

Judges & Afternoon Teas

April	Barbara Blake & Elaine Hall
May New Garden Club Year. These are the tentative judges only if you cannot make the scheduled dates can you please let me know so I can re-schedule you. (<i>Show Secretary Terry Euridge</i>)	
May	Susan Hutchinson & Dorothy Luke
June	Frances Martin & Laura Colusso
July	Jan Dhu & Carol Griffiths
August	Barbara Blake & Elaine Hall
September	RHS Judges All members to help
October	Val Hooker & Maggie Chang
November	Jeanette & Phillip Chown
December	Megan & Eric Euridge

Dates For Your 2022 Diary

Sun 3rd April	General meeting. Daylight Saving Ends
Sun 10th April	Family Picnic at The Plough and Harrow, Cecil Hills.



Fri 8th – Tues 19th April 2022

Sun 1st May	Annual General Meeting and Presentation Day Club Becomes 50 years Old.
Sun 5th June	General Meeting
Sun 3rd July	General Meeting
Sun 7th August	General Meeting
Shows (greyed out) tentative dates only, to be verified.	
Sat 10th	<i>Annual Spring Show</i>
Sun 11th September	<i>Sun Vintage Village Markets.</i>
Thur 15th Sept	<i>Entries closing date Spring Garden Competition.</i>
Mon 19th Sept.	<i>Spring Garden Competition Judging</i>
Sun 9th October	Meeting and Presentation Day (1st Sun Labor Day W.E.)
Sun 6th November	General Meeting
Sun 4th December	Christmas Meeting

President	Mrs Frances Martin	9725 2851
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Happy Gardening Remember "Growth is Life"

What's Doing?

Newsletter of The City of Fairfield Garden Club Inc

Sunday 3rd April 2022

Annual fees: Adults \$15.00, Children: \$1.00.



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Committee Meeting

There will be no committee meeting in April due to Easter and the School Holidays. Good Friday is the 3rd Friday of the Month.

Pointscores 6th March 2022

No Points Scored. Meeting cancelled due to weather

Sunday 2nd May Annual General Meeting

The AGM is next month, nominations are called for the following positions: -

President *(1), Vice Presidents *(2), Secretary *(1), Assistant Secretary *(1), Show Secretary *(1), Assistant Show Secretary *(1), Treasurer *(1), Publicity & Public Relations Officer *(1), Trade Table Steward *(1), Birthday Steward *(1), Hospitality Steward *(1), Show Stewards (as many as possible), Returning Officer (1), and Auditors(2).

Public Officer is Philip Chown.

Please note any candidate who stands for an Executive position (denoted by an *), if elected, is required to attend Executive Committee Meetings, as laid down in the Constitution.

P.S. You must be financial (or Life Member) to Nominate for a position and to vote.

Family Picnic at Plough and Harrow

See last months Schedule for details. This will be discussed today' See page 3 for weather forecast. Sunday's not issued yet.

CITY OF FAIRFIELD GARDEN CLUB SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY 1ST MAY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

ALL ENTRIES TO BE STAGED BY 2.00p.m. PROMPT

Classes 1 - 9 Miscellaneous cuts and classes 16-17 Vegetables & Fruit exhibits must be grown by the person/s exhibiting. Classes 10-15 exhibits must be the property of the exhibitor/s for at least 3 months prior to showing (Children 1 month). Decorative 18-20 flowers and foliage may be purchased unless scheduled otherwise. Fresh flowers to be used unless otherwise stated. Embellishments are allowed. Stems to be in water. Children may enter in any section or class.

CLASS MISCELLANEOUS (to be displayed in supplied vases)

- 1) 1 Vase 3 Cuts Chrysanthemums. NND
- 2) 1 Vase 3 Cuts Flowering Tree, Shrub or Climber NOS NND
- 3) 1 Vase 3 cuts Foliage DISTINCT
- 4) 1 Vase, 3 Cuts if small, 1 cut if Large, Bulb, Corm or Rhizome NOS SAME.
- 5) 1 Vase 3 Cuts Flowering Growth NOS.
- 6) 1 Vase 3 cuts Flowering Australian Native/Hybrid Growth NND
- 7) 1 Vase 3 cuts Foliage SAME
- 8) 1 Vase 3 Cuts Geranium or Pelargonium with Foliage Attached. NND
- 9) 1 Vase 3 Cuts Roses NND

POT PLANTS

- 10) 1 Container Geranium/s or Pelargonium/s Flowering or Foliage.
- 11) 1 Container of Foliage Plant/s NOS.
- 12) 1 Container of Flowering Plant/s NOS
- 13). 1 Container Fern/s
- 14) 1 Hydroponic Exhibit
- 15) 1 Container Cactus/i and or Succulent/s

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT

- 16) One vegetable unit
- 17) One fruit unit

DECORATIVE

- 18) "Miniature As you will". Not more than 100mm [4 inches] overall
- 19) "Autumn Colours foliage"
- 20) "Mother's Day" flowers and foliage



Entries to be left on the bench for at least half an hour after close of meeting for members enjoyment. All members are responsible for removal of their entries and the emptying and putting away of bottles, the replacing of stands, trays and caps they have used to where they belong and for the disposal of entry cards and the removal of award certificates. Thank You.

POINTS ARE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS : 1 point is given for each class entered (please note only 1 point per class entered not 1 point per exhibit , so if you enter 5 things in the same class you only get 1 point)

GRAND CHAMPION 6 Points , 1st Prize 5 Points, 2nd Prize 4 Points, 3rd Prize 3 Points, Highly Commended 2 Points.

If you win a prize in a class you lose your point for entering that class, but you only lose that point once, e.g. if you get 1st, 2nd and 3rd in a class you get 12 points for that class..

EXHIBITORS PLEASE NOTE: Entries to be Exhibited as soon as possible.


DEFINITIONS:

NND not necessarily distinct. (They can be the same).


NOS not on schedule. (E.g. if you are entering the "1 cut Flowering Tree, Shrub or Climber" it must not be an Australian Native or Rose because there is a class for them on the schedule.

DISTINCT means different. (Same genus of flower, different colour, is not Distinct)

BOM Liverpool Weather Forecast Leading Up To Picnic

Thursday 7 April  Min 16 Max 21 Possible rainfall: **20 to 45 mm**

Chance of any rain: **90%** 

Friday 8 April  Min 17 Max Possible rainfall: **15 to 45 mm**

Chance of any rain: **90%** 

Saturday 9th April  Min 16 Max 23 Possible rainfall: **5 to 20 mm**

Chance of any rain: **90%** 