

Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
93rd Annual Convention
St. Augustine, Florida
April 7-9, 2019
Valerie Seinfeld, FFGC Awards Chair

1	Blanche Capel Covington Leadership Award Inez T. Brooker, Gainesville Garden Club	District V
2	Outstanding Service Award Lisa Hudson, Navarre Garden Club	X
3	Leadership Award Kathryn (Kat) Spieker, Valparaiso Garden Club	I
4	Award of Excellence for a Club Tampa Federation of Garden Club Circles, Inc.	VIII
5A	Special Achievement Award Pioneer Garden Club	V
5B	Special Achievement Award Linda Elliott, Jensen Beach Garden Club	X
7	Certificate of Distinguished Service to a State President Valerie Seinfeld, The Garden Club of DeLand Barbara Hadsell, Oleander Garden Club, Wellington Garden Club Inger Jones, Garden Club of Lighthouse Point Inc. Cissy Richardson, Camellia Garden Club of Winter Haven	VI X
8	Garden Club of the Year Award Tampa Federation of Garden Clubs Circles, Inc.	VIII
10	Mentoring Award Sandra Sherman, Azalea Garden Club of Pace	I
11	Yearbook Award (1) Alligator Creek Garden Club (2) Garnier Beach Garden Club (3) Steinhatchee Garden Club (4) Bartram Garden Club (5) Davis Islands Garden Club (6) Lakes and Hills Garden Club (7) Tallahassee Garden Club	IV I III IV VIII VII III

12	Newsletter Award	
	(1) Garnier Garden Club	I
	(2) Miami Beach Garden Club	XII
	(3) Live Oak Garden Club	III
	(4) The Garden Club of DeLand, Inc.	VI
	(5) District IX of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs	IX
13	Publication Award	
	(1) Azalea Garden Club of Pace, Inc.	I
	(3) Live Oak Garden Club	III
	(4) The Garden Club of DeLand, Inc.	VI
14	DePalma/Sillik Website Award	
	(2) Bartram Garden Club	IV
	(3) Manatee River Garden Club	VIII
	(4) The Garden Club of Palm Coast, Inc.	VI
14-A	Facebook Award	
	(2) Milton Garden Club	I
	(3) Manatee River Garden Club	VIII
	(4) Garden Club of St. Petersburg, Inc.	VIII
15	Garden Therapy Geriatric & Exceptional Award	
	(1) Miami Lakes Garden Club	XII
	(2) Wildflower Circle of Garden Club of Jacksonville	IV
	(3) Garden Club of Cape Coral	IX
17	Decoration of Historic Buildings Award	
	(1-A) Dianthus Circle, Garden Club of St. Augustine	IV
	(2-B) Coral Pines Garden Club	XII
	(3-A) Garden Club of Orange Park	IV
	(4-A) Tampa Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	VIII
18	Historic Preservation Award	
	(2) Sweet Bay Garden Club	I
	(3) Garden Club of Cape Coral	IX
	(4) Tampa Federation of Garden Club Circles, Inc	VIII
20	Year's Horticulture Programs Award	
	(4) Wellington Garden Club	X
22	Horticulture Special Project Award	
	(2) Pipers Landing Garden Club	X
29	Community Service Design Award	
	(A) Bartram Garden Club	IV
	(B) Temple Terrace Garden Club	VIII

31	The Madira Bickel Civic Achievement Award Lakes and Hills Garden Club	District VII
32	Park/City Planting Award (3) Punta Gorda Garden Club	IX
36	Community Service Award (1) Daisy Circle of Gainesville Garden Club (3) Winter Park Garden Club, Inc. (4) Lakes and Hills Garden Club	V VII VII
37	School Grounds Beautification (2) Las Adelfas Circle of St. Augustine Garden Club	IV
39	Arbor Day Celebration Award (1) Daisy Circle of Gainesville Garden Club (2) Windermere Garden Club (4) Wellington Garden Club	V VII X
40	Arlington Dolly Award Janet Waln, Garden Club Indian River County	X
43	Blue Star Memorial Marker Award (A) Garnier Beach Garden Club	I
46	Garden Tour Award (1) Hibiscus Circle of Dade City Garden Club (4) Lakes and Hills Garden Club	VIII VII
47	Habitat for Humanity (2) Bartram Garden Club of Amelia Island (3) Garden Club of Cape Coral (4) Gainesville Garden Club	IV IX V
48	Flowering Tree (3) Winter Park Garden Club	VII
51	Environmental Education Involving Youth Award (1) Garden Divas Circle - Garden Club of Jacksonville (4) Garden Club of St. Augustine (5) Barbara Hadsell of Oleander Garden Club	IV IV X
52	Environmental Education Involving Community Education (2) Navarre Garden Club	I
56	Butterfly Conservation Award (1) Garden Divas Circle - Garden Club of Jacksonville (3) Garden Club of Cape Coral (4) The Garden Club of DeLand, Inc.	IV IX VI

		District
57		Bird or Butterfly Sanctuary on School Grounds Award
	(2)	Miami Beach Garden Club
	(3)	Garden Club of Cape Coral
		XII
		IX
58		Promoting Bees Through Knowledge
	A	Ginnie Geiger of Dade City Garden Club
		VIII
61		Nell Coe Award - "Color Our Canopy"
	3	Garden Club of Indian River County
		X
62		Mary S. Compton Award for Publicity
	(1)	Brooksville Garden Club
	(2)	Floral City Garden Club
	(3)	Live Oak Garden Club
		V
		V
		III
63		Garden Center
	(3)	Garden Club of Orange Park
		IV
64		Library
	A	Port St. Joe Garden Club
	B	Pipers Landing Garden Club
		II
		X
65		Convention Delegate Award
		Sue Meyer of Port St. Joe Garden Club
		II
66		National Garden Week Award
	(1)	Garnier Beach Garden Club
	(4)	Dade City Garden Club
		I
		VIII
69		Digital Photographs Award
	A	Birds and/or Butterflies Holly Yocum, Pioneer Garden Club
	B	Photographs of a Landscaped Florida Garden Holly Yocum, Pioneer Garden Club
	C	Photographs of a Florida Wildflower Holly Yocum, Pioneer Garden Club
D	Photographs of a Flowering Tree Growing in Florida Sue Killion, Lemon Bay Garden Club	
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70		President's Project- Membership Incentive Award 2 Year Award
	A	Gardeners Out East
	B	Port St. Joe Garden Club
	C	Green Thumb Garden Club of Santa Rosa Beach
	D	Tallahassee Garden Club
		VIII
		II
		I
		III

71		The Ella Joyce Boals Program Award Clermont Garden Club	District VII
73		Public Program	
	2	Bartram Garden Club of Amelia Island	IV
	3	Valparaiso Garden Club	I
	4	Dade City Garden Club	VIII
74		Year's Program Award	
	B	Pioneer Garden Club of Ocala	V
75		Fun with Flowers Program Award Dade City Garden Club	VIII
76		Fun with Flowers Series Award Tampa Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	VIII
78		Parks and Grounds Program Award Garden Club of Orange Park	IV
GS-1	C	Girl Scout Arbor Day Wellington Garden Club	X
82		Florida Flower Arrangement Calendar Cover Margaret Kirkpatrick, Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club	VII
83		Florida Flower Arrangement Calendar Inside Cover Crystal Award Denise Crutchfield, New Smyrna Beach Garden Club	VI
84		Florida Flower Arrangement Calendar Back Cover Barbara Jacobson, Lemon Bay Garden Club	VIII

**Flower Show Achievement Awards
Barbara May, Chairman**

101	A	Council Standard Flower Show District VIII Judges Council	VIII
101	B	Council Standard Flower Show District VI Judges Council	VI
102	A	Small Standard Holiday Flower Show Plant City Garden Club	VIII
106	A	Standard Flower Show Staged in a Public Building Wellington Garden Club	X
107	D	Club Standard Flower Show Garden Club of St. Petersburg	VIII

**Flower Show Achievement Awards cont.
Barbara May, Chairman**

110	A	Small Flower Show Tampa Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	District VIII
111	A	Horticulture Specialty Flower Show Lemon Bay Garden Club	VIII

**Flower Show Related Awards
Mary Silas, Chairman**

120	B	Flower Show Focal Area Lemon Bay Garden Club	District VIII
121	A	Flower Show Staging Design Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	FFGC
121	B	Flower Show Staging - Horticulture Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.	FFGC
122	C	Standard Flower Show Schedule Sarasota Garden Club	VIII
122	D	Standard Flower Show Schedule St. Petersburg Garden Club	VIII
123		FFSJ Tricolor Barbara Jacobson, Lemon Bay Garden Club	VIII
124		Floralia II Designer's Choice Sue Angle, Sarasota Garden Club	VIII
125		Award of Distinction Mayfair Hydro	XII
126		Esther Brosche Educational Exhibit Christy Linke, Plant City Garden Club	VIII
127		Table Artistry Jan Griffin, Plant City Garden Club	VIII
128		Petite Award Gail Carson, St. Petersburg Garden Club	VIII
131		Dish Garden Elaine Schwietzer, Lemon Bay Garden Club	VIII
132		Grower's Choice Carol Ralph	X

Junior Gardener Awards
Marci Wilcox, Chairman

J-1	Junior Design Award	District
A	Sage Hutcherson (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
J-2	Youth Flower Show or Youth Section of Adult Standard Flower Show	
A	Whispering Pines Elementary (Boca Raton Garden Club)	X
C	Greenacres Cares Jr. Garden Club (Oleander Garden Club of Palm Beaches)	X
J-3	School Grounds Beautification	
B	Ribault Garden Club	IV
J-5	Birds at School	
A-C	Miami Beach Garden Club	XII
J-10	Classroom Project Award	
A	Ms. Allison's and Ms. Heather's K Class (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
B	Dirt Diggin Gators Junior Garden Club (Navarre Garden Club)	I
J-11	Litter Control Poster Award	
B	Emily Gipson (Navarre Garden Club)	I
C	Lily McBride (Citrus Garden Club)	V
J-12	Land Trust Essay Award	
A	William Jones (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
B	Ian Newgent (Navarre Garden Club)	I
C	Lily Simmer (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
J-13	Nature Poster Award	
A	Ms. Buchanan's K Class (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
B	Shalimer Elementary TAG (Garnier Beach Garden Club)	I
C	Sprigs Junior Garden Club (Citrus Garden Club)	V
J-14	Water Conservation Poster Award	
A	Victor Tarlev (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
B	Payton Moore (Navarre Garden Club)	I
C	Colton Wilson (Citrus Garden Club)	V
J-15	Louise Adams for Wekiva Youth Camp Report	
A	Jordan Emely (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
B	Sophia Duckett (Davis Islands Garden Club)	VIII
J-16	Field Trip Report Award	
C	Stars Junior Garden Club (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII

Junior Gardener Awards cont.
Marci Wilcox, Chairman

J-20	Junior Horticulture Award	District
A	Stars Junior Garden Club (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
B	Reach 5th Grade Class (Citrus Garden Club)	V
C	Stars Junior Garden Club (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
J-21	Poisonous Plants Award	
B	Dirt Diggin Gators Junior Garden Club (Navarre Garden Club)	I
J-23	Children's Gardens Award	
B	Lauren Armstrong (Navarre Garden Club)	I
J-24	Wildflower Folder	
C	Ashley Mays (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
D	Kelly Berry (Navarre Garden Club)	I
F	Madison James (Davis Islands Garden Club)	VIII
G	Kaylynn Roddenberry & Lily McBride (Citrus Garden Club)	V
J-27	Tree Award	
A	Cole Steinberg (Davis Islands Garden Club)	VIII
C	Tristyn Davis (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
D	Jillian Johnson (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
E	Anna Lucas (Navarre Garden Club)	I
F	Ashley Mays (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
G	Lily Simmer (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
J-30	Margaret Y. Pace Birds Seen in Florida Award	
B	Kelly Berry (Navarre Garden Club)	I
J-31	Birds in Florida Award	
B	Dirt Diggin Gators (Navarre Garden Club)	I
C	Ms. Humphries Class (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
D	Palm Harbor Montessori Junior Garden Club (Palm Harbor Garden Club)	VIII
J-32	Butterfly Conservation Award	
A	Mrs. Lockwood's Class (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
B	Palm Harbor Montessori Junior Garden Club (Palm Harbor Garden Club)	VIII
J-33	Butterfly Award	District
A	Quinn Ekdahl (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
B	Cindy Lin (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
D	Ian Newgent (Navarre Garden Club)	I
E	Jordan Emely (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII
F	Lily Simmer (Ribault Garden Club)	IV
J-34	Reptile and Amphibians Found in Florida Award	
A	Kelly Berry (Navarre Garden Club)	I
B	Ryan Slone (Navarre Garden Club)	I

**Junior Gardener Awards cont.
Marci Wilcox, Chairman**

J-35	Garden Insects Found in Florida Award	District
B	Kelly Berry (Navarre Garden Club)	I
J-36	Shells in Florida Award	
A	Michael Olsen (Citrus Garden Club)	V
B	Kelly Berry (Navarre Garden Club)	I
C	Jeannalynn Illescas (Citrus Garden Club)	V
J-40	Junior Achievement Award	
A	Dirt Diggin Gators (Navarre Garden Club)	I
B	Davis Islands Junior Garden Club (Davis Islands Garden Club)	VIII
C	Stars Junior Garden Club (Sweetwater Oaks Garden Club)	VII

**Smokey Bear Poster Contest
Sue Bennet- Bara, Chairman**

First Grade	Madilin Pisana Venice Area Garden Club	District VIII
Second Grade	Walton Cooper Green Thumb Garden Club of Santa Rosa Beach	I
Third Grade	Iris Carroll New Smyrna Beach Garden Club	VI
Fourth Grade	Carter Kinne Venice Area Garden Club	VIII
Fifth Grade	Stewart Bray Steinhatchee Garden Club	III

**NGC & Deep South Youth and
FFGC High School & Intermediate Gardeners
Sandra Lynch, chairman**

National Poetry Contest

		District
First Grade	Johannes Guess, J. Allen Axson School Ribault Garden Club- Deep South First Place	IV
Second Grade	Nick Villegas, J. Allen Axson School Ribault Garden Club- Deep South First Place	IV
Third Grade	Aniya Baskerville, J. Allen Axson School Ribault Garden Club- Deep South HM	IV
Fifth Grade	Lily Simmer, Valley Ridge Academy Ribault Garden Club Deep South First Place	IV
Sixth Grade	Kylee Reaves, New River Middle School Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South Third Place	XI
Seventh Grade	Rylee Robbins, Indian Ridge Middle School Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South HM	XI
Eighth Grade	Thatcher Harrison, New River Middle School Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South Third Place	XI
Ninth Grade	Isabella Elstein, Wellington Community High School Wellington Garden Club Deep South Second Place	X

National Youth Sculpture Contest

Sixth Grade	Peyton Daly, Somerset Academy Boca Raton Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South First Place	XI
Seventh Grade	Rylee Robbins, Indian Ridge Middle School Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South Second Place	XI
Eighth Grade	Kabrey Bettis, Nova Middle School Fort Lauderdale GC Inc. Deep South Second Place	XI

National High School Essay Contest

Tenth Grade	Christiana Hewlett Fort Lauderdale Garden Club Inc.	XI
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Congratulations to Deep South Awards Winners - 2018-2019
Jennifer Condo, NGC/DS Chair

Garden Club of Cape Coral District IX

Award# 1Aiii School Grounds Improvement, First Place
Award #16Aiii Butterfly Conservation, First Place
Award #3Aiii Historic Preservation and/or Preservation, First Place

Sweet Bay Garden Club District I

Award #3Aii Historic Preservation and/or Preservation, Second Place

Lakes and Hills Garden Club District VII

Award #3Aiv Historic Preservation and/or Preservation, First Place
Award 33-A6 Yearbook First Place

Dade City Garden Club District VIII

Award #5Aiv Public Relations, First Place
Award #10Aiv Special Achievement, First Place

Navarre Garden Club District I

Award #7Aii Litter Control, Second Place

Garden Club of Winter Park Inc. District VII

Award #9Aiii Tree Planting, First Place
Award #18Aiii Adopt-A-Park, First Place

Garnier Beach Garden Club District I

Award #10Ai Special Achievement, First Place

Overall Winner \$100.00

Award 33-A2 Yearbook HM

Wildflower Circle District IV

Of the Garden Club of Jacksonville

Award #10Aii Special Achievement, Second Place

Wellington Garden Club District X

Award #11Aiv Horticulture Award, First Place
#25Aiv Arbor Day, First Place

Garden Club of Indian River County District X

Award #12Aiv Landscape Design, First Place

Tampa Federation of Garden Club Circles. Inc. District VIII

Award #13Aiv Historic Preservation and Restoration, First Place
Award 24 Deep South Garden Club of the Year Third Place
#30Aiv Small Standard Flower Show, First Place
"Celebrating 90 Years"

Deep South Awards Continued

Garden Divas Circle District IV
Garden Club of Jacksonville
Award #15Ai Environmental Education, Second Place

Miami Beach Garden Club District XII
Award #16Aii Butterfly Conservation, HM

The Garden Club of DeLand District VI
Award #16Aiv Community Action, First Place
Overall Winner \$50.00

Daisy Circle District V
Gainesville Garden Club
Award #19Ai Community Action, First Place
#25Ai Arbor Day, Second Place

Piper's Landing Garden Club District X
Award # 19Aii Community Action, Second Place

Garden Club of Orange Park District IV
Award #19Aiii Community Action, Second Place

Temple Terrace Garden Club District VIII
Award #19Aiv Community Action, First Place

Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
High School Gardeners
First Place

Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
Award #22B Intermediate Gardeners, First Place
Overall Winner \$50.00

Punta Gorda Garden Club District IX
#23Aiii Conservation, First Place
Overall Winner \$25.00

Windermere Garden Club District VII
#25Aii Arbor Day, First Place

Award #28 Deep South Garden Clubs
"Mentor of the Year"
Kat Spieker

Of the Valparaiso Garden Club, District I
Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.

Florida City Garden Club District XII
Award 31-A2 NGC Publicity Press Book, Third Place

Alligator Creek Garden Club District IV
Award 33-A1 Yearbook, HM

Deep South Awards Continued

Steinhatchee Garden Club District III
Award 33-A3 Yearbook Second Place

Bartram Garden Club District IV
Award 33-A4 Yearbook Third Place

Davis Island Garden Club District VIII
Award 33-A5 Yearbook First Place

Tallahassee Garden Club District III
Award 33-A7 Yearbook Third Place

NGC High School Essay Contest
Christiana Hewlett, 10th Grade Fourth Place
Ft. Lauderdale GC District XI

Ella P. Woods - Paths of Sunshine
Glenda Dawson, Chair

- 1. FDOT District 2 “Chiefland Milkweed Study” with University of Florida
SR24 North of Bronson and SR 122 south of Williston.
FFGC District 5**
Chiefland Maintenance joined with the University of Florida in a research study, led by Dr. Jaret C Daniels to improve overall pollinator habitat and to assist the reproduction cycle of Monarchs by improving their migration habitats.
- 2. District 6 “Spanish Needle Task Team” Trail-City of Miami, five block site
between SW 177th Ave. and SW 172nd Ave.
FFGC District 12**
The Spanish needle pilot project is ground breaking for FDOT, helping increase awareness of the plant’s ecological significance, and leading the effort to change the Department’s and Publics recognition of this Spanish needle from an undesirable weed to the beautiful, no cost, native wildflower that it is.
- 3. FDOT District 3 “Maintenance - Hwy 77” near Bay County/Washington
County line.
FFGC District 2**
This project began in 2015 and is impressive for its Environmental awareness and Conservation of one of Florida’s beautiful threatened native plants, the Gulf Coast Lupine.