

Monday April 13, 2026
Design Instructor – Gina Jogan



Registration: 8:00 AM – 8:30 AM
Welcome: 8:30 AM – 8:45 AM
Allied Subject Instructor-
Gina Jogan: 8:45 AM – 9:45 AM
Allied Title: “Ethics & Point Scoring”
Refreshment Break: 9:45 AM – 10:00 AM
Design Instructor-
Gina Jogan 10:00 AM – 12 Noon
Title: “Panel & Mono-Botanic Designs”
Lunch Break: 12 Noon – 12:45 PM
Continue Design
& oral point scoring: 12:45 PM – 2:45 PM
Refreshment Break: 2:45 PM – 3:00 PM
Point Scoring Exam: 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Tuesday, April 14, 2026
Horticulture Instructor – David Robson

Registration: 8:00 AM – 8:30 AM
Welcome: 8:30 AM – 8:45 AM
Allied Subject Instructor-
David Robson 8:45 AM – 9:45 AM
Allied Title: “Common mistakes when
Writing & Judging Horticulture and Botanical
Arts Horticulture”
Refreshment Break: 9:45 AM – 10:00 AM
Horticulture Instructor-
David Robson 10:00 AM – 12 Noon
Title: “Peonies & Heuchera”
Lunch Break: 12 Noon – 12:45 PM
Continue Horticulture
& oral point scoring: 12:45 PM – 2:45 PM
Refreshment Break: 2:45 PM – 3:00 PM
Point Scoring Exam: 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Tennessee Council of Nationally
Accredited
Flower Show Judges District II
Presents a
National Garden Clubs, Inc.
Flower Show Symposium

April 13, 14, 2026

Location

The Oaklands Mansion – Maney Hall
900 North Namey Avenue
Murfreesboro TN 37130

Symposium Chairman

Kathy Rychen

615-406-5716

kathyrychen@gmail.com

Available Lodging list of local
Hotels/Motels will be included in
your registration confirmation

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____

E-mail _____

Circle your Judging Level

Student Accredited Life Master

Your Garden Club _____

Full Course, Outline & Exam - \$185.00

Full Course, Outline, No Exam - \$180.00

If you plan to attend only one day please
circle the day.

Monday - \$90.00

Tuesday - \$90.00

Make checks payable to

TFGC District II Judges Council

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Mail to: Kathy Rychen

3353 Earhart Road

Mt. Juliet TN 37122-3727

Deadline to Register

March 31, 2026

No Refunds after April 1, 2026

**NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.
INSTRUCTORS**

GENERAL INFORMATION

**NGC
TENNESSEE FLOWER SHOW JUDGES**

Gina Jogan - Design Instructor

Is a National Garden Club Master Accredited Flower Show Judge and an NGC Symposium and Allied Topics Instructor since 2002. She serves on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee as the New Design and Flower Show Procedure Instructor Chairman. She is an active member of numerous Regional, State and local Garden Clubs. Gina's designs have been published in articles, magazines, calendars and on-line. Gina will teach Panel and Mono-Botanic Designs and her Allied Topics are Ethics and Point Scoring. Gina lives in Molino, Florida.

David Robson – Horticulture Instructor

Is a retired Horticulture and Pesticide safety specialist with the University of Illinois. A Graduate of Iowa State university and the University of Illinois, He is a National Garden Clubs, Inc., Master Flower Show Judge and Symposium Horticulture Instructor. He currently serves on the NGC Board of Directors as Vice Chairman of the Flower Shows and Flower Show School Committee, as well as the Horticulture Instructors and Credentials Chairman also, he is an NGC PH & E Trustee.

The public is invited & welcome to attend the full course or individual lectures for the stated fee.

Only NGC Flower Show Judges are eligible to take the course for credit, provided all judging & exhibiting requirements have been fulfilled. No Credentials will be verified at the Symposium unless previously arranged with the State Credentials Chairman Paula Fortson.

Out of State Judges must have their credentials cleared by their State's Credentials Chairman.

All Judges Local & Out of State must have a 2017 revised edition of the Handbook for Flower Shows, and the Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging Book with them if taking the course for credit.

All lectures must be attended including
The Practice Point Scoring.
NO EXCEPTIONS.

Refer to the NGC Handbook for Flower Shows Revised 2017 edition and updates and Chapter 12
For Judges requirements and proper forms to use.

All Tennessee Flower Show Judges refreshing for credit must send Five (\$5.00) dollars with their paperwork to the
Tennessee State Credentials Chairman

Paula Fortson
118 Highland Avenue
Athens TN 37303

**Flower Show Judges use the following
NGC Forms**

Accredited Level II Judge – Form 13

Accredited Life Judge – Form 15-L

Accredited Master Judge – Form 15-M