DEPARTMENT F TREES & SHRUBS and ORNAMENTAL GRASSES & GRASS-LIKE PLANTS SHOW

Saturday, August 24 and Sunday, August 25, 2024

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ENTRY DEADLINE: 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 3, 2024.

Exhibitor Fee \$15.00 online

Entry Placement: Saturday, August 24, 8:00 a.m.

Judging: Saturday, August 24, 11:30 a.m.

Entry Removal: Sunday, August 25, 8:00 p.m.

SPECIFIC RULES FOR TREES & SHRUBS and ORNAMENTAL GRASSES & GRASS-LIKE PLANTS EXHIBITS

- 1. The rules printed herein and the flower show general rules are made a part of the conditions under which all entries are made, and exhibitors are respectfully requested to read them carefully, thereby avoiding confusion at the time of the Fair and to ensure that all entries are in the appropriate class.
- 2. **The focus of this show is on plants grown primarily for foliage**. Entries must have been grown by the exhibitor for not less than three months.
- 3. No New York State Prohibited and Regulated Invasive Plants may be exhibited.
- 4. Open to amateurs only. Amateurs are growers who do not grow primarily for sale.
- 5. Exhibits will not be watered during the show.
- 6. Judging will be based on the following criteria.

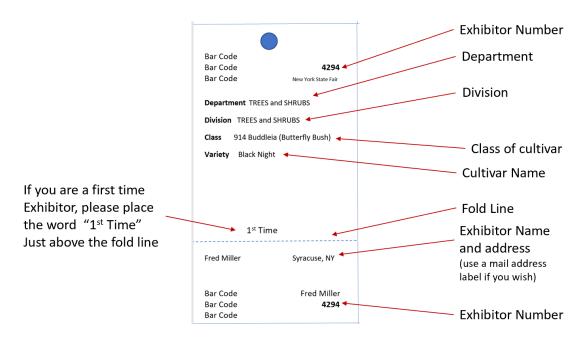
Trees and Shrubs, Flowering/Fruiting or Foliage: General Condition and Staging, Cultural Perfection, Rarity or Novelty, Decorative Quality of Form, Foliage and Bark, including all season interest. Quality and Condition of Flowers or Fruit if present.

Ornamental Grasses and Grass-Like Plants: General Condition and Staging, Cultural Perfection, Rarity or Novelty, Quality and Condition.

7. All exhibits must be free of insects and diseases and may be disqualified.

- 8. Entry tag should show variety name. A named variety entry takes precedence over an equal unnamed variety.
- 9. No artificially altering or enhancing of entries. (e.g.: no use of dyes, colorings, oils or plant polish).
- 10. Exhibitors may make several entries in a class, provided such entries are different named varieties.
- 11. See above for entry placement, judging and removal times. Entries may not be placed before 8:00 a.m. Saturday, August 24 except by permission from the Chair. All entries must be in place before 11:00 a.m. for judging. Entries removed prior to specified time will forfeit prizes.
- 12. Bloom on plants grown primarily for foliage is permitted. No extra points will be awarded for the flowers.
- 13. Any class may be subdivided into additional classes with Chair approval if the number of entries of any one plant or variety exceeds three and provided that the resulting class has more than three entries.
- 14. Exhibits should be less than 36" long unless otherwise specified.
- 15. Don't forget to register your entries.

Example Tag:



TREES and SHRUBS DIVISION Do not strip foliage.

Cash prizes: 1st - \$3.50 2nd - \$2.50 3rd - Ribbon

CLASS

914.	Buddleia (Butterfly Bush), 1 stem
915.	Broadleaved Evergreens, 1 branch
916.	Caryopteris (Bluebeard), 1 stem
917.	Chaenomeles (Flowering Quince), 1 branch
918.	Conifers, 1 branch
919.	Cornus (Dogwood) any 1 branch
920.	Corylus (Hazelnut) 1 branch
921.	Cotinus (Smoke Bush), 1 branch
922.	Cutleaf, dissected, ferny foliage, 1 branch
923.	Diervilla (Bush-honeysuckle), 1 branch
924.	Fragrant foliage, 1 branch
925.	Fruit trees, 1 branch
926.	Hamamelis (Witchhazel), 1 branch
927.	Hibiscus syriacus (Rose of Sharon,), 1 branch
928.	Hydrangea arborescens,1 branch
929.	Hydrangea macrophylla, 1 branch
930.	Hydrangea paniculata (Panicle hydrangea),1 branch
931.	Hydrangea quercifolia (Oakleaf), 1 branch
932.	Hydrangea any other, 1 branch
933.	Rosa (Rose) hips, foliage or thorns, 1 branch
944.	Shrubs with berries, 1 branch
945.	Silver foliage, 1 branch
946.	Variegated foliage, 1 branch
947.	Viburnum (Viburnum), 1 branch
948.	Woody Vine, 1 stem
949.	Shrub, Tree or Vine not listed, 1 branch

ORNAMENTAL GRASSES AND GRASS-LIKE PLANTS DIVISION Annuals or Perennials dried or fresh

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CLASS

950.	Ornamental Grass, large, any variety, 3 plumes, max. length 48"
951.	Ornamental Grass, midsize, any variety, 3 plumes, max. length 36"
952.	Ornamental Grass, small, any variety, 3 plumes, max. length 24"
953.	Big Bluestem (Andropogon gerardii) 3 stems
954.	Little Bluestem (Schizachyrium scoparium) 3 stems
955.	Bottlebrush grass (Elymus hystrix) 3 stems
956.	Northern Prairie Dropseed (Sporobolus heterolepis) 3 stems
957.	Northern Sea Oats (Chasmanthium latifolium) 3 stems
958.	Cattails (Typha latifolia) 3 stems
959.	Panicum (Switchgrass) 3 stems
960.	Liriope (Lilyturf) 3 stems
961.	Pennisetum (Fountain grass) 3 stems
962.	Sedge (Carex spp.) 3 stems
963.	Hakonechloa (Japanese forest grass) 3 stems
964.	Other Grass-like plants, 3 stems, maximum length 36"

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Best Native Tree or Shrub	Rosette & \$10.00
Best Non-Native Tree or Shrub	Rosette & \$10.00
Best Native Grass or Grass-Like Plant	Rosette & \$10.00
Best Non-Native Grass or Grass-Like plant	Rosette & \$10.00
Merit Award (10)	