

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 will be received **8:30 a.m. To 10:45 a.m. Saturday**.
3. **Standard Entry Cards** will be used and should include the **name of the variety**. Exhibitors are encouraged to have the **bloom size circled** and **class entered**.
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.
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 at www.americancamellias.org/assets/SCCS_Supplement.pdf. 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. **Classes A and B** are considered to be the senior awards.
8. Unprotected blooms are defined as those grown in natural surroundings without any **manmade** 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. To help control the spread of disease, all blooms and associated scions (wood that is attached to the bloom) become the property of the **Camellia Society of the Potomac Valley**
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 and 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. The use of **collars** for supporting large blooms is permitted.
18. No distinction shall be made by the judges between **chemically treated and non-treated blooms**.
19. The **Camellia Society of the Potomac Valley**, 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.

CAMELLIA SOCIETY OF THE POTOMAC VALLEY

62nd ANNUAL SPRING CAMELLIA SHOW

IN COOPERATION WITH THE



SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 2016
SHOW TIME 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Brookside Gardens
1800 Glenallan Avenue
Wheaton, Maryland 20902

CHAIRMAN OF SHOW
CHAIRMAN OF JUDGES
CHAIRMAN OF CLERKS
SOCIETY PRESIDENT

RICHARD MOHR
LESLIE ZUPAN
KITTY ACKERMAN
RICHARD MOHR

SHOW SCHEDULE & AWARDS

CLASS A Japonicas grown Unprotected (White card)

Large/Very Large - Best Bloom & Runner-Up

Medium - Best Bloom & Runner-Up

Small - Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS B1 Japonicas grown Protected – Greenhouse (Green card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS B2 Japonicas grown Protected – Micro-foam, Etc.) (Blue card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS CD Reticulatas and Hybrids with Reticulata Parentage grown Protected or Unprotected (Buff card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS EF Hybrids with other than Reticulata Parentage grown Protected or Unprotected (Blue Card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS GH Miniatures & All Species grown Protected or Unprotected (Buff card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS K Tray of Three grown Unprotected

Best three blooms of same variety – JAPONICA & HYBRID SPECIMENS (White card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS L1 Tray of Three grown Protected - (Greenhouse)

Three blooms of same variety – JAPONICA & HYBRID SPECIMENS (Green card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS L2 Tray of Three grown Protected - (Micro-foam, Etc.)

Three blooms of same variety – JAPONICA & HYBRID SPECIMENS (Blue card)

Best Bloom & Runner-Up

CLASS OP Best Sport / Seedling grown Protected or Unprotected (Pink card)

Best Bloom, Runner-Up & Highly Commended

OTHER AWARDS - 3 Awards

Best Bloom in Show - Philip and Marjorie Ireland Memorial Trophy

Best White Bloom in Show - Margaret White Memorial Trophy

Best Protected Bloom in Show - Lou & Betty Daudt Award

SWEEPSTAKES - 4 AWARDS

Gold & Silver – Protected & Unprotected based on number of blue ribbons. For tie use other ribbons.

COURT OF HONOR – Up to 24 Awards

C. japonica and hybrid specimen, unprotected

NON-COMPETITIVE BLOOM DISPLAYS & OTHER EXHIBITS

SHOW COMMITTEES

Show Chairman	Richard Mohr 9200 Marseille Dr. Potomac, MD 20854, 301-983-3075
Judge Chairman	Leslie Zupan 1309 Queen St. Alexandria, VA 22314, 703-548-9489
Chairman of Clerks	Kitty Ackerman
Head Judge	Rix Perkins
American Camellia Society Booth	Robin & Monty Cross
Classification	Karen Fairchild
Exhibits	Kitty Ackerman
Finance	Kathleen Graham
Head Table	Karen Fairchild
Hospitality	Lenka Lundsten
Judges	Ginny Mohr Richard Mohr Rix Perkins Carol Washer
Judges Aides	Kitty Ackerman
Placement	Carlton & Jane Maryott Carroll & Pauline Clatterbuck
Tabulation	Karen Fairchild