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National Garden Clubs, Inc.

2024 Government

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Form **990**

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No. 1545-0047

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

2024

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A For the 2024 calendar year, or tax year beginning 06/01/24, and ending 05/31/25

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.		D Employer identification number 43-0739519
	Doing business as		E Telephone number 314-776-7574
	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) 4401 MAGNOLIA AVENUE		Room/suite
	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code ST. LOUIS MO 63110		G Gross receipts \$ 3,620,269
F Name and address of principal officer: BILL TRAPP 4401 MAGNOLIA AVE ST. LOUIS MO 63110			H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. See instructions
I Tax-exempt status: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527			
J Website: HTTPS://WWW.GARDENCLUB.ORG/			H(c) Group exemption number
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other			L Year of formation: 1959 M State of legal domicile: MO

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: SEE SCHEDULE O			
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.			
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	206
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	206
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2024 (Part V, line 2a)	5	6
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	138000
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	7,850
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b	0	
Revenue			Prior Year	Current Year
	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	385,953	723,477
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	382,115	476,411
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	1,308,691	1,682,267
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	1,475	8,903
12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	2,078,234	2,891,058	
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	326,722	352,510
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	512,209	471,151
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	0	
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	1,098,566	1,348,899
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	1,937,497	2,172,560
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	140,737	718,498	
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	25,047,774	26,253,669
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	111,410	37,112
22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	24,936,364	26,216,557	

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	Signature of officer		Date	
	LYNETTE JEFFRES Type or print name and title		TREASURER	
Paid Preparer Use Only	Preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if PTIN
	ROBERT M. KLUTHO, CPA	ROBERT M. KLUTHO, CPA	11/03/25	self-employed P00229981
	Firm's name	Firm's EIN		
CONNER ASH P.C.		43-1012822		
Firm's address		Phone no.		
12101 WOODCREST EXECUTIVE DR STE 300 ST. LOUIS, MO 63141		314-205-2510		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC. PROVIDES EDUCATION, RESOURCES, AND NATIONAL NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES FOR ITS MEMBERS TO PROMOTE THE LOVE OF GARDENING, FLORAL DESIGN, AND CIVIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESPONSIBILITY.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?

Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O.

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?

Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,067,241 including grants of \$ 182,560) (Revenue \$ 263,036) GARDEN STUDY COURSES, CONVENTIONS, NET SALES OF MEMBER SERVICE ITEMS, AND OFFICER EXPENSES WHICH PROMOTED HORTICULTURE. THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS SERVED WAS 4,000.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 221,915 including grants of \$ 169,950) (Revenue \$) SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS PROMOTED STUDY OF HORTICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT, PROMOTED THE LOVE OF GARDENING, FLORAL DESIGN, AND CIVIC & ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN. THERE WERE 52 SCHOLARSHIPS GRANTED BY THE NATIONAL OFFICE.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 213,375 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 213,375) THE BLUE STAR MEMORIAL PROGRAM HONORS SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN BY CREATING A BLUE STAR HIGHWAY SYSTEM COVERING THE UNITED STATES THROUGH THE DISPLAYING OF BLUE STAR MARKERS ALONGSIDE HIGHWAYS AND OTHER LOCATIONS SUCH AS PARKS, VETERANS' FACILITIES, AND GARDENS. 125 MARKERS WERE PURCHASED DURING THE YEAR.

4d Other program services (Describe on Schedule O.)

(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses 1,502,531

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? See instructions	X	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		X
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II		X
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Rev. Proc. 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	X	
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV		X
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in donor-restricted endowments or in quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	X	
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X, as applicable.		
a	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI	X	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII		X
c	Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII		X
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15, that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX		X
e	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X		X
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	X	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	X	
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional		X
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV		X
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV		X
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I. See instructions		X
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II		X
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III		X
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		X
b	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	X	

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows 22-38 covering various IRS requirements.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

Input box for Part V check

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows 1a-1c regarding Form 1096 and backup withholding.

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued)		Yes	No		
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	6		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b		X	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		X	
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation on Schedule O	3b		X	
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a			X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).				
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a			X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b			X
c	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c			
6a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a			X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b			
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).				
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a			X
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b			
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c			X
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7d			
e	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e			X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f			X
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g			
h	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h			
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8			
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.				
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a			
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b			
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:				
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	10a			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	10b			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:				
a	Gross income from members or shareholders	11a			
b	Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	11b			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	12b			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.				
a	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note: See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	13a			
b	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b			
c	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c			
14a	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a			X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation on Schedule O	14b			
15	Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.	15			X
16	Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.	16			X
17	Section 501(c)(21) organizations. Did the trust, any disqualified or other person, engage in any activities that would result in the imposition of an excise tax under section 4951, 4952, or 4953? If "Yes," complete Form 6069.	17			

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure. For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes on Schedule O. See instructions. Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 4 columns: Question, Sub-question, Yes, No. Rows include 1a (206), 1b (206), 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 4 columns: Question, Sub-question, Yes, No. Rows include 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed NONE
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A, if applicable), 990, and 990-T (section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe on Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.
20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records.

BILL TRAPP
ST. LOUIS

4401 MAGNOLIA AVE

MO 63110

314-776-7574

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (box 5 of Form W-2, box 6 of Form 1099-MISC, and/or box 1 of Form 1099-NEC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations. See the instructions for the order in which to list the persons above.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) BILL TRAPP EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	35.00 0.00			X				116,462	0	3,750
(2) BRENDA MOORE PRESIDENT	35.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(3) DONNA ROUCH FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT	35.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(4) DONNA DONNELLY SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT	35.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(5) GERIANNE HOLZMAN THIRD VICE-PRESIDENT	35.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(6) MONICA HANSEN RECORDING SECRETARY	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(7) LYNETTE JEFFRES TREASURER	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(8) BUD QUALK CORRESPONDING SECRET	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(9) SUSAN YODER HISTORIAN	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(10) PATTY ARNDT PARLIAMENTARIAN	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0
(11) MARY WARSHAUER PH&E DIRECTOR	5.00 0.00	X		X				0	0	0

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC/1099-NEC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(12) LYNNE EHNERT	5.00									
..... CENTRAL REGION DIREC	0.00	X						0	0	0
(13) DEBBY COOPER	5.00									
..... DEEP SOUTH REGION DI	0.00	X						0	0	0
(14) SUSAN MINER	5.00									
..... NEW ENGLAND REGION D	0.00	X						0	0	0
(15) CAROL NORQUIST	5.00									
..... PACIFIC REGION DIREC	0.00	X						0	0	0
(16) ROBBIE KUPPER	5.00									
..... ROCKY MOUNTAIN REGIO	0.00	X						0	0	0
(17) CARCILLE BURCHETTE	5.00									
..... SOUTH ATLANTIC REGIO	0.00	X						0	0	0
(18) SARAH MCREYNOLDS	5.00									
..... SOUTH CENTRAL REGION	0.00	X						0	0	0
(19)										
1b Subtotal								116,462		3,750
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								116,462		3,750

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization 1

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	3	X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	4	X
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person	5	X

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization 0

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b 152,664				
	c Fundraising events	1c				
	d Related organizations	1d				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f 570,813				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f	1g \$				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		723,477			
	Program Service Revenue	2a CONVENTIONS AND MEETINGS	Business Code 900099	233,490	233,490	
b BLUE STAR MEMORIAL FD INCOME		900099	213,375	213,375		
c SCHOOL FEES		900099	21,415	21,415		
d WEDDING AND EVENTS		525100	4,500		4,500	
e ADVERTISING REVENUE FROM PE		900099	3,350		3,350	
f All other program service revenue			281	281		
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f			476,411			
Other Revenue		3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		658,060		658,060
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6a Gross rents	6a	(i) Real	(ii) Personal		
		b Less: rental expenses	6b			
		c Rental inc. or (loss)	6c			
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	7a	(i) Securities	(ii) Other		
		b Less: cost or other basis and sales exps.	7b 615,730			
		c Gain or (loss)	7c 1,024,207			
	d Net gain or (loss)		1,024,207		1,024,207	
	8a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18	8a				
		b Less: direct expenses	8b			
		c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events				
9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	9a					
	b Less: direct expenses	9b				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a 122,384					
	b Less: cost of goods sold	10b 113,481				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory		8,903	8,903		
Miscellaneous Revenue	11a	Business Code				
	b					
	c					
	d All other revenue					
	e Total. Add lines 11a-11d					
12 Total revenue. See instructions		2,891,058	477,464	7,850	1,682,267	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	182,560	182,560		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22	169,950	169,950		
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	189,044	94,522	94,522	
6 Compensation not included above to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	282,107	141,053	141,054	
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes				
11 Fees for services (nonemployees):				
a Management				
b Legal	30,713		30,713	
c Accounting	31,710		31,710	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	57,099		57,099	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses				
14 Information technology	53,190		53,190	
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	332,023	166,012	166,011	
17 Travel	31,059	31,059		
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	319,857	319,258	599	
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	186,169	113,440	72,729	
23 Insurance	29,375	16,431	12,944	
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses on line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A), amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a RESTRICTED EXP - BLUE STA	213,375	213,375		
b SUPPLIES	19,283	9,825	9,458	
c AWARDS EXPENSES	16,502	16,502		
d MISCELLANEOUS	15,217	15,217		
e All other expenses	13,327	13,327		
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	2,172,560	1,502,531	670,029	0
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year	
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	123,722	1	142,917
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net	26,032	4	7,717
	5	Loans and other receivables from any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)		6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use	159,145	8	142,872
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	17,585	9	42,126
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	6,038,959		
	10b	Less: accumulated depreciation	3,641,535	10c	2,397,424
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities	22,355,039	11	23,513,825
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14	Intangible assets	47,500	14	6,788
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 33)	25,047,774	16	26,253,669	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	111,410	17	37,112
	18	Grants payable		18	
	19	Deferred revenue		19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22	Loans and other payables to any current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, creator or founder, substantial contributor, or 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		25	
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	111,410	26	37,112
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27, 28, 32, and 33.				
	27	Net assets without donor restrictions	21,340,853	27	21,955,594
	28	Net assets with donor restrictions	3,595,511	28	4,260,963
	Organizations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 29 through 33.				
	29	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		29	
	30	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		30	
	31	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		31	
	32	Total net assets or fund balances	24,936,364	32	26,216,557
33	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	25,047,774	33	26,253,669	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	2,891,058
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	2,172,560
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	718,498
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 32, column (A))	4	24,936,364
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	561,695
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain on Schedule O)	9	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 32, column (B))	10	26,216,557

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain on Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both. <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
2b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
2c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain on Schedule O.	X	
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Uniform Guidance, 2 C.F.R. Part 200, Subpart F?		X
3b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why on Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No. 1545-0047

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

2024

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

Employer identification number

43-0739519

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status. (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990).)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state:
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university:
- 10 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions, subject to certain exceptions; and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box on lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations
 - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
Total						

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	392,987	310,025	327,627	385,953	723,477	2,140,069
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	392,987	310,025	327,627	385,953	723,477	2,140,069
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						255,075
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						1,884,994

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2020	(b) 2021	(c) 2022	(d) 2023	(e) 2024	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	392,987	310,025	327,627	385,953	723,477	2,140,069
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	374,599	487,031	456,777	621,792	658,060	2,598,259
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on				7,924		7,924
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						4,746,252

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) **12** 590,945

13 **First 5 years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2024 (line 6, column (f), divided by line 11, column (f)) **14** 39.72%

15 Public support percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 **15** 41.86%

16a **33 1/3% support test — 2024.** If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b **33 1/3% support test — 2023.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and **stop here.** The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

17a **10%-facts-and-circumstances test — 2024.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

b **10%-facts-and-circumstances test — 2023.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test, check this box and **stop here.** Explain in Part VI how the organization meets the facts-and-circumstances test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

18 **Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2020, (b) 2021, (c) 2022, (d) 2023, (e) 2024, (f) Total. Rows include: 1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received; 2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed; 3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513; 4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit; 5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit; 6 Total; 7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons; 7b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons; 7c Add lines 7a and 7b; 8 Public support.

Section B. Total Support

Table with 7 columns: (a) 2020, (b) 2021, (c) 2022, (d) 2023, (e) 2024, (f) Total. Rows include: 9 Amounts from line 6; 10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources; 10b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975; 10c Add lines 10a and 10b; 11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included on line 10b; 12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets; 13 Total support; 14 First 5 years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

Table with 3 columns: Description, Amount, Percentage. Row 15: Public support percentage for 2024 (line 8, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) - 15 - %; Row 16: Public support percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 - 16 - %

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

Table with 3 columns: Description, Amount, Percentage. Row 17: Investment income percentage for 2024 (line 10c, column (f), divided by line 13, column (f)) - 17 - %; Row 18: Investment income percentage from 2023 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 - 18 - %

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests — 2024. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.
b 33 1/3% support tests — 2023. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.
20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions.

Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 12 on Part I. If you checked box 12a, Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked box 12b, Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked box 12c, Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked box 12d, Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 3b and 3c below.</i>		
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked box 12a or 12b in Part I, answer lines 4b and 4c below.</i>		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
c	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 5b and 5c below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
b	Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described on line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).</i>		
9a	Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons, as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined on line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
c	Did a disqualified person (as defined on line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
10a	Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer line 10b below.</i>		
b	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

		Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described on lines 11b and 11c below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
b	A family member of a person described on line 11a above?		
c	A 35% controlled entity of a person described on line 11a or 11b above? If "Yes" to line 11a, 11b, or 11c, provide detail in Part VI.		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the governing body, members of the governing body, officers acting in their official capacity, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove officers, directors, or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s).		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s), or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).		
3	By reason of the relationship described on line 2, above, did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard.		

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).		
a	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.		
b	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.		
c	<input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a governmental entity (see instructions).		
2	Activities Test. Answer lines 2a and 2b below.		
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to each of its supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.		
b	Did the activities described on line 2a, above, constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement.		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer lines 3a and 3b below.		
a	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? If "Yes" or "No," provide details in Part VI.		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.		

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A – Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1	
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2	
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3	
4	Add lines 1 through 3.	4	
5	Depreciation and depletion	5	
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6	
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7	
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8	

Section B – Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):		
a	Average monthly value of securities	1a	
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d	
e	Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI):		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 0.015 of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5	
6	Multiply line 5 by 0.035.	6	
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7	
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8	

Section C – Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, column A)	1	
2	Enter 0.85 of line 1.	2	
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, column A)	3	
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4	
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5	
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6	

7 Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D – Distributions	Current Year
1 Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	1
2 Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	2
3 Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	3
4 Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	4
5 Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required—provide details in Part VI)	5
6 Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.	6
7 Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	7
8 Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	8
9 Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6	9
10 Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	10

Section E – Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2024	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2024
1 Distributable amount for 2024 from Section C, line 6			
2 Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2024 (reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2024			
a From 2019			
b From 2020			
c From 2021			
d From 2022			
e From 2023			
f Total of lines 3a through 3e			
g Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h Applied to 2024 distributable amount			
i Carryover from 2019 not applied (see instructions)			
j Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from line 3f.			
4 Distributions for 2024 from Section D, line 7: \$			
a Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b Applied to 2024 distributable amount			
c Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from line 4.			
5 Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2024, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6 Remaining underdistributions for 2024. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7 Excess distributions carryover to 2025. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8 Breakdown of line 7:			
a Excess from 2020			
b Excess from 2021			
c Excess from 2022			
d Excess from 2023			
e Excess from 2024			

Part VI **Supplemental Information.** Provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; Part III, line 12; Part IV, Section A, lines 1, 2, 3b, 3c, 4b, 4c, 5a, 6, 9a, 9b, 9c, 11a, 11b, and 11c; Part IV, Section B, lines 1 and 2; Part IV, Section C, line 1; Part IV, Section D, lines 2 and 3; Part IV, Section E, lines 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, and 3b; Part V, line 1; Part V, Section B, line 1e; Part V, Section D, lines 5, 6, and 8; and Part V, Section E, lines 2, 5, and 6. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions.)

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**Schedule B
(Form 990)**
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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.
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OMB No. 1545-0047

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

43-0739519

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)(3) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33¹/₃% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** \$5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year \$

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990).

Name of organization

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

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Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$ 350,000</p>	<p>Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>
2	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$ 34,595</p>	<p>Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>
.....	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>
.....	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>
.....	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>
.....	<p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>\$</p>	<p>Person <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Payroll <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Noncash <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)</p>

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)
(Rev. December 2024)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.

Attach to Form 990.

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Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Part II Conservation Easements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).

<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (for example, recreation or education)	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a historically important land area
<input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat	<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure
<input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space	

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included on line 2a	2c
d Number of conservation easements included on line 2c acquired after July 25, 2006, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Yes No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year \$

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2d above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? Yes No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide in Part XIII the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under FASB ASC 958, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items.

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	\$
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X	\$

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under FASB ASC 958 relating to these items.

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	\$
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X	\$

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

- 3 Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that make significant use of its collection items (check all that apply).
- a Public exhibition
 - b Scholarly research
 - c Preservation for future generations
 - d Loan or exchange program
 - e Other
- 4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII.
- 5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table.
- | | Amount |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| c Beginning balance | 1c |
| d Additions during the year | 1d |
| e Distributions during the year | 1e |
| f Ending balance | 1f |
- 2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII Yes No

Part V Endowment Funds

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance	22,354,817	20,425,272	22,817,987	24,011,962	20,288,197
b Contributions				53,378	191,050
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	2,243,695	3,071,821			4,397,235
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs	1,084,840	1,142,276	2,392,715	1,247,353	864,520
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	23,513,672	22,354,817	20,425,272	22,817,987	24,011,962

- 2 Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as:
- a Board designated or quasi-endowment 85.11 %
 - b Permanent endowment 14.89 %
 - c Term endowment %
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%.
- 3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by:
- | | Yes | No |
|------------------------------|-----|----|
| (i) Unrelated organizations? | | X |
| (ii) Related organizations? | | X |
- b If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? Yes No
- 4 Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds.

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		55,000		55,000
b Buildings		5,278,903	3,130,054	2,148,849
c Leasehold improvements		511,602	511,481	121
d Equipment				
e Other		193,454		193,454
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 10c, column (B))				2,397,424

Part VII Investments – Other Securities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely held equity interests		
(3) Other		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 12, col. (B))		

Part VIII Investments – Program Related

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 13, col. (B))		

Part IX Other Assets

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 15, col. (B))	

Part X Other Liabilities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, line 25, col. (B))	

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions. In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FASB ASC 740. Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	3,509,135
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	561,695	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	113,481	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	675,176	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	2,833,959	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	57,099	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	57,099	
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)	5	2,891,058	

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	2,228,942
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a		
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	113,481	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	113,481	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	2,115,461	
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	57,099	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	57,099	
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	5	2,172,560	

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART III, LINE 4 - COLLECTIONS AND RELATION TO EXEMPT PURPOSE
 COLLECTIONS THAT HAVE BEEN DONATED, INCLUDING SCULPTURES, ARTWORK, AND SILVERWARE, ARE NOT CAPITALIZED. THE VALUES OF THESE DONATED INEXHAUSTIBLE COLLECTIONS HAVE NOT BEEN DETERMINED. THE COLLECTIONS ADD TO THE BEAUTIFICATION OF THE GROUNDS AND HEADQUARTERS OF THE ORGANIZATION TO PROMOTE THE APPRECIATION OF HORTICULTURE.

PART V, LINE 4 - INTENDED USES FOR ENDOWMENT FUNDS
 THE BOARD DESIGNATED ENDOWMENT FUNDS OF NATIONAL GARDEN CLUB, INC. CONSISTS OF FOUR FUNDS:

SCHOLARSHIP FUND EFFECTIVE WITH THE BY-LAWS REVISED MAY 2020, INCOME SHALL BE DERIVED FROM MEMORIALS, HONORARIA, DONATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF STATE GARDEN CLUBS, AND FROM INVESTMENTS. A PERCENTAGE NOT TO EXCEED 10% OF THE VALUE AVERAGED OVER THE PAST THREE YEARS OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS ARE USED FOR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS AND OTHER EXPENSES PER THE BY-LAWS IN THE SUCCEEDING YEARS.

OPERATION WILDFLOWER REVENUE IS DERIVED FROM INVESTMENT EARNINGS AND ROYALTIES FROM THE USE OF OPERATION WILDFLOWER DESIGNS. A PERCENTAGE NOT TO EXCEED 10% OF THE VALUE AVERAGED OVER THE PAST THREE YEARS ARE USED FOR PROMOTING THE OBJECTIVES AND PURPOSES OF NGC, PER THE BY-LAWS, IN THE SUCCEEDING YEARS. ALLOWABLE RELEASES FROM THE OPERATION WILDFLOWER FUND

Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)

THAT ARE NOT FULLY UTILIZED IN THE YEAR OF RELEASE REMAIN UNDESIGNATED FOR USE IN FUTURE YEARS DUE TO THE PURPOSE OF THE FUND BEING FOR THE GENERAL SUPPORT OF NGC.

PERMANENT HOME AND ENDOWMENT EFFECTIVE WITH THE BY-LAWS REVISED MAY 2017, REVENUES DERIVED FROM CONTRIBUTIONS, BEQUESTS, AND MEMORIALS SHALL BE INVESTED AND SHALL NOT BE EXPENDED. REVENUES DERIVED FROM CONTRIBUTIONS GIVEN FOR THE PURCHASE OF SPECIFIC ITEMS SHALL BE USED AS DESIGNATED. A PERCENTAGE NOT TO EXCEED 10% OF THE VALUE AVERAGED OVER THE PAST THREE YEARS OF PERMANENT HOME AND ENDOWMENT FUNDS ARE USED FOR BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASES AND OPERATIONS, AS SPECIFICALLY DEFINED IN THE CURRENT BY-LAWS, IN THE SUCCEEDING YEARS.

PLANT AMERICA EFFECTIVE MAY 2017, THE PLANT AMERICA FUND, WHICH INCLUDES THE BOARD DESIGNATED RESTRICTED FUND AND ENDOWMENT FUND, WAS ESTABLISHED BY THE ORGANIZATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING A GRANT PROGRAM FOR COMMUNITY PROJECTS AND GARDENING COMPETITIONS. REVENUE IS DERIVED FROM CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED, SALES OF PLANTS AND OTHER GARDENING MATERIALS, AND INVESTMENT EARNINGS ON THE FUND. THE ORGANIZATION HAS DEVELOPED A SPENDING PLAN THAT CAN BE MODIFIED BY THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

PART X - FIN 48 FOOTNOTE

THE ORGANIZATION IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT ENTITY THAT IS EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, EXCEPT ON NET INCOME DERIVED FROM UNRELATED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES. UNRELATED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES CONSIST OF THE NATIONAL GARDENER ADVERTISEMENTS AND VENUE RENTAL. AT MAY 31, 2025, THE ORGANIZATION HAS NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARDS THAT CAN BE USED TO OFFSET FUTURE UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME. THESE CREDITS EXPIRE AT VARIOUS TIMES THROUGH 2037. THEREFORE, THERE ARE NO PROVISIONS FOR INCOME TAXES REFLECTED IN THESE STATEMENTS. MANAGEMENT DOES NOT BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS FOR WHICH THEY HAVE MADE AGGRESSIVE ASSUMPTIONS OR ESTIMATES. INCOME TAX RETURNS PRIOR TO 2021 ARE CLOSED.

PART XI, LINE 2D - REVENUE AMOUNTS INCLUDED IN FINANCIALS - OTHER
COGS \$ 113,481

PART XII, LINE 2D - EXPENSE AMOUNTS INCLUDED IN FINANCIALS - OTHER
COGS \$ 113,481

**SCHEDULE I
(Form 990)**

(Rev. December 2024)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

**Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments, and Individuals in the United States**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990.

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OMB No. 1545-0047

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Name of the organization

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

Employer identification number

43-0739519

Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States.

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1	(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of noncash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1)	USDA FOREST SERVICE 159 LAWRENCE STREET QUINCY CA 95971		GOV	99,847		CASH		PENNY PINES PROGRAM
(2)								
(3)								
(4)								
(5)								
(6)								
(7)								
(8)								
(9)								

- 2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 1
- 3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of noncash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
1 GRANTS, AWARDS, & SCHOLAR	52	169,950		CASH	
2					
3					
4					
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Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

PART I, LINE 2 - PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS
 THE ORGANIZATION UTILIZES A SELECTION COMMITTEE, WHO IS APPROVED BY THE
 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. THIS COMMITTEE REVIEWS APPLICATIONS AND AWARDS
 SCHOLARSHIPS BASED ON ESTABLISHED CRITERIA. THE SCHOLARSHIP PAYMENTS ARE
 MADE DIRECTLY TO THE COLLEGE OF THE INDIVIDUAL BEING AWARDED FOR TUITION.
 THE ORGANIZATION ISSUED 52 SCHOLARSHIPS IN THE CURRENT YEAR.

**SCHEDULE O
(Form 990)**

(Rev. December 2024)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

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Name of the organization

NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

Employer identification number

43-0739519

FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION OR MOST SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES
TO COORDINATE THE INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE STATE OF GARDEN CLUBS
WITH SIMILAR ORGANIZATION IN THE UNITED STATES AND ABROAD. TO AID IN THE
PROTECTION AND CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES, TO PROMOTE CIVIC
BEAUTIFICATION AND ENCOURAGE THE IMPROVEMENT OF ROADSIDES AND PARKS. TO
ENCOURAGE THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF BOTANICAL GARDENS, ARBORETA
AND HORTICULTURAL CENTERS FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE, ENJOYMENT AND
EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC. TO ADVANCE THE STUDY OF GARDENING, LANDSCAPE
DESIGN, ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES, FLORAL DESIGN AND HORTICULTURE AND ASSIST
DESERVING STUDENTS THROUGH COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS IN THESE FIELDS OF
ENDEAVOR. TO COOPERATE WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS FURTHERING THE INTERESTS OF
HORTICULTURE, CONSERVATION, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND BEAUTIFICATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 6 - CLASSES OF MEMBERS OR STOCKHOLDERS
THERE ARE SIX CLASSES OF NON-VOTING MEMBERSHIP INCLUDING HONORARY LIFE
MEMBERS WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS OF THE CLUB, LIFE MEMBERS WHO ARE NOT
DELEGATES, AFFILIATES, NATIONAL AFFILIATES, INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATES, AND
YOUTH GARDENERS. VOTING MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES ALL MEMBERS OF STATE
GARDEN CLUBS THAT ARE AFFILIATED WITH THE ORGANIZATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 7A - ELECTION OF MEMBERS AND THEIR RIGHTS
VOTING MEMBERSHIP INCLUDES ALL MEMBERS OF STATE GARDEN CLUBS THAT ARE
AFFILIATED WITH THE ORGANIZATION. VOTING MEMBERS HAVE RIGHTS TO
ELECT OFFICERS OF THE ORGANIZATION BY MAJORITY VOTE.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 11B - ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS TO REVIEW FORM 990
THE ORGANIZATION'S 990 IS PREPARED BY A THIRD-PARTY ACCOUNTANT. ONCE THE
ACCOUNTANT FINISHES PREPARING THE 990, IT IS SENT TO THE ORGANIZATION
FOR APPROVAL. THE ORGANIZATION'S ACCOUNTANT, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND THE
BOARD TREASURER REVIEW THE 990 FOR COMPLETENESS AND ACCURACY. A COPY IS
ALSO SENT OUT TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR REVIEW PRIOR TO SUBMISSION TO
THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 12C - ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY
THE BOARD WILL REVIEW ANY ISSUES PRESENTED AND REVIEW THE POLICY AT EACH
SPRING BOARD MEETING

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 15A - COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL
THE NGC PH&E TRUSTEES EXAMINED DATA AS TO COMPARABLE COMPENSATION FOR
SIMILARLY QUALIFIED PERSONS IN FUNCTIONALLY COMPARABLE POSITIONS AT SIMILAR
ORGANIZATIONS.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 19 - GOVERNING DOCUMENTS DISCLOSURE EXPLANATION
GOVERNING DOCUMENTS AND ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE UPON
REQUEST

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9 - OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS EXPLANATION

COGS	\$	113,481
COGS	\$	-113,481

Form **990-T**

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return
(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

OMB No. 1545-0047

2024

For calendar year 2024 or other tax year beginning 06/01/24, and ending 05/31/25.

Go to www.irs.gov/Form990T for instructions and the latest information.

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for 501(c)(3)
Organizations Only

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).

A Check box if address changed.

B Exempt under section
 501(C)(3)
 408(e) 220(e)
 408A 530(a)
 529(a) 529A

Name of organization (Check box if name changed and see instructions.)
NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.

D Employer identification number
43-0739519

E Group exemption number
 (see instructions)

F Check box if an amended return.

Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions.
4401 MAGNOLIA AVENUE

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
ST. LOUIS MO 63110

C Book value of all assets at end of year **26,253,669**

G Check organization type
 501(c) corporation 501(c) trust 401(a) trust Other trust State college/university
 6417(d)(1)(A) Applicable entity

H Check if filing only to claim
 Credit from Form 8941 Refund shown on Form 2439 Elective payment amount from Form 3800

I Check if a 501(c)(3) organization filing a consolidated return with a 501(c)(2) titleholding corporation

J Enter the number of attached Schedules A (Form 990-T) **2**

K During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? Yes No
 If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation

L The books are in care of **BILL TRAPP** Telephone number **314-776-7574**

Part I Total Unrelated Business Taxable Income

1	Total of unrelated business taxable income computed from all unrelated trades or businesses (see instructions)	1	0
2	Reserved	2	
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	
4	Charitable contributions (see instructions for limitation rules)	4	
5	Total unrelated business taxable income before net operating losses. Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	
6	Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	6	0
7	Total of unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction and section 199A deduction. Subtract line 6 from line 5	7	0
8	Specific deduction (generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions)	8	1,000
9	Trusts. Section 199A deduction. See instructions	9	
10	Total deductions. Add lines 8 and 9	10	1,000
11	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 10 from line 7. If line 10 is greater than line 7, enter zero	11	0

Part II Tax Computation

1	Organizations taxable as corporations. Multiply Part I, line 11, by 21% (0.21)	1	0
2	Trusts taxable at trust rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on Part I, line 11, from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041)	2	0
3	Proxy tax. See instructions	3	
4a	Amount from Form 4255, Part I, line 3, column (q)	4a	
b	Other tax amounts. See instructions	4b	
5	Alternative minimum tax	5	
6	Tax on noncompliant facility income. See instructions	6	
7	Total. Add lines 3 through 6 to line 1 or 2, whichever applies	7	0

Part III Tax and Payments

1a	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)	1a	
b	Other credits (see instructions)	1b	
c	General business credit. Attach Form 3800 (see instructions)	1c	
d	Credit for prior-year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)	1d	
e	Total credits. Add lines 1a through 1d	1e	
2	Subtract line 1e from Part II, line 7	2	
3a	Amount from Form 4255, Part I, line 3, column (r) (see instructions)	3a	
b	Amount due from Form 8611	3b	
c	Amount due from Form 8697	3c	
d	Amount due from Form 8866	3d	
e	Other amounts due (see instructions)	3e	
f	Total amounts due. Add lines 3a through 3e	3f	
4	Total tax. Add lines 2 and 3f (see instructions). <input type="checkbox"/> Check if includes tax previously deferred under section 1294. Enter tax amount here	4	0

Part III Tax and Payments (continued)

Table with 11 rows for tax payments and total payments. Includes sub-rows 6a-6j. Total payments (7) is 7. Tax due (9) is 0. Overpayment (10) is 0. Credited to 2025 estimated tax (11) is Refunded.

Part IV Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (see instructions)

Table with 5 rows of questions regarding foreign accounts, distributions, and NOL carryovers. Includes a table for Business Activity Code (900099) and Available post-2017 NOL carryover (\$61,146).

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide any additional information. See instructions.

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? [X] Yes [] No

Table for preparer information including name (ROBERT M. KLUTHO, CPA), date (11/03/25), firm name (CONNER ASH P.C.), and address (12101 WOODCREST EXECUTIVE DR STE 300 ST. LOUIS, MO 63141).

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income
From an Unrelated Trade or Business**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2024

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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501(c)(3) Organizations Only

A Name of the organization NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.	B Employer identification number 43-0739519
C Unrelated business activity code (see instructions) 900099	D Sequence: 1 of 2

E Describe the unrelated trade or business **ADVERTISING REVENUE FROM PE**

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sales			
b Less returns and allowances c Balance	1c		
2 Cost of goods sold (Part III, line 8)	2		
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3		
4a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D (Form 1041 or Form 1120)). See instructions	4a		
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797) (attach Form 4797). See instructions	4b		
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c		
5 Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	5		
6 Rent income (Part IV)	6		
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Part V)	7		
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Part VI)	8		
9 Investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organizations (Part VII)	9		
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Part VIII)	10		
11 Advertising income (Part IX)	11	3,350	4,101
12 Other income (see instructions; attach statement)	12		
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13	3,350	4,101

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere. See instructions for limitations on deductions. Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.

1 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Part X)	1		
2 Salaries and wages	2		
3 Repairs and maintenance	3		
4 Bad debts	4		
5 Interest (attach statement). See instructions	5		
6 Taxes and licenses	6		
7 Depreciation (attach Form 4562). See instructions	7		
8 Less depreciation claimed in Part III and elsewhere on return	8a		0
9 Depletion	9		
10 Contributions to deferred compensation plans	10		
11 Employee benefit programs	11		
12 Excess exempt expenses (Part VIII)	12		
13 Excess readership costs (Part IX)	13		
14 Other deductions (attach statement)	14		
15 Total deductions. Add lines 1 through 14	15		
16 Unrelated business income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 15 from Part I, line 13, column (C)	16		-751
17 Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	17		
18 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 17 from line 16	18		-751

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

Schedule A (Form 990-T) 2024

Part III Cost of Goods Sold

Enter method of inventory valuation

Table with 8 rows for Cost of Goods Sold. Rows include: 1 Inventory at beginning of year, 2 Purchases, 3 Cost of labor, 4 Additional section 263A costs, 5 Other costs, 6 Total, 7 Inventory at end of year, 8 Cost of goods sold. Includes a 'Public Inspection Copy' watermark.

Part IV Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)

Table for Rent Income. Row 1: Description of property. Rows 2-4: Rent received or accrued (a, b, c). Row 3: Total rents received or accrued. Row 4: Deductions directly connected with the income. Row 5: Total deductions.

Part V Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (see instructions)

Table for Unrelated Debt-Financed Income. Row 1: Description of debt-financed property. Rows 2-7: Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property, deductions, and average acquisition debt. Row 8: Total gross income. Row 9: Allocable deductions. Row 10: Total allocable deductions. Row 11: Total dividends — received deductions.

Part VI Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (A).

Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (B).

Totals

Part VII Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach statement)	4. Set-asides (attach statement)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (add columns 3 and 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add amounts in column 2. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (A).

Add amounts in column 5. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (B).

Totals

Part VIII Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions)

1 Description of exploited activity: _____	
2 Gross unrelated business income from trade or business. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (A)	2
3 Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (B)	3
4 Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If a gain, complete lines 5 through 7	4
5 Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	5
6 Expenses attributable to income entered on line 5	6
7 Excess exempt expenses. Subtract line 5 from line 6, but do not enter more than the amount on line 4. Enter here and on Part II, line 12	7

Part IX Advertising Income

1 Name(s) of periodical(s). Check box if reporting two or more periodicals on a consolidated basis.

A	<input type="checkbox"/>	ADVERTISING REVENUE FROM PE
B	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C	<input type="checkbox"/>	
D	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Enter amounts for each periodical listed above in the corresponding column.

	A	B	C	D
2 Gross advertising income	3,350			
a Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (A)	3,350			
3 Direct advertising costs by periodical	4,101			
a Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (B)	4,101			
4 Advertising gain (loss). Subtract line 3 from line 2. For any column in line 4 showing a gain, complete lines 5 through 8. For any column in line 4 showing a loss or zero, do not complete lines 5 through 7, and enter -0- on line 8	-751			
5 Readership costs				
6 Circulation income				
7 Excess readership costs. If line 6 is less than line 5, subtract line 6 from line 5. If line 5 is less than line 6, enter -0-				
8 Excess readership costs allowed as a deduction. For each column showing a gain on line 4, enter the lesser of line 4 or line 7	0			
a Add line 8, columns A through D. Enter the greater of the line 8a columns total or -0- here and on Part II, line 13	0			

Part X Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percentage of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1)		%	
(2)		%	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
Total. Enter here and on Part II, line 1			

Part XI Supplemental Information (see instructions)

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**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990-T)**

**Unrelated Business Taxable Income
From an Unrelated Trade or Business**

OMB No. 1545-0047

2024

Department of the Treasury
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A Name of the organization NATIONAL GARDEN CLUBS, INC.	B Employer identification number 43-0739519
C Unrelated business activity code (see instructions) 722320	D Sequence: 2 of 2

E Describe the unrelated trade or business WEDDINGS AND EVENT INCOME

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sales			
b Less returns and allowances c Balance	1c		
2 Cost of goods sold (Part III, line 8)	2		
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3		
4a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D (Form 1041 or Form 1120)). See instructions	4a		
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797) (attach Form 4797). See instructions	4b		
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c		
5 Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	5		
6 Rent income (Part IV)	6 4,500	4,500	
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Part V)	7		
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Part VI)	8		
9 Investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organizations (Part VII)	9		
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Part VIII)	10		
11 Advertising income (Part IX)	11		
12 Other income (see instructions; attach statement)	12		
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13 4,500	4,500	0

Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere. See instructions for limitations on deductions. Deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.			
1 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Part X)		1	
2 Salaries and wages		2	
3 Repairs and maintenance		3	
4 Bad debts		4	
5 Interest (attach statement). See instructions		5	
6 Taxes and licenses		6	
7 Depreciation (attach Form 4562). See instructions	7		
8 Less depreciation claimed in Part III and elsewhere on return	8a	8b	0
9 Depletion		9	
10 Contributions to deferred compensation plans		10	
11 Employee benefit programs		11	
12 Excess exempt expenses (Part VIII)		12	
13 Excess readership costs (Part IX)		13	
14 Other deductions (attach statement)		14	
15 Total deductions. Add lines 1 through 14		15	
16 Unrelated business income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 15 from Part I, line 13, column (C)		16	
17 Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions		17	
18 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 17 from line 16		18	0

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Schedule A (Form 990-T) 2024

Part III Cost of Goods Sold

Enter method of inventory valuation

Table with 8 rows for Cost of Goods Sold. Line 1: Inventory at beginning of year. Line 2: Purchases. Line 3: Cost of labor. Line 4: Additional section 263A costs. Line 5: Other costs. Line 6: Total. Add lines 1 through 5. Line 7: Inventory at end of year. Line 8: Cost of goods sold. Subtract line 7 from line 6. Line 9: Do the rules of section 263A apply to the organization? Yes/No.

Part IV Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)

Table for Rent Income. Line 1: Description of property (4401 MAGNOLIA AVE, ST. LOUIS, MO 63110-3492). Line 2: Rent received or accrued (4,500). Line 3: Total rents received or accrued (4,500). Line 4: Deductions directly connected with the income (4,500). Line 5: Total deductions (4,500).

Part V Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (see instructions)

Table for Unrelated Debt-Financed Income. Line 1: Description of debt-financed property. Line 2: Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property. Line 3: Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property. Line 4: Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property. Line 5: Average adjusted basis of or allocable to debt-financed property. Line 6: Divide line 4 by line 5. Line 7: Gross income reportable. Line 8: Total gross income. Line 9: Allocable deductions. Line 10: Total allocable deductions. Line 11: Total dividends — received deductions included in line 10.

Part VI Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (see instructions)

1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	Exempt Controlled Organizations			
		3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					

Nonexempt Controlled Organizations

7. Taxable income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (A).

Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (B).

Totals

Part VII Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach statement)	4. Set-asides (attach statement)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (add columns 3 and 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				

Add amounts in column 2. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (A).

Add amounts in column 5. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (B).

Totals

Part VIII Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions)

1 Description of exploited activity:	
2 Gross unrelated business income from trade or business. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (A)	2
3 Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (B)	3
4 Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If a gain, complete lines 5 through 7	4
5 Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	5
6 Expenses attributable to income entered on line 5	6
7 Excess exempt expenses. Subtract line 5 from line 6, but do not enter more than the amount on line 4. Enter here and on Part II, line 12	7

Part IX Advertising Income

1 Name(s) of periodical(s). Check box if reporting two or more periodicals on a consolidated basis.

A B C D checkboxes

Enter amounts for each periodical listed above in the corresponding column.

Table with 4 columns: A, B, C, D

2 Gross advertising income

a Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (A)

3 Direct advertising costs by periodical

a Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (B)

4 Advertising gain (loss). Subtract line 3 from line 2. For any column in line 4 showing a gain, complete lines 5 through 8. For any column in line 4 showing a loss or zero, do not complete lines 5 through 7, and enter -0- on line 8

5 Readership costs

6 Circulation income

7 Excess readership costs. If line 6 is less than line 5, subtract line 6 from line 5. If line 5 is less than line 6, enter -0-

8 Excess readership costs allowed as a deduction. For each column showing a gain on line 4, enter the lesser of line 4 or line 7

a Add line 8, columns A through D. Enter the greater of the line 8a columns total or -0- here and on Part II, line 13

Part X Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions)

Table with 4 columns: 1. Name, 2. Title, 3. Percentage of time devoted to business, 4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business

Total. Enter here and on Part II, line 1

Part XI Supplemental Information (see instructions)

Supplemental information section with dotted lines for text entry

Federal Statements

Form 990-T, Part IV, Line 5 - Post 2017 NOL Carryover Amounts

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<u>Activity Description</u>	<u>UBIT Num</u>	<u>Available Carryover</u>
ADVERTISING REVENUE FROM PE	900099	\$ 61,146
TOTAL		\$ <u>61,146</u>

Federal Statements

Weddings and Event Income

Schedule A (990T), Part IV, Line 4 - Rent Expense Information

<u>Description</u>	<u>Deduction</u>
WEDDING AND EVENTS	\$
ADVERTISING	1,080
LABOR	3,420
TOTAL	\$ <u>4,500</u>

Federal Statements

Inventory Sales

Public Inspection Copy

Gross receipts

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
INVENTORY SALES	\$ 122,384
TOTAL	\$ <u>122,384</u>