“Potatoes, a Family Tradition”

Presented by

**Evening Primrose Garden Club**

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Klamath Basin Potato Festival

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**General Rules**

1. Garden club members and the public are welcome to enter this show.

2. No preregistration is required for design or horticulture.

3. All exhibits will be accepted from 2:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. Thursday, Oct. 19, and Friday Oct. 20

from 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM. All entries must be removed on Saturday, Oct 21 at 3:30 PM.

4. Judging will begin at 1:00 P.M. on Oct. 20th.

Judging will be by the NGC Standard System of Awarding, Handbook for Flower Shows.

5. The Flower Show Chairman and the Classification Chairman must be available during all judging for possible consultations.

6. The Classification Chairman must review all entries for proper identification and conformity to the schedule.

7. The decision of the judges is final. Awards may be withheld if not merited.

8. There must be an emphasis on freshplant material, but dried plant material is acceptable.

9. No artificial plant material will be allowed in any division.

10. All exhibits in competition must be the work of one individual.

**Awards**

The NGC Standard System of Awards. (Used for judging all classes.)

Only one first-place (blue) ribbon per class. Must score 90 or above.

Only one second-place (red) ribbon per class. Must score 85 or above.

Only one-third place (white) ribbon per class. Must score 80 or above.

One or more honorable mention (green) ribbons as merited. Must score 75 or above.

Judges will write 90+ on the entry cards of exhibits that do not win a blue ribbon if merited.

Two Best-in-Show Awards will be offered, one in the Horticulture Division and one in the

Design Division. The winning exhibits must be blue ribbon winners scoring 90 or above. The winning horticulture specimen must be correctly named according to schedule specifications.

**Five groups of exhibitors will be divided as follows:**

Preschool – youth under 6

Junior – youth 7-12

Adult Novice –youth over 12 and adult exhibitors who have won fewer than 6 blue ribbons at fairs and flower shows

Adult Intermediate- youth and adult exhibitors who have won 6-12 blue ribbons

Adult Advanced – youth and adults who have won more than 12 blue ribbons.

**Horticulture Rules**

1. All plant material must be fresh and have been grown by the exhibitor.

2. Exhibits must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for no fewer than 90 days.

Exception: plants grown by the exhibitor from seed/seedling or immature transplants to flower.

3. the application (treatment) of oil, commercial “shine” products, etc. that artificially change the natural color and texture may not alter plant material.

4. All specimens should be correctly labeled with scientific (botanical) names or the currently accepted scientific identification for their educational value. Common names may also be given.

5. An exhibitor may make more than one entry per class if each entry is a different species, variety, cultivar, type, or color.

6. Cut specimens will be displayed in clear transparent bottles (provided by the show committee). Cut specimens should not have foliage below the water line.

7. Wedging, or inserting a small, inconspicuous “plug” in the neck of a container to improve the pose of the specimen, is permitted. Wedging may be visible but must not detract from the cut specimen.

8. Double potting is permitted, but the inner pot must not be visible.

9. The Classification Chairman has the authority to subdivide classes as necessary.

**DIVISION I – HORTICULTURE**

All horticulture entries meeting requirements are eligible for the Best-in-Show Award. Must be blue ribbon winners scoring 90 points or above.)

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| **Class** | **Class Description** |
| **601** | **Cut flowers, annual** |
| **602** | **Cut flowers, perennial** |
| **603** | **Cut flowers, bulbs, or tubers** |
| **604** | **Herbs, 3 stems of one kind of herb** |
| **605** | **Greenhouse-grown flowers** |
| **606** | **Container plants, foliage (house/patio)** |
| **607** | **Container plants, flowering (house/patio)** |
| **608** | **Trees and shrubs, 1 branch/ leaves/ flowers/ fruit, max 18”** |

**609 Foliage- leaves**

**Design Rules**

1. Fresh plant material may not be treated in any manner.

2. Exhibitors can choose a Traditional or Creative style for any design title listed.

3. An exhibitor may enter as many classes in the Design Division as desired but may enter only one exhibit per class.

4. A design entered in competition must be the work of only one exhibitor and that exhibitor’s name must appear on the entry card.

5. Plant material used in designs need **not** have been grown by the exhibitor.

6. No artificial flowers, foliage, artificial fruits, or vegetables are permitted in the Design Division.

7. Plant material that has been treated to alter its exterior appearance may be used only in its dried state.

8. Landscapes or scenes are not permitted in the Design Division.

9. Accessories are permitted unless prohibited by the schedule or by law. Accessories are used at the risk of the exhibitor.

**DIVISION II – Design**

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Class **621** ‘Family Dinner’ – a table centerpiece using fresh plant material

Class **622** ‘Cherished Memories’ - designer’s choice of material- may include a photo

Class **623 ‘**This Spuds for You’ - using potatoes and the Designer’s choice of material

Class **624** ‘Toy World’ - A design no more than 8” - designer’s choice of material

Class **625** ‘All Our Yesterdays’ - using all dried material

Class **626** ‘P.S. “I Love You” - A bouquet using the designer’s choice of material

Class **627** ‘Getting Together’ – a Pot-Et-Fleur design- Creative and made of a combo of 2 or more rooted plants growing in soil combined with cut material in an artistic design.

Class **628** ‘Lady in Lace or Dudes in Demin’- using the designer’s choice of material

Enter Thursday, Oct 19th, 2-6 PM or Friday, Oct. 20, 8-AM to12 PM All entries are to be picked up at 3:30 PM Sat. Oct. 21 Prize money will be given out at 3:30 PM Sat Oct. 21 **No prize money will be mailed.**

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