

***It's A HORTICULTURE Show!***  
***ELWD District Meeting May 23<sup>rd</sup>***

**Horticulture Rules**

1. All horticulture entries must be fresh plant material grown by the exhibitor.
2. **The exhibitor will provide clear, clean glass container of appropriate size with no distracting markings.**
3. All specimens must be correctly named to include genera, species and variety/cultivar if possible;
4. Good grooming and conditioning are important. No enhancement of foliage is permitted.
5. All entries should consist of one specimen unless otherwise stated.
6. **Limit of Seven (7) entries per person.**
7. Classes will be subdivided if each is a different variety, cultivar, type or color.
8. Exhibitor can make more than one entry per class if each is a different variety, cultivar, type or color.
9. Cut Specimens should not have foliage below the water line.
10. Wedging is permitted. Suggestions include plastic wrap, celery plugs, wood plugs.
11. No cut specimen shall be more than 30" from tip to cut end.
12. All exhibits must be named properly by the binomial name (*Genus species*) to be eligible for a Top Award.
13. Horticulture entry cards should be filled out in advance, if possible, using pencil or water-proof pen to avoid water damage. Horticulture tags can be downloaded from the ELWD website, [www.elwd.org](http://www.elwd.org).

<p><b>Section A – Flowering Trees &amp; Shrubs</b>          (less than 30" in length)</p> <p>Class 1. <i>Rhododendron</i> (one truss with collar of leaves)</p> <p>Class 2. Azaleas</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">2a. Deciduous</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">2b. Evergreen</p> <p>Class 3. Lilacs</p> <p>Class 4. Any other flowering shrub</p> <p>Class 5. Any other flowering tree</p> <p><b>Section B – Cut Flowers</b> (3 blooms if under 1 inch)</p> <p>Class 6. <i>Paeonia</i> (Peony)</p> <p>Class 7. <i>Aquilegia</i> (Columbines)</p> <p>Class 8. <i>Rosa</i> (Roses)</p> <p>Class 9. <i>Viola</i> (Pansies &amp; violas)</p> <p>Class 10. <i>Papaver</i> (Poppies)</p> <p>Class 11. <i>Geranium</i> (Hardy Geraniums)</p> <p>Class 12. <i>Clematis</i></p> <p>Class 13. Any other worthy Cut Flower</p>	<p><b>Section C – Cut Foliage</b> (3 leaves if under 3 inches)</p> <p>Class 14. <i>Heuchera</i> foliage (3 leaves)</p> <p>Class 15. <i>Hosta</i> foliage</p> <p>Class 16. Any other worthy Cut Foliage</p> <p><b>Section D – Geophyte (Bulb, Corms Tubers, Rhizomes)</b></p> <p>Class 17. <i>Iridaceae</i> (iris)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">17a. Bearded</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">17b. Non-bearded</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">17c. Any other</p> <p>Class 18. <i>Alliums</i> (onion family)</p> <p>Class 19. Any other worthy Geophyte</p> <p><b>Section E – Herbs</b></p> <p>Class 20. <i>Mentha</i> (Mint)</p> <p>Class 21. <i>Salvia officinalis</i> (Sage)</p> <p>Class 22. <i>Thymus</i> (Thyme)</p> <p>Class 23. <i>Oreganum</i> (Oregano)</p> <p>Class 24. Any other worthy Herb</p>
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For information regarding horticulture, call Janel Garnett.

**AWARDS**

Best of Show, Horticulture – May be given to a named horticulture specimen scoring 95 points or more.