

## Junior Department

# FLORAL ARTS, FLORICULTURE, & HORTICULTURE

**Coordinator:** Kyan Walker, San Anselmo

**Judge:** Joanne Ludwig, Santa Rosa

### Timeline & Rules

**Entry Forms Due** → On or before Monday, June 3, 5 pm, Fair Office

**Or:** Enter online at [marinfair.org](http://marinfair.org) through Friday, June 28.

A 2019 Registration Fee of \$2 per person will apply; save \$1 by entering online.

**Entry Limit** → Two Entries per Exhibitor per Class

**Entry Fee** → \$2 per Entry. Fruits/Vegetables: \$.50 per Entry  
**Exception: No Entry Fee for Produce Art**

**Exhibits Received** → Tuesday, July 2, 7:30 am to 10 am, Exhibit Hall

**Exhibits Released** → Monday, July 8, 12 Noon to 7 pm, Exhibit Hall

Junior Floral Arts, Floriculture, and Horticulture Department  
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**Joe Grenn, Mill Valley, In Memory of Mrs. Helen Grenn**

## Junior Division 390 Arrangements

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

**Rules** - Use fresh flowers and foliage. You may use some dry branches or grasses and any additional props.

### Class

#### **Exhibitor's Age - 5 through 8 Years:**

- 1 Two's Company!** – An arrangement using two containers.
- 2 Farmers' Market** – Use one or more vegetables and/or fruit with flowers.
- 3 Crescent Moon** – A crescent shaped arrangement with foliage and flowers.
- 4 Shooting Stars** – A vertical arrangement at least 20' tall.

#### **Exhibitor's Age - 9 through 12 Years:**

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| <b>5 Two's Company!</b>  | <b>7 Crescent Moon</b>  | <i>(see descriptions above)</i> |
| <b>6 Farmers' Market</b> | <b>8 Shooting Stars</b> |                                 |

#### **Exhibitor's Age - 13 through 15 Years:**

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| <b>9 Two's Company!</b>   | <b>11 Crescent Moon</b>  | <i>(see descriptions above)</i> |
| <b>10 Farmers' Market</b> | <b>12 Shooting Stars</b> |                                 |

#### **Exhibitor's Age - 16 through 18 Years:**

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| <b>13 Two's Company!</b>  | <b>15 Crescent Moon</b>  | <i>(see descriptions above)</i> |
| <b>14 Farmers' Market</b> | <b>16 Shooting Stars</b> |                                 |

### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$8 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

## Junior Division 391 Container Gardens

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

- Rules –**
1. Gardens must have been planted by exhibitor.
  2. All plants must be on growing roots & should be planted for at least three weeks.
  3. Any container(s) may be used for gardens – pottery, driftwood, recycled, handmade, manufactured, etc., and must have drainage. Maximum size: 20" in diameter.
  4. Accessories may be used (animals, buildings, figures, etc.), but they should be to scale.

### **Class Exhibitor's Age: 5 through 8 Years**

- 1 **It's a Colorful World!** Use a variety of colorful plants.
- 2 **Fun with Cacti and/or Succulents** Use any combination.

### **Exhibitor's Age: 9 through 12 Years**

- 3 **It's a Colorful World!** Use a variety of colorful plants.
- 4 **Fun with Cacti and/or Succulents** Use any combination.

### **Exhibitor's Age: 13 through 15 Years**

- 5 **It's a Colorful World!** Use a variety of colorful plants.
- 6 **Fun with Cacti and/or Succulents** Use any combination.

### **Exhibitor's Age: 16 through 18 Years**

- 7 **It's a Colorful World!** Use a variety of colorful plants.
- 8 **Fun with Cacti and/or Succulents** Use any combination.

### **NEW! Exhibitor's Age: Open to all youth 5 through 18 Years**

- 9 **The Land of Fairies!** Plant a whimsical garden home for fairies.
- 10 **Heavenly Herbs** Use any combination of herbs.
- 11 **Over the Moon!** Celebrate the universe using any combination of plants.

### **Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class**

1st Place - \$10 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 3rd Place – Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$25 & Rosette Ribbon  
and First Place cash prizes *Courtesy of ~***

**Milt & Bette Holloway, Sonoma In Memory  
of Long-Time Exhibitors Leonard & Mildred Benaski**

**Special Prize for Novelty Container Gardens  
Awarded at the Discretion of the Judge *Courtesy of ~***

**Randy & Marilyn Stoops, Granite Bay In Memory  
of Long-Time Exhibitors Leonard & Mildred Benaski – \$25**

## Junior Division 392 Container Gardens:

### Novelty Planted Containers

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

**Rules** – Plant any type of material in a Novelty Container – Examples:

Recycled: Boot, Toy, Ceramic Animal, Tennis Shoe, Can, Plastic Bottle, Tin Can, etc.

Kitchen: Cup & Saucer, Tea Pot, Bowl, Measuring Cup, etc.

Natural: Shells, Rocks, Driftwood, etc.

### **Class**

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| 1 Exhibitor Age: 5 through 8 Years  | 3 Exhibitor Age: 13 through 15 Years |
| 2 Exhibitor Age: 9 through 12 Years | 4 Exhibitor Age: 16 through 18 Years |

### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$25 & Rosette Ribbon**

**Randy & Marilyn Stoops, Granite Bay In Memory  
of Long-Time Exhibitors Leonard & Mildred Benaski**

## Junior Division 393 Container Gardens:

### Window Boxes

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

**Rules** – 1. Use a wallpaper wetting tray, approximately 33" x 7", or a wood, metal, plastic, or terra cotta container of similar size.

2. Use any combination of Flowering Plants, Foliage Plants, Succulents, Cacti, Vegetables and/or Herbs.

3. Plants may be planted directly in tray or left in individual containers as long as the containers are not visible.

### **Class**

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| 1 Exhibitor Age: 5 through 8 Years  | 3 Exhibitor Age: 13 through 15 Years |
| 2 Exhibitor Age: 9 through 12 Years | 4 Exhibitor Age: 16 through 18 Years |

### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

**Mrs. Helen Grenn Memorial Award**

## Division 394 Zen Gardens

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

**Rules** –

1. Create a traditional Japanese Zen rock or "dry landscape" garden, including stone arrangements, gravel and/or sand.

2. Garden should not be over 12" square and should have some type of border to keep sand and/or gravel contained

### **Class**

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| 1 Exhibitor Age: 5 through 8 Years  | 3 Exhibitor Age: 13 through 15 Years |
| 2 Exhibitor Age: 9 through 12 Years | 4 Exhibitor Age: 16 through 18 Years |

### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

**Mrs. Helen Grenn Memorial Award**

## Junior Division 395 Potted Plants

### Including Cacti, Insectivores & Succulents

**Entry Fee – \$2 per entry**

**Class** **Note:** Entries must be in a 3" or larger pot.

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| 1 Cacti            | 4 Foliage Plants                                 |
| 2 Succulents       | 5 Insectivores (Fly Traps, Pitcher Plants, etc.) |
| 3 Flowering Plants | 6 Organically Grown Potted Plants                |

#### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

Special Prize for Potted Plants Awarded at the Discretion of the Judge  
*Courtesy of ~*

**West End Nursery, San Rafael – \$25 Gift Certificate**

## Junior Division 396 Fruits & Vegetables

**Entry Fee – \$.50 per entry**

### Rules –

1. Refer to the Adult Horticulture Department for quantities needed.
2. You may enter three different entries in each class.

### Class

- 1 Fruit, any kind, please specify on entry form
- 2 Vegetables, any kind, please specify on entry form
- 3 Hydroponically Grown Fruits or Vegetables, any kind, please specify on entry form
- 4 Organically Grown Fruits or Vegetables, any kind, please specify on entry form

#### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

## Junior Division 397 Gimmicks –

### Giant, Mini, & Unusual Produce

**Entry Fee –  
\$.50 per entry**

### Rules –

1. Bring your largest, smallest and/or strangest.
2. They will be judged on appearance, not quality.

### Class

- 1 Giant, Mini, & Unusual Produce.

#### Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class

1st Place - \$5 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place - Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$10 & Rosette Ribbon**

**Rules –**

1. Fruit and/or vegetable transformations may not exceed 18 inches in any direction.
2. Produce characters/art must be reinforced and placed on a strong and disposable base.

**Class Exhibitor's Age: 5 through 8 Years**

- 1 Transform produce into a bird, animal, or insect.
- 2 Transform produce into a vehicle.
- 3 Transform produce into a person or people.
- 4 Transform produce into a Marin County Fair scene.

**Class Exhibitor's Age: 9 through 12 Years**

- 5 Transform produce into a bird, animal, or insect.
- 6 Transform produce into a vehicle.
- 7 Transform produce into a person or people.
- 8 Transform produce into a Marin County Fair scene.

**Class Exhibitor's Age: 13 through 15 Years**

- 9 Transform produce into a bird, animal, or insect.
- 10 Transform produce into a vehicle.
- 11 Transform produce into a person or people.
- 12 Transform produce into a Marin County Fair scene.

**Class Exhibitor's Age: 16 through 18 Years**

- 13 Transform produce into a bird, animal, or insect.
- 14 Transform produce into a vehicle.
- 15 Transform produce into a person or people.
- 16 Transform produce into a Marin County Fair scene.

**Danish System of Judging – Awards Offered per Class**

1st Place - \$4 & Ribbon • 2nd Place - \$3 & Ribbon • 3rd Place – Ribbon

**Best of Show – \$15 & Rosette Ribbon****Leonard & Mildred Benaski Memorial Awards**

**(One Best of Show may be awarded for each age group.)**

Special Prize for Outstanding Entry in Junior Floral  
Arts, Floriculture, or Horticulture *Courtesy of ~*

**Novato Garden Club – \$25**

Special Prize for Junior Floral Arts  
Awarded at the Discretion of the Judge *Courtesy of ~*

**Karen Stagg, Novato, in memory of Betty Maas – \$25**

Special Prizes for Junior Floriculture  
Awarded at the Discretion of the Judge *Courtesy of ~*

**Karen Stagg, Novato, in memory of Janet Goddard – \$25**

**Liz Vernon, Novato, in memory of Betty Doerken – \$25**