresh food donation program titled "Food RX". Club members trained and assisted qualified recipients in harvesting and preparing food from the organic vegetable garden at the Wellness Center.

Ai-Mason Sycamore Creek Garden Club (Michigan)

Aiv-Worthington Hills Garden Club (Ohio)

#### **#CS-5 Special Achievement**

OVERALL WINNER: **Greenville Garden Club: CS-5 (Aiii) (Mississippi)** – Greenville Garden Club has worked to preserve the Winterville Mounds since 1939. These mounds are considered the best-preserved pre-Columbian Native American sites in the state and are recognized as a National Historic Landmark. Among other things, in the past year the club has removed all non-native trees and shrubs from the site and replaced them with native; designed and installed a 12-foot cypress log welcoming sign; helped design etchings of pre-Columbian Mississippian symbols for the pavilion floor and posts; and researched and purchased buffalo teeth, hair pipes, beads and face paints for Native American Days necklaces and face painting.

Ai-Coastal Gardeners (Delaware) tie

Ai-Two Creeks Garden Club (Kentucky) tie

Aii-Leiper's Fork Garden Club (Tennessee) (tie)

Aii-Calvert Garden Club (Maryland) tie

Aiv-Hunt Garden Club (Texas)

Biv-Greenville Council of Garden Clubs (South Carolina)

C-Lynn Skinner/Ailey Garden Club (Georgia)

#### **#CB-1 Roadside Beautification**

OVERALL WINNER: **Westerville Garden Club: CB-1 (Aiii) (Ohio)** – In conjunction with the Mayor's Monarch Pledge, Westerville Garden Club worked with the Westerville Parks and Recreation Department to create two garden spaces that are very visible from highly-trafficked Polaris Parkway. The club developed a planting map utilizing native plants that attract pollinators and included puddling pools for butterflies. Over 100 native perennials were used. Plant markers were made for all of the plants listing the common and scientific name, brief culture notes, and the pollinators it would attract. The gardens are also along a recreational trail so visitors can stop, look at the plants and identify them, plus enjoy any pollinators in residence.

Ai-Dogwood Garden Club/Palestine (Texas)

Aiv-Barrington Garden Club (Rhode Island)

## **#CB-2 Community Beautification**

OVERALL WINNER: **Sunset Garden Club: CB-2 (Bi) (Wisconsin)**

Club members and friends created a welcoming, beautifying, and pollinator-attracting garden at the newly built Midtown Police Precinct. A blue, white and yellow color scheme was chosen to remind visitors of the police officers in blue and to attract bumble bees. SGC received a Plant America grant and donations from neighborhood associations and individuals to fund the project. The garden has been registered as a Million Pollinator Garden, and members hope to involve local schools in the Wisconsin Bumble Bee Brigade project at this garden.

Ai-Amaryllis Garden Club (Alabama)

Aii-Greenkeepers Garden Club of Searcy (Arkansas)

Bii-Paradise Gardeners (California)

Biii-Hillsdale Garden Club (Michigan)

Biv-Edmonds Floretum Garden Club ( Washington State)

## **#EC-1 The Lucille Droege Mauntel Conservation Award in honor of Shirley Nicolai – Conservation Activities**

OVERALL WINNER: **Jeanie Jackson/Eastside Garden Club: EC-1 (C) (Tennessee)**

Jeanie Jackson and her husband manage their 19-acre farm using every available conservation practice known. Jeanie gardens organically, recycles, plants only native plants (trees and shrubs) and repurposes all household waste.

Ai-Emerald Necklace Garden Club (Ohio)

Aii-Lake Bloomers Garden Club (Missouri) tie

Aii-Leiper's Fork Garden Club (Tennessee) tie

Aiii-Lafayette Garden Club (Louisiana)

Aiv-Barrington Garden Club (Rhode Island)

Biv-Greenville Council of Garden Clubs (S. Carolina)

## **#EC-2 The Harriet Thomas Award – Litter/Recycling/Reclamation**

OVERALL WINNER: **Grapevine Garden Club, Inc.: EC-2 (Aiv) (Texas)**

Grapevine Garden Club signed a contract with the city of Grapevine to adopt the 1.6 mile Wall-Farrah Nature Trail for litter pick-up. Members pick up trash and watch for problems along the trail 6 times per year.

Ai-Ferriday Garden Club (Louisiana)

Aii-Columbus Garden Club (Texas)

Aiii-Alexandria Garden Club, Inc. (Louisiana)

### **#EC-3 The Hazel Johnson Award – Conservation Education**

OVERALL WINNER: **Rowayton Gardeners: EC-3 (Aiv) (Connecticut)**

Club members partnered with the Rowayton Library and the Norwalk Land Trust to sponsor five speakers' forums titled "Our Earth: Your Call". Hundreds of interested people heard speakers discuss environmental subjects such as "Fracking Waste", "The Future of Energy", and "The Great Healthy Yard Project."

Ai-Aldersgate Garden Club (Tennessee)

Aii-Staten Island Garden Club (New York State)

Aiii-Twinsburg Garden Club (Ohio)

### **#EC-4 The Nannine C. Wallis Award – Bird Protection & Welfare**

OVERALL WINNER: **Palmetto Garden Club: EC-4 (Ai) (South Carolina)**

Palmetto Garden Club implemented a Bluebird Trail Project in which members obtained, erected, monitored and cared for 20 new bluebird houses located in appropriate places throughout the community.

Aii-Williamston Red Cedar Garden Club (Michigan)

Aiv-Grapevine Garden Club, Inc. (Texas)

### **#EC-5 Pollinators**

Overall winner: **Lake Bloomers Garden Club: EC-5 (Aii) (Missouri)**

Club members established a 2048 square foot pollinator garden at Deck Elementary School that was planted with over 140 grasses, wildflowers and shrubs designed to provide nectar for a wide range of pollinators and to foster butterfly reproduction.

Ai-Two Creeks Garden Club (Kentucky)

Aiii-Westerville Garden Club (Ohio)

Aiv-Dade City Grden Club (Florida)

Cii-The Garden Club of Indiana, Inc. (Indiana)

### **#EC-6 Water Conservation**

OVERALL WINNER: **Worthington Hills Garden Club: EC-6 (Aiv) (Ohio)**

With a \$1500 grant from the Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District, Worthington Hills Garden Club installed 2 rain gardens to help control storm-water runoff into the Olentangy River, a designated scenic river. They partnered with 4 other organizations to design and plant the gardens that will naturally filter runoff while promoting pollinator and wildlife habitat.

Ai-Boiling Spring Lakes Garden Club (North Carolina)

### **#EC-7 Organic Gardening**

OVERALL WINNER: **Seasons IV Garden Club: ED-7 (Ai) (Virginia)**

Seasons IV Garden Club partners with Tazewell County Master Gardeners and local libraries to offer a spring/summer gardening program for local children that includes establishing and using a compost pile, and using a worm bin for children to see their importance in gardening.

### **#FD-1 Helen S. Hull Flower Calendar Flower Arranger of the Year**

**Arranger of the Year: Ginni Donovan, Suburban Garden Club of Cheshire and Cheshire Garden Club (Connecticut)**

**International Arranger of the Year: Robyn Higgins, Palmerston North Floral Arts Clubs (New Zealand)**

### **#FD-2 Floral Design Program**

OVERALL WINNER: **Floralia Arrangers Guild Garden Club: FD-2 (Ai) (Arkansas)**

Club members displayed floral arrangements at monthly meetings illustrating the designs in the upcoming District Flower Show to encourage and prepare members who might enter the show. They posted pictures on their website and sent online design workshops to all club presidents in the District. They held a floral design workshop and invited members of area clubs to participate.

Aii-Atkinson Garden Club (New Hampshire) tie

Aii-Perry Garden Club (New York State) tie

Aiii-Clermont Garden Club (Florida)

Bv-Council of Accredited Flower Show Judges, Inc. (National Capital Area)

Ci-New Hampshire Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.

D-Julie Foster/Artesia Garden Club (New Mexico)

### **#G-1 Container Gardening**

OVERALL WINNER: **Rutland Garden Club: G-1 (Diii) (Vermont)**

Club members began this project to beautify the streets in downtown Rutland, VT. Members worked in conjunction with the Rutland Downtown Partnership, the Rutland City Parks and Recreation Department and Rutland High School to plant, place and maintain beautiful containers placed in front of businesses in the downtown area.

A-Virginia Schmidt/Twinsburg Garden Club (Ohio)

B-Dee Ann Rhodes/Colleyville Garden Club (Texas)

Ci-New Iberia Garden Club (Louisiana)

Ciii-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)

Di-Historic Northside District Garden Club (Mississippi)

Dii-Hernando Civic Garden Club (Mississippi)



Div-Kent Garden Club (Michigan)

### **#G-2 Edible Gardening**

OVERALL WINNER: **Hunt Garden Club:G-2 (Civ) (Texas)**

The Hunt Garden Club established The Hunt School Discovery Garden in 1998 and has continued it each Fall and Spring semester since that time. Club members, along with 40-plus students, plant, weed and harvest. Each student is paired with a garden club volunteer and spends an hour a week on Discovery Garden activities.

A-Mary Lenart-Kirchoff/Sunset Garden Club (Wisconsin)

Ci-Eden's Garden Club (Michigan)

Cii-Pompano Beach Garden Club (Florida) tie

Cii-Waverly Park Garden Club (Texas) tie

### **#G-3 Therapy Gardens**

OVERALL WINNER: **Bellevue Garden Club: G-3 (Ai) (Tennessee)**

The Bellevue Garden Club planted 14 raised beds at Hickman Elementary School in Spring, 2019. The club works closely with teachers and students in planting and maintaining the beds, as well as tying the garden experience to classroom activities, including gardening journals.

Aii-Germantown Garden Club (Tennessee)

Aiii-Plano Garden Club (Texas)

Aiv-The Landings Garden Club (Georgia)

Bv-Dekalb County Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc. (Georgia)

### **#HP-1 The May Duff Walter Achievement Award for Preservation of Beauty**

OVERALL WINNER: **Hillsdale Garden Club: HP-1 (Aiii) (Michigan)**

Club members work in cooperation with the City of Hillsdale to preserve and maintain the historic Mrs. Stock's Park established in 1898. The focus in 2019 was: to finalize plantings in the Red Bud Garden; lay the groundwork for a Grieving Bench being constructed for parents and families who have lost a child; to build a wall near the "Outdoor Plant Room"; and to prepare, plant and enhance the area around the Winona statue, all while maintaining the nine acres of the park that have been re-established and restored.

Ai-Spring Lake Garden Club (Mississippi) (tie)

Ai-Franklin County Garden Club (Tennessee) (tie)

Aii-Portage Lake Garden Club, Inc. (Michigan)

Aiv-Bella Vista Garden Club (Arkansas) tie

Aiv- Talbot County Garden Club (Maryland) tie

Bii-Knox County Council of Garden Clubs (Tennessee)

## **#HP-2 Decoration of Historic Building**

OVERALL WINNER: **McCormick Garden Club: HP-2 (Aii) (South Carolina)**

The Dorn House was deep-cleaned and decorated by McCormick Garden Club in an effort to preserve, beautify and promote the history of the historic building. Live wreaths, evergreen branches, Smilax and poinsettias were used throughout the house. Buildings were power-washed, painted and scrubbed prior to adding Christmas décor.

Ai-Dogwood Garden Club (Virginia)

Aiii-Oxford Garden Club (Mississippi)

Aiv-Garden Club of Charleston (South Carolina)

## **#L-1 Blue Star Memorial Highway Marker**

OVERALL WINNER: **Westchester Garden Club: L-1 (Ai) (Virginia)**

Westchester Garden Club installed a Blue Star Memorial Highway Marker and garden in the high-profile location known as the Star Lookout atop Mill Mountain. Plantings provided year-round interest in a cold, windy mountain location.

Aii-Green Thumb Garden Club of the Red Lion Area (Pennsylvania)

## **#L-2 Blue Star Memorial Byway Marker**

OVERALL WINNER: **Fountain Inn Garden Club: L-2 (Ai) (South Carolina)**

The Fountain Inn Garden Club updated the garden around the Blue Star Marker located at the local police station with lush, low-maintenance plantings.

Aii-Trowelers Garden Club (Alabama) tie

Aii-Southern Butler County Garden Club (Pennsylvania) tie

## **#L-3 Blue Star Memorial Marker/Civic Location**

OVERALL WINNER: **New Hampshire Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.: L-3(Ci)**

The New Hampshire Federation of Garden Clubs installed a Blue Star Memorial Marker at the State Veterans' Cemetery. They enhanced the marker with red, white and blue flowering shrubs.

Ai-Brookhaven Garden Club (Texas)

Aii-Franklin Garden Club (Kentucky)

Aiii-Gulf Shores Garden Club (Alabama)

Aiv-Hunt Garden Club (Texas)

## **#L-4 The Dr. William C. Welch Award – Community Landscape Design**

OVERALL WINNER: **Violet Bank Garden Club: L-4 (i) (Virginia)**

Club members created a monarch waystation at the Appomattox Riverfront. Milkweed and Rudbeckia plants were grown by club members. Pictures prove that the butterflies did arrive.

- ii-Shady Oaks Garden Club (Louisiana) tie
- ii-Oxford Garden Club (Mississippi) tie
- iii-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)
- iv-Garden Club of Charleston (South Carolina)

### **#L-5 Landscape Design**

OVERALL WINNERS (tie):

#### **Sunset Garden Club: L-5 (Ai) (Wisconsin)**

Members created a pollinator garden at the Midtown Police Station. Plants of white, yellow and blue were used to attract bumble bees. They also made a handout for schools to create a Bumble Bee Brigade.

#### **Westerville Garden Club: L-5 (Aiii) (Ohio)**

This club presented a garden tour to promote neighborhood beautification. They previewed the event with great advertising and involved many members of the community.

- Aii-New Iberia Garden Club (Louisiana)
- Aiv-Harpswell Garden Club (Maine)

### **#L-6 Landscape Design/Church Gardens**

OVERALL WINNER: **Shepherd of the Hills Garden Club: L-6 (Aii) (Missouri)**

Members created a breast cancer awareness garden at the United Methodist Church, using pink and white vincas. The vincas were planted in the shape of the breast cancer awareness logo.

### **#MP-1 Membership Activities**

OVERALL WINNER: **Hernando Civic Garden Club: MP-1 (Aii) (Mississippi)**

Members combined efforts with several community partners to participate in the town's first Christmas Open House and Farmers' Market combination. Members eagerly taught attendees how to make lovely holiday decorations. They shared knowledge as garden club members and created good public relations for their club.

- Ai-Holiday Island Garden Club (Arkansas)
- Aiii-Shaler Garden Club (Pennsylvania)
- Aiv-Garden Club of Charleston (South Carolina)
- Civ-The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc.

## **#MP-2 National Garden Week**

OVERALL WINNER: **Shady Oaks Garden Club: MP-2 (Ai) (Tennessee)**

Shady Oaks Garden Club promoted NGC by sponsoring a garden tour during National Garden Week. The tour included a plant sale featuring non-invasives, natives and hard-to-find plants. Educational materials were available at tour sites. The homes and gardens highlighted innovative gardening solutions and examples, such as water management.

Aii-Abingdon Garden Club (Virginia)  
Aiii-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)  
Aiv-Wellington Garden Club (Florida)  
Bv-West Central Georgia Garden Club Council (Georgia)

## **#MP-3 Social Media/Website**

OVERALL WINNER A: **Rome Federated Garden Clubs, Inc.: MP-3 (Av) (Georgia)**

OVERALL WINNER B: **Southern Butler County Garden Club: Mp-3 (Bii) (PA)**

OVERALL WINNER C: **El Dedon Verde Garden Club: MP-3 (Civ) (Texas)**

Ai-Alaska State Garden Clubs  
Aii-Wayne Woods Garden Club (Pennsylvania)  
Aiii-Placerville Garden Club (California)  
Aiv-Garden Club of Cape Coral (Florida)  
Bi-North Haven Garden Club (Connecticut)  
Biii-Clermont Garden Club (Florida)  
Biv-Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.  
Bv-District IV of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc. (Florida)  
Cii-Midlothian Garden Club (Virginia)  
Ciii-Mason County Garden Club (Michigan)  
Cv-Redbud District of the Garden Club of Georgia, Inc. (Georgia)

## **#MP-4 Video/CD/DVD/Flash Drive**

OVERALL WINNER: **Lake Bloomers Garden Club: MP-4 (5-Aii) (Missouri)**

This video is a true testament to what great things a garden club can do in a community. This club has been influential in so many areas, and this documentary catalogs their achievements and history beautifully.

1Ai-Two Creeks Garden Club (Kentucky)  
1Aiii--League City Garden Club (Texas)  
1Aiv-Suburban Garden Club (Tennessee)  
6Aii-Darien Garden Club (Illinois)  
Aiv-Garden Club of DeLand (Florida)

### **#MP-5 Radio and/or TV**

OVERALL WINNER: **The Burlington Garden Club of Vermont : MP-5 (Aiii)**

The Burlington Garden Club is fortunate to have such a talented member, Charlie Nardozzi. They have certainly utilized his skills and knowledge through hosting “Vermont Garden Journal”, a Sunday morning radio show which educates listeners about a variety of gardening topics.

Aii-Sunnyvale Garden Club (Texas)

### **#MP-6 Membership – The Violet N. Goss Award**

**Winner of 6A – National Capital Area Garden Clubs, Inc.** (State Garden Club showing the greatest increase in paid membership, as of October 31 of the Award Year.)

**Winner of 6B - Alaska Garden Clubs** (State Garden Club showing the greatest increase in paid membership per capita, as of October 31 of the Award Year.)

### **#MP-7 Hazel O’Hern – The National Gardener Award**

**Winner: Rhode Island Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.**

(State showing largest increase in subscriptions to *The National Gardener*.)

### **#MP-8 Life Membership Award**

**Winner of 8A – Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.** (State Garden Club with the greatest increase in NGC Life Memberships from May 1 through April 30.)

**Winner of 8B – Wyoming Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.** (State Garden Club with the greatest per capita increase in NGC Life Membership from May 1 through April 30.)

### **#NPW-1 Roadside Plantings**

OVERALL WINNER: **Santa Rosa Garden Club: NPW-1 (Aiv) (California)**

The club’s project titled “Wildfires to Wildflowers”, or also called Great Balls of Wildflowers, started because of the wildfires that devastated Northern California in October of 2017. In Sonoma County, if you did not lose your home, someone you knew did. Workshops were begun as therapy for many suffering from PTSD, as well as survivors’ guilt. People felt they were contributing something as they told their “fire story” while rolling seed balls. Santa Rosa Garden Club members were among the 75 participants that distributed 5,000 seed ball packets. The seed balls were to be tossed in a sunny, burned area, and seeds should bloom in spring, brightening scorched burn areas. An outstanding project.

Ai-Two Creeks Garden Club (Kentucky)

Aiii-Westerville Garden Club (Ohio)

### **#NPW-2 Civic Project with Native Plants**

OVERALL WINNER: **Lake Wissota Garden Club: NPW-2 (Aii) (Wisconsin)**

A 760 square foot curved bed landscape design using native plants was the objective of the Wissota Garden Club. This club used soil solarization to clear the area of materials before the planting process began. They then used newspaper and mulch to give a base for the bed, which was then planted with 234 native plants. Teams took turns watering the new plants. Plants were treated with deer repellent and retreated after rains. Members committed to weed and monitor for three hours every other Wednesday from spring until killing frost.

Ai-Iris City Garden Club (Tennessee)

Aiii-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)

Aiv-Hunt Garden Club (Texas)

Bv-East Lake Washington District of Garden Clubs (Washington State)

### **#NPW-3 Outdoor Classrooms/Nature Trails**

OVERALL WINNER: **Lake Bloomers Garden Club: NPW-3 (Aii) (Missouri)**

Club members developed a 2048 square foot garden on a steep hillside on the side of Hurricane Deck Elementary School. The garden included plants moved from a former monarch waystation, education information on a kiosk for visitors, plant markers made by club members, plus a 2000 pound natural bird bath that was donated from a Memorial Fund. The school provided a sprinkler system and mulch for the garden. Information about the garden was shared with parents and students at “Meet the Teacher” night.

Ai-Weeders and Seeders Garden Club of Ligonier (Pennsylvania)

Aiii-Rockaway Valley Garden Club (New Jersey)

### **2019 NGC PUBLICATION AWARD WINNERS**

Carol Bullard, Publications Awards Chairman

PUB 1-1Ai	Delaware	Plantation Lakes Garden Club	“Growing Together”
PUB 1-1Aii	Georgia	Wayside Garden Club	“The Bellmere Banner”
PUB 1-1 Bv	California	Valley Lode District	“The Valley Lode”
PUB 1-2 Ai	Virginia	Amelia County Garden Club	“Perennial”
PUB 1-2 Aii	Virginia	The Madison Garden Club	“The MGC Garden Scoop”
PUB 1-2 Aiii	Ohio	Westerville Garden Club	“The Weakly Weeder”
PUB 1-2 Aiv	TIE Michigan	Kent Garden Club, Inc.	“Kent Thymes”

PUB 1-2 Aiv	TIE California	Southern California Garden Club	"The Green Thumb"
PUB 1-2 Bv	Alabama	District VIII, The GC of Alabama	"District VIII News"
PUB 1-2 Cii Adventures"	Arkansas	Arkansas Fed. of Garden Clubs, Inc.	"AFGC Avenues &
PUB 1-2 Civ	California	California Garden Clubs, Inc.	"Golden Gardens eNews"
PUB 1-3 Aii	Illinois	Darien Garden Club	"Darian Dirt Diggers"
PUB 1-3 Aiii	Texas	Plano Garden Club	"Plano Bloomin' News"
PUB 1-3 Aiv	TIE Texas	Grapevine Garden Club	"Through the Grapevine"
PUB 1-3Aiv	Pennsylvania	The Garden Club of York	"Basket Visions Newsletter"
PUB 1-3 Bv	Virginia	Tidewater District of VFGC	"Tidewater News & Views"
PUB 1-3 Ci	New Mexico	New Mexico Garden Club	"New Mexico Gardener"
PUB 1-3 Cii	Indiana	The Garden Club of Indiana, Inc.	"Indiana Gardens"
PUB 1-4 Bv	Georgia	Azalea District of GC of Georgia	"The Azalea Trumpet"
PUB 1-4 Ci	New Hamp.	New Hampshire Fed. of GC's, Inc.	"Lilac Letters"
PUB 1-4 Cii	Kentucky	The Garden Club of Kentucky, Inc.	"Bulletin"
PUB 1-4 Ciii	Ohio	Garden Clubs of Ohio, Inc.	"Garden Greetings"
PUB 1-4 Civ	Georgia	Garden Club of Georgia, Inc.	"Garden Gateways"
PUB 2-1 Ai	Florida	Daisy Circle of Gainesville GC	Garden Club Manual
PUB 2-1 Aii Member"	Georgia	Briarcliff Garden Club	"Handbook for the New
PUB 2-1 Bv Oleander District	Georgia	Oleander District of GC of Georgia	"Planning Handbook for Annual Meeting"
PUB 2-1 Ci District	Michigan	Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.	"Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc. Director's Handbook"
PUB 2-1 Cii Meeting Guide"	Washington	Washington State Fed. of GC Inc.	WSFGC Program and

PUB 2-2 Ai	S. Carolina	Upsy Daisy Garden Club	"Nesbit Shoals Nature Park"
PUB 2-2 Aii Garden Club"	Texas	Bridgeport Garden Club	"Getting to Know your
PUB 2-2 Aiii Michigan?"	Michigan	Taylor Garden Club	"Why Go Native in
PUB 2-2 Aiv Burbs"	Ohio	Gates Mills Garden Club	"Life in the Bogs to Life in the
PUB 2-2 Cii A Book of Lists"	Tennessee	Tenn. Fed of Garden Clubs, Inc.	"Native Plants of Tennessee:
PUB 2-3 Ai - Civ		no entries	
PUB 2-4 Ai Club 2017-2019"	Delaware	Plantation Lakes Garden Club	"Plantation Lakes Garden
PUB 2-4 Aii Garden Club"	(TIE) Connecticut	Riverside Garden Club	"100 Years, Riverside
PUB 2-4 Aii Anniversary Year"	(TIE) California	Roseville Better Gardens Club	"2018-2019 – 90 <sup>th</sup>
PUB 2-5 Ai brochure	Pennsylvania	Garden Club of Monroeville	membership
PUB 2-5 Aii brochure	Michigan	Edelweiss Garden Club	membership
PUB 2-5 Aiii brochure	Ohio	Westerville Garden Club	membership
PUB 2-5Aiv brochure	California	Southern California Garden Club	membership
PUB 2-5 Bv brochure	Washington	Hill & Dale District of Garden Clubs	membership
PUB 2-5 Ci brochure	New Hamp.	New Hampshire Fed. of Garden Clubs, Inc.	membership
PUB 2-5 Cii brochure	Arkansas	Arkansas Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	membership
PUB 2-6 Ai	Connecticut	The Arbor Garden Club of Clinton	"Fine Arts & Flowers"



PUB 2-6 Aiv	So. Carolina	Columbia Garden Club	"A Floral Filled Year"
PUB 2-6 Cii Washington	Washington	Washington State Fed. of Garden Clubs	"Blue Star Markers in State"
PUB 2-7 Aii Marys"	Georgia	St. Marys Garden Club	"Seasons of St.
PUB 2-7 Aiii Good Earth 2"	Louisiana	Terrebonne Garden Club	"Pleasures from the
PUB 2-7Aiv the Kitchen"	Texas	Grapevine Garden Club, Inc.	"Out of the Garden and Into
PUB 2-8 Aii Walk"	So Carolina	Lady's Island Garden Club	"The Beaufort Tree
PUB 2-8 Aiii Week cards	Ohio	Westerville Garden Club	National Garden
PUB 2-8 Ci Awards" booklet	New Mexico	New Mexico Garden Club, Inc.	"Photography
PUB 2-8 Cii	Washington	Washington State Fed. of Garden Clubs	"2017 Awards"
PUB 2- 8 Ciii Convention Program"	Mississippi	The Garden Clubs of Mississippi	"2019 NGC

### #SR-3 MEMBER AWARD OF HONOR WINNERS FOR 2019

#### Jeanne Nelson, Chairman

Central Atlantic Region	Thea McGinnis (National Capital Area)
Central Region	Shirley Burns (Michigan)
Deep South Region	Suzy Shepherd (Alabama)
New England Region	Rebecca L. Gallery (Maine)
Pacific Region	Nancy Ebson (Oregon)
Rocky Mountain Region	No Applicant
South Atlantic Region	No Applicant
South Central Region	Linda Jean Brown (Texas)

## YEARBOOKS BY REGIONS

### Central Atlantic Region:

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
  - 1. (under 20) The Garden Club of Watchung (NJ)
  - 2. (20 – 29) The Heritage Garden Club (PA)
  - 3. (30 – 44) Gardeners by the Sea (DE) Tie  
Beverly Hills Garden Club (N. Capital Area) Tie
  - 4. (45 – 69) St. Mary's County Garden Club (MD)
  - 5. (70-99) Western Hills Garden Club (OH)
  - 6. (100 – 299) Orchard Park Garden Club (NY)
- B. Councils, Districts (YB-3)
  - 1. District V Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland

### Central Region:

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
  - 1. (under 20) Shamrock Garden Club (IN)
  - 2. (20 – 29) Spring Green Garden Club (IN)
  - 3. (30 – 44) Shepherd of the Hills Garden Club (MO)
  - 4. (45 – 69) Williamston Red Cedar Garden Club, Inc. (MI)
  - 5. (70 – 99) Garden Club of Downers Grove (IL)\_
  - 6. (100 – 299) Kent Garden Club (MI)

### Deep South Region:

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
  - 1. (under 20) Ferriday Garden Club (LA)
  - 2. (20 – 29) Byhalia Garden Club (MS)
  - 3. (30 – 44) Cherry Laurel Garden Club (FL)
  - 4. (45 – 69) Southwind Garden Club (TN)
  - 5. (70 – 99) Terebonne Garden Club (LA)
  - 6. (100 – 299) Greenwood Garden Club (MS)
- B. (Councils, Districts (YB – 3)
  - 1. Thomasville Garden Club, Inc.(GA)
- C. Judges Clubs, Councils (YB-6)
  - 1. North Georgia Council of Judges or Consultants (GA)

### New England Region:

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
  - 1. (under 20) Somerset Garden Club (MA)

2. (20 – 29) Osewantha Garden Club (ME)
  3. 30 – 44) The Haverhill Garden Club (MA)
  4. (45 – 69) Kennebec Valley Garden Club (ME) Tie  
Derry Garden Club (NH) Tie  
Leete’s Island Garden Club, Inc. (CT) Tie
  5. (70 – 99) Camden Garden Club (ME)
  6. (100 – 299) Mountain Garden Club (NH)
- B. Judges Clubs, Councils (YB-6)
1. Connecticut Judges Council (CT)

**Pacific Region:**

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
1. (under 20) Pioneer Garden Club (CA)
  2. (20 – 29) Root & Bloom Garden Club (WA)
  3. (30 – 44) Anchorage Garden Club (AK)
  4. (45 – 69) Red Bluff Garden Club (CA)
  5. (70 – 99) Port Angeles Garden Club (WA)
  6. (100 – 299) Southern California Garden Club (CA)
- B. Councils, Districts (YB-3)
1. Valley Lode District (CA)
- C. Judges Clubs, Councils (YB-6)
1. Capitol Judges Council (CA)

**Rocky Mountain Region:**

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
1. (under 20) Conrad Garden Club (MT)
  2. (20 – 29) Malta Dirt Daubers (MT)
  3. (30 – 44) Rainbow Garden Club (MT)
  4. (45 – 69) Anaconda Garden Club (MT)

**South Atlantic Region:**

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
1. (under 20) Two Creeks Garden Club (KY)
  2. (20 – 29) Green Hills Garden Club (VA)
  3. (30 – 44) Wayside Garden Club (VA)
  4. (45 – 69) The Garden Club of Elizabethtown (KY)
  5. (70 – 99) Lake & Hills Garden Club (SC)
  6. (100 – 299) The Raleigh Garden Club of North Carolina (NC)
  7. (300 or more) The Garden Club of Charleston, Inc. (SC)
- B. Councils, Districts (YB-3)
1. Greenville Council of Garden Clubs, Inc. (SC)

- C. State Garden Club (YB-5)
  - 1. The Garden Club of Kentucky (KY)

**South Central Region:**

- A. Garden Clubs (YB-1)
  - 1. (under 20) Redbud of Welch Garden Club (OK)
  - 2. (20 – 29) Cultivate Garden Club (AR)
  - 3. (30 – 44) Georgetown Garden Club (TX)
  - 4. (45 – 69) Garden Club of Rogers (AR)
  - 5. (70 – 99) Plano Garden Club (TX)
  - 6. (100 – 299) Hunt Garden Club (TX)
- B. Councils, Districts (YB-3)
  - 1. Houston Federation of Garden Clubs (TX)

**#Y-1 Youth Garden Club**

OVERALL WINNER: **Mason Sycamore Creek Garden Club: Y-1 (D) (Michigan)**

**Sunflower Youth Garden Club** – This hands-on youth program is a great example of all phases of gardening; from containers to raised bed gardening of vegetables and herbs. Other activities in educating the youth were seed-sorting, soil amending, education on use of organic soil, mulch, worm renderings, and compost material. Many vegetables and an herb garden were planted and maintained using rain barrels for watering.

**#Y-2 The Hessie Thomson Morrah Award – Horticulture Achievement by a Youth Garden Club**

OVERALL WINNER: **Garden Club of Rogers: Y-2 (D) (Arkansas)**

The Garden Club of Rogers has worked with the local school for 10 years. Members work with 120 four- and five-year-old preschoolers during the year. Members taught eight horticulture programs per year. A worm composting bin was set up in the classroom, seeds were planted in cups and ice cream cones, annuals were planted using recycled tin cans, and they presented a program on birds, with students making bird feeders. They also presented programs on Monarch butterflies and caterpillars.

**#Y-3 The Carrie Buhrman Nettleton Award – High School Gardeners Accomplishment**

**No Applicants**

**#Y-4 The Winnifred F. Fink Award – Youth Environmental Concerns**

OVERALL WINNER: **Emma Scott Garden Club: Y-4(B) (West Virginia)**

Two unused bookcases were installed and used for planting pollinator gardens in an effort to educate students in 4<sup>th</sup> grade and to give them an appreciation of how bees and other

pollinators are intrinsic to the environment. The youth were actively involved in the design, planting and maintenance of the gardens. Club members worked with US Fish and Wildlife Services, AmeriCorps volunteers and the school principal. They won a grant to add a rain barrel in the spring which will further teach the children the importance of water conservation and recycling.

A-Garden Club of Kinderhook (New York)

D-Garden Club of Rogers (Arkansas)

### **#Y-5 Youth Horticulture Award**

OVERALL WINNER: **Lake Oroville Garden Club: Y-5 (D) (California)**

Each week the objective with the students is to present horticulture lessons and hands-on planting and maintaining in the garden. Over the last five years, the club has added 20 trees to the fruit orchard and planted shade trees, flowers, succulents, berries and cover crops throughout. As a result of a grant at the school, there are now 4 water catchment cisterns and a large swale to allow percolation and storage of water during the rainy season. The garden includes pollinator plants, a bee hotel home, and a 3-bin compost system.

### **#Y-6**

**No Applicants**

### **#YR-1 The Helen Hussey Champlin Award – Youth Horticulture Education**

OVERALL WINNER: **Abingdon Garden Club: YR-1 (Aii) (Virginia)**

The objectives of Abingdon Garden Club were not only to encourage interest, but to teach the life cycle of seed plants and to show the connections between seeds and the plants they produce. Five activities were planned. *The Saved Seed* was read to engage students. Sprouted/germinated seeds were shown, and earlier planted carrot, radish, onion and lima bean seeds were shown to the students so everyone could see the roots and foliage of the growing plants.

Ai-Helping Hands Jr. Garden Club (Alabama)

Aiii-The Avid Gardeners (South Carolina)

Aiv-Gates Mills Garden Club (Ohio)

### **#YR-2 The Jesse M. Connor Award – Environmental Education**

OVERALL WINNER: **Lake Bloomers Garden Club: YR-2 (Aii) (Missouri)**

The club created a 2048 square foot garden that can be viewed from most classrooms and is directly in front of a large window in the school library. The garden was planted in three sections (prairie plants, Monarch Waystation plants and rain garden plants) using all Missouri natives. An \$250 Espoma grant helped defray costs. Plant markers identify each plant.

Features include a 2000 pound natural stone bird bath and two bird feeding stations. Children voted on types of plants for the garden and planted 33 Butterfly Milkweeds along an observation trail.

Ai-Rainsville Garden Club (Alabama)

Aiii-Westerville Garden Club (Ohio)

Aiv-Western Hills Garden Club (Ohio)

### **#YR-3 The Mary Louise Michie Award – Youth Leadership**

**OVERALL WINNER: Emily Schnarr: YR-3 (A) (Pennsylvania)**

As a beekeeper, Emily brings that knowledge and love to children. She has a Master's Degree in Education and is a Homeschool Evaluator. One of her objectives is for the children to be introduced to the beauty of gardening and the importance of bees. The home-schooled children see the elements of design and how to create and cook with items from the garden. Some of Emily's projects for the children involve recycled cat litter containers becoming herb containers, puppet shows, extracting honey, taking home jars of honey, and making hanging baskets for moms.

### **#WG-1 Wildlife Gardening**

**OVERALL WINNER: Dayton Garden Club: WG-1 (i) (Tennessee)**

The Dayton Garden Club conducts wildlife gardening programs throughout the year with the help of a Wildlife Officer and support from community businesses. Native trees were given away one month in conjunction with Tractor Supply. The club staged a flower show titled "Call of the Wild", which showcased wild animals from the area. The club also carried out the Wildlife Gardening theme through the year's programs.

### **#WG-2**

**No Applicants**

### **#WG-3 Jr. Garden Club Wildlife Gardening**

**OVERALL WINNER: Mason Sycamore Creek Garden Club: WG-3 (Michigan)**

The Mason Sycamore Creek Youth Garden Club completed projects all during the year at the Sunflower House Learning Center. The Youth Garden Club was formed in the community to provide practical, vocational and a life-skills "seed to table" gardening experience. Meetings also included horticulture, environmental conservation and beautification education. An outdoor area was used for classes during the growing season, and classes are held in the center during the non-growing season. These young gardeners are given a great experience with projects led by the garden club.

## HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY WINNERS

2019 HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST - NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

**\$1,000.00 Scholarship Winner: Gabriela Molina (Sponsored by Fort Lauderdale Garden Club) (Florida-Deep South Region)** This essay, "Challenges in Preserving Our Natural Habitats", cited the challenge of preserving our forests 'known as the lungs of our world' and our oceans and coral reefs "known as the lungs of our water". These challenges could be begun to be faced when people as a whole become committed to cleaning up the environment.

**2nd Place: \$100.00 Winner: Zoe Carll (Sponsored by Pecan Grove Garden Club) (Arizona-Pacific Region)** This essay stated that the biggest challenge facing many communities is growth and suggested alternative housing options. A solution given was "responsible growth must be incorporated with practical environmental policies".

**AWARDS FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATES 2019**  
IA Award Chairman for Guatemala and South America  
Cheryl Obediente [Cheryl.obediente@gmail.com](mailto:Cheryl.obediente@gmail.com)

IA Award Chairman for Mexico and Central America  
Maria Regina Viau [viaucastillo@gmail.com](mailto:viaucastillo@gmail.com)

## **SUNBURST ROSSETTE CERTIFICATE AND RIBBON**

### **ARGENTINA**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**  
Club: **Garden Club Las Margaritas – Mar de Plata #618**  
Country: Argentina  
IA NGC Flower Show: **“Pensamientos”**

### **CHILE**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**  
Club: # 607 **Club de Jardines Los Ángeles**  
Country: Chile  
NGC Flower Show: **“CHILIE CHILE LINDO”**

### **COLOMBIA**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**  
Club: **Club de Jardinería de Barranquilla #287**  
Country: Colombia  
NGC Flower Show: **“Barranquilla, Alegría, Flores y Colores”**

### **PANAMA**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**  
Club: **#517 Club de Jardinería El Bosque**  
Country: Panamá  
HS NGC Flower Show: **“El Bosque Encantado”**

### **PERU**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**  
Club: **Club Jardin Aguaymanto Cusco**  
Country: Peru



NGC Design Flower Show: "Celebraciones y Fiestas Alrededor del Mundo"

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**

Club: **Sociedad Peruana de Orquideas #527**

Country: Peru

NGC Flower Show: " XIII Exposicion Internacional de Orquídeas"

**AWARD IAFS-1 IA Radiant Sunburst Rosette**

Club: **Cosmos Club de Jardines #320**

Country: Perú

NGC Flower Show: II Exposición Especializada de Diseño "Brillan Estrellas y Flores es Navidad"

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radian Sunburst Rosette**

Club: **Club de Jardines Marigold #329**

Country: Peru

NGC Flower Show: XLI Exposicion Estándar de Flores NGC "Despertar de la Naturaleza"

**VENEZUELA**

**AWARD IAFS-1 Radiant Sunburst Rosette**

Club: **Club de Jardinería Flor de Lara #357**

Country: Venezuela

NGC Flower Show: XV Exposicion de Flores "¡ Ay Zaragoza !"

**MAYOR AWARDS WITH CHECKS**

**MEXICO**

**AWARD IA-1 Civic Achievement**

**Certificate of Merit and one hundred dollars (\$100.00)**

Club: **#208 Monterrey Garden Club**

Country: Mexico

Project: Niñez-Fest 2019

**ARGENTINA**

**AWARD IA-2 Youth Award - The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

**Civic Achievement (HB 4) and one hundred dollars (\$100)**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Garden Club San Diego #485**  
Project: "Gardening with Children"  
Country: Argentina

## **COLOMBIA**

**AWARD IAFS-2** Certificate of Merit and **one hundred dollars** for the most outstanding NGC Flower Show which promotes NGC objectives.

Club: **Club de Jardineria de Barranquilla #287**

Country: Colombia

NGC Flower Show: "Barranquilla, Alegria, Flores y Colores"

## **PERU**

**AWARD IAFS-3 June Johnsrud Schedule Award** and **one hundred dollars** (\$100)

Club: **Cosmos Club de Jardines #320**

Country: Perú

NGC Flower Show: II Exposición Especializada de Diseño "Brillan Estrellas y Flores es Navidad"

## **COLOMBIA**

**AWARD IAFS-4** Ellen Griffin Staging Award – best staging of an NGC Flower Show and **one hundred dollars**

Club: **Club de Jardineria de Barranquilla #287**

Country: Colombia

NGC Flower Show: "Barranquilla, Alegria, Flores y Colores"

## **AWARD IAFS-5 - FLOWER SHOW CERTIFICATES**

### **PERU**

#### **AWARD IAFS-5**

**Certificate of Merit in recognition of an outstanding achievement in a Flower Show**

Club: Asociacion Peruana de Clubes de Jardines Florales

Country: Perú

NGC Flower Show: LXX Exposición Especializada de Diseño "Entre Caballos y Flores"

**AWARD IAFS-5**

**Certificate of Merit in recognition of an outstanding achievement in a Flower Show**

Club: Asociacion Peruana de Clubes de Jardines Florales #327

Country: Perú

NGC Flower Show: LXIX Exposicion Estándar de Flores, I Exposicion Descentralizada  
"Fiesta en el Cusco"

**AWARD IAFS – 5**

**Certificate of Merit in recognition of an outstanding achievement in a Flower Show.**

Club: **Club de Jardines Cajamarca Florales #691**

Country: Peru

NGC Flower Show: Exposicion Estándar de Flores NGC "Enclavada en los Andes del Norte"

**AWARD IAFS – 5**

**Certificate of Merit in recognition of an outstanding achievement in a Flower Show.**

Club: **Club Florales Chimbote Club de Jardines #660**

Country: Peru

NGC Flower Show: XV "Navidad, tiempo de Amar"

**ARGENTINA - CERTIFICATES**

**AWARD MP-3(B) SOCIAL MEDIA**

Social Media – Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest

Club: **Garden Club Argentino #274**

**AWARD MP-3(A) Web page**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Garden Club Argentino #274**

Country: Argentina

**AWARD IA-1 Civic Achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **#485 Garden Club San Diego**

Project: "Planting in communities, landscape designs in a public area, plantation project"

Country: Argentina

**AWARD IA-2 Youth Award – The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Garden Club Argentino – Grupo Links - #384**

Project: “ Planting Kokedamas with Children at School”

Country: Argentina

**MEXICO**

**YEARBOOK HB29**

AWARD YB2 Yearbook

Certificate of Merit

Club: #234 Club de Jardineria y Diseño Gladiola

Country: Mexico

**AWARD YB2 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #443 Club de Jardineria BEAUCARNEA**

Country: Mexico

**AWARD YB2 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #630 Club de Jardineria y Diseño Floral El Nogal**

Country: Mexico

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**AWARD YB2 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #632 Club de Jardineria y Diseño El Crespón**

Country: Mexico

**AWARD YB2 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #633 Club de Jardineria y Diseño El Cenizo**

Country: Mexico

**AWARD YB4 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #674 Asociacion de Clubes de Jardineria y Diseño de Coahuila A.C.**

Country: Mexico

**AWARD YB2 Yearbook**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: #169 Club de Jardineria Azucena**

Country: Mexico

**PERU**

**YEAR BOOK**

**AWARD YB-2 Year Book**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Cosmos Club de Jardines #320**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-2 Year Book**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Club de Jardines Los Pensamientos #479**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-2 Year Book**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Club de Jardines Florales Chimbote #660**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-2 Year Book**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Ikebana con Rosas Club Jardin #480**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-2 Year Book**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Club de Jardines Marigold**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-4 Year Book for IA Federations and Associations**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Floralies Asociacion Peruana de Clubes de Jardines #327**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-6 (B) IA Year Book Consultants HB29**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Consejo Peruano de Consultoras de Horticultura Avanzada, Paisajismo y Medio Ambiente #625**

Country: Peru

**AWARD YB-6 IA Judges Council**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Consejo Peruano de Jueces de Exposiciones Florales #330**

Country: Peru

## **SOCIAL MEDIA**

**AWARD MP-3 (B) Social Media/Web Page Facebook**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Club de Jardines Floralies Chimbote #660**

Country: Peru

## **MONTHLY PUBLICATION**

**AWARD PUB-1(E) Monthly Publication**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

Club: **Club de Jardines Florlies Chimbote #660**

Country: Peru

**AWARD PUB-1(E) Monthly Publication**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

Club: **Club de Jardines Ikebana con Rosas #480**

Country: Peru

**AWARD PUB-1 (E) Monthly Publication**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

**Club: Florales Asociacion Peruana de Clubes de Jardines #327**

Country: Peru

**AWARD PUB-1 (E) Monthly Publication**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

**Club: Consejo Peruano de Jueces de Exposiciones Florales #330**

Country: Peru

**AWARD PUB-1 (E) Monthly Publication**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

**Club: Club de Jardines Marigold #329**

Country: Peru

**CALENDAR**

**AWARD PUB-2(E) Calendar**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

**Club: Club de Jardines Marigold #329**

Country: Peru

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**Club: Club de Jardines Florlies Chimbote #660**

Country: Peru

**AWARD PUB-2 (E) Calendar**

**Certificate of Merit Tommy Donnan**

**Club: Club de Jardines Marigold**

Country: Perú

**CIVIC ACHIEVEMENT**

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Club de Jardines Florales Chimbote #660**

Country: Peru

Event: Grandfather's Day (with 300 children)

Horticulture Work Shop with adults and children

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Las Palmeras de Camacho Club de Jardín #323**

Country: Perú

Project: "Ando Reutilizando" Taller Demostración de Arreglos Florales y Horticultura"

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Jazmines Club de Jardín #333**

Country: Perú

Project: Siembra de 300 plantas de Pelargonios en Centro de Educación Básica Especial de Niños "Santa Lucia"

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Cosmos Club de Jardines #320**

Country: Perú

Project: "Siembra y mantenimiento del Parque de Las Leyendas"

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Club de Jardines Marigold #**

Country: Perú

Project: "Siembra y mantenimiento del Parque de Las Leyendas"

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Club de Jardines Los Crisantemos #**

Country; Perú

Project: "Organización y Siembra de un Parque y un Pequeño Huerto en el Poblado de Ihuanco"

**AWARD IA-1 Civic achievement (HB4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

**Club: Kantu Club de Jardines Cusco**

Country: Perú

Project: "Siembra de Jardín en el Cuartel de la Quinta Brigada de Montaña de la Región Militar de Cusco"



## **YOUTH AWARD**

### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Floralies, Asociacion Peruana de Clubes de Jardines #327**

Country: Perú

Project: "Charlas Educativas sobre la Importancia de las Areas Verdes-Escolares del Distrito de Cieneguilla – Lima"

### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Consejo Peruano de Consultoras de Horticultura Avanzada, Paisajismo y Medio Ambiente #625**

Country: Perú

Project: "Siembra de árboles frutales en la Asociacion Los Niños de San Francisco de Asis"

### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

Certificate of Merit

Club: **Casuarinas Club de Jardines #364**

Country: Peru

Project: "Siembra de Hortalizas en Centro Educativo Base Especial Cebe 04"  
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### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Club de Jardines Ikebana con Rosas #480**

Country: Peru

Project: "Siembra de Hortalizas en el Colegio Jorge Chávez y el Colegio Los Próceres"

### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Club de Jardines Marigold #329**

Country: Peru

Project: "Siembra de Suculentas en hogar de jóvenes Reina de la Paz"

## **URUGUAY**

### **AWARD IA-2 The Violet Dawson Youth Award (HB 4)**

**Certificate of Merit**

Club: **Los Lirios Garden Club**

Country: San Jose, Uruguay

Project: Siembra de vegetales en escuela rural con niños.

## FLOWER SHOW ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

**Dorthy Yard, Chairman**

**Frances Thrash, Vice-Chairman**

<b>AWARD #</b>	<b>CATEGORY OF SHOW</b>		<b>RESTRICTIONS</b>		
<b>State</b>	<b>Name of Host Club</b>	<b>Name of Flower Show</b>	<b>Show Date/s</b>	<b>Count</b>	
<b>Award FS-1A</b>	<b>Club Standard Flower Show</b>		<b>Less than 21 Members</b>		
Louisiana	Azalea Garden Club	"Music through the Years"	September 27, 2019	1	
New York	Artful Gardeners Garden Club	"Oz Revisited"	August 23-24, 2019	1	
Wisconsin	Floral Designers of Wisconsin	"Sowing Creatively"	August 8-11, 2019	1	
<b>Award FS-1B</b>	<b>Club Standard Flower Show</b>		<b>21-49 Members</b>		
Arizona	Scottsdale Garden Club	"Our World in Bloom"	March 16-17, 2019	1	
Florida	Plant City Garden Club	"Jungle Mania"	November 9, 2019	1	
Georgia	Hiawassee Garden Club	"The Fruits of Our Labors"	July 19, 2019	1	
Georgia	Seedling Garden Club	"Georgia on My Mind"	April 27, 2019	1	
Louisiana	Lecompte Garden Club	"All Things Bright and Beautiful"	April 11, 2019	1	
Michigan	Holland Garden Club, Inc.	"Poetic Expression"	May 7-10, 2019	1	
Montana	Thumb-R-Green Garden Club	"Symphony in the Garden"	August 30-31, 2019	1	
New Jersey	Neshanic Garden Club	"90 Years of Gardening"	September 13, 2019	1	
New York	Bay Shore Garden Club	"Bayshore-Brightwaters' Treasured Past"	May 17-18, 2019	1	
New York	First District, FGCNYS	"A Walk in the Clouds"	September 14, 2019	1	
New York	Morsemere Garden Club	"Ninety Years of Growing"	May 21, 2019	1	
New York	Nathan Hale Garden Club	"Paris in Bloom"	June 6, 2019	1	
New York	Schuylerville Garden Club	"Games People Play"	July 13-14, 2019	1	
New York	Second District, FGCNYS	"A Social Whirl"	September 12, 2019	1	
Tennessee	The Year Round Garden Club	"Adventure Awaits"	May 16, 2019	1	
<b>Award FS-1C</b>	<b>Club Standard Flower Show</b>		<b>50-99 Members</b>		
Arkansas	Bella Vista Garden Club	"Ozark Autumn Memories"	October 1, 2019	1	
Michigan	Mason County Garden Club	"From Mother Goose to Dr. Seuss"	May 17-18, 2019	1	
Michigan	Tri-Cities Garden Club, Inc.	"Lakeshore Beauty"	July 11, 2019	1	
New York	Centerport Garden Club	"Summer Magic"	September 12-13, 2019	1	
Pennsylvania	District IV GCFP	"Here Comes the Parade!"	March 1-3, 2019	1	
Pennsylvania	The Garden Club of Forest Hills	"A Floral Centennial"	August 23, 2019	1	

Pennsylvania	The Garden Club of Johnstown	“Wandering the Garden Path”	July 12-13, 2019	1
Pennsylvania	Great Meadows GC	“A Midsummer Night’s Dream	July 31, 2019	1
Pennsylvania	Martha Washington GC	“Stayin’ Alive at 85!”	July 26-27, 2019	1
Pennsylvania	The Outdoor Gardeners	“The Magical Land of Oz”	June 7, 2019	1
Washington	Olympia Garden Club	“The Roaring Twenties”	October 11, 2019	1

**Award FS-1D Club Standard Flower Show 100+ Members**

California	Poway Valley Garden Club	“Through the Eyes of a Child”	April 13, 2019	1
Florida	Boca Raton Garden Club	“Mother Goose”	March 1-2, 2019	1
Florida	Garden Club of St. Petersburg, Inc.	“It’s Showtime”	April 27-28, 2019	1
Florida	Homosassa River Garden Club	“Florida’s Memorable Travel Adventures with Flowers”	March 30-31, 2019	1
Florida	Tampa Federation of GC, Inc.	“A World of Children’s Stories”	March 30-31, 2019	1
Kentucky	Garden Club of Frankfort	“Back to School in the USA”	September 14, 2019	1
Ohio	Western Hills Garden Club	“Gems of the West”	July 11-12, 2019	1
Tennessee	Suburban GC of Germantown	“Shakespeare: The Bard in Bloom”	April 3, 2019	1
Virginia	Salisbury Garden Club	“Pages from Our Past	May 1, 2019	1

**Award FS-2A Holiday Standard Flower Show 1 Club**

Florida	Manatee River Garden Club	“All You Need Is Love”	February 8-9, 2019	1
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**Award FS-2B Holiday Standard Flower Show Two or more clubs**

Georgia	The Garden Center, Valdosta, GA and Valdosta Council of Garden Clubs	“A Crescent Christmas”	December 18, 2019	2
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**Award FS-4A Patriotic Standard Flower Show 1 Club**

Mississippi	Greenwood Garden Club	“We the People”	May 25, 2019	1
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**Award FS-4B Patriotic Standard Flower Show Two or more clubs**

Missouri	Lake Bloomers and Eldon Garden Clubs	“America the Beautiful”	June 22, 2019	2
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**Award FS-5A Petite Standard Flower Show 1 Club**

Ohio	Judges Study Class	“Little things Mean a Lot”	April 5-6, 2019	1
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**Award FS-7A Club Small-Standard Flower Show Fewer than 21 Members**

Tennessee	Dayton Garden Club	“Call of the Wild”	June 22, 2019	1
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**Award FS-7B Club Small-Standard Flower Show 21-49 Members**

Alabama	Montgomery Federation of GC	“Down Home Alabama”	October 14, 2019	1
Mississippi	Diamondhead Garden Club	“This Land Is Your Land”	March 27-28, 2019	1

**Award FS-7C Club Small-Standard Flower Show 50-99 Members**

Pennsylvania	The Garden Club of Clarion County	“Down on the Farm”	August 12, 2019	1
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**Award FS-8 Holiday Small Standard Flower Show 1 Club Fewer than 100 members**

Missouri	The Garden Guild	“Christmas at the Carousel”	November 21-22, 2019	
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**Award FS-13 Near Club Standard Flower Show 2 or more clubs**

Alabama	Northeast Alabama Federation of GC	“Oh! The Places You’ll Go”	Sept. 23-29, 2019	1
Georgia	Ama Kanasta, Sweetwater and Town & Country Garden Clubs	“Magical Triumph”	June 1, 2019	3
Virginia	Calfee Garden Club and Culpeper Garden Club	“Culpeper Times”	April 9, 2019	2

**Award FS-14A Council Standard Flower Show 3 or more clubs**

Alabama	North End Council of GC	“Where the Sweet Magnolias Blossom”	May 16-17, 2019	1
Georgia	Thomasville Garden Club, Inc.	“Our Georgia”	April 26, 2019	1
South Carolina	Council of Garden Clubs of Greater Charleston	“All the World Is a Stage”	October 31-Nov 4, 2019	1

**Award FS-15A District/Region Standard Flower Show 15 or fewer NGC Clubs**

Maryland	Federated GCs of Maryland, District I	“Halloween”	October 30, 2019	1
Michigan	Michigan GC District IV	“The Magic of the Secret Garden	September 7-8, 2019	1
Mississippi	Natchez Trace District	“Gardens of the Galaxy”	November 11, 2019	1
Washington	Hill & Dale District	“Let’s Play Tourist”	September 24, 2019	1
Washington	Hill & Dale District	“Wings & Things”	March 26, 2019	1

**Award FS-15B District/Region Standard Flower Show 16 or more NGC Clubs**

Georgia	Redbud District	“Daisy Saddles Up”	September 6, 2019	1
Virginia	Tidewater District VFGC	“Rhythm in Hues”	January 25-27, 2019	1

**Award FS-17C Youth Participation Division of Adult Flower Show**

Alabama	Johnny Jump-Ups and Moon Lake Jr. GCs	“Oh! The Places You’ll Go”	September 23-29, 2019	2
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**Award FS-18 International Affiliates Flower Show 1 or more IA clubs**

**Award FS-19 Plant Society Flower Show Co-sponsored with an NGC member club**

California Garden & "Around the World with Mums" November 9-10, 2019 1  
Floral Arrangers Guild

**Award FS-20A Horticulture Specialty Flower Show 1 Club**

Massachusetts Springfield Garden Club "Autumn in the Valley, October 3-5, 2019 1  
Celebrating Nature's Bounty"

New Jersey Garden Club of Fair Haven "Plant America" September 11, 2019 1

Tennessee Magnolia Garden Club "Take a Sensory Excursion" June 7, 2019 1

Washington Des Moines Garden Club "Plantmania" March 30, 2019 1

**Award FS 20C Horticulture Specialty Flower Show County, District, State, Region**

Georgia South Georgia Judges "Where the Wildlife Roam" September 26, 2019 1

Tennessee Garden Club of Rosemark "Everything Old Is New Again- September 28, 2019 1  
Recycle, Reuse, Reduce,  
Repurpose, Rethink, Renew"

**Award FS-21A Design Specialty Flower Show 1 Club**

Mississippi McComb Garden Club, Inc. "Meet Me in Mississippi" February 4, 2019 1

**Award FS-21B Design Specialty Flower Show 2 or more Clubs**

Mississippi Design Masters Study Club "Masters of Design" November 2, 2019 2  
and Winona Garden Club

**Award FS-21C Design Specialty Flower Show County, District, State, Region**

Colorado Colorado Council of "Rhythms in Bloom" February 8-17, 2019 2  
Flower Show Judges

Rhode Island Rhode Island Federation of GC "Dream, Discover, Design!" April 4-7, 2019 1

South Carolina The Nationally "Birds of a Feather Design Together" April 11-13, 2019 1  
Accredited Judges Club  
of South Carolina

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**Shows receiving Certificates of Commendation for holding a flower show supporting the aims and objectives of National Garden Clubs, Inc.**

FS-2B Alabama Federated Garden Clubs of District III "Our Favorite Things" December 13-14, 2018 1

FS-1D Florida Naples Garden Club "Making Music" March 22-23, 2019 1

FS-17C	Louisiana	Backyard Kids Jr. GC/Azalea GC	"Music Through the Years"	September 27, 2019	1
FS-1B	Missouri	Fulton Garden Club	"Season of Color"	July 9, 2019	1
FS-13	Missouri	Four Winds and Sprig & Twig Garden Clubs	"Autumn Winds"	September 20-22, 2019	2
FS-20A	Ohio	Chippewa Garden Club	"A Million Garden Memories... Going Platinum in 2019"	July 13-14, 2019	1
FS-21A	Tennessee	Rachel Jackson Garden Club	"A Summer Dance"	June 28, 2019	1
FS-19	Tennessee	Eastside Garden Club	"All in the Family"	April 27, 2019	1
FS-1B	Virginia	Luray Garden Club	"September in the Valley"	September 7, 2019	1
FS-14A	Virginia	Winchester Garden Club	"Give Thanks, Share Love, Spread Cheer"	Nov. 22-23, 2019	1

### NGC SCHOLARSHIPS RECIPIENTS FOR 2020 CONVENTION

State	Applicant Name	Named Scholarship
Arizona	Paige Anthony	Barbara Barnette
Arkansas	Thomas McKeown	Mary B. Kittel
California	Borah Lim	Ellamae Fehrer
California	Natalie Rachel Fulton	Mary Louise Michie
Colorado	Alexandra Leigh VanTill	Helen S. Hull
Connecticut	Anastasia N Salisbury	Helen Hussey Champlin
Florida	Blaire Mallory Kleiman	Jessie M Conner
Georgia	Alana Scott Edwards	Deen Day Sanders
Georgia	Zia Valerie Williamson	Ellen Griffin
Idaho	Katherine Grace Woodhouse	Hubert Bond Owens
Illinois	Nora Grace Hardy	Violet Herich Dawson
Indiana	Tanner Jordan Prewitt	Thekla Neuner
Iowa	Caryn Lyn Dawson	Katherine Henby Hedley
Kansas	Karen Schneck	Junne Johnsrud
Kentucky	Rebecca Caldbeck	Sandra H. Robinson
Louisiana	Abbie Judice	Phyllis J. Wood
Maine	Jordan Thomas Daigle	Robert H Rucker
Maryland	Mia Quinto	Shirley Nicolai
Massachusetts	Emma Katherine Burke	Barbara D. May
Massachusetts	Angela B Luckey	Jean T. Ladson
Michigan	Haley Suzane Kuhnle	Osa Mae Barton
Minnesota	Brett Stolpestad	Kitty Larkin
Mississippi	Dane Christensen	Geraldine Dean
Missouri	Danielle Evilsizor	Lucile Mauntel
Montana	Chris Prange	Evelyn Mooney
Nevada	Cameron Nicole Yetta	Renee D Blaschke

New Jersey	Daniel Ilkow	May Duff Walters
New Mexico	Jonathan R Lewis	June P Wood
New York	Sarah Kirkpatrick	Eleanor R Crosby
North Carolina	Brian Schulker	Eleanor L Yates
North Dakota	Grace Dragseth	Miriam Anderson Steel
Ohio	Andrew Yates	Winifred Fink
Oklahoma	Phoebe Witten Austerman	Lorena Martin Spillers
Oregon	Kimberly May Ortiz	Linda G. Nelson Bentson
Pennsylvania	Kimberly Ferrara	Lois Dupre Shuster
Rhode Island	Sydney Pezza-Luther	Tempie Dahlgren
South Dakota	Mary Jo Nold	Cornelia H Kellogg
Tennessee	Anna Katherine Armour	Cordelia Brumby/Hazel Dillingham
Utah	Kali Jo Clarke	Jane Layman
Vermont	Jennifer Mallinson Mull	Hazel L. Knapp
Virginia	Amber Edwards	Nancy L. Hargroves
Washington	Stephanie Roh	Violet Gose
West Virginia	Russell Husted Ward IV	Martha Smith

## NGC 2019 YOUTH RECYCLED SCULPTURE CONTEST WINNERS

### Grades 4-8 winners

#### Grade 4

1 <sup>st</sup> Pl	Cael Speltz	San Diego Country Garden Guild	California	Pacific
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jose Aguirre	Byhalia Garden Club	Mississippi	Deep South
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Emilia Fulton	Caro Garde Club	Michigan	
HM	Allison Callie McKenzie	Springfield Acres Garden Club	North Carolina	Central Atlantic

#### Grade 5

1 <sup>st</sup> Pl	Sammie Mitchell	Park Place Garden Club	Mississippi	Deep South
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Adam Weston	Williamston Red Cedar Garden Club	Michigan	Central
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Carl Mills	Harrisburg Garden Club	Arkansas	South Central
HM	Eden Eley	San Diego Country Garden Guild	California	Pacific
HM	Suriya Pope	Springfield Acres Garden Club	North Carolina	Central Atlantic

#### Grade 6

1 <sup>st</sup> Pl	Ximena Mondragon	Four Seasons Garden Club	PA	Central Atlantic
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Braeleigh Geirard	Rose Garden Club	Oklahoma	South Central
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Anna Scott Mitchell	Greenville Garden Club	Mississippi	Deep South
HM	Amelia Garrean	Plattsmouth Garden Club	Nebraska	Rocky Mountain
HM	Madalyn Talbot	Mt. Cleman Garden Club	Washington	Pacific
HM	Kyan Hantle	Caro Garden Club	Michigan	Central

#### Grade 7

1 <sup>st</sup> Pl	John Godwin		Alabama	Deep South
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Grace Brewer	Hobart Garden Club	Indiana	Central
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Brodie Turner	Country Gardeners	Washington	Pacific

#### Grade 8

1 <sup>st</sup> Pl	Annabcyia Munoz	Rose Garden Club	Oklahoma	South Central
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Kennedy Powell	Country Gardeners	Washington	Pacific
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jaydon Scalzitti	Hobart Garden Club	Indiana	Central
HM	Celeste Maos-Carde	Potpourri Garden Club	Delaware	Central Atlantic
HM	Brianna Gardner	Garden Center of Valdosta	Georgia	Deep South

### **NGC POETRY WINNERS 2019 – 2020**

#### KINDERGARTEN

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Abigail Davis, Central Reg., Sponsor: Fulton Garden Club, Maryland  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Price Partridge, Deep South, Sponsor: Hernando Civic Garden Club, MS  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Emilia Sanford, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: GC of New Rochelle, NY

#### FIRST GRADE

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Natalie Pinkerton, Pacific, Sponsor: Pecan Grove Garden Club, Arizona  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Eva Thompson, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: Calvert Garden Club, Maryland  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Finn Monahan, Northeast, Sponsor: Bar Harbor Garden Club, Maine

#### SECOND GRADE

- 1<sup>st</sup> – London Tafa, Central, Sponsor: Vinton Garden Club, Iowa  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Leah Murphy, Northeast, Sponsor: Seacoast Garden Club, Maine  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Abby Hooper, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: Ingomar Garden Club, PA

#### THIRD GRADE

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Savanna Alleyne, Northeast, Sponsor: North Haven Garden Club, CT  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Keegan Smartt, Deep South, Sponsor: Aldersgate Garden Club, TN  
3<sup>rd</sup> – Reilynn Austin, Pacific, Sponsor: Las Vegas Flower Arrangers Guild, Nevada

#### FOURTH GRADE

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Trinity Coury, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: Pucketos Garden Club, PA  
2<sup>nd</sup> – Myia Gardner, Pacific, Sponsor: Illahee Garden Club, WA  
3<sup>rd</sup> (TIE) Ryder Milczski, Rocky Mountains, Sponsor: Plattsmouth GC, NE  
3<sup>rd</sup> (TIE) Savannah Tidwell, Deep South, Sponsor: Magnolia GC, GA



## FIFTH GRADE

1<sup>st</sup> – Viola Crook, Pacific, Sponsor: Poway Valley Garden Club, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> – Nichols James, Deep South, Sponsor: Magnolia Garden Club, GA

3<sup>rd</sup> (TIE) Addison Slaven, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: GC of Long Beach Island, NJ

3<sup>rd</sup> (TIE) Ellen Spicka, Rocky Mountain, Sponsor: Plattsmouth Garden Club, NE

## SIXTH GRADE

1<sup>st</sup> – Renata Lovitt, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: Worcester County GC, MD

2<sup>nd</sup> – Hannah Spahr, Northeast, Sponsor: Hampdon Garden Club, Maine

3<sup>rd</sup> – Carina Sarlay, Deep South, Sponsor: Magnolia Garden Club, GA

## SEVENTH GRADE

1<sup>st</sup> – Ava Frias, Deep South, Sponsor: Ft. Lauderdale Garden Club, FL

2<sup>nd</sup> - Maggie Metzler, Northeast, Sponsor: Hampden Garden Club, Maine

3<sup>rd</sup> – Miriam Crook, Pacific, Sponsor: Poway Valley Garden Club, CA

## EIGHTH GRADE

1<sup>st</sup> – Felicia Folders, Pacific, Sponsor: High Desert Designers Garden Club, AZ

2<sup>nd</sup> – Spencer Carpenter, Northeast, Sponsor: Seacoast Garden Club, Maine

3<sup>rd</sup> – Blake Schaper, Central, Sponsor: Edwardsville Garden Club, Illinois

## NINETH GRADE

1<sup>st</sup> – Nia Savana, Central Atlantic, Sponsor: Shipley's Choice Garden Club, MD

2<sup>nd</sup> – Lizzy Ilko, Deep South, Sponsor: Paris Garden Club, TN

3<sup>rd</sup> (TIE) Ava Fleury, Central, Sponsor: Capital Garden Club, MO

3<sup>rd</sup>(TIE) Benjamin Crook, Pacific, Sponsor: Poway Valley Garden Club, CA

## ESOL grades 1 - 3

1<sup>st</sup> – William Lopez-Sanchez, Deep South, Sponsor: Odum Garden Club, GA

2<sup>nd</sup> – Omar Lopez Hernandez, Deep South, Sponsor: Southern Lily GC, GA

3<sup>rd</sup> – Omar Guerrero-Guera, Sponsor: Dogwood Garden Club, GA

## ESOL grades 4 – 5

1<sup>st</sup> - Leslie James, Deep South, Sponsor: Southern Lily Garden Club, GA

2<sup>nd</sup> – Omar Lopez-Sanchez, Sponsor: Odum Garden Club, GA

## ESL (first grade and fifth listed in this order)

1<sup>st</sup> – Dante Afile, Pacific, Sponsor: Pecan Grove Garden Club, AZ

1<sup>st</sup> – Luke Griffis, Deep South, Sponsor: Odum Garden Club, GA