

**VIRGINIA FEDERATION
OF
GARDEN CLUBS, INC.**

**PRESENTATION OF
2023 AWARDS**

“Every Person Makes a Difference”



May 21, 2024

VFGC Awards for the Year 2023

The Awards Committee

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South Central District (SC)	Kathie Kingery
Southwest District (SW)	Jane Sorensen
Tidewater District (T)	Jessica O'Connor

Categories by Size of Club

VFGC award applications are judged per garden club size, as determined by the number of members for whom NGC and State dues are paid as of Dec. 1st including active, associate, inactive, honorary, etc.

Small Club 20 or fewer members

Medium Club 21 - 50 members

Large Club 51 + members

Two or more clubs

VFGC Special Achievement Awards

SP-3 Trex Film Recycling Challenge

Blue - Violet Bank, small (P)

Red - Hill & Valley, medium (S)

District Awards

S-6 Club Membership within Districts

Blue – Southwest + 6.2%

Red – Tidewater + 3.8%

S-8 District Newsletter – Shenandoah

S-9 Smokey Bear Posters

Blue – Tidewater - 966

Red – Shenandoah - 509

S –11 Penny Pines

Blue – Tidewater - 45

Red – Shenandoah - 44

S-12 VFGC Life Membership/Book of Honor

Blue – Shenandoah

Red - Tidewater

Club Awards

S-14 Arbor Day, Tree Planting

Blue - Sleepy Hollow, med (P)

Red – Lake of the Woods, large (S)

S-15 Bird, Butterfly, Wildlife Survival

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-18 Water

Blue Seasons IV, small (SW)

S-19 Litter/Recycling/Reclamation

Blue – Violet Bank, small (P)

Blue – Dogwood, med (SW)

Red – South Boston, med (SC)

Red – Town & Country of Wise, med (SW)

S-21 Floral Design Program

Blue – Sleepy Hollow, med (P)

Red – Buckingham/Dillwyn med (SC)

Red – Madison, med (S)

Red – South Boston, med (SC)

Blue – Colonial Heritage, large (T)

S-22 Civic Projects with Native Plants

Blue – Sleepy Hollow, med (P)

Yellow – Colonial Heritage, large (T)

S-24 Civic Beautification/Civic Achievement

Blue – Oxford, med (P)

Red – Rapid Ann, med (S)

Red – Town & Country of Wise, med (SW)

Blue – Lake of the Woods, large (S)

S-26 Community Landscape Design

Blue – Hilliard Park, small (P)

Blue – Thomas Jefferson, med (P)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-27 Roadside Beautification

Blue – Town & Country of Wise, med (SW)

S-28 Plant Together Community Garden Project

Blue – Buckingham/Dillwyn, med (SC)

Red – Hill & Valley, med (S)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-29 Historic Preservation

Blue – Green Hills, small (S)

S-30 Decoration of Historic Building

Blue – Violet Bank, small (P)

Blue – Buckingham/Dillwyn, med (SC)

Red – Town & Country, med (SW)

S-31 Horticulture Therapy

Blue – Madison, med (S)

Red- May Farm, med (T)

Red – Midlothian, med (P)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-32 Horticulture Therapy Garden Project

Blue – Hilliard Park, small (P)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-33 Membership

Small

Blue – Chilhowie (SW)

Red – Keysville (SC)

Medium

Blue – tie - Chancellor (P) + Rappahannock (P)

Red – River Road (S)

Large

Blue – Colonial Heritage (T)

Rappahannock County (S)

S-34 National Garden Week

Blue – Hilliard Park, small (P)

Red- Greenvale, small (S)

Blue – Abingdon, med (SW)

Red – Buckingham/Dillwyn, med (SC)

Red – Hill & Valley, med (S)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

Red – Lake of the Woods, large (S)

S-35 Penny Pines

Blue – Green Meadow Point, small (T)

Blue – Madison, medium (S)

Blue – Colonial Heritage, large (T)

S-36 Visions of Beauty A & B

Blue - Seasons IV, small (SW)

Red - Westchester, small (BR)

S-37 Smokey Bear Posters

Blue – Green Meadow Point (T)

Red – Madison (S)

S-38 Youth Environmental Education

Blue – Green Hills, small (S)

Blue – Thomas Jefferson, med (P)

Red – Rapid Ann, med (S)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-39 Youth Horticulture Education

Blue- Seasons IV, small (SW)

Blue – Abingdon, med (SW)

Red – Rapid Ann, med (S)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

S-42 Publications

2) Educational –

Red – Buckingham/Dillwyn, med (SC)

4) History

Blue – Sleepy Hollow, med (P)

5) Membership Brochures

Blue- Rappahannock of White Stone, med (P)

Red – Buckingham/Dillwyn, med (SC)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

7) Cookbooks

Blue – Lake of the Woods, large, (S)

8) Other

Blue – Lake of the Woods, large (S)

S-43 Club Newsletter

A. One Page – Blue - Sleepy Hollow, med (P)

B. 3 – 12 pages

Blue – Westchester, small (BR)

Red – Monticello, small (S)

Blue – Madison, med (S)

Red - Lake Smith Terrace, med (T)

Red – Oxford, med (P)

Blue – Rock Spring, large (P)

C. 13 or more pages – Blue - Salisbury, large (P)

S-44 Club Yearbooks – First Place Receive Orange Rosettes

1. Under 20 Members

Blue – Keysville (SC)

Red – Hilliard Park (P)

2. 20 – 29 members

Blue - Lynnhaven Heritage (T)

Red – Amelia (P)

Red – Calfee (S)

Red – Green Hills (S)

Red – Town & Country (SW)

Red – Westchester (BR)

3. 30 – 44 members

Blue – Abington (SW)

Red – Thomas Jefferson (P)

4. 45 – 69 members

Blue – Rock Spring (P)

5. 100 + members

Blue –Salisbury (P)

Red – Lake of the Woods (S)

S-45 Flower show Schedule – Single Club

Blue Westchester, small (BR)

Red – Keysville, small (SC)

Blue – Thomas Jefferson, med (P)

S-46 Flower Show Schedule – two or more clubs

Blue – Piedmont District Flower Show Judges Council

S-47 Website

Blue – Madison, med (S)

Blue – Salisbury, large (P)

Red – Lake of the Woods, large (S)

S-48 Publicity Press Book –

Lake of the Woods, large (S) – Receives Pink Rosette

Youth Awards

Y-2 Smokey Bear Posters

First Grade – Bianca Delgado, Sleepy Hollow (P)

Second Grade – Afton Eanes, Madison (S)

Third Grade – Adrianna Rosario, Green Meadow Point (T)

Fourth Grade – Bea Lawrence, Southside (BR)

Fifth Grade – Asha Kuchibhatla, Merrifields (T)

Y-4 Youth Poetry

Third Grade – Jackson Atkins, sponsored by Cedar Run (S)

Fourth Grade – Wyatt Stone, sponsored by Madison (S)

Fifth Grade – Adelaide Moeller, sponsored by Madison (S)

Flower Show Achievement Awards

FS-11 A District Standard Flower Show - Tidewater District, VFGC

“Fall Reflections” Receives the Green Rosette

South Atlantic Region Awards

8 – Historic preservation- Green Hills (S)

9 – Penny Pines

Small Club – Green Meadow Point (T)

Medium Club – Madison (S)

Large club – Colonial Heritage (T)

#11 – Roadside Improvement – Town & Country (SW)

12 – Landscape Design for a Church – Oxford (P)

15 – Water Conservation – Seasons IV (SW)

17 – Litter/Recycling/Reclamation

Small Club – Violet Bank (P)

Medium Club – Dogwood (SW)

#18 – Newsletter by a Large Club - Salisbury (P)

20 B – Best Program without Power Point - Sleepy Hollow (P)

21 – Website – Salisbury (P)

22 – Yearbook from a Small Club – Keysville (SC)

#23 - Publicity Press Book from a Large Club- Lake of the Woods (S)

Y 1 – Youth Education – Seasons IV (SW)

Y 4 – 3rd Grade Poem – Jackson Atkins sponsored by Cedar Run (S)

4th Grade Poem – Wyatt Stone sponsored by Madison (S)

5th Grade Poem – Adelaide Moeller sponsored by Madison (S)

#Y 6 – 1st Grade Smokey Poster – Bianca Delgado sponsored by Sleepy Hollow (P)

4th Grade Smokey Poster – Bea Lawrence, sponsored by Southside (B)

5th Grade Smokey Poster – Asha Kuchibhatlr, sponsored by Merriefield (T)

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