

California Garden Clubs, Inc.

2023-2025 Evaluation Form – to be used by the judges

Applicants: Do not send evaluation form. Judges will print form from website to use when judging.

Deadline to email application to Awards Chairman: January 10

Entry requires a 2023-2025 CGCI Application Cover Sheet and an Award Application (one to three printed pages/front sides only). **To apply, send an email, with attachments** (1st Attachment: Application Cover Sheet; 2nd Attachment: Award Application (one to three printed pages, front sides only)) **to CGCI Awards Chairman. DO NOT MAIL. Only Word documents and pdf files will be accepted.**

40. PHOTOGRAPHY AWARD

1st \$50 in each section. To individual club members

Email Deadline: **January 10** to CGCI Awards Chairman Pat Clayes – patclayes@aol.com

FYI: Judging Chairman is Ron Lang

LIMITED TO ONE ENTRY PER PERSON, PER SECTION.

Photograph size: 5" x 7" or 8" x 10". Photograph is to be taken by the applicant in the current awards year by an amateur photographer/club member. Judged on composition, color, and print quality. Complete application cover sheet. Place all other required information and photo on the 3-page application (may use up to 3 pages/front sides only). All information must be typed. Note: Photos become the property of CGCI to use in its publications, website, Facebook, etc.

Section 1. Sponsor: Carolyn Villi

Applicant's own garden. Plantings to be focal point. Include brief description of garden and botanical names of plants.

Section 2. Sponsor: Poway Valley Garden Club

A cactus/cacti (for succulent, see Section 6) grown and maintained by the applicant, in a container or planted in the ground. Include brief description, how and where grown and botanical name (genus and species). Must show full plant.

Section 3. Sponsor: Orange County District

A named rose, single bloom, or spray, grown by applicant. Include brief description, how and where grown, type of rose (hybrid tea, miniature, etc.). Give botanical name (genus ("Rosa") and cultivar name).

Section 4. Sponsor: Sacramento River Valley District

A flowering tree or shrub, in bloom, grown by applicant. Give botanical name (genus and species), description of growing conditions and its use in the garden. Must show full tree or shrub (not just the blooms).

Section 5: Sponsor: Carolyn Villi

A named California arboretum or botanical garden. Plantings to be the focal point. Include a brief description of plants in photograph with botanical names and the date visited.

Section 6: Sponsor: Point Loma Garden Club

Close-up of a succulent (see Sec. 2 for cactus), grown and maintained by the applicant, in a container or planted in the ground. Include brief description, how and where grown and botanical (genus and species) name.

	<u>Points</u>	<u>Score</u>
Conformance: Adheres to General Rules as listed in the Awards Manual	10	_____
Meets deadline (2)		
Correct photo size (2)		
Application cover sheet included with all sections completed (2)		
Description/botanical names included (4)		

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Required Data:	90	_____
Photographs		
Interpretation of listed subject matter (10)		
Technical Quality (sharp, high contrast, colorful, well-exposed) (15)		
Composition (arrangement of visual elements within the frame) (15)		
Lighting (10)		
Presentation (10)		
Artistry/Creativity (10)		
Areas of interest (10)		
Distinction/Impact (Wow Factor) (10)		
	TOTAL	100 _____

Section # _____

Individual _____

Club Name _____

District _____

October 2023 Clays