

**Information:** All lectures are open to the public for stated fees; only members of a garden club belonging to NGC, Inc., are eligible to receive credit toward Nationally Accredited Judges' Certificates. **Students taking the course for credit must be in attendance throughout lecture time; Seating is numbered and assigned in order paid** registrations were received. **Bring to class:** The *Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2017 edition, clipboard, pencil/s (mechanical preferred) and notepaper. **Attendance cards** are proof of attending the course and will be 'punched' for each session.

**Required reading list:**

\**The National Gardener Magazine* (TNG online as PDF [www.gardenclubs.org](http://www.gardenclubs.org))

\**Handbook for Flower Shows*, 2017 edition (download from [www.gardenclub.org](http://www.gardenclub.org))

\**Horticulture Exhibiting and Judging* (NGC)

**Hotel:** Hotels are on your own. Many hotels are situated within 2 miles of the venue: Studio 6, Garden Inn and Suites, Best Western, Days Inn (Wyndham), Hampton Inn and Suites, Super 8 (Wyndham), Red Roof Inn, Country Inn and Suites (Radisson), Holiday Inn Express (IHG), etc. at I-10 and Pine Forest Road.

**Restaurants:** Sonny's BBQ, Cracker Barrel, BigOtes (Mexican), Ruby Tuesday, Petrella's (Italian), Philly Cheesesteaks, Starbucks, Chili's, iHop, etc.

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**Florida Flower Show Judges,  
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**National Garden Clubs, Inc.  
Flower Show School  
SYMPOSIUM**

**May 14-16, 2024**

**Escambia County 4-H Center  
3730 Stefani Road,  
Cantonment, Florida 32533**

## Daily Agenda

### Tuesday evening May 14, 2024

4:00p- 5:00p Allied Topic 1  
5:00p- 6:00p Allied Topic 2

**Dinner on your own**

### Wednesday May 15, 2024

8:30-9:15 Registration open  
9:15-9:30 Announcements  
9:30-11:30 Horticulture  
11:30-12:30 Lunch  
12:30—2:30p Horticulture  
Afternoon Break  
3:00-5:00 Point Scoring Exam

**Dinner on your own**

### Thursday May 16, 2024

8:30-9:15 Registration open  
9:15-9:30 Announcements  
9:30-11:30 Design  
11:30-12:30 Lunch  
12:30—2:30p Design  
Afternoon Break  
3:00-5:00 Point Scoring Exam

**Dinner on your own**

### **Allied Topics**

Judy Binns- Judging Petites  
David Robson-Collections vs Displays

## Meet Your Instructors

### **DESIGN**

**Judy Binns** is a member of the Salisbury Garden Club, former President of the Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs, an NGC accredited Master Flower Show Judge, and an NGC Design instructor. She has served on the NGC Board of Directors since 2007. Judy is an active member of the Council at the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts where she is involved with "Fine Arts and Flowers-as an exhibitor, co-chairman and sponsor liaison. Judy enjoys membership in: her District and state Judges Councils, CFFA and NFA. She enjoys spending time with her grandchildren, introducing them to the gardening and flower arranging.

### **HORTICULTURE**

**David Robson** is a retired horticulture and pesticide safety specialist with the University of Illinois. A graduate of Iowa State University and University of IL, he has taught for more than 37 years. He is an NGC Flower Show School and Symposium instructor, teaching Horticulture and Flower Show Procedure. He currently serves on the NGC Board of Directors: Finance committee, PH&E and Plant America Grants and Landscape

## Registration (please print legibly)

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Please 'check' your choice below:

- Course for Credit with exam \$128  
 Master Judge taking for audit \$125  
 Horticulture Only(1 Day-Wed.) \$ 75  
 Design Only(1 day-Thurs.) \$ 75

(All fees include handouts and lunch)

**Total remittance enclosed** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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**NO REFUNDS AFTER May 1, 2024**

**Cancellation Fee of \$10 will be retained.**