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Your Garden Club:	
Fees:	
Full Course (2 days)	\$165
Exam for Credit	\$5
Design Day (9/25/25)	\$90
Horticulture Day (9/24/25)	\$90
RBGC Member (Full Course)	\$145
Total Remittance \$	
Fees include morning snack and lunch. Special dietary requests cannot be accommodated.	
REFUNDS ARE ONLY AVAILABLE UP TO 2 WEEKS PRIOR TO START OF EACH COURSE.	
Make checks payable to:	
RBGC (Red Bluff Garden Club)	
Mail to: Fran Galantine, Registrar	
7711 Truckee Ave., Gerber CA 96035	
Registration Deadline	
September 19, 2025	
Initial:	
I agree to accept Course outline via email, and will print & bring a copy for my use.	
I understand that my image may be edited, copied, exhibited, or published by the Red Bluff Garden Club.	

September 24-26, 2025 COURSE IV

Schedule Day 1:

8:00 am - 8:15 am Registration/Announcements

8:15 am - 9:15 am Flower Show Procedure

9:15 am - 9:30 am Break

9:30 am - 11:00 am Horticulture

11:00 am - 11:45 am Lunch

11:45 am - 1:15 pm Horticulture (continued)

1:15 pm - 1:30 pm Break

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm Practice Point Scoring

3:30 pm - 3:45 pm Break

3:45 pm - 5:45 pm Written Point Scoring Exam Clipboards will not be provided but are recommended.

Schedule Day 2

8:00 am - 8:15 am Registration/Announcements

8:15 am - 9:15 am Flower Show Procedure

9:15 am - 9:30 am Break

9:30 am - 11:00 am Design

11:00 am - 11:45 am Lunch

11:45 am - 1:15 pm Design (continued)

1:15 pm - 1:30 pm Break

1:30 pm - 3:30 pm Practice Point Scoring

3:30 pm - 3:45 pm Break

3:45 pm - 5:45 pm Written Point Scoring Exam Clipboards will not be provided but are recommended.

Schedule Day 3:

8:00 am - 8:15 am Registration/Announcements

8:15 am - 11:15 am Written Exam

Horticulture, Flower Show Procedure & Design

*Exact layout of presentation is subject to change by instructors.

FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL

Course IV

September 24, 25, and 26, 2025 First United Methodist Church

> 525 David Ave., Red Bluff, CA 96080



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Course Instructors

The Red Bluff Garden Club is pleased to present two well-known and highly respected National Garden Club, Inc. Flower Show School Instructors to Northern California.

Horticulture and Flower Show Procedures:

Jan Griffin was born, raised and educated in the Seattle, Washington area where her gardening interests evolved around growing food as well as flowers. She has always loved flowers and spend many hours finding out which plant did the best for what type of conditions. The Seattle area was a mecca for many different blooming annuals, colorful bulbs, and wonderful evergreens. Upon moving to Florida in late 1989, Jan quickly learned those plants she knew all about would not thrive in Florida's climate. She joined a Garden Club and started her quest for learning about other varied and interesting plants. She continued her education by becoming a Flower Show Judge. Now an Accredited Master Flower Show Judge, she teaches Floral Design classes as well as horticulture for Flower Show Schools and have developed several horticulture programs for clubs, judges, and civic groups.

Being actively involved in The Florida Federation of Garden Clubs and Florida Flower Show Judges keeps her busy. She has been honored to serve as horticulture chairman for six state flower shows and several district shows.

Her other interests include her family, golf, and working in her friend's florist shop. Her comment to all her wonderful design friends is that you need great horticulture to create great designs.

Design:

Judy Binns is a member of the Salisbury GC, former President of Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, NGC Accredited Master Flower Show Judge and NGC Flower Show School Design Instructor. Judy is a member of the Council at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts where she has been actively involved with "Fine Arts and Flowers"- as an exhibitor, co-chairman, and sponsor liaison. She is a member of the Piedmont District Judges Council, Creative Floral Arrangers of the Americas, and National Flower Arrangers.

Course IV Curriculum

Design: Botanical Arts

Horticulture:

- Container Grown: Philodendron, Pothos, Monstera
- Collection and Displays

Flower Show Procedure

*Course outline and information will be emailed to participants 4-6 weeks before event.

FLOWER SHOW SCHOOL

Flower Show Schools were formed to train Judges but they are also a great place to learn horticulture and design for Flower Shows exhibition and Flower Show Procedures. All Club members are welcome to attend all or part of the program with registration fees paid.

- Students must bring an 8.5" x 11" clipboard
- Students are required to bring Handbook for *Flower Shows 2017 Revised Edition* to class. 2017 edition (corrected July 2023) is available on line at the NGC website for free download or \$25 purchase. Homepage/National Garden Clubs, Inc.>Schools>Flower Show School>FSS School Resources
- Students are encouraged to read:
 - Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging (\$30)
 - Outlines of Period Flower Arrangements by Hannay (\$5)

Both books are available at the NGC, Inc., online store, or from club library for checkout.

CERTIFICATION

Upon successful completion of three courses a student is referred to as a Student Judge and is eligible to join a Judges Council. After completion of all four courses with a passing grade of 70% or more and fulfilling the Judging Requirements, a student is eligible to apply to become a National Garden Clubs, Inc. Accredited Flower Show Judge.

For more information see:

http//gardenclub.org/resources/ngc-schools-guide-forstudents-and-consultants.pdf

Available Lodging:

- Hummingbird House, Red Bluff 701 Rio St., Red Bluff 530-727-7856
- Hampton Inn Suites, Red Bluff
 520 Adobe Rd, Red Bluff
 530-529-4178
- Holiday Inn Express & Suites, Red Bluff
 2810 Main St, Red Bluff
 530-528-1600

"Thankfulness is the beginning of gratitude. Gratitude is the completion of thankfulness. Thankfulness may consist merely of words. Gratitude is shown in acts."

-Henri Frederic Amiel

Special thanks to the Red Bluff Garden Club membership for all of their support and care to make our Flower Show School a success!

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