

Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.
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Hotel Accommodations and
Symposium Location:
Okemos Conference Center
Okemos Comfort Inn
2187 University Park Dr.
Okemos, MI 48864

Request room block for
Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.
Phone: 517-347-6690

Room Rate: \$81.00+tax
Hotel Reservations Deadline:
Monday, August 3, 2020

For a map & driving directions,
Search Web for: Comfort Inn,
Okemos, MI

Horticulture Instructor: Sue Kirkman,
NGC Flower Show and Symposium Horticulture
Instructor. A member of the Garden Club of
Frankfort, NGC Master Flower Show Judge,
Gardening Consultant, Landscape Design
Consultant, Master Gardener, American
Iris Society Judge and a member of Bluegrass
Daffodil, and North American Lily Societies.
A retired college instructor, State of Kentucky
Aging director and gerontologist. Sue and her
Husband spend time with their grandchildren,
Gardening, traveling and playing with their dogs
and chickens.

Design Instructor: Lynn Fronk,
NGC Master Flower Show Judge, Flower
Schools Instructor for Flower Show Schools
Design and Procedure Instructor. She has taught
in 42 states, Mexico, Guatemala, Columbia,
Ecuador, Uruguay and Guantanamo Bay,
Cuba. She has judged major flower shows in the
US such as the Philadelphia Flower Show,
Newport Flower Show and the Rhode Island State
Flower Show. She is the Past President of Garden
Club of Ohio. She is a member of the Flower
Show Committee for NGC. She has recently relocated
to Flowery Branch, Georgia.

Out of State Judges:
Please have your State Judges Chair mail
your credentials four weeks in advance to:

Lynn Miller
427 Adaway SE
Ada, MI 49301
616-676-2274
lmiller.garden@yahoo.com

*Note: Lectures are open to the public for the fee
stated on the registration form. Only NGC Judges
are eligible to take this course for credit.*

*All lectures must be attended to receive credit
toward certificates.*

CANCELLATIONS

Registration Deadline: August 14, 2020

*No Refunds after August 14, 2020. After August 14, 2020
there will be a \$20 late registration fee. Refunds prior to
August 14 will be assessed a 10% Processing Fee.*

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Michigan's 58th Flower Show Symposium



Sponsored by
Michigan Garden Clubs, Inc.

The Michigan Association of
Accredited Judges
and
District IV
Tuesday, August 25, 2020
and
Wednesday, August 26, 2020

Location:
Okemos Conference Center
2187 University Park Drive
Okemos, MI 48864
517-381-7300



REGISTRATION FORM

Symposium August 25-26, 2020

Please register early - Deadline: August 14, 2020

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip+4 _____

Email _____

Phone _____

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FULL COURSE \$165.00

Includes lectures, exam or audit fee and two (2) lunches. _____

Check your current judging status below:

Student Judge (No Exam) _____

Accredited or Life (Exam) _____

Master Judge (Audit) _____

Year of last refresher or audit _____

FULL COURSE \$160.00

(NO CREDIT) includes lectures, two (2) lunches _____

One Day- Tuesday, Aug. 25 \$85.00

8:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m. Horticulture
Lunch

One Day- Wednesday, Aug. 26 \$85.00

8:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m. Design
Lunch

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Make check payable to:

MGC JUDGES SYMPOSIUM 2020

Mail registration form and check to:

Sue Wittick
4103 Breakwater Rd.
Okemos, MI 48864

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Tuesday, August 25, 2020

8:00 a.m. Registration/ Coffee
8:30 a.m. Welcome MGC President
Janet Hickman
MAAJ President, Jenny Bond

8:45 a.m. Allied Topic,
"Fun with Fairy Gardens"
Instructor: Sue Kirkman

9:45 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. Horticulture
"Fall Colors with Fall
Composites"
Instructor: Sue Kirkman

12:00 p.m. Break and Lunch

12:45 p.m. Lecture Continues
Practice Point Scoring

2:45 p.m. Break

3:15-5:15 p.m. Horticulture
Point Scoring Exam
Scheduled for two hours

Dinner on your own

Please Note:

Any photos taken at this event may be used in upcoming informational and promotional materials. If you don't want your photo used, please notify the Symposium Registrar when you check in. Those who do not want their photos used for any reason will receive a red dot on their nametag.

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Wednesday, August 26, 2020

8:00 a.m. Registration/Coffee
8:30 a.m. Welcome MGC President
Janet Hickman

8:45 a.m. Allied Topic,
"Judging Artistic Crafts"
Instructor: Lynn Fronk

9:45 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. Design "Fascinating Rhythms"
And "Creative Designs"
Instructor: Lynn Fronk

12:00 p.m. Break and Lunch

12:45 p.m. Lecture Continues
Practice Point Scoring

2:45 p.m. Break

3:15-5:15 p.m. Design Point Scoring Exam
Scheduled for two hours

To keep in Good Standing all Accredited, Life and Master Judges and NGC instructors must continue their judging education by auditing a symposium every three years. Submit complete application for renewal or audit to the Judges' Credentials Chair for approval at least **FOUR** weeks prior to the symposium. Include exhibiting and judging evidence as applicable, and other information on application forms for Accredited and Life Renewals and Master Judge Audits.

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