

66th Annual Flower Show

Elsinore Woman's Club

710 West Graham Avenue, Lake Elsinore

Friday, April 29th, 2022 Hours: 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday, April 30th, 2022 Hours: 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Competition is FREE and OPEN to ALL Amateurs

1. Entries must be at the clubhouse Friday, April 29th, 9:30 a.m. – 11:30am.
2. Only one entry in each category per participant.
3. No artificial or dyed flowers.
4. Name of exhibitor must be on underside of container.
5. Entries will be judged from all sides.
6. Entries must not be removed from display until 1 p.m. on Saturday.

Division I: Horticulture

Categories: Specimens and Plants

1. Roses
2. Irises
3. Bulbous Flowers
4. Annuals
5. Perennials
6. Unscheduled
7. African Violets
8. Succulents
9. Cacti
10. Miscellaneous
11. Planted Arrangements
12. Planted Arrangements - Succulents

10. Roses
11. Irises
12. Geraniums
13. Wild Flowers
14. Flowering Trees/Shrubs
15. Miniature (1-3 inches)
16. Miniature (3-6 inches)
17. Men Only
18. Use of White Daisies
19. In a Tea Cup
20. In a Teapot
21. Unusual Container
22. Pitcher
23. Uncommon Container Filler
24. Use of Succulent in Arrangement

Division II: Design

Categories: Arrangements

1. Tall Container
(10 inches or more)
2. Low Container
3. Basket (Natural)
4. Found/Junk Container
5. Holiday/Event
6. Using Accessories
7. Novelty Vase
8. Monochromatic
9. Garden Bouquet

Division III:

Arrangements by Youth
2 to 18 Years of Age

**Plant Sale & Garden
Crafts**

For more information please call Heidi at (951) 609-1199

How do I Participate in the Flower Show?

You can arrange flowers that you have purchased or grown in your garden.

You can bring your favorite houseplant.

You can simply bring in a single bloom from your garden.

The Categories for the show include:

Horticulture – Division I: Simply bring in a cut flower, and we do the rest!

This division consists of all cut and container specimens grown by the exhibitor. Ribbons are awarded in various categories based on: Condition and Grooming, Distinction, and Cultural Perfection.

Design – Division II: This is where you create an arrangement.

Design must be the work of the exhibitor, but the individual need not have grown plant material. Ribbons are awarded in various categories based on: Design, Artistic Concept, Expression and Distinction.

Youth Design – Division III: Open to Children 2-17, divided by school level

How do I prepare flowers for an exhibit?

- **Select the best:** You may remove any damaged petals
- **Harvest with care:** Plan to cut your flowers in the evening or early morning. Always cut the stem several inches longer than necessary to allow for later trimming. Use a clean, sharp knife to make a smooth, even cut. Scissors tend to pinch the ends of the stems.
- Remove any leaves on the stem that will be in water. Foliage covered with water will rot and cause discolored water and stem blockage.

Tips for exhibiting flower arrangements

- Plan your design around a container you already own, your favorite holiday or flower.
- Remember the overall effect of the arrangement should be pleasing to the eye. Color, space, texture, and shape are important.
- Use high-quality plant materials with no wilting, color fading or obvious damage.
- Plant materials should be in good proportion to each other and to the container. The length of stems and the size of flowers and foliage affect overall proportion.

Tips for exhibiting houseplants

- All potted plants should be free of insects and diseases.
- Foliage plants are judged on the quality and appearance of leaves and stems. Colors should be bright, clear, and typical of the cultivar.
- Flowering plants are judged for their display of flowers but should not show obvious foliage damage.
- Use clean containers that are in proportion to plant size. The color, texture, and style of the container should complement the plant without drawing attention away from it.

What happens at a flower show?

When you check in, someone will help you find where to put your exhibits. Later, a judge will look at all the exhibits and ribbons will be awarded.