

**Mary Huntoon** is from Wenham, MA. She is an Accredited Master Judge for National Garden Clubs and is an NGC Flower Show School Instructor in Design for FSS and Sym. She currently serves on the NGC Flower Show Schools Committee as Accrediting Chairman, as well as serving on both the Regional and State levels. For MA, Mary serves as the State Flower Show Schools Chairman and the State Credentials Chairman. She is a Life Member of the GCFMA and NGC and is a 5-Star recipient. Mary is also an accredited Judge for the Garden Club of America in both Design and Horticulture. Active with the GCA, she served as Co-chairman of the 2019 Boston Annual Meeting Flower Show and is currently serving on the GCA Judging Committee. Mary is past president of the Hamilton-Wenham GC, and a past chairman of MA Judges Council. She is a member of North Shore GC, Creative Flower Arrangers, National Flower Arrangers and North Shore Horticulture Society as well as other organizations.

**Darlene Newell** is an NGC Accredited Master Judge, and Symposium Instructor in Horticulture, and Flower Show Procedure, and Daffodil Judge. She has lectured in over twenty-three states. Darlene is a life member of WVGC and NGC and a member of the American Horticulture, Hosta, and Daffodil Societies. She serves on the NGC Board of Directors as the Horticulture Instructors Chairman and on the state level as the West Virginia Flower Show Chairman. In 2001, Darlene founded the annual Community Thanksgiving Meal Project. To date, hundreds of volunteers have provided over 25,000 hot meals on Thanksgiving Day. Special interests include growing plants from seed, gardening with her five grandchildren, and creating stained glass and concrete projects.

**Symposium location:  
St. Peter's by-the-Sea  
Episcopal Church  
500 South Country Road  
Bay Shore, NY 11706  
631-665-0051**

**B&B Reservations  
are to be made  
directly with  
Ocean Bay House  
69 Ocean Avenue  
Bay Shore, NY 11706**

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OCEANBAYHOUSE.COM](mailto:COLLEENM61@THEOCEANBAYHOUSE.COM)**

**631-968-2316**

**Rate \$130.00 per night + tax  
*Rates may be subject to change.***

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Second District, FGCNYS  
Symposiums**

**SECOND DISTRICT,  
FGCNYS**

**October 19, 2021  
October 25-26, 2021**

**SYMPOSIUM**

***Exploration 2021***



**Second District, FGCNYS  
Director, Gail Berti**

**Symposium Chairman,  
Eileen DeRicco  
[eileendericco@gmail.com](mailto:eileendericco@gmail.com)  
631-878-1481**

## REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Lectures are open to Second District Judges and then to other judges and interested parties if space allows. Judges taking this Symposium for credit must mail Renewal of Judges in Good Standing Application to FGCNYS Credentials Chairman to notify the chairman of your eligibility at least one month prior to symposium (six weeks, for out of state).

### FGCNYS Flower Show Schools Chairman

Barbara Campbell  
14 Deerpath Drive  
New Paltz, NY 12561-2811  
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### FGCNYS Credentials Chairman

Karen Stephens-Mace  
9648 Phillips Road  
Holland, NY 14080  
[kmace@hughes.net](mailto:kmace@hughes.net)  
716-537-2657

Judges must bring *The Handbook for Flower Shows, 2017 Revised* edition, with updates and corrections, for Credit.  
*No credentials will be approved at the Symposiums.*

## SECOND DISTRICT SYMPOSIUM REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to:  
Second District, FGCNYS  
Add *2021 Symposium* on memo line.  
Return check and form to:  
**Laura McLaughlin, Registrar**  
315 Lakeview Ave. West  
Brightwaters, NY 11718-1904  
[laurakingmclaughlin@gmail.com](mailto:laurakingmclaughlin@gmail.com)  
631-666-0029

**Deadline: September 25, 2021**  
**\$25.00 late fee for registration postmarked after September 25<sup>th</sup>.**

### Tuesday, October 19, 2021

#### 12 noon – 3 p.m. Zoom Meeting, Allied Topics, Darlene Newell

Participants must have a desktop or laptop computer, tablet, ipad with audio and video capacity.

12 noon Registration  
12:15 pm Welcome & Announcements  
12:30 pm *Opportunity Comes Knocking*, Botanical Arts Horticulture  
*Good Things Come in Small Packages*, Miniature Plantings

### Monday, October 25, 2021

8:15-8:30 am Registration  
8:30-8:45 am Welcome & Announcements  
8:45-10:15 am Design, **Mary Huntoon**  
*On the Grid-Armature Designs*  
Armature Designs  
10:15-10:30 am Morning Break  
10:30-12:00 noon *Tubular Designs-Working with Cylindrical Forms*, Tubular Designs  
12 noon-1:00 pm Lunch  
1:00-2:00 pm Practice Point Scoring  
2:00-2:15 pm Afternoon Break  
2:15-3:45 pm Point Scoring Exam

### Tuesday, October 26, 2012

8:15-8:30 am Registration  
8:30-8:45 am Welcome & Announcements  
8:45-10:15 am Horticulture, **Darlene Newell, Conifers – Tall, Dark & Handsome**  
10:15-10:30 am Morning Break  
10:30-12 noon Horticulture continued  
*What's in Your Pot?*  
12 noon-1:00 pm Lunch  
1:00-2:00 pm Practice Point Scoring  
2:00-2:15 pm Afternoon Break  
2:15-3:45 pm Point Scoring Exam

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone home: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Date of "Good Standing" 12/31/ \_\_\_\_\_

Judging level: Check one, Student \_\_ Accredited \_\_  
Accredited Master \_\_ Judge Emeritus \_\_

#### Registration

- ( ) \$289.00 **Full Course with Exam**  
All instructions and two box lunches  
( ) \$289.00 **Full Course Audit**, as above  
( ) \$289.00 **Full Course**, no credit, as above

#### Box lunch choice for Monday:

Roast Beef \_\_, Turkey \_\_, Salad \_\_

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Dietary Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Enclosed**

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Date Received \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Exam Seat Number \_\_\_\_\_