

ARRANGEMENT DIVISION

“NORTHERN STARS DISTRICT CONFERENCE”

RULES FOR ARRANGEMENTS

This show is governed by the standard rules, regulations and guidelines of the American Rose Society. Judging will be in accordance with the current Guidelines for Judging Rose Arrangements. The Judges' decisions are final.

1. The show is open to all amateur and novice arrangers. A novice is anyone who has not won a blue ribbon at a District Rose Show.
2. All roses must be grown in an outdoor garden.
3. Names of all roses in each arrangement must be written on entry tag.
4. All entries are eligible for Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates except those in Sections K, L & M. Roses must be outdoor arranger grown and so marked on the entry tag, score 92 points or more and roses be correctly named.
5. One entry per exhibitor is allowed in each class but an exhibitor may enter as many classes as desired. Maximum space for each standard arrangement is 24” by 18”. Space allowed for Miniature and Mini-Flora entries is 12” and are exhibited at eye level. The background color is a subtle design in beige tones, table covers are green and skirts are black.
6. Accessories are allowed unless stated otherwise in the schedule. Fresh fruit and vegetables may be used if not cut.
7. A rose or roses must be the dominant flower in all arrangements.
8. Other fresh flowers, dried and/or treated plant material may be used.
9. A card of intent may be included with an arrangement as an explanation of the arranger's interpretation of the theme or class. In designer's choice classes, write type of design on entry tag. Arrangement titles are not meant to be interpreted literally, but are provided to stimulate the imagination.
10. An arrangement incorrectly placed will be judged in the class in which it is placed.
11. All entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
12. No one but the exhibitor may touch or move an arrangement. However, in extreme circumstances, if all efforts to locate the exhibitor have failed, the arrangement chairman may carefully move an arrangement.

13. Not allowed: Painted or dyed fresh plant materials, live creatures, plants on state conservation list, the American flag or the flag of any other country.

14. In order to assure adequate space, exhibitors of arrangements MUST register in advance. Notify Dolores Moffat, call or write (925) 556-5449, 11640 Fenwick Pl., Dublin CA 94568, or email to doloresmoffat@hotmail.com to register your intentions by September 25, 2008.

15. Exhibitors must use the exhibit space assigned to them. Arrangers may assemble all or part of their exhibit on Friday, October 3 in the evening or on Saturday, October 4 from 5:00 AM to 9:30 AM. Judging starts at 10:00 AM.

16. Entries must be removed after the close of the rose show.

17. Judges who are judging this show may place entries ONLY in the Judge's sections, "J" in the Horticulture and Section "M" of the Arrangements division. Please advise the arrangement chairman if you will exhibit arrangements.

18. Neither the Shasta Rose Society , the Humboldt Rose Society , the NCNH District, nor the Red Lion shall be held responsible for loss or damage of properties.

**SCORECARD FOR
JUDGING ROSE ARRANGEMENTS**

Conformance **15points**

- a. Correct names of roses
- b. Conformance to type of design
- c. Other specific requirements

Design (5 points per principle) **30points**

Balance, Dominance, Contrast,
Rhythm, Proportion, Scale

Perfection of the Rose(s) **30points**

Including condition of other
plant material

Creativity & Expressiveness **15points**

Distinction **10points**

Unique, sets the design apart,
superiority in every respect,
Includes technical execution
and construction.

100 points

ARS SPECIAL CHALLENGE CLASS

CLASS ARS

STARS ABOVE

A modern transparency design using miniature and/or Mini-Flora roses. Not to exceed 10 inches in height, width or depth.

Open to ARS members who are registered or this conference. AG must be on entry tag and roses properly identified.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Mildred Bryant Arrangement Trophy

Earl Parsons Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

*District Director's Trophy
In Memory of J. Benjamin Williams*

STANDARD ARRANGEMENTS

Standard Arrangements: An arrangement more than 10 inches in height, width and depth, using any type rose or combination of types. May or may not use other plant materials and components.

NOVICE ARRANGEMENTS

A Novice is anyone who has not won a blue ribbon in a District Rose Show

SECTION A - Starring Humboldt, Mendocino and Gold Country Rose Societies

CLASS 1 NATURAL BEAUTY

A traditional arrangement.

CLASS 2 COASTAL CHARM

Arrangement in the oriental manner.

CLASS 3 GOLDEN GATE

Designer's choice

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

Martin J. Martin Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

Charles and Elaine Cochran

Perpetual Trophy

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

TRADITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

SECTION B - Starring Sacramento, Honolulu, Reno and Shasta Rose Societies

CLASS 4 THE STATE CAPITOL

A mass arrangement.

CLASS 5 KA'UHANĒ O KA LOKE

(The Spirit of the Rose)

A line/mass design.

CLASS 6 THE GAMBLER

A line design.

CLASS 7 RECREATION UNLIMITED

Designer's choice of design (i.e. boating, fishing, sightseeing, historical exploration, etc.) Fresh roses with dried and/or dried treated plant material, no other fresh plant material permitted. No accessories allowed.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

Martin J. Martin Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

Lucia Morgan Trophy

ARS Royalty Award

Class 7 - ARS Duchess Award

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

MODERN ARRANGEMENTS

SECTION C - Starring Golden Gate, Monterey, North Bay and San Francisco Rose Societies

**CLASS 8 DAWN AT
GOLDEN GATE PARK**

A transparency design.

CLASS 9 THE AQUARIUM

An underwater design.

CLASS 10

NAPA VALLEY WINE TRAIL

Designer's choice.

CLASS 11

**I LEFT MY HEART IN
SAN FRANCISCO**

Designer's choice of style, using roses with rose foliage only. May include hips, canes, and roots. No accessories allowed.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

Martin J. Martin Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

ARS Artist Award

Class 11 - ARS Princess Award

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

ARRANGEMENTS IN THE ORIENTAL MANNER

SECTION D - Starring Sierra Foothills, Lodi-Woodbridge and Mother Lode Rose Societies

CLASS 12

LOFTY SPIRIT

Using a tall container.

CLASS 13

SCENTS OF THE ROSE

Using a low container.

CLASS 14

INFINITE RICHES

Freestyle design.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

Martin J. Martin Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

Ruby Cayere Perpetual Trophy

ARS Oriental Award

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

MODERN ARRANGEMENTS

ARRANGEMENTS USING MINIATURE ROSES

Miniature Arrangements: Arrangements not to exceed 10 inches in height, width or depth, using miniature roses exclusively, with or without other plant material and components.

MINIATURE TRADITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

SECTION E - Starring Marin, Redwood Empire and San Mateo Rose Societies

CLASS 15 ARTIST'S PALETTE

A mass arrangement.

CLASS 16 SONOMA COUNTY FAIR

A line/mass arrangement.

CLASS 17 EL CAMINO REAL

A line arrangement.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

*ARS Miniature Gold, Silver &
Bronze Certificates*

Lucia Morgan Trophy

ARS Mini Royalty award

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

MINIATURE MODERN ARRANGEMENTS

**SECTION F - Starring Butte, Mount Diablo and
East Bay Rose Societies**

CLASS 18 COLLEGE LIFE

A modern line design.

CLASS 19 NATURE SCAPE

An abstract design.

CLASS 20

FUN ON THE BAY

Designer's choice.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

*ARS Miniature Gold, Silver &
Bronze Certificates*

ARS Mini Artist's Award

**AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS
MINIATURE ARRANGEMENTS
IN THE ORIENTAL MANNER**

SECTION G - Starring Golden Sierra, Contra Costa and Lake County Rose Societies

CLASS 21

GOLDEN SIERRA

Using a tall container.

CLASS 22

ROSE PETALS

Free style.

CLASS 23

TRANQUIL WATERS

Low container.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

ARS Miniature Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

Ruby Cayere Perpetual Trophy

ARS Mini Oriental Award

MINI-FLORA ROSE ARRANGEMENTS

SECTION H - Starring Woodland Library Rose Society

CLASS 24

POETRY OF ROSES

Designer's choice.

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

*ARS Miniature Gold, Silver &
Bronze Certificates*

ARS Mini-Flora Certificate Award

*District Director's Trophy
In Memory of J. Benjamin Williams*

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

Table settings

**SECTION I - Starring San Joaquin Valley and
Stockton Rose Societies**

CLASS 25

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Standard exhibition, semi-formal.

CLASS 26

SUNDAY DINNER

Standard functional, informal, using a
covered board not to exceed 27" x 29"

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

Martin J. Martin Trophy

ARS Gold, Silver & Bronze Certificates

ARS Court of Etiquette Award

SECTION J - Starring Peninsula and Santa Clara County Rose Societies

CLASS 27

DINNER AT SUNSET

Miniature exhibition semi-formal.

CLASS 28

THE SPIRIT OF HOSPITALITY

Miniature functional, informal, using a
covered board not to exceed 9" x 10"

- Best of Section is Eligible for -

Earl Parsons Trophy

*ARS Miniature Gold, Silver &
Bronze Certificates*

Mini Court of Etiquette Award

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

DRIED ARRANGEMENTS

SECTION K - As time goes by

CLASS 29

ENDURING TREASURE

A standard dried arrangement, designer's choice of design.

CLASS 30

PRICELESS MEMORIES

A miniature dried arrangement, designer's choice of design.

*- Best of Section is Eligible for -
Earl Parsons Trophy
Martin J. Martin Trophy
Class 29 - ARS Keepsake Award
Class 30 - ARS Mini Keepsake Award*

DRIED ROSECRAFT

SECTION L - Double your pleasure

CLASS 31 EXTENDING THE SEASON

Wreath, picture, wall or door hanging, using large roses and other dried plant material.

CLASS 32 MINI TREASURES

Wreath, picture, wall or door hanging, using mini roses and other dried plant material.

*- Best of Section is Eligible for -
Earl Parsons Trophy
Martin J. Martin Trophy
Class 31 - ARS Rosecraft Certificate
Class 32 - ARS Mini Rosecraft Certificate*

AMATEUR ARRANGEMENTS

JUDGE'S ARRANGEMENTS

Open only to judges judging this show.

SECTION M - Doing your best

CLASS 33 BEST FOR TODAY

A traditional arrangement.

CLASS 34 BEST FOR TOMORROW

A modern arrangement.

CLASS 35 BEST ALWAYS

A miniature arrangement.

*- Best of Section is Eligible for -
ARS Certificate*

DISTRICT ARRANGEMENT AWARDS

Earl Parsons Trophy -

Best Arrangement in Show

Charles and Elaine Cochran Perpetual Trophy -

Best Novice Arrangement in Show

Lucia Morgan Trophy -

Best Traditional Arrangement in Show

Ruby Cayere Perpetual Trophy -

Best Oriental Manner Arrangement, large or small, in Show

Martin J. Martin Trophy -

Best Large Arrangement in Show

District Director's Trophy -

Best Mini-Flora Arrangement in Show