

**The Tacoma Garden Club staged a GCA Flower Show  
at the LeMay America's Car Museum on May 12-13<sup>th</sup>, 2023.**

The venue inspired many car themed class titles for the show. We displayed 23 Floral Design entries, plus the tailgate exhibit on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 121 Horticulture entries, 30 Photography entries, 10 Botanical Arts entries, and one education exhibit. Scroll down to view the show winners. Thank you to the various photographers who contributed to this presentation.





## Driven by Design Show Floor



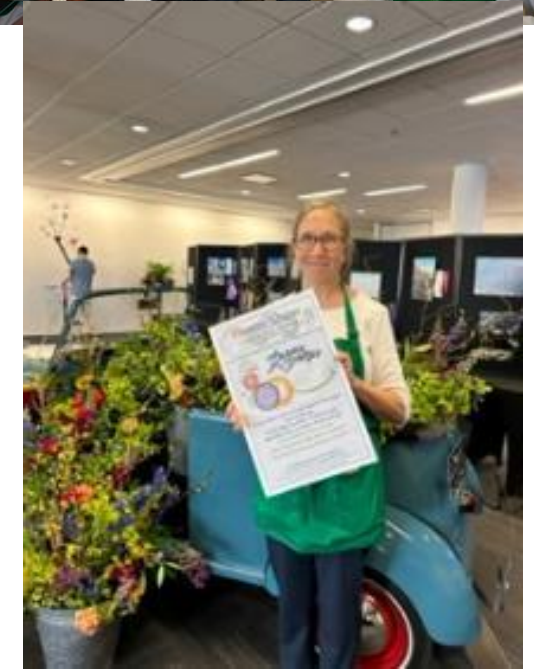


# Tacoma Garden Club Flower Week Proclamation Past Presidents and 100 Year TGC Celebration





# Volunteers are the best!!



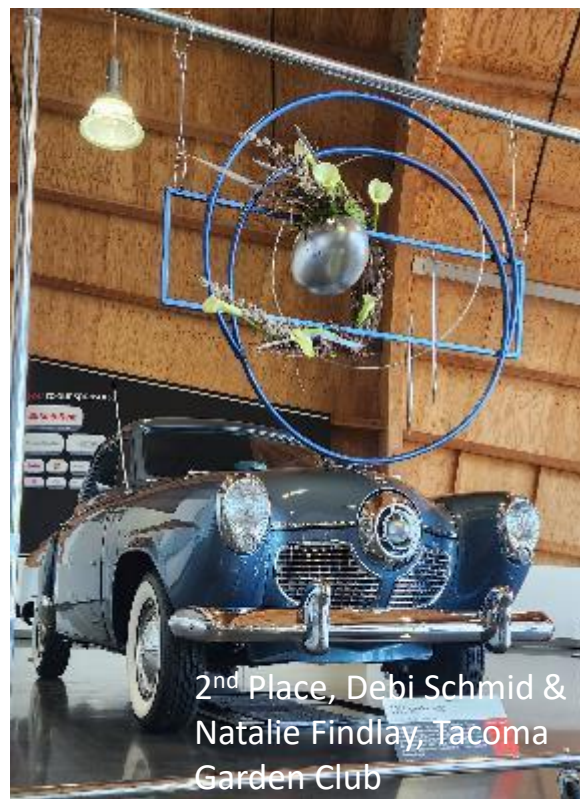


# Driven by Design Flower Show

## Floral Design Class 1, Destination Unknown



1<sup>st</sup> Place , Iris Worden,  
Garden Club of Portland



2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Debi Schmid &  
Natalie Findlay, Tacoma  
Garden Club



3<sup>rd</sup> Place, Lynette Lampson & Vicky Shanaman, Tacoma  
Garden Club



3<sup>rd</sup> Place, Joyce Komnick National  
Garden Club



Honorable Mention, Donna Casey,  
Tacoma Garden Club



## Floral Design Class 2, Are We There Yet?





## Floral Design Class 3, Tailgate Party



Cynce Morris, 1<sup>st</sup> Place & GCA Novice



Sue Heller & Suzie Nealon, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place



TGC, Exhibit Only



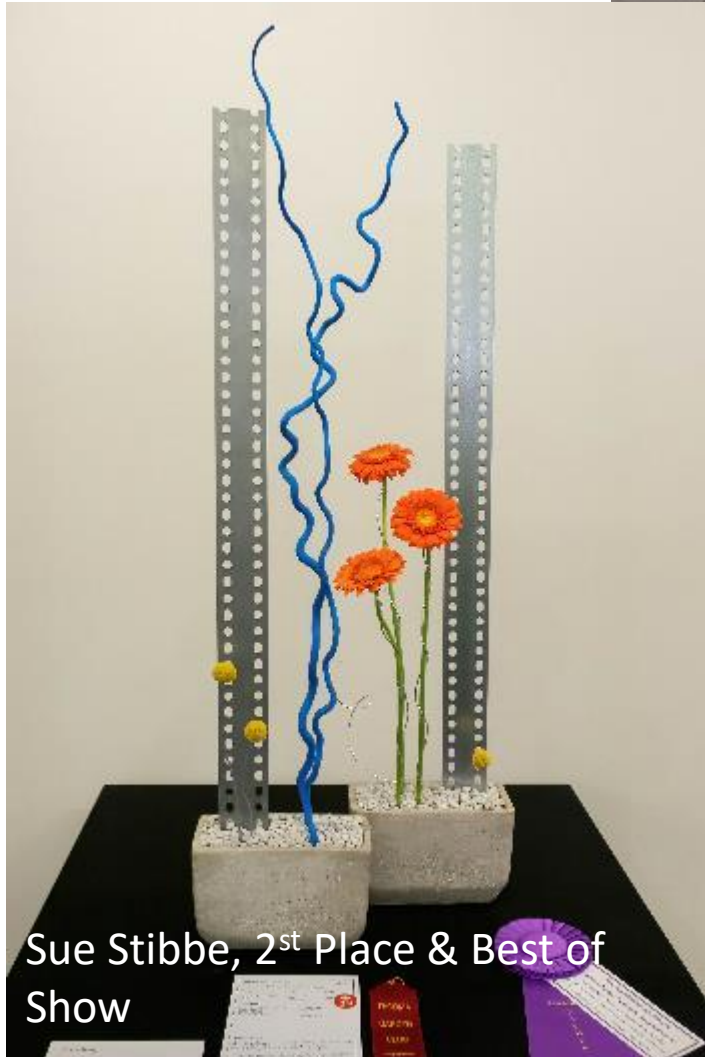
Sheryl McDonald, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place



Phyllis McGavick & Amy Sulkers



## Floral Design Class 4, The Long and Winding Road





## Floral Design Class 5, All I Wanted Was A Car Prospective Judges Challenge Class



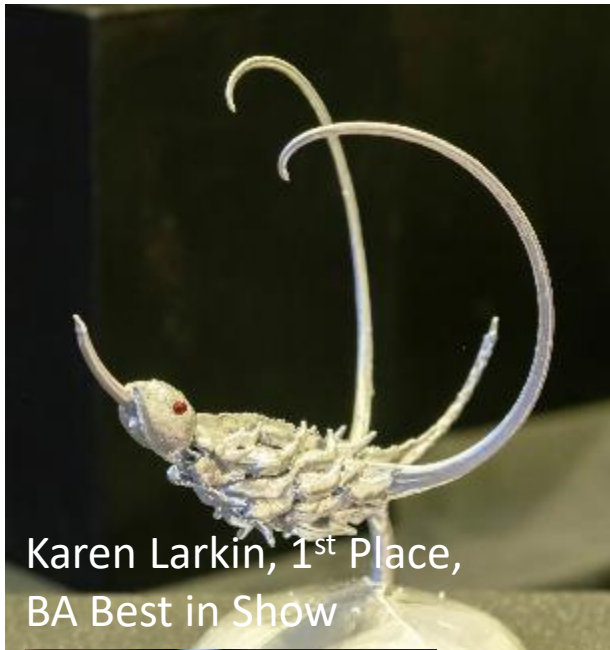


## Botanical Arts Class 1, Triumph of the Festival Queen





## Botanical Arts Class 2, Pride of Place



Karen Larkin, 1<sup>st</sup> Place,  
BA Best in Show



Brenda Kodama



Lynn Blick



Debi Schmid

Joyce Komnick, National  
Garden Club



## Horticulture, Cuts





## Horticulture, Cuts Winners



Karen Larkin, Class 23  
Horticulture Best in Show



Dorothy Hudson, Class 14



Toni Loomis, Class 16



Suzette de Turenne, Class 7



Pat Fetterly, Class 20



Tami Jewett, Class 22



Eloise Carson, Class 17



Dorothy Hudson, Class 21



Kerry Valentine, Class 21



Amy Brown, Class 9



Neel Parikh, Class 17  
Barbara Lindberg Award



Sybil Hunter, Class 18  
Barbara Lindberg Award



## Horticulture Class 26, Children at Play





## Horticulture Class 27, Concrete Jungle



Camille Paulsen, 1<sup>st</sup> Place &  
Best in Show Horticulture



Natalie Findlay



Kerry Valentine



Neel Parikh



Laure Nichols



## Horticulture Class 28, Air Freshener



Christine Anderson



Karen Larkin



Lisa Wagenaar



Dorothy Hudson



Debbie Crawford



## Horticulture Class 29, Start Your Engine



Karen Larkin, 1<sup>st</sup> Place



Ross Hoyle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place



Arlee Ehlers, 3<sup>rd</sup> Class



Lynette Lampson

# Horticulture Class 30, 1 – 3 Years Ownership



Christine Anderson



Natalie Findlay



Toni Loomis



Ross Hoyle



Christine Anderson



## Horticulture Class 30, 1 – 3 Years Ownership



Toni Loomis



Karen Larkin



Pam Egenberger



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Lynn Blick



Karen Larkin



Dorothy Hudson



Pam Egenberger



Debi Schmid



Karen Larkin



## Horticulture Class 31, 4 + Years Ownership



L to R: Lisa Wagenaar, Natalie Findlay, Christine Anderson, Karen Benveniste

Right: Laure Nichols, 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Hort. Class 31, The Catherine Beattie Medal – Laure Nichols, Class 31, Mistletoe Fig, The Clarissa Willemsen Horticulture Propagation Award – Laure Nichols, Class 31, Mistletoe Fig





## Photography Classes



## Photography Class TGC Awards



Penny Douglas, Photography Class 2, 1<sup>st</sup> Place

TGC Photography Best in Show



Arlee Ehlers, GCA Novice in Photography Award



# Education Display





## Two Excellent Dinners

- Judges Dinner on the Plaza Level
- Route 66 Celebration Dinner





## Marianne Binetti and Ciscoe Morris Lectures

