



Presented by

The Greater Saint Louis Daffodil Society

March 27 - 28, 2010

Saturday NOON to 5:00 PM, Sunday 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Missouri Botanical Garden: Beaumont Room

DESIGN DIVISION CLASSES

Class 1 ~ Circus Parade: We begin with a parade of festively adorned ponies, wagons, jugglers, and stilt walkers followed by the golden-piped calliope. Hold your horses, the elephants are coming! Create a colorful design to be staged on a table against a 32" tall x 22" wide green background. A 15" depth is allowed.

MAXIMUM HEIGHT 31"

4 ENTRIES

Class 2 ~ The Menagerie: On your way to a ringside seat, glimpse the caged tigers, lions and leopards, or step right up to camels, llamas and zebras. You might even see the elephants lined up trunk to tail. Choose your favorite assortment for this creative design to be staged on a table against a 32" tall x 22" wide green background. A 15" depth is allowed.

MAXIMUM HEIGHT 31"

4 ENTRIES

Class 3 ~ The Side Shows: This way, ladies and gents! Move into your seats to view the most unusual of performers. See the snake charmer, the contortionist, and the knife thrower. Suggest motion in this design to be staged on a 29" tall plaster pedestal topped with a 16" flat circle.

MINIMUM HEIGHT 25"

4 ENTRIES

Class 4 ~ Under the Big Top: At the top of the tent you will witness the most daring of acts, the trapeze and high wire artists. These aerialists go to great heights to accomplish their bold feats. The sky is the limit (or the roof of our show tent) as you create a tall design to be staged on a black 18" x 18" x 18" Parsons table.

NO MAXIMUM HEIGHT

4 ENTRIES

Class 5: ~ Flea Circus: Can you train a flea? Can you even *see* a flea?!? Prove your point in this small design to be staged on a table against a 9" x 9" pastel background of your choice provided by GSLDS (or provide your own).

NO MORE THAN 8" IN ANY DIRECTION

UNLIMITED ENTRIES

Class 6 ~ Peanuts, Popcorn and Cotton Candy: Have a treat as you enjoy the spectacular performances. Create a design to be staged on a table against a 20" tall x 14" wide frosty green background. A 15" depth is allowed.

MAXIMUM HEIGHT 19 ½"

YOUTH ONLY

6 ENTRIES

Class 7 ~ Let's Clown Around: Have some fun as you create a design to be staged on a table against a 20" tall x 14" wide black background. A 15" depth is allowed.

MAXIMUM HEIGHT 19 ½"

YOUTH ONLY

6 ENTRIES

RULES FOR THE DESIGN DIVISION

1. The theme of the show is *“The Greatest Daffodil Show on Earth”*.
2. One or more daffodils must be used in each design and the daffodil or daffodils must provide the dominant interest. Daffodils and other materials used need not have been grown by the exhibitor. There should be emphasis on fresh plant material in each design. Each design must be the work of one individual.
3. Only one entry is permitted to an exhibitor in each class. Entries are limited to four (4) each in all classes except Class 5 which is unlimited. Youth classes may have up to six (6) entries each and may be divided by age. If not registered in advance, entries will be accepted if space is available and in the order of arrival, but only after those registered have signed in. To register for a class please contact Suzanne Raymond (636) 458-6393, or Jean Morris (636) 256-3927.
4. No use of artificial/plastic flowers or foliage is permitted. Accessories are permitted unless otherwise stated. Dried or other natural materials (rocks, shells, etc.) may be used in all classes. Dried materials may be treated, but fresh plant material may not be treated or dyed. Bases, mats, drapes or underlays are permitted but must be furnished by the exhibitor.
5. For exhibitors traveling from a distance, a limited number of containers, line materials, decorative wood and equipment (oasis, pin holders, stickum, picks, etc.) will be available on a first come, first served basis. Please provide, or arrange for your own daffodils. Usually those who enter the Horticulture Division bring along extras.
6. Show set-up begins at 3:00PM on Friday, March 26th and the work area will remain open until 10:00 AM on Saturday, March 27th. Entries must be in place by 10:00 AM on Saturday, March 27th. Judging is from 10:15 AM until 12:00 PM. National Garden Club Judges will judge the Design Division and the judges' decision is final. Awards will be withheld if not merited. Entries must remain in place until the close of the show, Sunday, March 28th at 4:00 PM.
7. Every effort will be made to protect the property of those entering designs. However, the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society will not be held responsible for any loss or breakage.
8. The Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society appreciates the assistance of the East Central District of the Federated Garden Clubs of Missouri in the Design Division of our flower show.

DESIGN AWARDS

1. **CLASS AWARDS** - One first, one second, one third and one honorable mention will be given in each class, if merited.
2. **BEST DESIGN OF SHOW** - Rosette awarded.
NOTE: A "*Best Design of Show*" award must be given if there is a first place ribbon in the Design Division in classes that are qualified.
3. **DESIGN SWEEPSTAKES** - Awarded to the exhibitor with the most first place ribbons.
NOTE: Design Sweepstakes is awarded to an exhibitor who has won at least two first place ribbons. In the event that two or more exhibitors are tied, ties will be resolved on the basis of second place ribbons won, and if necessary, upon the basis of third place ribbons won.
4. **BEST YOUTH DESIGN** - Rosette awarded.
5. **YOUTH DESIGN SWEEPSTAKES** - Awarded to youth with most first place ribbons.