

DEPARTMENT L – FLORICULTURE

Superintendent: Marshall-Putnam Master Gardeners
Contact - Sharon Gallup or Dave Dunagan

Total Premiums Offered – \$357.50

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

Exhibitors please take notice and observe carefully.

- Exhibitor's Permit - \$6.00. No entry fee required.**
- Exhibitors may make unlimited entries in every class number, but may win only two premiums per class number.
- ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER, RELEASE FORM SIGNATURES, AND PAYMENT OF EXHIBITOR'S PERMIT.**
- **Please Note** ENTRY FORMS MUST BE IN THE FAIR OFFICE BY 6:00 PM WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2010 or POSTMARKED BY JUNE 23.** Article identification tags will be printed on the computer. The fair office is open for "walk-in" entries beginning June 14. Bring or mail your entry forms in early to avoid waiting in line.
- No exhibitor will be paid a premium until a completed W-9 form is on file in our fair office. W-9 form is located on the entry form.**
- ENTRY FORMS** - Exhibitor's name must match social security number given. **Entry will be determined by class number given on entry form.** Entry forms may be photocopied, if needed.
- Article identification tags must be filled in with COMPLETE information and attached to entry in an inconspicuous place. Name to be taped to bottom of containers. Containers must be clean and plants well groomed. Please identify plants.
- All entries in plant division must have been grown and owned by exhibitor at least sixty days.
- Flowers or greenery from a florist are not allowed.**
- No artificial flowers or foliage may be used.**
- No entry can be exhibited more than once, if it has been exhibited in previous years and won.**
- All entries must be in place (**in the Annex**) by 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 7, 2010. We encourage exhibitors not to bring flower entries before Wednesday morning, so flowers and plants are fresh for judging.
- Every exhibit entered for competition shall be under the control of the Superintendents and staged at their and the committee's direction. The committee reserves the right to stage all categories and place all entries in correct class number.
- Exhibitors may be present during judging. Critique and comments will be given after judging is completed if judge(s) wish to comment. Judge(s) may desire to give written comments.
- Exhibits will be maintained during the fair, but the Fair Association and committee in no way assume responsibility for them.
- There will be no storage space available for boxes, etc.
- No refunds to non-winners.
- Exhibits must be removed on Sunday evening, July 11, at 5 p.m.** Leaving before release time will mean forfeiture of premium checks.

MARSHALL-PUTNAM FAIR GLADIOLUS SHOW - JULY 10 & 11.

Show to be held in the Annex Building. Set up time is 8:30 am and Judging at 12 noon.
This show is for local exhibitors - the IL Gladiolus Society will not be participating.
Contact Joe Steffen (joesteffen@hotmail.com) for more information.

SECTION 1 – AWARDS

2100. Best of Show – Each Section 2, 3 & 4 – Rosette
2101. Sweepstakes Award – Presented to the exhibitor receiving the most blue ribbons in this department - \$10.00 and Rosette

SECTION 2 – POTTED PLANTS (NO ACCESSORIES)

All entries MUST be grown by the exhibitor for at least 60 days.

	1st	2nd	3rd
2102. Cactus - prickly plant (1 plant per container)	\$4.00	\$3.00	\$2.00
2103. Any other Succulents/juicy tissue (1 plant per container) ..	4.00	3.00	2.00
2104. Potted Herb (identify plant)	4.00	3.00	2.00
2105. African Violet, single blooming	4.00	3.00	2.00
2106. Tuberous Begonia, in bloom	4.00	3.00	2.00
2107. Dish Garden (arrangement of living plants with similar culture in a terrarium or dish garden. Must be the work of the exhibitor).....	4.00	3.00	2.00
2108. Any other Named Flowering Potted Plant	4.00	3.00	2.00
(identify plant)			
2109. Any other Named Non-Flowering Potted Plant	4.00	3.00	2.00
(identify plant)			
2110. Geranium/blooming (1 or more of same variety in container).....	4.00	3.00	2.00
2111. Hanging Basket - flowering (identify plant)	4.00	3.00	2.00
2112. Hanging Basket - non-flowering (identify plant)	4.00	3.00	2.00

Potted plants will be judged in accordance with shape, health, vigor, quantity and quality of flowers (if any). Pot size NOT TO EXCEED 15 INCHES IN DIAMETER.

(Classes continued on next page)

SECTION 3 – CUT SPECIMENS

	1st	2nd	3rd
Please use a clear glass bottle for your entry. Stem in good proportion to foliage head. Specimens are judged for quality only.			
2113. Single specimen Hybrid Tea Rose	\$2.50	\$1.75	\$1.50
2114. Single specimen Floribunda Rose	2.50	1.75	1.50
2115. Single specimen Hemerocallis (Daylily) (one stem).....	2.50	1.75	1.50
2116. Hosta - single specimen - 1 LEAF-Dwarf and Miniature (less than 1" across) IDENTIFY VARIETY	2.50	1.75	1.50
2117. Hosta - single specimen - 1 LEAF-Small (1" - 3" across) IDENTIFY VARIETY	2.50	1.75	1.50
2118. Hosta - single specimen - 1 LEAF-Medium (3" - 6" across) IDENTIFY VARIETY	2.50	1.75	1.50
2119. Hosta - single specimen 1 LEAF-Large (6" - 8" across) IDENTIFY VARIETY	2.50	1.75	1.50
2120. Hosta - single specimen 1 LEAF-Giant (greater than 8" across) IDENTIFY VARIETY	2.50	1.75	1.50

SECTION 4 – DISPLAYS OF ANNUAL OR PERENNIAL FLOWERS

Judged 75% - perfection of bloom, 25% - arrangement and suitability of container.

2121. Best display of Gloriosa Daisy	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.75
2122. Best display of Petunia Bloom (single)	3.00	2.00	1.75
2123. Best display of Liliput Zinnia (single).....	3.00	2.00	1.75
2124. Best display of Large Zinnia (single).....	3.00	2.00	1.75
2125. Best display of Marigold (giant).....	3.00	2.00	1.75
2126. Best display of Marigold (French)	3.00	2.00	1.75

SECTION 5 – DECORATIVE DESIGN

Flower arrangement is the art of organizing the elements and principles of design to attain beauty, simplicity, expression and harmony.

A good design is in good proportion to background. Background material and accessory may be used if desired.

Scale of Points – Design 25, Conformation to Schedule 20, Color 15, Relationship of Components 15, Distinction 15, Condition 10 – Total Points 100.

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
2127. "BUCKING BRONCO" Arrangement of FRESH garden flowers	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$3.00	
2128. "COYOTE UGLY" Arrangement of FRESH roadside flowers incorporating a cowboy hat, furnished by the exhibitor	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2129. "BOOT HILL" Arrangement of FRESH garden flowers incorporating a boot, furnished by the exhibitor.....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2130. "SAGEBRUSH AND TUMBLEWEEDS" Arrangement using ONLY DIFFERENT HERBS.....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2131. "SUNSET ON THE TRAIL" Arrangement in shades of yellow and/or orange (all FRESH flowers).....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2132. "PAINTED DESERT" Arrangement in shades of red, white and blue (all FRESH flowers).....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2133. "COWBOY COFFEE AND STEW" Arrangement in mixed shades using a campfire cooking utensil as container or accessories, furnished by the exhibitor (all FRESH flowers).....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2134. "MUTTON BUSTERS" All white arrangement of FRESH flowers. Green foliage may be used.....	5.00	4.00	3.00	
2135. "BULL RIDING" Exhibitor's choice of fresh and/or dried plant material. To be staged on a chair or stool OR with an antique, furnished by the exhibitor.....	7.50	6.00	5.00	
2136. TABLE - "HIGH NOON" Exhibitor's choice of plant material. Service for four. NO FLATWARE, PAPER OR PLASTIC. NO ARTIFICIAL OR REAL FOOD. LIMITED TO 1 CARD TABLE SIZE (table furnished by exhibitor).....	20.00	15.00	7.50	5.00

Class 2136 will be limited to the first six entries made to the Fair Office.