

### General Information

Any interested person is welcome and invited to attend this Symposium. You need not be a judge or a member of the National Garden Clubs, Inc. or the National Capital Area Garden Clubs, Inc. Only members of National Garden Clubs, Inc. may take the Symposium examination for credit.

### Application for Renewal of Good Standing

To obtain refresher credit, Judges must attend all lectures in the entirety, including oral point scoring sessions. **You must also bring your Handbook for Flower Shows, Rev. 2017.**

Please bring a clipboard, sharpened pencils and erasers for practice point scoring and examination.

**Any Judge from a NGC club, other than a NCAGC club, expecting credit for this Symposium must send a completed appropriate form to the Credentials Chairman of her/his state at least six (6) weeks in advance of the Symposium date. NCAGC members must send completed forms to the NCAGC Credentials Chairman (see below) at least four (4) weeks in advance of the Symposium date.**

**Forms are available online from NGC, Inc. website ([gardenclub.org](http://gardenclub.org)).**

**Accredited Judges** - Submit form 13 with complete necessary documentation as listed in Handbook of Flower Show, Rev. 2017

**Life Judges** - Submit Form 15L with complete documentation as listed in Handbook of Flower Shows, Rev. 2017.

**Master Judges** - Submit form 15M with complete documentation as listed in *Handbook of Flower Shows*, Rev. 2017.

**NCAGC Credentials Chairman**  
**Caroline Carbaugh**  
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### OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS

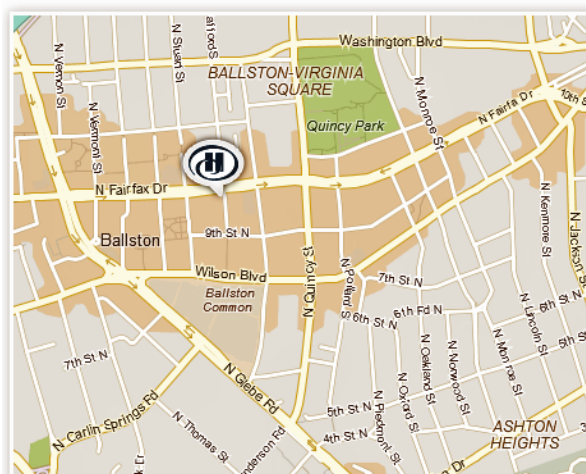
**Hilton Arlington**  
**950 North Stafford Street**  
**Arlington, VA 22203**

To reserve your hotel room, please contact the hotel directly at 703- 528-6000.

Ask for the block rooms reserved for:

**CAR Symposium 2019.**

Room rates start at \$119.00, single or double (tax not included in that cost).



### Transportation

**By Air:** From Reagan National Airport, use Metro Blue (toward Largo) line to Rosslyn, changing at Rosslyn to the Orange Line (to Vienna) to Ballston station below hotel.

**Parking:** Lot under the hotel (for Ballston Metro) is \$10 for 2-12 hours; overnight is \$20. Parking lot at 627 N. Glebe Rd (3 blocks from hotel) is \$10 for the day and overnight.

# NGC Symposium

Sponsored by

**National Capital Area  
Garden Clubs, Inc.**

**Following the CAR-SGC  
Conference at the Hilton,  
Arlington, VA**

**October 26 & 27,  
2019**



## INSTRUCTORS

### Dorothy Yard: HORTICULTURE

#### "Judging Orchids"

#### ALLIED TOPIC: Evaluating NGC Flower Shows/ Books of Evidence with Provided Forms

Dorothy Yard is a graduate of California State College and West Virginia University. She joined a garden club 44 years ago and has never tired of it yet.

She is active on all levels; she is a District Judges Council Chairman for the Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania, chaired CAR Symposium 2011 in Maryland and is Flower Show Achievement Chairman for National Garden Clubs. Dorothy is a Five Star Member of NGC, having completed all four schools offered: Gardening, Environmental, Landscape Design as well as Flower Show School.

She is a Past President of the Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania. She has been an instructor of horticulture for 15 years, also teaching Flower Show Procedure and Symposia; she has taught in more than 36 states so far.

Dorothy believes that we should all strive to be like the plants we tend and "Grow"!

### Julia Clevett: DESIGN

#### "So What's New in Design?"

#### ALLIED TOPIC: "Botanical Arts Design"

Julia is a National Design Instructor, a Master Flower Show Judge and a former President of the Garden Club of New Jersey. She is currently a member of the National Garden Clubs Inc. Board and holds the position of Symposium Chair on the Flower Show Schools Committee.

She is the recipient of numerous flower show awards, including New Jersey's Myra Brooks Silver Award for Creative Design and the Harriet de Waele Puckett Creativity Award given by the Garden Club of America. Her designs have been published in the *Vision of Beauty Calendar*, *Designing by Types*, *Flower Arranging the American Way*, *The Flower Arranger* and several other publications.

Julia studied in England with the well-known flower arranger Sheila McQueen and with the well-known American creative floral designer Bob Thomas. She represented NGC at the 2002 Chelsea Flower Show and was selected to represent NGC as a Floral Design Demonstrator at the WAFA World Flower Show in Boston in 2011. She has also been the keynote speaker for both the Creative Flower Arrangers of the Americas, and the Organization of Floral Art Designers.

Julia has travelled extensively in the United States, Central and South America, where she has taught NGC Flower Show School Courses/Symposia and presented floral demonstrations.

## IMPORTANT!

Before attending the symposium, the *Handbook for Flower Shows 2017 Edition* should be completely updated with the changes published on the NGC website at [www.gardenclub.org](http://www.gardenclub.org)

## PROGRAM SCHEDULE

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2019

- 7:30 - 8:15 Registration  
8:15 - 8:30 Announcements  
8:30 - 9:30 Design: Julia Clevett  
"What's New in Design?"  
9:30 - 9:45 Break  
9:45 - 10:45 Design: Julia Clevett  
10:45 - 11:45 Allied Topic:  
"Botanical Arts Design":  
11:45 - 12:45 Lunch  
12:45 - 2:45 Design and Oral Point Scoring  
2:45 - 3:00 Break  
3:00 - 5:00 Point Scoring Exam

### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2019

- 7:30 - 8:15 Registration  
8:15 - 8:30 Announcements  
8:30 - 9:30 Allied Topic: Evaluating NGC  
Flower Shows/Books of Evidence  
with Provided Forms  
9:30 - 10:30 Horticulture: Dorothy Yard  
"Judging Orchids"  
10:30 - 10:45 Break  
10:45 - 11:45 Horticulture: Dorothy Yard  
11:45 - 12:45 Lunch  
12:45 - 2:45 Horticulture &  
Oral Point Scoring  
2:45 - 3:00 Break  
3:00 - 5:15 Point Scoring Exam

Seating will be assigned in order of receipt of paid registration. Accredited and Life Judges will be given preferred placement.

PLEASE BE PUNCTUAL.

## Symposium October 26-27, 2019

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Garden Club \_\_\_\_\_

State Garden Club \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Judging Status \_\_\_\_\_

Current Good Standing Date: December 31, \_\_\_\_

Please indicate if you require medically special meals

Full Course with exam.....\$175 \_\_\_\_

Full Course without exam..... \$170 \_\_\_\_

1 Day Sat./Sun. lunch/no credit .....\$85 \_\_\_\_  
(circle attending day)

Late Fee ..... \$50 \_\_\_\_  
(postmarked after **October 13, 2019**)

Total Remittance \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Full Course price includes: 2 lunches and  
application audit/point scoring fees.

### Registration Deadline:

**Postmarked October 5, 2019 w/o late fee**

**NOTE: NO REFUNDS**

**after October 13, 2019**

I would prefer to receive my confirmation by

Email           o US Post Office

Make checks to: Council of Accredited Flower  
Show Judges

Mail fee and application

Poss Tarpley, Registrar

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