## **CAJC District IV Flower Show Directive**

- An NGC Flower Show Judge will chair the District IV Flower Show.
- The Flower Show Chair, appointed by the CAJC Chair, has all the responsibilities defined by the NCG Flower Show Handbook.
- The CAJC Chair is an ex officio member of the Flower Show Committee and should be included in pertinent meetings and communication.

## **Flower Show Chairman Duties**

- The FS Chair should request to report at all District IV Meetings.
- The FS Chair should establish the location and date of the flower show in collaboration with the District Director, and CAJC Chair.
- The Flower Show Chair should establish a budget to be approved by the District Flower Show committee.
- The FS Chair is responsible for setting committee meeting dates and locations in a central location for all clubs.
- The FS Chair should appoint an FS committee secretary, and minutes should be distributed to all club representatives, the District Director, and the CAJC chair.
- The FS Chair should notify the GCFP webmaster to advertise the show.
- The FS Chair should hold a wrap-up meeting immediately following the Flower Show. A written report should be submitted to the CAJC Chair.

## **District IV Clubs Responsibilities**

- Clubs in the district are asked to donate to the flower show fund annually. The District IV Treasurer sends this request when the dues notices are sent.
- All club presidents are considered FS Committee members and invited to attend all meetings or designate a club representative. They should liaise with their club to share information and encourage participation.
- All clubs should provide brochures or similar information to display during the FS.
- The club's name and, when possible, the president's contact information should be listed in the schedule.

 Members of each club should serve as hostesses during the flower show when requested by the FS Chairman.

## **General Information**

- An effort should be made to include all clubs in the production of the flower show.
- Limit the number of printed schedules. *Printed schedules are not required for general distribution;* digital copies are recommended to reach more members and save money and paper.
- Judges outside our district should be given priority in judging the show.
- A meeting should be offered in a central location to the entire District to demonstrate the design classes in the written schedule and to educate members on how to enter Horticulture.
- The schedule should include the District, GCFP, NGC logos, and website addresses.
- The Garden Club of York offers a Novice Award, which must be requested in writing to the current President.
- An effort should be made to host a district-wide FS every other year.
- Planning for the next flower show should begin immediately after the current show.
- A continuity book containing committee members' reports, treasurer's reports, meeting minutes, and the schedule should be updated and passed to the next flower show chairman.