

FLORICULTURE

See General Rule #16 regarding size restrictions.

NOTE: Members wishing to do public presentations with Horticulture subject matter should enter the Horticulture Public Speaking & Demonstration Contests in June on the University of Illinois campus in Champaign-Urbana. This includes members who wish to participate in a Flower Arranging Demonstration.

* **Floriculture A** – Exhibit one of the following options:

Create a flower arrangement; either a round arrangement or a bud vase. All arrangements should fit into a space no larger than 2'x2'. **No silk flowers are permitted. OR**

Create a photo collage or a collection of pictures of flowers that you have raised. Label your flowers by name and tell if you started with a seed, cutting, or transplants. Mount pictures on a poster board or mount board no larger than 22"x30".

* **Floriculture B** – Exhibit one of the following options:

Create an artistic display of dried flowers explaining how each was dried. **OR**

Create a photo collage or collection of pictures of plants from your theme garden. Label your plants by name and explain how the plants were chosen to fit the theme.

* **Floriculture C** – Exhibit one of the following options:

Create a terrarium. At least 2 of the plants should have been propagated by the exhibitor (seeds, cuttings, etc.). **OR**

Exhibit a plant that you propagated from cuttings. Create a photo board no larger than 11"x14": showing the progression of growth.

* **Floriculture D** – Exhibit one of the following options:

Create a centerpiece around a theme such as a wedding, holiday, birthday, etc. no larger than 2'x2'. **No silk flowers are permitted. OR**

Create an exhibit of forced bulbs in a pot no larger than 12"x12".