

## HOLIDAY INN OF EAST WINDSOR

399 Monmouth Street

East Windsor, New Jersey 08520

Telephone: 609-448-7000

<http://www.nccmeetings.com/directions.html>

### From New York City:

Take George Washington Bridge, Lincoln or Holland Tunnels to New Jersey Turnpike South, (see below).

### From the NJ Turnpike-North or South:

Take Exit 8. After the toll, follow signs for Rt. 33 Hightstown/Freehold, Bear left and follow signs for Rt. 33 West. At the traffic light, turn left onto Rt. 33 West. At the next traffic light, turn right onto Monmouth St. The hotel will be on your right.

### From Princeton Area:

From Rt. 1 take Washington Rd. to Rt. 571 East (Princeton-Hightstown Rd.). Continue on Rt. 571 East for nearly 5 miles. Take Rt. 133 East toward Freehold. At the first traffic light, turn right onto Rt. 33 West. Turn right at Woodside Avenue. The hotel will be directly in front of you.

### From Trenton:

Take Rt. 206 or Rt. 29 South to I-195 East. Take Exit 6 for the NJ Turnpike North. Follow directions above for NJ Turnpike.

### From Philadelphia Area:

Take I-276/PA Turnpike East to the NJ Turnpike Extension. Merge onto the NJ Turnpike North. Follow directions above for NJ Turnpike.

### From Freehold/Points East:

From Rt. 9, the Garden State Parkway, or Rt. 537, pick up Rt. 33 West. Follow it into East Windsor. Turn right onto Woodside Avenue. The hotel will be directly in front of you.

### HOTEL RESERVATIONS

You must make hotel reservations directly with the hotel, 609-448-7000 and SPECIFY you are registered with the GCNJ Symposium using code **GCN** to get that special corporate rate. Rooms single/double will be **\$129 + NJ tax** and any of your other personal expenses.

**A block of 20 rooms has been reserved until the cut-off date: September 11, 2022, midnight**

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## The Thirty-Sixth Symposium Of THE GARDEN CLUB OF NEW JERSEY, INC.



**October 12 & 13, 2022**

THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE CENTER  
AT  
THE HOLIDAY INN  
OF EAST WINDSOR

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East Windsor, New Jersey 08520

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## SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION FORM

also available at: [www.GardenClubofNewJersey.com](http://www.GardenClubofNewJersey.com)

The Holiday Inn  
East Windsor, NJ  
609-448-7000

Please check:

- Refresher Full Course for Credit & Exam.....\$250  
(Includes 2 Breakfast Buffet & 2 Lunches)
- One Day, Horticulture: October 12, 2022.....\$125  
(Includes 1 Breakfast Buffet & 1 Lunch)
- One Day, Design: October 13, 2022.....\$125  
(Includes 1 Breakfast Buffet & 1 Lunch)
- Late Fee postmarked after 09-28-22.....\$10

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to:** The Garden Club of NJ

**Mail registration form and check to:**

Jane Bersch, 386 Tavistock Drive, Medford, NJ 08055  
No later than **09-28-22** Print and save a copy.

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

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Certification of Good Standing: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Dietary Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

## NGC INSTRUCTORS

### HORTICULTURE: Jan Griffin

Born, raised, and educated in the Seattle, Washington area where my gardening interests evolved around growing food as well as flowers. Upon moving to Florida in late 1989, I quickly learned those plants I knew all about would not thrive in Florida's climate. I joined a Garden Club and started my quest for learning about other varied and interesting plants. I continued my education by becoming a Flower Show Judge. Now an Accredited Master Flower Show Judge, I teach Floral Design classes as well as horticulture for Flower Show Schools.

Being actively involved in The Florida Federation of Garden Clubs and Florida Flower Show Judges keeps me busy. It has been my honor to serve as horticulture chairman for four state flower shows and several district shows as well as chairman of our yearly local Strawberry Festival Horticulture Show.

### DESIGN: Julia Clevett

Julia is a NGC 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 NGC Board of Directors and holds the position of NGC Symposium Chair on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee.

Julia had the honor to be invited to represent NGC at the 2002 Chelsea Flower Show in London, United Kingdom. She also had the honor to represent NGC as a Floral Design Demonstrator at WAFSA World Flower Show that was held in Boston, MA in 2011.

Julia has travelled extensively in the US, Central and South America, teaching NGC Flower Show School Courses and Symposia.

### GENERAL INFORMATION

All lectures are open to all Garden Club members and to the public for the stated fees. Only National Accredited Flower Show Judges are eligible to take this course for credit as a refresher or a required Symposium toward a Life or Master Certificate or Audit and only if all requirements have been fulfilled. Seating will be assigned in order of receipt of paid registration.

Refreshers and Audits will be given preferred front seating.

**Refreshers and Audits must present their personal copy of the Handbook for Flower Shows, 2017 at the Registration desk.**

NOTE: Judges taking the course for Audit or Refresher MUST attend all lectures in their entirety and be in their seat when classes start.

## PROGRAM

### Wednesday, October 12, 2022: Horticulture

6:30 – 7:30 am	Breakfast Buffet & Registration
7:30 – 7:45 am	Welcome
7:45 – 8:45 am	Allied Topic – Jan Griffin “Creative Staging for Horticulture”
8:45 – 9:00 am	Break
9:00 – 10:30 am	Horticulture – Jan Griffin “Ilex and Cacti”
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break
10:45 – 12:00 pm	Horticulture
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 2:15 pm	Horticulture
2:15 – 2:30 pm	Exam Instructions
2:30 – 4:30 pm	Exam

### Thursday, October 13, 2022: Design

6:30 – 7:30 am	Breakfast Buffet & Registration
7:30 – 7:45 am	Welcome
7:45 – 8:45 am	Allied Topic – Julia Clevett “Flower Show Evaluation”
8:45 – 9:00 am	Break
9:00-10:30 am	Design – Julia Clevett “Abstract & Cascade Design”
10:30 – 10:45 am	Break
10:45 – 12:00 pm	Design
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 2:15 pm	Design
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### JUDGES

Judges must submit the application form to Credentials Chair, Jane Bersch, one (1) month prior to attending a refresher. (NGC FORM 13, 15L or 15M)

### OUT-OF-STATE JUDGES

If a judge requests to attend a symposium out-of-state, the request to her/his State Credentials Chairman must be made six (6) weeks in advance.