## DEPARTMENT XXII

## FLOWERS

## Rules

1. All plant material must have been grown by the exhibitor. Potted plants must have been owned by the exhibitor for a minimum of three (3) months.
2. An exhibitor may enter one item per class/subdivision, however, exhibitor may enter as many classes/subdivisions as they wish.
3. Containers for cut specimens will be furnished by the committee. Please cut the stems long, do not cut short.
4. Blue, red, and white ribbons may be awarded in each class/subdivision.
5. The show officials will take all precautions to protect exhibitor's property, however, we cannot assume responsibility for any damage or loss.
6. All entries must be received no later than 8 pm on Tuesday.
7. All entries must be picked up by the exhibitor between 2 and 5 pm on Sunday.
8. Inch (") measurements refer to the diameter of the flower.
9. Plants must be groomed (dead and ragged leaves and flowers removed and pots cleared).
10. Ribbons will not be awarded to plants whose overall appearance does not meet the requirements.
11. Should it become necessary, spent flowers will be removed by members of the Garden Club.

## Categories

| I- Annuals | 1st2nd <br> 1- Cosmos (3 stems) <br> 2- Marigold | Blue | Red |
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| 2a. Large (over 3", 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
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| 2b. Medium (under 3", 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 2c. Dwarf (3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 3- Salvia (3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 4- Snapdragon (3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 5- Strawflower (helichrysum, 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |

6- Zinnia

6a. Large (over 4", 3 stems)
Blue Red White

| 6b. Medium (2"-4", 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
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| 6c. Dwarf (under 2", 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 7- Celosia (cockscomb, 1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 8- Other Annual (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 9- Other annual (3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 10- Collection of Annuals (3 different varieties, 1 stem of each variety) | Blue | Red | White |

## II- Perennials

11- Chrysanthemum (3 stems)
12- Cone Flower (echinacea, 3 stems)
13- Rudbeckia (3 stems)
14- Sedum (1 stem)
15- Yarrow (3 stems)
16- Other Perennial (1 stem)
17- Other Perennial (3 stems)
18- Collection of Perennials (3 different varieties, 1 stem of each variety)
III- Roses

| Blue | Red | White |
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| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |
| Blue | Red | White |


| 19- Hybrid Tea (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
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| 20- Climbing Rose (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 21- Floribunda (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 22- Shrub Rose (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 23- Miniature (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 24- Other Rose (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 25- Collection of Roses (3 different varieties, 1 stem of each variety) | Blue | Red | White |

## IV- Bulbs, Corms \& Tubers

26- Dahlia

| 26a. Informal or Formal Decorative (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
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| 26a1. Large - 8" or greater | Blue | Red | White |
| 26a2. Medium - less than 8 " | Blue | Red | White |
| 26b. Cactus or Semi-Cactus (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26b1. Large - 8" or greater | Blue | Red | White |
| 26b2. Medium - less than 8" | Blue | Red | White |
| 26c. Ball type (over 2", 1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26d. Pompom (less than 2", 3 stems) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26e. Waterlily (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26f. Laciniated Dahlia (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26g. Any Other Dahlia (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |
| 26h. Collection of Dahlias (3 different varieties, 1 stem of each variety) | Blue | Red | White |
| 27- Other Bulb, Corm, or Tuber (1 stem) | Blue | Red | White |

## V- Shrubs or Trees in Flower or Fruit

28- One Branch (not over 24")
Blue Red White

## VI- Flowering Vines

29- One Branch (not over 24")
Blue Red White

VII- Blooming Plants (plant must be in bloom)

30- African Violet (must be symmetrical)

30a. Single Bloom
30b. Double Blooms
Blue Red White
Blue Red White
30c. Other
Blue Red White
31- Begonia

| 31a. Tuberous | Blue | Red | White |
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| 31b. Other | Blue | Red | White |
| 32- Bromeliad | Blue | Red | White |
| 33- Orchid | Blue | Red | White |
| 34- Other Blooming Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| VIII- Foliage Plants (Foliage plants only - no blooms) |  |  |  |
| 35-Bonsai | Blue | Red | White |
| 36- Caladium | Blue | Red | White |
| 37-Coleus | Blue | Red | White |
| 38-Fern | Blue | Red | White |
| 39- Snake Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| 40-Herbs |  |  |  |
| 40a. Single Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| 40b. Herb Garden (single pot of multiple varieties) | Blue | Red | White |
| 41- Other Foliage Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| IX- Cacti \& Succulents |  |  |  |
| 42- Cacti |  |  |  |
| 42a. Single Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| 42b. Cacti Garden (single pot of multiple varieties) | Blue | Red | White |
| 43-Succulent |  |  |  |
| 43a. Single Plant | Blue | Red | White |
| 43b. Succulent Garden (single pot of multiple varieties) | Blue | Red | White |
| 44- Succulent/Cact: Garden | Blue | Red | White |
| X- Dish Garden: Any Size |  |  |  |
| 45- Any Other Dish or Fairy Garden | Blue | Red | White |

## XI- Unusual Plant

46- Any Other Unusual Plant Blue Red White

## Artistic Arrangements

Rule: Rule \#1 does not apply to the Artistic Arrangement classes/subdivisions. The exhibitor must have made the arrangement. All other rules apply.

1- Autumn Harvest - a mixed arrangement of fresh flowers with Blue Red White fresh fruit and/or vegetables

2- Gem Country - a miniature arrangement of fresh and/or dry Blue Red White materials, not to exceed 5 " in height

3- Nantahala Forest- an arrangement using fresh green material
Blue Red White
4- Pickin' on the Square- an arrangement using fresh and/or dried materials

5- Pumpkin Fest- an arrangement made in a pumpkin or gourd
Blue Red White container of fresh and/or dried material

6- Wayah Bald- an arrangement of all dried material
Blue Red White
7- Arranger's Choice

7a. Less than 10" tall
Blue Red White
7b. 10 " to 18 " tall
Blue Red White
7c. Over 18" tall
Blue Red White

