

Vision of Beauty Calendar Entry

All members of clubs affiliated with National Garden Clubs, Inc. are invited to send photos as examples of skill and artistry for the **2022 Calendar**. Any such qualified entrant is a Designer. All types of designs are requested: Traditional, Contemporary, New Trends, and those appropriate for seasons of the year and holidays. Photos of a small area of your garden, such as a "pocket garden," are also accepted for consideration.

Requirements

A **5"x7" digital print must be sent by mail**, along with a current entry form. For clarity of reproduction, please also **email the digital image, in JPEG form**, including the title and name of designer, to the Chairman, ngcvob@gmail.com. The file must have a **minimum of 300 dpi to be considered**.

Only **vertical digital photos**, taken with a camera with a **minimum of eight (8) mega pixels** can be accepted.

Only quality, high resolution photos are accepted. Photoshop is strongly discouraged, unless done professionally.

The backdrop must be free of creases, wrinkles and patterns. Dark backdrops may require additional lighting to make designs clear and crisp. Flower show ribbons must not be included.

A **maximum of five (5) entries** per person will be accepted. Only **one (1) backdrop for each entry**.

Handle photos with caution when mailing to avoid scratches. **DO NOT** use Scotch tape or paper clips. Extra packing materials or padded envelopes are recommended. **DO NOT** put the designers name on the back of the photo.

All entries will be judged by the same criteria used to judge National Garden Club, Inc. Flower Show designs. Decisions of the judges are final. Please see judging criteria found in *Handbook for Flower Shows*.

Designers of selected entries will be notified. No entries will be returned. National Garden Clubs, Inc. is not responsible for any lost, late, delayed, or misdirected entries.

Entries that do not comply with these guidelines cannot be considered.

2022 CALENDAR SPECIAL EXTENDED DEADLINE for both mailed and emailed entries SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 sent to ngcvob@gmail.com

Please pay attention to deadline mailing addresses shown on entry form.

As we are working on the printer's schedule, any entries received by mail or email after September 1st will be considered for the next edition.

ENTRY FORM

2022 Vision of Beauty NGC, Inc. Calendar

Name: _____
(print clearly, type, or use an address label)

Address: _____

_____ Zip _____

Garden Club or Affiliate: _____

Email: _____

Photographer: _____

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Title of Picture: _____

Write a short caption (30 words or less) including components and botanical names of plant material.

Signature: _____

Until July 15, 2020

Brenda Bingham

7 Lenape Trail

Cedar Grove, New Jersey 07009-1640

Email digital photo (JPEG) to ngcvob@gmail.com, include the title and designer's name. Must also mail a 5"x7" print and completed entry form to:

After July 15, 2020

Brenda Bingham

Pak Mail Box #219

369 Montezuma Ave.

Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501-2626

Emailed entries should continue to be sent to ngcvob@gmail.com

Until the deadline of September 1, 2020

Maximum of five (5) entries, one (1) backdrop per entry, one (entry) per form. If duplicates are made of this entry form, please cut to identical size of this form. Entry form is available on the National Garden Clubs, Inc. website www.gardenclub.org