



2017 VFGC CONVENTION REGISTRATION FORM



April 2 - 4, 2017

The Hotel Roanoke & Conference Center, Roanoke, VA

Please complete form, make check payable to: **VFGC Convention**

Mail to: **Ruth Rider, Registrar**, PO Drawer 73, Warrenton, VA 20188 •

rbrgrammy@verizon.net • phone: 540.347-3436 • **Postmark by March 15, 2017**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

May we confirm registration by your email noted above? ____ Yes ____ No

Check **ALL** that apply:

- National Officer/Chm District President NGC Life Member
- Regional Officer/Chm District Director SAR Life Member
- Former VFGC President Club President VFGC Life Member
- VFGC Officer/Chm Club Member Guest
- VFGC Life or Book of Honor Member since June 1, 2015

***Special Package Plan195.00 \$ _____**

(*Includes registration fee (add \$5.00 if after March 15) Breaks, 4 meals and all programs)

OR

Early Registration Fee on or before 3/15/2017.....\$10.00 \$ _____

Or Registration Fee postmarked after 3/15/2017\$15.00 \$ _____

Sunday April 2, 2017

Dinner and Design Program \$ 60.00 \$ _____

Monday April 3, 2017

Continuous break, lunch and dinner....\$115.00 \$ _____

Break and Lunch..... \$70.00 \$ _____

Dinner/Installation..... \$60.00 \$ _____

Tuesday April 4, 2017

Breakfast\$35.00 \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

_____ check if special needs menu is requested. List details below

VFGC CONVENTION 2017 – “CONNECTIONS”



The Hotel Roanoke & Conference Center, Roanoke, VA
110 Shenandoah Avenue, Roanoke VA 24016

The Convention room rate is \$119.00 (for single, double, triple or quad) plus tax.
Hotel Reservations Deadline: **March 15, 2017.** State you are with Virginia Federation of Garden Clubs to receive this special rate: 844-442-8746

SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 2017

9:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.	Finance Committee Meeting
11.00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	Flower Show entries received
Noon to 5:00 p.m.	Registration Open
Noon to 6:00 p.m.	Exhibits and Shopping
1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.	Executive Committee Meeting
1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.	Board of Directors Meeting
3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Speaker: “Our <i>Native Sun Worshipers: Native Trees-Facts or Lore</i> ” by Alex Niemiera
5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.	Cash Bar
6:30 p.m.	Banquet Dinner and Program “ <i>The Life and Times of Constance Spry</i> ”....famous for her designs for Queen Elizabeth’s wedding and coronation.....plus floral demonstration by Paige Canfield

MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2017

8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	Continuous Break (breakfast and refreshments)
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Registration and Flower Show are open
8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.	Exhibits and Shopping
9:00 a.m.	Official Opening of Convention: Business Meeting
12:00 noon	Luncheon with Honored Guest Sandra Robinson NGC President
.	Design Program: “ <i>The Designing Duo</i> ” by the renown designers and floral business owners David Pippin and Al Brockwell
1:00 p.m. to 5:00p.m.	Continuous Break (snacks and refreshments)
2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Program “ <i>Gardening in the 21st Century</i> ” by David Roos
4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Leadership Workshop by Janice Clem & Claudia Cosby
5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.	Cash Bar
6:30 p.m.	Banquet Honoring Sandra Robinson NGC President Installation of Officers, District Presidents and Directors

TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2017

8:30 a.m. to 10:30am	Breakfast and Awards Presentation
11:30 a.m.	Post Convention 2017-2019 Board of Directors Meeting



VFGC CREDENTIALS FORM

Name _____

District _____

Garden Club _____

Check **one** that applies

() VFGC Officer/Board of Directors () Club Delegate

() Club President () Club Alternate

All designated delegates and alternates, including VFGC Officers and members of the Board of Directors, must complete this form and include it with your Registration Form. Eligibility shall be in accordance with VFGC Bylaws as described below. The number of Delegates and Alternates each Club is allowed to send to Convention depends on the size of the Club. This is calculated by increments of members and is as follows:

1-25 members	President or appointee – 1 Alternate
26-50 members	President or appointee plus 1 Delegate - 2 Alternates
51-100 members	President or appointee plus 2 Delegate-3 Alternates
100 + members	President or appointee plus 3 Delegates – 4 Alternates

Delegates have the right to vote, alternates fill in for the delegate if he/she is unable to attend the Convention.

Please check if attending the following:

Sunday April 2

**3:30 p.m. “Our Native Sun Worshipers: Native Trees
By Alex Niemiera**

Monday April

**2:30 p.m. “Gardening in the 21 Century”
By David Roos**

**4:00 p.m. Leadership Workshop for Club Presidents,
Treasurers and other club officers
By Janice Clem and Claudia Cosby**