

GARDENING AND HORTICULTURE EXHIBITS

ENTRY: Thursday, August 15, 2 pm - 7 pm

REMOVAL: Monday, August 26, 8 am - 4 pm

Tuesday, August 27, 2 pm - 6 pm

Please make arrangements in advance if you cannot come at these times.

LOCATION: *Entered and displayed inside and outside bottom floor of Agricultural Hall*
Adult and junior entries will be judged separately unless noted

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

1. All entries must be grown, selected and arranged by exhibitor except wild flowers in arrangements and unless otherwise noted.
2. Exhibitors are requested to restore and freshen exhibits.
3. The committee reserves the right to reject any entry. Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the judges.

4. Separate classes for jrs and srs unless otherwise noted. Check appropriate group on entry form.
5. **Do not use an expensive container.** The Fair is not responsible for loss of items. Containers will be provided for the Garden Flower category C 1 – C 24 only.
6. Potted plants must have been owned by the exhibitor for six weeks prior to the Fair.
7. Collect blooms in their prime. Do not include buds, seed pods, artificial material or any evidence of insects, disease or spray injury. Prior to entry, place plant material in a cool place, out of drafts in deep water for a few hours.
8. Water conditioners may be used.
9. Horticulture will present 2 awards, each with a \$10 prize: *Excellence in Horticulture* - 1 adult, 1 jr., chosen by the judge on 8/16 & a *Popular Choice* - 1 adult, 1 jr, announced on Sunday, 8/25.

DEPARTMENT 117 GARDENING/FLOWERS AND PLANTS

GARDEN FLOWERS

C1 - C24: Enter 5 blooms unless otherwise noted
Containers provided for these entries only.

- C1 Asters
- C2 Cosmos
- C3 Calendulas
- C5 Dahlia(1 giant bloom)
- C7 Dahlias
- C8 Echinacea (cone flowers)
- C9 Geranium (3 blooms)
- C10 Gladioli (3 best spikes)
- C11 Hydrangea (1 large bloom)
- C12 Hydrangea (3 blooms)
- C13 Marigold, large
- C14 Marigold, small
- C15 Nasturtium
- C16 Petunias
- C17 Roses, must be grown by exhibitor
- C18 Salvia
- C19 Sunflowers, 1 flower head
- C20 Snapdragons
- C21 Zinnias
- C24 All other

DAHLIA SHOW

Entry: Sunday, August 18, 12-1pm, **Judged** – 2 pm

PRIZES: 1st-\$15.00 2nd-\$10.00 3rd-\$5.00

- A117 Best 5 dahlias. mixed color
- A118 Best 5 dahlias, same color
- A119 Best giant or large bloom; variety named

OPEN SUNFLOWER

Entry : Tuesday, August 20, 12 - 1 pm, judged by 2 pm

PRIZES: 1st-\$15.00 2nd-\$10.00 3rd-\$5.00

- A124 Best 3 flower heads. no buds
- A125 Best 1 flower head, no buds
- A126 Best single lg. flower head, no buds, variety named

ZINNIA CONTEST

Entry: Thursday August 22, 12 pm - 1 pm, **Judged** at 2pm

PRIZES: 1st-\$15.00 2nd-\$10.00 3rd-\$5.00

- A130 5 Blooms, Zinnia, single flowered
- A131 5 Blooms, Zinnia, cactus flowered
- A132 5 Blooms, Zinnia, dahlia flowered

This year's Nora Delano Award, ribbon and **\$50** will go to the **Best in Show** of our **Zinnia Contest!**

DEPARTMENT 111 – HORTICULTURE CONTESTS

ENTRY: Thursday, August 15, 9 am – 7 pm
(or in advance by prior arrangement)

CONDITION OF ENTRY:

1. Mail entries to : Roni Lahage, Marshfield Fair, Box 5, Marshfield, MA 02050
2. Entries are limited & will be accepted in order of receipt.
3. Space provided on bottom floor of Agi Hall or outside.
4. No names will appear on the exhibit until after judging.
5. Entry cards will be supplied.
6. The exhibits are inspected daily and need to be kept fresh and clean by the exhibitor.

Adult Entries Unless Noted

A350 Amateur Garden Exhibits

Space for 4 entries only - open to individuals, families or groups - electricity provided.

PRIZES: \$200, \$150, \$125, \$100

7' l x 8' w frame on floor, mulch provided.

This year's theme is **Garden Party**

A351 Small Space Garden Exhibit

PRIZES: \$100, \$75, \$50, \$25

space for 4 entries only- open to individuals, families or groups. Fill a 4'x4' elevated booth with your version of a small space garden.

A353 Environmental Educational Exhibit

PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20

30"w x 30"h x 20"d Space Limited

A354 Decorated Door Contest-Adults

PRIZES: \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10

Artist can paint a scene on a door!

One door per contestant (doors available).

You can bring your own door or use one supplied. Decor needs to be waterproof, may be outside.

A355 Decorated Door Contest-Juniors

PRIZES: \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10

see rules for A354 above

A356 Decorated Garden Hats or Caps!

PRIZES: \$8, \$7, \$6

Enter your favorite garden hat/cap, realistic or whimsical! Adult and juniors judged separately.

A357 Handmade Garden Ornament

PRIZES: \$15, \$10, \$5

Opened to Juniors and Adults (judged separately)

Join us for our garden lectures and craft demonstrations daily. See complete list under Special Events on page 6.

Creative Horticultural Displays

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:

1. For display, decoration, and educational purposes.
2. Exhibitors are eligible for ribbons and prize money.
3. Fresh, dried or rooted plants & accessories allowed.
4. Some maintenance (watering) will be provided.
5. Judged on conforming to theme.
6. Pre-registration is encouraged.

Adult Entries Unless Noted

A361 He-Shed/She-Shed PRIZES: \$150, \$125
Assemble your version of a garden shed 6' x 6' x 4', **2 entries only – reserve space in advance**

A362 Mantel – Theme: Seaside Theme

PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20

Mantel provided, attached to wall, 40"l x 8"d, **4 entries only**

A363 Think Inside the Box Challenge

PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20

Plant a garden in a wooden box with herbs, veggies, flowers, no larger than 20"x20". Use a waterproof liner or base.

A364 Botanical Photography - by exhibitor, must be framed or matted. 1 entry per person.

Adult and juniors judged separately.

PRIZES: \$15, \$12, \$10, \$8

A365 "Found Art" Wall Ornament with recycled materials. PRIZES: \$15, \$12, \$10, \$8

No larger than 2'x3', wall space allocated. Must include some plant material. May be staged outside!

Adult and juniors judged separately.

A366 Bird Bath as Planter

PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20

Plant a bird bath with your favorite plants or combination of herbs, flowers & foliage.

Adult and juniors judged separately.

MASTER GARDENERS Q & A
Available everyday from noon - 6 p.m.
Downstairs in Agricultural Hall.

DEPARTMENT 117 GARDENING/FLOWERS AND PLANTS

PRIZES: 1st-\$8.00 2nd-\$7.00 3rd-\$6.00 Unless otherwise noted

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS

- A13 Living room flower arrangement, foliage permitted
- A14 Pastel flowers with foliage in pastel container
- A15 Arrangement in a tea pot or tea cup
- A16 Shades of yellow & orange, foliage permitted in an orange container
- A17 Arrangement in pocketbook-Use waterproof insert
- A18 Arrangement in a blue & white container
- A19 Arrangement in an "animal" container
- A20 Arrangement in a watering can
- A21 Arrangement - creative, in an unusual container
- A22 **Grandparent & grandchild** arrangement flowers, wildflowers, herbs and/or foliage. Must be in/or using a toy. **NO Separate Junior Entry**
PRIZES: \$15, \$10, \$5
- A24 All foliage arrangement
- A25 Arrangement in metal container
- A28 Arrangement in a recycled object
- A29 Seaside arrangement using beach material

WREATHS

- A34 Dried flower (No plastic or silk flowers)
- A35 Grapevine
- A36 Pine cone & pods

DRIED ARRANGEMENTS

- A41 Dried flowers in a decorative container
- A42 Dried arrangement in a basket
- A43 Other

OUTDOOR CONTAINERS

Containers must have adequate drainage.

PRIZES: \$10.00, \$8.00, \$6.00

- G1 Outdoor flowers, med. container-2 gal or less
- G2 Outdoor flowers in container over 2 gallons.
- G3 Window box, judged on creativity
- G4 Hanging outdoor plant
- G5 Fairy garden scene in a container- under 18"
- G6 Fairy garden scene in a container - over 18"
- G7 "Painted" chair as a planter
- G8 Most unusual garden container under 2 gals.
- G9 Most unusual garden container over 2 gals.
- G10 Vertical gardening (Try this new category!)
- G11 Old boot or shoe as a planter
- G12 Bird house planter
- G13 Tropical Plant in a pot



INDOOR PLANTS

- E1 African violet
- E2 Begonia
- E4 Cacti
- E5 Fern
- E7 Flowering, plant in a pot, labeled
- E8 Foliage plant in a pot, labeled
- E11 Hanging plant in a pot, labeled
- E12 Ivy
- E13 Orchid
- E14 Succulent
- E15 Topiary

COLLECTIONS

- F1 Garden flowers in a vase - accompanied with names
- F2 Collection of named herbs in water
- F3 Collection of named herbs in pots
- F4 Collection of fragrant flowers in water
- F5 Collection of 5 "favorite things" with flowers and/or foliage inside (ex. vases, bottles, tins etc)
- F6 Collection of 5 different hosta leaves
- F8 Collection of 3 different coleus in pots
- F9 Wild flowers in a vase, named
- F10 Collection of weeds (5)

South Shore "Summah"



South Shore "Summah" is the 20th Anniversary Flower Show from the GCFM. A delight for the senses, GCFM Flower Show Designs will interpret **"fun in the sun from regattas to the beach"**. Consider entering your gardens annual and perennial foliage.

Exhibitors need to be members of a GCFM or NGC Garden Club, for this show only!

Contact Roni Lahage roni4211@comcast.net.

DEPARTMENT 20 JUNIOR CONSERVATION

PRIZES: \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.00

**All collections must be SECURELY mounted
with names.**

- A150 Collection of at least 5 pressed or wild flowers
- A151 Collection of at least 5 insects
- A152 Collection of at least 5 leaf prints
- A155 Collection of 5 shells
- A159 Collection of feathers
- A160 All other

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JUST FOR KIDS

Junior Gardeners only (age 18 & under)

PRIZES; \$8, \$7, \$6

- A170 Favorite flower arrangement or plant
- A171 Plant a small box, any herbs, flowers or foliage
- A172 Decorated flower pot



GARDENING/HORTICULTURE ENTRY FORM

Exhibitor # _____

To save time when entering (but not required), you can mail your entry form in advance to:

Roni Lahage, Marshfield Fair, Box 5, Marshfield, MA 02050

Your exhibit cards will then be filled out. You may add or delete entries when you arrive.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Street: _____ Town: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Check Group: Adult Junior through age 18

	Dept	Class	Description
	117	C13	Marigold, large
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Please use this receipt to retrieve your entries on Monday, 8-4 and Tuesday 2-6 AFTER the fair.

Exhibitor # _____ Name _____ Total Items _____ Recv'd by _____

Classes Entered _____

NEW/SPECIAL CONTESTS

GARDENING/HORTICULTURE

111 A363 **2019 Challenge** – Think inside the box! Plant a wooden box, no bigger than 20"x20"
See page 22 for complete details. **PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20**

111 A366 **Bird Bath as a Planter** - Plant a bird bath with your favorite plants or combination of herbs,
flowers & foliage. **PRIZES: \$50, \$40, \$30, \$20**



New



AGRICULTURE

Plymouth County Tomato Contest in honor of C.M. "Marty" Delano

Entry: Tuesday, August 20, 2 – 6 pm, **Judging:** 6 pm

Prizes: 1st - \$25.00 & ribbon, 2nd & 3rd ribbon only

Enter 5 tomatoes in any of these categories:

Heirloom, Cherry, Plum, Roma or Beefsteak

PHOTOGRAPHY



DON'T MISS!

2019 MASSACHUSETTS AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSOCIATION STATE PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

The Massachusetts Agricultural Fair Association (MAFA) is hosting a statewide photography contest this year. The Marshfield Fair entry winner will be chosen from the top non professional winners in all agricultural entries and will be judged at the Annual MAFA convention this November. The winning photo will be featured on the MAFA annual brochure. The winning photographer will receive special recognition and passes to many Massachusetts Fairs. The fair winner must supply either an 8x10 photo or a .jpeg file so an 8x10 photo can be printed. The MAFA has the right to use the winning photograph in publications promoting agriculture in the state of Massachusetts.

4-H AND ANIMAL CONTESTS



Over the Hill Showmanship Class

Open to relatives, leaders and friends

Boots required - Ribbons only

Check at the 4-H office for more details.

4-H Alumni Class

Open to former 4-H members

Boots required - Ribbons only

Check at the 4-H office for more details.