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*Federated Garden Clubs of
New York State, Inc.*

*Congratulates all
Award applicants and
Award winners.*



National Garden Clubs, Inc.

2023-2024 Awards

Award 11A District Standard FS
Achievement Award
District 1
“Viva La France”

Award 1B Club Standard FS
Achievement Award
Schuylerville Garden Club
District 4
“Road Trip, New York”

Award 1B Club Standard FS
Achievement Award
Germantown Garden Club
District 3
“A Thing Called Love”

Award 1B Club Standard FS
Achievement Award
Town of Ontario Garden Club
District 7
“Summer Solstice”

Award 1B Club Standard FS
Achievement Award
Nathan Hale Garden Club
District 2
“All Aboard”

Award 1B Club Standard FS
Achievement Award
Hopp Ground Garden Club
District 9
“And Away We Go”

Award 11B District Standard FS
Achievement Award - 2022
District VII
“Welcome to the Farm”

**SMOKEY BEAR/WOODSY OWL
ENVIRONMENTAL POSTER
CAR-SGC CITATIONS**

Quinn Talbot

1st Grade

Sherrill Garden Club

Home School

Elise Zorn

2nd Grade

Herkimer Garden Club

Herkimer Elementary School

Elizabeth M. Green

3rd Grade

Sauquoit Valley GC

Sauquoit Valley Central School

Evie Talbot

4th Grade

Sherrill Garden Club

Home School

Reese Warner

5th Grade

Sherrill Garden Club

Home School

CAR-SGC Awards
October 2023 Convention
Corning, NY

1st Place

NGC District Flower Show Schedule
District I Judges Council
“Viva La France”

1st Place

Violet S. Thoron Award
Nathan Hale Garden Club

1st Place

\$2,000 Scholarship Environmental Science
Samantha Bjorklvn
University of Vermont

2nd Place

NGC Standard Flower Show Schedule
Germantown Garden Club

2nd Place

NGC District Flower Show Schedule
District II

2nd Place

Pressbook/Publicity Award
Germantown Garden Club
District III
Medium Club

Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc.

2023-2024 World Gardening

Club Citation 14b - Contributions of \$25.00 or more

Chairman - Lucille Bauer

District 1

Castle Manor Garden Club
First District
Great Kills Garden Club
Richmond Ever-Green GC
Staten Island Garden Club, Inc

District 2

Bay Shore Garden Club
Great Neck Garden Club
Merrick Garden Club
Nathan Hale Garden Club
Remsenburg Garden Club
Sumpwams Garden Club
Syosset Garden club
Three Village Garden Club *

District 3

Athens Community Garden Club
Clematis Garden Club
Community GC of Marlborough
Germantown Garden Club
Greenbush Garden Club
Guilderland Garden Club
Schoharie Valley Garden Club
Shawangunk Garden Club *

District 4

Ballston Spa House & Garden Club
Glenville Hills Garden Club *
Lake George Community GC

District 5

Adirondack Forever Wild GC *
Canajoharie-Fort Plain GC
Clinton Garden Club
Garden Club of Richfield Springs
Herkimer Garden Club
Hillsboro Garden Club
Kingsboro Garden Club
Seed and Weed Garden Club
Sherrill Garden Club

District 6

Binghamton Garden Club
Garden Club of Endwell
Homer Garden Club also Citation 14d1 *

District 7

Allyn's Creek Garden Club
Bloomfield Garden Club
Colony Garden Club
Conesus Lake Garden Club
Country Gardeners of Webster
Creative Gardeners of Penfield

District 7 cont'd

Fairport Garden Club
Four Seasons GC of Fairport
Gates Garden Club
Geneseo Garden Club
Greenbrier Garden Club
Hubbard Springs Garden Club
Janet Lockhart
Klemwood Garden Club
Lakeview Garden Club
Landing Rock Garden Club
Macedon Garden Club

Newark Garden Club
Perry Garden Club
Pittsford Garden Club
Rochester Garden Club
Sodus Garden Club
Sonnenberg Garden Club
Town of Ontario Garden Club
Victor Garden Club *

District 8

Amana Garden Club
Bowmansville Garden Club
Countryside Garden Club of Elma
East Aurora Garden Club
Eden Garden Study Club
Fredonia Garden Club
Hamburg Garden Club
Kenmore Garden Club
Lewiston Garden Club
Orchard Park Garden Club
Smallwood Garden Club
Town & Country GC of Williamsville
Youngstown Garden Club *

District 9

Boulder Ledge GC of Bronxville
Brewster Carmel Garden Club *
Garden Club of City Island *
Garden Club of Larchmont
Garden Club of Peekskill
Ninth District FGCNYS Judges Council
Pound Ridge Garden Club

District 10

Artful Gardeners Garden Club
Community Garden Club of Liberty
Community GC of Pine Bush *
Cornwall Garden Club
Garden Lovers Club of Middletown
Roscoe-Rockland Garden Club
Warwick Valley Gardeners

* also received Citation 14d1 - Largest dollar contribution

Federated Garden Clubs of NYS, Inc.

2023 Anniversaries

(25, 50, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, 90, 100 or greater)

District 2

90th Asharoken Garden Club
90th Matinecock Garden Club
90th Merrick Garden Club
90th Smithtown Garden Club
75th Munsey Park Garden Club
65th Remsenburg Garden Club

District 3

90th Germantown Garden Club
50th Athens Community Garden Club

District 5

75th Paris Hill Garden Club
70th Kingsboro Garden Club

District 6

65th Cazenovia Garden Club

District 7

70th Country Gardeners of Webster
70th Warsaw Garden Club

District 8

70th Ken-Sheriton Garden Club
65th Bowmansville Garden Club
65th Cayuga Island Garden Club
65th Evans Garden Club
65th Youngstown Garden Club

District 9

75th Brewster-Carmel Garden Club

Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc,
2022 Pressbook Awards
Chairman - Patricia Cargnoni

1st Place
Germantown Garden Club
District 3
Medium Club



Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc.

2023 Awards

Civic Concern, Education, Conservation & Environmental Awards

District 1

1 st Place	6a	Richmond-Evergreen GC	Civic Concern
1 st Place	6b	Richmond-Evergreen GC	Education & Youth
1 st Place		Great Kills Garden Club	Community Development & Improvement

District 2

1 st Place	10A	Nathan Hale Garden Club	Education
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District 10

1 st Place		Warwick Valley Gardeners	Environmental Concerns: Native Plants/Wildflowers
1 st Place	YW-9	Warwick Valley Gardeners	Environmental Educ. Project with Youth
1 st Place	3a	Garden Lovers of Middletown	Special Achievement Citation Youth/Environment
1 st Place		Garden Lovers of Middletown	Historic Preservation (Hill Hold Stone Farmhouse)

Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc.

2023 Yearbook Awards

Chairman - Nancy Kalieta

Class One: Under 20 Members

1st:	Schoharie Valley Garden Club	District 3
2nd:	Town & Country GC of Williamsville	District 8
3rd:	Hillsboro Garden Club	District 5
4th:	Artful Gardeners Garden Club	District 10

Class Two: 20-29 Members

1st:	Garden Explorers	District 3
2nd:	Victor Garden Club	District 7
3rd:	Bowmansville Garden Club	District 8
4th:	Clarkstown Garden Club	District 10

Class Three: 30-44 Members

1st:	Germantown Garden Club	District 3
2nd:	Youngstown Garden Club	District 8
3rd:	Nathan Hale Garden Club	District 2
4th:	Schuylerville Garden Club	District 4

Class Four: 45-69 Members

1st:	Kenmore Garden Club	District 8
2nd:	Cornwall Garden Club	District 10
3rd:	Shawangunk Garden Club	District 3
4th:	Great Kills Garden Club	District 1

Class Five: 70-99 Members

1st:	Lake George Community Garden Club	District 4
2nd:	Warwick Valley Gardeners	District 10
3rd:	East Aurora Garden Club	District 8

Federated Garden Clubs of New York State, Inc.
2023 Club Recognition Awards
Chairman - Jo-Anne Schiffner

District 1

Castle Manor Garden Club
Great Kills Garden Club
Richmond Ever-Green GC
Staten Island Garden Club

District 2

Nathan Hale Garden Club

District 3

Athens Community Garden Club
Community Garden Club of
Marlborough on Hudson
Germantown Garden Club
Guilderland Garden Club
Schoharie Valley Garden Club
Tioronda Garden Club

District 4

Schuylerville Garden Club

District 5

Ilion Garden Club
Minnowbrook Garden Club
Seed and Weed Garden Club -
Environs of Utica

District 6

Chittenango Garden Club
Home Garden Club of Syracuse

District 7

Fairport Garden Club
Four Seasons Garden Club
Gates Garden Club
Hubbard Springs Garden Club
Landing Rock Garden Club
Newark Garden Club
Sonnenberg Garden Club
Victor Garden Club

District 9

Brewster Carmel Garden Club
Garden Club of Peekskill
Pound Ridge Garden Club
Hopp Ground Garden Club

District 10

Community Garden Club
of Pine Bush
Warwick Valley Gardeners

Federated Garden Clubs of NYS, Inc.
2023 Flower Show Schedule Awards
Chairman - Eileen De Ricco

Medium-size Clubs' Schedules

1st Place

Nathan Hale Garden Club

District 2

“Welcome Aboard”

2nd Place

Town of Ontario Garden Club

District 7

“Summer Solstice”

3rd Place

Hopp Ground Garden Club

District 9

“And Away We Go!”

Honorable Mentions

Schuylerville Garden Club

District 4

“Road Trip New York

Germantown Garden Club

District 3

“And a Thing Called Love”

Petit-SM Standard FS Schedule

1st Place - 2022

Pound Ridge Garden Club

District 9

“Sonnets for the Cradle”

District Flower Show Schedule

1st Place

District 1

“Viva La France”

1st Place - 2022

District 7

“Welcome to the Farm”

Federated Garden Clubs of NYS, Inc.
2023 Flower Show Awards
Chairman - Cheryl Kopyt

FGC 27A
1st Place
District 1
“Viva La France”

FGC 29A
1st Place
Schuylerville Garden Club
District 4
“Road Trip, New York”

2nd Place
Germantown Garden Club
District 3
“A Thing Called Love”

FGC 22B
1st Place
Town of Ontario Garden Club
District 7
“Summer Solstice”

2nd Place
Nathan Hale Garden Club
District 2
“All Aboard”

3rd Place
Hopp Ground Garden Club
District 9
“And Away We Go”

FGC 27B
1st Place - 2022
District 7
“Welcome to the Farm”

New York State Awards and Commendations

Jo-Anne Schiffner

District 1

Commendation Award #50

Individual Member Recognition
for Service to her Club
Richmond-Evergreen Garden Club

Amy Funkhouser

District 5

Award of Honor #51

For her contributions to the Community
in the areas of Environment, Conservation,
Preservation of the Olmstead legacy, and
her Leadership in the Seed and Weed Garden Club

Germantown Garden Club

District 3

Commendation Citation

95 Years Annual NGC Flower Shows
1928-2023

Madam President, Executive Board, Members and Guests,

It has been a pleasure to work with so many wonderful Club members as they bring to light the great efforts being made in our State by members of our Federated Garden Clubs of New York State.

This year our focus has been to get the word out to the Clubs and members who have given so much to their communities. District Awards Chairman, working with the Garden Club Awards Chairmen, planned and executed many projects and events that were submitted for the 2023 Awards. It was a great Year for our membership and our communities.

We had two Zoom meetings where FGCNYS, CAR-SGC, and NGC Awards, their rules, their requirements, their web accesses were explained. (A recorded version appears on the Award page of our FGCNYS.com site.)

Congratulations to all Award applicants and Award winners. You are all winners for making us proud of the work you are doing in our communities, through your Garden Clubs, and for all of us!

Thank you!!

Cheryl Kopyt, Awards Coordinator
3rd Vice President

**Federated Garden Club of
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Awards Booklet 2023**



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