SHOW RULES

- 1. The Show is sanctioned by The American Camellia Society and will be conducted in accordance with the latest revision of "Rules and Regulations Governing Procedures and Judging of ACS Cooperative Shows". The Show Chairperson may establish such further rules as deemed necessary for the proper conduct of the Show. In all cases, the decision of the judges will be final.
- 2. Entries (open to all growers) will be accepted from 7:00 until 10:30 A.M. on Saturday.
- 3. Standard Entry Cards must be used. The name of the variety, the bloom size and the class must be indicated. The card color shall be per the show schedule.
- 4. Any individual may exhibit. Entries must be from plants owned by and in the possession of exhibitor for at least 30 days. Exhibitor does not have to be a member of a camellia society.
- 5. Entries must have only one bloom to a stem, and at least one but not more than two leaves but not necessarily attached. Wiring of blooms is permissible. Use of collars is permissible. There is no limit on the total number of blooms that an exhibitor may enter. However, no more than three single entries of a variety may be submitted.
- 6. The ACS recognizes the "Camellia Nomenclature" published by the Southern California Camellia Society (SCCS) as the nomenclature publication. To win an ACS Certificate or Award, except for seedlings and sports, the variety MUST be listed in the 1981 "Camellia Nomenclature Historical Edition", the current edition of "Camellia Nomenclature", or the "Camellia Nomenclature Supplement" published http://www.socalcamelliasociety.org /?page id=33. This includes varieties; (1) with errors corrected, (2) registered with ACS but omitted from the "Camellia Nomenclature", (3) registered with ACS and listed in subsequent issues of the ACS "The Camellia Journal" and "American Camellia Yearbook" and (4) registered with the SCCS subsequent to the publication of the "Camellia Nomenclature". Blooms that are in the "International Camellia Registry" will also be eligible as long as the exhibitor provides proof of registration acceptable to the Head Judge.
- 7. No bloom can compete in more than one class and may win only one award.
- 8. Unprotected blooms are defined as those grown in natural surroundings without any man made protection from the elements.
- 9. The Show Chairperson or representative reserves the right to reject or discard flowers that are obviously inferior in quality.
- 10. If only one bloom of a variety is entered, it shall constitute a class, and shall be judged accordingly.
- 11. All blooms and associated scions (wood that is attached to the bloom) become the property of the Middle Georgia Camellia Society.
- **12.** Awards in any division may be withheld if, in the opinion of the judges, no flower deserves the award.
- 13. Classification as to size will be in accordance with the latest edition of "Camellia Nomenclature". Where a bloom is classified to include two sizes, the smaller size shall determine the award class with the exception of miniatures. Blooms must be classified as miniature only, not miniature to small to compete in the Miniature Class.
- 14. A novice is defined as an individual who has never won a "Head Table Award" at an ACS Camellia Show.
- **15.** Blooms will be displayed in containers provided or equivalent to those provided but may not be visually "enhanced" by placing blooms on a bed of polyfil, cotton, moss, or similar products.
- 16. Judges must disqualify themselves while their blooms are being judged.
- 17. No distinction shall be made by the judges between chemically treated and non-treated blooms.
- 18. The **Middle Georgia Camellia Society**, its officers and members, are not under any circumstances responsible for the loss or damage to flowers or other property or for the injury to persons. Care will be exercised for the protection of all property used, but this shall not be interpreted as an assumption of liability.

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November 14 and 15, 2015 Presented & Sponsored by the Middle Georgia Camellia Society

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Sandra Williams, President Tommy Alden, Show Chair 478/825-1337

Show Hours Saturday, November 14—1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Sunday, November 15—1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

SHOW SCHEDULE & AWARDS

<u>CLASS A</u> Japonicas grown Unprotected (white card)		
Large/Very Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Medium:	Best Bloom ((25) & Runner-Up ((5)) Best Bloom ((25) & Runner-Up ((5))	
Small:	Best Bloom ($\$25$) & Runner-Up ($\5)	
	wn Protected (green card)	
Large/Very Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Medium:	Best Bloom ($\$25$) & Runner-Up ($\5)	
Small:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
CLASS C Reticulatas an	d Hybrids with Reticulata Parentage grown	
Unprotected (yellow card marked "unprotected")		
Very Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Large:	Best Bloom ($\$25$) & Runner-Up ($\5)	
Small/Medium:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
	d Hybrids with Reticulata Parentage grown	
Protected (yellow card marked "protected")		
Very Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Small/Medium:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
CLASS E Hybrids with a	other than Reticulata Parentage grown	
Unprotected (blue card marked "unprotected")		
Large/Very Large:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Medium:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Small:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
CLASS F Hybrids with	other than Reticulata Parentage grown	
Protected (blue card marl		
Large/Very Large:		
Medium:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
Small:	Best Bloom (\$25) & Runner-Up (\$5)	
<u>CLASS G</u> Miniatures grown Unprotected (white/blue card)		
	Best Bloom (\$25)	
CLASS H Miniatures gr	own Protected (green/blue card)	
	Best Bloom (\$25)	
<u>CLASS I</u> Species other	than Sasanqua or Hiemalis grown	
Protected or Unprotected		
× ×	Best Bloom (\$25)	
<u>CLASS J</u> Collection of 3 grown Unprotected (white/blue card		
	Best three blooms of same variety (\$25)	
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CLASS K Collection of 3 grown Protected (green/blue card marked		
"Protected")	Best three blooms of same variety (\$25)	

CLASS NBest Novice Bloom Unprotected (V "NOVICE" written in center of fol Best Very Large/Large Jap Best Medium/Small Japoni Best SasanquaCLASS OBest Seedling or Sport grown Protected Best Bloom (\$25)CLASS PBest Sasanqua or Hiemalis grown Protected Best Bloom (\$25)	d-up tab) onica (\$25) ca (\$25) (\$25) ed or Unprotected (Pink Card)		
(White card) Best Bloom (\$25)			
OTHER AWARDS – 4 Awards BEST IN SHOW grown protected (\$150) BEST IN SHOW grown unprotected (\$150) Best White Japonica grown protected (\$25) Best White Japonica grown unprotected (\$25) COURT OF HONOR (18 Blooms) All Runner-Up Blooms will constitute the Court of Honor SWEEPSTAKES – 2 Awards Gold 1 st Place (\$125) Silver 2 nd Place (\$75) (Sweepstakes winner based on number of blue ribbons. Other ribbons count only in case of tie.)			
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