DESIGN CLASSES

2021 – 2022

When the Design Class was started, its purpose was to encourage Federated members to learn to design with the goal of entering the Rhode Island Flower Show. Over the years, the program evolved into learning design both for shows and home. While keeping this intent, because many clubs are planning flower shows, this year’s format will be slightly different.

In Class One, De Feldman and Barbara Blossom will present types of American Traditional Designs. They will explain what constitutes these types of designs, why they chose the flowers and foliage, what and why the choices are appropriate and the awards for which the designs are generally eligible. Following the presentations, class members will select plant material supplied and create one of the designs with help from the judges as needed.

Class Two will follow the same format. Cathy Moore will present an Angular Design, Candace Morgenstern will present a Multi-Rhythmic Design and Ann Huntoon will present a Parallel Design.

The third class will be a Small Standard Flower Show primarily for members of the Design Classes. The schedule will allow for sixteen design entries and a minimum of twenty horticulture entries. Sixteen entrants are required for designs. Those who do not enter a design will be asked to clerk for the judges.

All members of the class are encouraged to enter the horticulture classes and Judges will be allowed one horticulture entry in horticulture each. Following the judging, all participants will view and discuss the exhibits.

It is suggested that participants enter both classes in anticipation of exhibiting in the flower show, be vaccinated and wear masks when not socially distanced.

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Class I Portsmouth Friends Church (Portsmouth Friends Meeting House)

11 Middle Road, right off East Main Road (Rte 138), Portsmouth, RI 02871

 October 20, 2021, 9 am $40.00 \_\_\_\_\_\_

Class 2 St. Mathews Church

 87 Narragansett Avenue, Jamestown, RI 02835

 November 17, 2021, 9 am $40.00\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Classes 1 and 2 $75.00-----------

Amount submitted to: RIFGC \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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