

Bloom and Grow

2024 CONVENTION SCHEDULE

Schedule is subject to change.

* Denotes closed meeting

Monday, May 20, 2024		
6:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Storage Room	Live Oak Boardroom
10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Exhibits & Awards Setup	Sequoia
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Workshop to be announced	Sequoia
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Workshop to be announced	
11:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Registration	Foyer
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Executive Committee*	Magnolia
	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN	
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Workshop: Deb Arrington, Master Rosarian Topic: <i>Rose varieties that make for excellent cut flowers.</i>	Sequoia
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Workshop: Jan Goehring Topic: Hands-on Making Hats	Sequoia
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	California Consultants Council (CCC) Meeting*	Magnolia
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	No Host Reception	Sequoia
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Dinner: Fashion Show Presiding: 3 rd VP Nina Blonski Honoring: CGCI Life Members Program: <i>100 Years of Garden Clubbing, 1920s-2020s</i> Speaker: Cherie Oliver	Sequoia
Tuesday, May 21, 2024		
6:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Storage Room	Live Oak Boardroom
8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Registration	Foyer
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Vendor/Boutique Setup	Cherrywood
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	District Directors Forum	Sequoia
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Workshop to be announced	Chestnut
9:45 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Workshop to be announced	Chestnut
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Chairmen's Forum	Sequoia
10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Vendor/Boutique Room open	Cherrywood
11:15 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Lunch Presiding: 2 nd VP Marlene Kinney Honoring: CGCI State Project Chairmen Program: <i>Black Point Historic Gardens</i> Speaker: Natalie Korengold, Golden Gate National Parks Conservancy	Sequoia
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Pre-Convention Board Meeting	Sequoia
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Convention Ceremonial Opening	Sequoia
3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Convention Business Meeting #1	Sequoia
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	2023-25 Nominating Committee*	Chestnut
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	No Host Reception	Sequoia
6:30 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	<i>Awards Banquet</i> Presiding: President Carol Vallens Honoring: Award Sponsors Program: <i>Awards Presentation</i> Speaker: Pat Clayes	Sequoia

Wednesday, May 22, 2024

6:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Storage Room	Live Oak Boardroom
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Vendor/Boutique Room open	Cherrywood
8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Registration	Foyer
9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Convention Business Meeting #2	Sequoia
12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN	
2:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Convention Business Meeting #3	Sequoia
4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	Judges' Council Meeting*	Chestnut
4:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Exhibit & Awards Breakdown	Sequoia
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Vendor/Boutique Room Breakdown	Cherrywood
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	No Host Reception	Sequoia
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	<i>Judges Council Banquet</i> Presiding: 1 st VP Adele Kelly Honoring: Judges Council Members Program: <i>Eye-Catching Designs:</i> <i>A Passion for Unusual Materials</i> Speaker: Brad Welles	Sequoia

Thursday, May 23, 2024 – Tour

Tour of four American Rose Society Members' yards.
Linda Knowles, Roseville & Charlotte Owendyk, Roseville (live close to each other).
Cindy Phipps, Fair Oaks, Sue Bennett, Granite Bay