



Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland, Inc.
Presented at March 26, 2019 Annual Meeting for 2018 AWARD YEAR

AWARDED DURING THE MORNING FGCMD ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

EVELYN M. COTTON MARYLAND CONSERVATION AWARD

Lutherville Garden Club, District III
Monarch Way Station

GOVERNOR'S BEAUTIFICATION BOWL

Green-walled Garden Club, District V
Kitchen Garden at Catoclin Furnace

MARYLAND ROADSIDE AWARD

Mount Washington Garden Club, District IV
"Slice of Green" in an urban area near a Metro Station

RAE B. WEEKS HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARD

Talbot County Garden Club, District I
Historic Society Garden Renewal

STIEFF YOUNG GARDENERS ACHIEVEMENT BOWL

Silver Fancy Garden Club, District V
Working with children on using nature's resources.

DESSIE MOXLEY YOUTH INVOLVEMENT AWARD

1st Place, Small Club
Silver Fancy Garden Club, District V
Working with children using nature's resources

1st Place, Medium Club

Worcester County Garden Club, District I
"The Saved Seed"

1st Place, Large Club

Talbot County Garden Club, District I
Worm Composting

STATE PERENNIAL BLOOM WINNER

Bridget Maginn, NGC Life Member is a 24 year member of the Mount Washington and Little Garden Clubs, District IV. Best known as the "Blue Star Memorial Cheerleader" in 2011, she was instrumental in the installation of the first Blue Star Memorial in District IV and in Baltimore City. In that same year, Bridget was honored to receive the FGCMD Governor's Citation Award for championing the Blue Star Memorial Marker near the Conservatory which she initiated and even "twisted" the arm of a landscaper to design and install the stone wall base. Bridget has received the FGCMD Achievement Award for her years of involvement and support of and serving as District Director. Bridget has served in many leadership roles and her achievements are extensive. In addition, her passion for veterans is well noted, for she created the first Veterans Memorial Book in the Baltimore City area for which she still continues to solicit names for the Memorial Book from everyone she meets. Bridget, the entrepreneur, the teacher, the writer and a leader **WHO TURNED 100 IN FEBRUARY.**

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Linda Harris

Presidential Award is presented to Linda Harris, Coordinator of the very successful "Make Every Day Earth Day" Event and Co-Chairman of the FGCMDC Conservation and Environmental Awareness Committee.

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Lynn Walter

Presidential Award is presented to Lynn Walter, Moderator of the very successful "Make Every Day Earth Day" Event and Co-Chairman of the FGCMDC Conservation and Environmental Awareness Committee.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Nicki Schwab and Joan Bender

Presidential Award is presented to Nicki Schwab and Joan Bender, Co-Chairmen of a very successful Judges Symposium, Bowie Comfort Inn, November 6-7, 2018.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Betty Reeves

Presidential Award is presented to Betty Reeves District III Coordinator of "Wreaths Across America" for Baltimore National Cemetery, Dulaney Valley Memorial Garden and Bel Air Memorial Garden.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Marjorie Glennan

Presidential Award is presented to Marjorie Glennan, Membership Chairman for the second year of coordinating, setting up, supervising and taking down the booth at the Maryland Home and Garden Show, March 2-3, 2019 and following up on the membership applications received at the show.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Terry Holman

Presidential Award is presented to Terry Holman, Youth Gardening Chairman for her dedication, commitment, promotion and club surveys for Youth Gardening.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Sue Christensen

Presidential Award is presented to Sue Christensen, Horticulture Chairman for her dedication, commitment and shared horticulture information gathered through club surveys.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Dorrie McDonald

Presidential Award is presented to Dorrie McDonald for her floral designs at the National Garden Week FGCMDC Councils programs 2017 and 2018, extraordinary Special Exhibit at the Judges Council NGC Standard Flower Show March 27, 2018 at the State Annual Meeting and for her designs featured in the Vision of Beauty calendars.

PRESIDENTIAL AWARD

Bonnie Pavlak

Presidential Award is presented to Bonnie Pavlak for her dedication, passion and promotion of Tawes Garden, "a garden for all abilities" located in Annapolis and featured in The National Gardener Winter 2019 issue.

AWARDS PRESENTED AFTER LUNCH AT ANNUAL MEETING

MEMBER AWARD OF HONOR

Peggy Turnblacer – Hollyberry Garden Club – District II

Peggy is the 2019-2021 Recording Secretary for District II, a former President of the Hollyberry Garden Club and she also held various club positions. Peggy launched “Books in Bloom” at the Severna Park Library, interpreting a favorite novel or children’s book through flowers. This popular program was followed by “Wheelie Garden Beds” at Geneses Healthcare Assisted Living Facility for wheelchair bound clients. She also offered a lecture series there called, “The Birds and The Bees”. Her list of accomplishments goes on and on.

AWARD OF ACHIEVEMENT

Doris Key – Queen Anne’s County Garden Club – District I

Doris is the 2019-2021 District Director and was the recipient of the Federation’s 2018 Member Award of Honor. Through Doris’ efforts as District I Patriotic Programs Co-Chairman, the Hurlock National Cemetery had a wreath for every marker in 2018, the first time ever! They needed 7,365 wreaths and nearly 11,000 were purchased! Doris has made other organizations and businesses aware of “Wreaths Across America” and some have a partnership with District I on this special project.

AWARD OF CITATION

Linda Harris – Mountain Laurel Garden Club – District V

Linda is the Federation’s **ENERGIZER BUNNY!** She implemented the first FGCM Environmental School, was the Chairman of Environmental Consultant Council 2015-2017 and installed last night for another term as Chairman of Environmental Consultant Council for 2019-2021. Linda is also Chairman of Environmental School 2017-2018-2019 and Chairman of Gardening School for 2018 and 2019.

AWARD OF APPRECIATION

Sharon Tietjens and Dan Burke from NorthBay Environmental Camp for Middle School Students – The State President’s Project.

Sharon and Dan are thanked for their commitment to NorthBay Environmental Camp, which provides life-changing outdoor education experiences and leadership training for middle school students. Presentation of check for \$5,500 plus \$275 from sale of containers.

AWARD OF APPRECIATION

Megan McGinn-Meals, Maryland Governor’s Coordinating Office

For the past four years, Megan has coordinated the Governor’s project of Christmas trees decorated to represent each County in Maryland and displayed in the State House Rotunda. Megan scheduled the Garden Clubs’ appointments for setting up and taking down the trees.

AWARD OF APPRECIATION

Michael D. Brophy, Director Historic Baltimore National Cemetery Complex

The Federation thanks Mike for reaching out to partner with us on the placement of Blue Star Memorial Markers at three of the National Cemeteries in the Baltimore complex: Annapolis National Cemetery, Baltimore National Cemetery and Loudon Park National Cemetery. The markers are sponsored by District III, District IV and Four Rivers Garden Club in District II. On behalf of National Garden Clubs, Inc. and President Nancy Hargroves, we present Certificates of Appreciation from NGC and FGCM. Members are thanked and commended for honoring our country’s men and women who bravely offer their lives for the presentation of our nation’s freedoms.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Charlotte Hardman, 2019-2021 Kent Island Garden Club President and Linda Elias Immediate Former Club President
The Kent Island Garden Club members are thanked for their support of State President Bonner during her 2019-2021 Administration.

MARIE COULTER BOWL

Liz Williams – Chartwell Garden Club – District II

Liz was the recipient of the 2018 Federation’s Award of Citation and is the 2019-2021 Judges Council Chairman. Liz is truly the **backbone of this administration**. She has been the Webmaster, keeps the Federation Calendar of Events current and assisted the Awards Committee in upgrading the Awards Manual and put it on our website. She publishes our popular Gardenews Newsletter.

AWARDS PRESENTED AT DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETINGS

List of Clubs Celebrating Anniversaries in 2019

Four Rivers Garden Club, District II	95 th Anniversary
Carroll Garden Club, District V	90 th Anniversary
Garden Club of Frederick, District V	90 th Anniversary
Mt. Airy Garden Club, District V	85 th Anniversary
Naval Academy Garden Club, District II	85 th Anniversary
Queen Anne’s County G.C., District I	85 th Anniversary
Lutherville Garden Club, District III	70 th Anniversary
Tasker’s Chance Garden Club, District V	70 th Anniversary
Garden Workshop G.C., District IV	65 th Anniversary
Silver Fancy Garden Club, District V	65 th Anniversary
Woodbrook-Murray G.C., District III	65 th Anniversary
For-Win-Ash Garden Club, District IV	60 th Anniversary
Lake Hills Garden Club, District IV	60 th Anniversary
Worcester County G.C., District I	60 th Anniversary
Crofton Village G.C., District II	50 th Anniversary
Friendship Garden Club, District III	45 th Anniversary
Hampton Garden Club, District III	45 th Anniversary
Mountain Laurel G.C., District V	30 th Anniversary

CIVIC DEVELOPMENT AWARDS

Small Clubs:

1 st Place	Small Club	Mt. Washington G.C., District IV	Metro Garden
2 nd Place	Small Club	Chesapeake Garden Club, District II	All Saints Episcopal Church

Medium Clubs:

1 st Place	Medium Club	Naval Academy G.C., District II	Decorating at Hammond Harwood House
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Large Clubs:

1 st Place	Large Club	Lutherville Garden Club, District III	Monarch Station
2 nd Place	Large Club	Talbot County Garden Club, District I	Design and Planting Library entrance
3 rd Place	Large Club	Crofton Village Garden Club, District II	Honoring Veterans and Flags
HM	Large Club	Four Rivers Garden Club, District II	Annapolis National Cemetery

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

Small Clubs:

1 st Place	Small Club	Kent Island Garden Club, District I	Cray House Ellen Klages Herb Garden
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2 nd Place	Small Club	Chesapeake Garden Club, District II	Women Moving Forward
3 rd Place	Small Club	Silver Fancy Garden Club, District V	Taneytown Library Project

Medium Clubs:

1 st Place	Medium Club	Queen Anne’s County G.C., District I	Town Christmas Decorations
2 nd Place	Medium Club	Naval Academy G.C., District II	Greenscape Project
3 rd Place	Medium Club	Four Seasons Garden Club, District I	Landscaping at the Joseph House
3 rd Place	Medium Club	Shipley’s Choice G.C., District II	Pollinator Garden
HM	Medium Club	Four Seasons Garden Club, District I	Entrance Village of Hope

Large Clubs:

1 st Place	Large Club	Mountain Laurel G.C., District V	Secret Garden Tour
2 nd Place	Large Club	Lutherville Garden Club, District III	Create A Wildlife Habitat
3 rd Place	Large Club	Crofton Village G.C., District II	Partnering with Library

DECORATING HISTORIC HOMES

1 st Place	Queen Anne’s County G.C., and Kent Island G.C., District I	Decorating Tree at State House
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MERIT AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING NGC STANDARD FLOWER SHOWS

Queen Anne’s County GC, District I “Queen Bees, Spelling Bees and Wanna Bees”
Dorchester Garden Club, District I, “Along the Garden Path”

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION FOR NGC STANDARD FLOWER SHOWS

District II, “Daffodils at the Globe Theater”
Charles County Garden Club, District II, “Bellissimo”
St. Mary’s Garden Club, District II, “Around the World in 80 Years”

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION FOR NGC SMALL STANDARD FLOWER SHOW

Four Seasons Garden Club, District I, “Tis the Season”
Oxford Garden Club, District I, “Poems and Posies”
Four Rivers Garden Club, District II, “Jewels in the Garden”
Woodbrook-Murray Hill Garden Club, District III, “A Wedding in May”
Homeland Garden Club, District IV, “A Wedding in May”

GARDEN THERAPY AWARDS

Small Clubs:

1 st Place	Lake Roland G.C., District III	Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital
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2 nd Place	Chesapeake Garden Club, District II	Floral arrangements for Seniors each season.
3 rd Place	Silver Fancy G.C., District V	Flower Arranging with Seniors
<u>Medium Clubs:</u>		
1 st Place	Four Seasons G.C., District I	Blind Industries Project
2 nd Place	Garden Club of Cumberland	Horticulture Program with Seniors
3 rd Place	Chartwell Garden Club, District II	Design Program Woods Adult Day Center
HM	Hollyberry Garden Club, District II	Genesis Nursing Home

Large Clubs:

1 st Place	Four Rivers Garden Club, District II	Flower Workshops at Wellness Center
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HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARD

Medium Club:

1 st Place	Green-walled GC, District V	Catoctin Furnace Project
2 nd Place	Chartwell Garden Club, District II	Christmas at Hammond Harwood House

GARDENING CONSULTANTS COUNCIL AWARDS

CONTAINER GARDENING AWARD

1st Place \$150 Dorchester Garden Club, District I
Beautiful urns/containers in front of Dorchester Court House

EDIBLE GARDEN AWARD

1st Place \$150 Lake Roland Garden Club, District III
Mount Washington Pediatric Hospital Sensory and Vegetable Gardens

LANDSCAPE DESIGN COUNCIL AWARDS

District II

1st Place \$150 Moonflower Garden Club – Hatton Regester Green Park
2nd Place \$100 Naval Academy Garden Club – Greenscape Project

District III

1st Place \$150 Gunpowder GC Gardens B and C behind Monkton Station
2nd Place \$100 Lutherville Garden Club – Wildlife Habitat
3rd Place \$50 Lutherville Garden Club – Monarch Waystation

FEDERATED GARDEN CLUBS OF MARYLAND, INC. PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS:

ANNETTE RICHTER PHOTOGRAPHY AWARD - \$50 from Annette Richter Fund to 1st place winner

(For beauty of a Maryland native vine, shrub or flower as expressed through photography)

1 st Place	Kathy Green, Somerset County Garden Club, District I; <i>“Berries are a Bird Food Source”</i>
2 nd Place	Fay Citerone, Glen Arm Garden Club, District III; <i>“Sambucus Canadensis”</i>
3 rd Place	Trish Reynolds, Talbot County Garden Club, District I; <i>“Magnolia a Deciduous Shrub”</i>

DISTRICT DIRECTOR’S PHOTOGRAPHY AWARD - \$50 from District Directors to 1st place winner

(For beauty of a flower, fruit, leaf formation of an annual plant, tree, bird, shrub or bug)

1 st Place	Susan Randolph, Franklin Garden Club, District III; <i>“Hummingbird Clearwing Moth”</i>
2 nd Place	Kathy Green, Somerset County Garden Club, District I; <i>“Monarch Visiting a Cosmo”</i>
3 rd Place	Betsy Lehmann, Country GC of Harford County, District III; <i>“Pileated Woodpecker”</i>

HARRY C. REYNOLDS PHOTOGRAPHY AWARD

(For beauty of a tree or shrub as expressed through photography)

- 1st Place Trish Reynolds, Talbot County Garden Club, District I, "*Near East – Easton, Md.*"
- 2nd Place Kathy Green, Somerset County Garden Club, District I, "*Crepe Myrtle*"
- 3rd Place Marie Davis, Oxford Garden Club, District I, "*Water's Edge Live Oak Charleston, N.C.*"
- HM Betty Reeves, Lutherville Garden Club, District III, "*A Sagamore Canopy*"

MARY FITZPATRICK PHOTOGRAPHY AWARD

(For artistic excellence in flower arrangement as expressed through photography)

- 1st Place Ingrid Blanton, Oxford Garden Club, District I; "*Illuminary Design Yellow Calla Lilies*"
- 2nd Place (tie) Marie Davis, Oxford Garden Club, District I; "*Blue Danube Iris and Aster Leaves*"
- 2nd Place (tie) Betty Reeves, Lutherville Garden Club, District III, "*Peonies in a Vase*"

PUBLICATION AWARDS: 2018-2019 YEARBOOKS

*All first place Yearbook winners submitted to C.A.R. for further award consideration.

Category 1 – less than 20 Members

- 1st Place Greenfingers GC, District I
- 2nd Place Little Garden Club, District IV
- 3rd Place New Market GC, District V
- HM Wiltondale GC, District III

Category 2 – 20-29 Members

- 1st Place Bent Twig GC, District III
- 2nd Place Cross Country GC, District V
- 3rd Place Mt. Washington GC, District IV

Category 3 - 30-44 Members

- 1st Place Mt. Airy Garden Club, District V
- 2nd Place Hagerstown GC, District V
- 3rd Place Glen Arm GC, District III
- HM Worcester GC, District I

Category 4 - 45-69 Members

- 1st Place Lutherville GC, District III
- 2nd Place Oxford Garden Club, District I
- 3rd Place Queen Anne's County GC, District I

Category 5 – 70-99 Members

- 1st Place Dorchester Garden Club, District I
- 2nd Place Talbot Garden Club, District I
- 3rd Place Mountain Laurel GC, District V
- HM Charles County Garden Club, District II

WEBSITE AWARD

1st Place Lutherville Garden Club, District III

NEWSLETTER AWARDS

1st place Large Club – Lutherville Garden Club District III “Planter’s Punch”

1st place Medium Club – Naval Academy Garden Club District II “Leafpoints”

YOUTH INVOLVEMENT AWARDS 2018-2019 NGC, Inc.-

FGCMD Poetry Contest: “Pop Goes the Seed”

Calvert GC-1st Place Wesley Cranford 1st grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-2nd Place Braden Merryman 1st grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-3rd Place Emma Clas, 1st grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-1st Place Raily Baird 2nd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-2nd Place Grayson Montague 2nd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-3rd Place Sanai Chase 2nd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-1st Place Alex Raines 3rd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC-2nd Place Noelle Green 3rd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 3rd Place Nolan Hawitt 3rd grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 3rd Place Maggie Gosselin 4th grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 2nd Place Drew Lusby 4th grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 3rd Place Asher Popernack 4th grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 1st Place Clarke Flowers 5th grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 2nd Place Aurora Casey 5th grade Calverton School
Calvert GC 3rd Place Trevor Caison 5th grade Calverton School
Shipley’s Choice GC 1st Place Jenna Kantowski 9th grade Severn School
Shipley’s Choice GC 2nd Place Heili Poldmae 9th grade Severn School
Shipley’s Choice GC 3rd Place Ryan Dineen 9th grade Severn School

NGC, Inc. FGCMD High School Essay: “The Impact of Bottled Water on the Environment and the Water Supply”

Four Rivers Garden Club – 1st Place \$100 Sammie Scardelletti Broadneck High School
Four Rivers Garden Club – 2nd Place \$50 Sam Livio Broadneck High School

SMOKEY BEAR POSTER WINNER: “ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT WILDFIRES”

Worcester County Garden Club – 1st Place Cecilia Diehimann
3rd Grade Ocean City Elementary School

WOODSY OWL POSTER WINNER: “LEND A HAND, CARE FOR THE LAND”

Worcester County Garden Club - 1st Place Ara Kang
2nd Grade Showell Elementary School

YOUTH SCULPTURE CONTEST: PHOTO OF SCULPTURE MADE FROM RECYCLED MATERIALS \$150

Worcester County Garden Club - 1st Place Emma Nordstrom
4th Grade Berlin Middle School