



## 2019 GCFP Symposium June 4, 5, 6

The Nittany Lion Inn  
200 W. Park Ave.  
State College, PA 16803  
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***Horticulture - Dorothy Yard***  
"Exploring Forms, Colors and Sizes in  
Spring Perennials"  
"Adding Botanical Arts in Horticulture to  
Flower Shows" - Allied Topic

***Design - Jackie Davies***  
"Tables with Techniques"  
Botanical Arts "Defining the Design" -  
Allied Topic

## HOTEL RESERVATIONS

Room Rate \$129.00 plus tax per night

Reservations are to be made  
directly with The Nittany Lion Inn  
200 W. Park Ave.  
State College, PA 16803

***Rates are guaranteed until May 5, 2019***

**Phone - 1.814.865.8500**

**Request the FLOR19A rate**

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### ***2019 GCFP Symposium Chair***

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Registration forms are available on the  
GCFP website:  
[www.pagardenclubs.org](http://www.pagardenclubs.org)

## 2019 SYMPOSIUM SCHEDULE

### Tuesday, June 4

2:00 - 4:00 PM Registration  
4:15 PM Welcome  
4:30 - 5:30 PM Allied Topic, Dorothy Yard  
"Adding Botanical Arts in Horticulture to  
Flower Shows"  
6:00 - 7:15 PM Dinner  
7:30 - 8:30 PM Allied Topic, Jackie Davies  
Botanical Arts "Defining the Design"

### Wednesday, June 5

8:00 AM Registration  
8:30 AM Welcome  
9:00 AM Horticulture Instruction, Dorothy  
Yard "Exploring Forms, Colors and Size in  
Spring Perennials"  
10:30 - 11:00 AM Break  
11:00 AM Instruction Continues  
12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch  
1:00 - 2:30 PM Instruction and Point Scoring  
Practice  
2:30 - 3:00 PM Break  
3:00 - 5:00 PM Point Score Exam  
Dinner on Your Own

### Thursday, June 6

8:00 AM Registration  
8:30 AM Welcome  
9:00 AM Design Instruction, Jackie Davies  
"Tables with Techniques"  
10:30 - 11:00 AM Break  
11:00 AM Instruction Continues  
12:00 - 1:00 PM Lunch  
1:00 - 2:30 PM Instruction and Point Scoring  
Practice  
2:30 - 3:00 PM Break  
3:00 - 5:00 PM Point Score Exam  
Dinner on Your Own

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Lectures are open to the public for the fee stated on registration form. Only NGC Judges are eligible to take this course for credit to stay in good standing. Judges must refresh every three years. **Send the correct form for refresher credit to your State Credentials Chair at least 6 weeks in advance of symposium date. Include a stamped envelope.**

### June 4,5,6 ~ 2019 GCFP Symposium

Sponsored by  
Central Area Judges Council  
and  
Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania

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GCFP President - Joyce Milberg

Symposium Chair - Tonya Young

Symposium Registrar - Betsy Smith

Symposium Treasurer - Delores Nolt

PA Judges Council Chair - Pat Wolanski

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Seating will be based on the date your reservation is received, in this order:

Front - Refreshers

Middle - Masters

Front back - Not for credit

Back Back - One day registration

## 2019 GCFP SYMPOSIUM INSTRUCTORS

### Dorothy Yard - Horticulture

Native of western Pennsylvania, growing up on a small farm where flowers were prolific, and having window sills overflowing with plants in the winter months was the norm. During the growing seasons flowers and trees/shrubs of all kinds were tended and revered as much as the vegetables and fruits.

Graduate of California State College, BS Ed. Mathematics, West Virginia University, MA Counseling & Guidance, Past president of the Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania, Five Star Member of NGC, Instructor for Flower Show Schools and Symposium for NGC, Inc.. Currently serving on the NGC Awards Committee for Flower Show Achievement Awards.

Enjoys gardening, church activities, grandchildren, solving puzzles and doing needlework. Co-habits with one cat, Barney, but only when he chooses. Exploring the United States and beyond has been an added bonus to being involved in the NGC FSS program, with opportunities to travel in all fifty states, while teaching in thirty-eight.

*If we all did the things we are really capable of doing, we would literally astound ourselves!*

### Jackie Davies - Design

She is a NGC Master Judge and Landscape Design Consultant and currently serves on the NGC Board of Directors as a member of the Flower Show Schools Committee as FSS Handbook Examination Chairman for the South Atlantic and Pacific Regions. She is a NGC Design Instructor of Flower Show Schools and Symposia and a former State President of the Garden Club Federation of PA, currently serving as State Judges Council Chairman until April 2019.

Jackie is a member of the Creative Flower Arrangers of the Americas where she was a presenter in 2016, and the National Flower Arrangers. She has presented over 50 design programs in Pennsylvania and surrounding states and has entered and judged the Philadelphia Flower Show numerous times. She and her husband Bill reside in Pennsylvania with their very spoiled cat Blue.

## 2019 GCFP SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Year of Good Standing \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Garden Club/s \_\_\_\_\_  
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Judging Level (circle one)

*Student ~ Accredited ~ Accredited Life  
Accredited Master ~ Judge Emeritus*

**Registration Deadline is May 10, 2019  
NO refunds after this date.**

Seats are reserved in the order your reservation is received, as noted.

Full Course **for credit** \$175.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
w/one dinner, two lunches

Full Course **no credit** \$165.00 \_\_\_\_\_  
w/one dinner, two lunches

June 5 Horticulture w/lunch \$90.00 \_\_\_\_\_

June 6 Design w/lunch \$90.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Late Fee \$25.00 - postmark after May 10

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to: **2019 GCFP Symposium**

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