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Purpose of The Seattle Garden Club

The objects and purposes of the corporation shall be to stimulate the knowledge and the love of gardening, to aid in the protection of the quality of the environment, to encourage and assist in civic beautification, and to aid and carry on charitable, scientific and educational activities in all of the said fields.

Building Diversity

The Seattle Garden Club honors all people. As we engage in our core disciplines and contribute to civic improvement, we commit to widening the breadth of our programs, practices, and partnerships. We seek to encourage greater equity and promote understanding as appropriate to our Mission. These commitments, approached in an intentional way, will enrich our Club and help shape a more successful future.

Purpose of The Garden Club of America

To stimulate the knowledge and love of gardening; to share the advantages of association by means of educational meetings, conferences, correspondence and publications; to restore, improve and protect the quality of the environment through educational programs and action in the fields of conservation and civic improvement.

Conservation Pledge of The Garden Club of America

To preserve America's beauty and natural heritage for future generations, we pledge:

- *To promote conservation stewardship through environmental education and advocate scientifically based environmental legislation,*
- *To work to protect endangered species, especially flora,*
- *To promote biodiversity and to conserve natural resources,*
- *To encourage the responsible use of our public lands for the benefit of all citizens,*
- *To work to reduce industrial, municipal and household waste and advocate the prevention of pollution of soil, air and water.*

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB GENERAL MEETINGS AND HORTICULTURE MEETINGS 2023-2024

All meetings take place at CUH unless noted.

General Meetings: Third Thursday of the month
(except December & June)

Horticulture Meetings: First Monday of the month
(except December & January)

Hort Share at CUH/UWBG only

Please refer to the monthly newsletters and SGC website
for the program, venue and time of each meeting.

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| Sept. 20, 2023 | Picnic at Burnley Snyder's
Members only
11:00 am Social, 12:00 pm Lunch |
| Oct. 2, 2023 | Horticulture Meeting
Members only
9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program |
| Oct. 19, 2023 | General Meeting
Climate Pledge Arena, 334 1st Ave N
Guests welcome
9:00 Check-in |
| Nov. 6, 2023 | Horticulture Meeting
Members only
9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program |
| Nov. 16, 2023 | General Meeting
Guests welcome
9:30 am Social, 10:00 am Program |
| Nov. 29, 2023 | Holiday On-Line Auction
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm |
| Dec. 7, 2023 | Holiday Luncheon
Sunset Club
Guests welcome
11:00 am Social, 12:00 pm Lunch |

Jan. 8, 2024	Horticulture Meeting Members only 9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Meeting
Jan. 18, 2024	General Meeting Guests welcome 9:30 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Feb. 5, 2024	Horticulture Meeting Members only 9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Feb. 15, 2024	General Meeting Guests welcome 9:30 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Mar. 4, 2024	Horticulture Meeting Members only 9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Mar. 21, 2024	Annual Business Meeting Members only 9:30 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Apr. 1, 2024	Horticulture Meeting Members only 9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program
Apr. 18, 2024	Joint Meeting with Tacoma Burke Museum Members only 10:30 am Social, 11:00 am Program 12-1:30 pm Lunch
May 6, 2024	Horticulture Meeting Members only 9:15 am Social, 10:00 am Program
May 16, 2024	General Meeting Guests welcome 9:30 am Social, 10:00 am Program
June 6, 2024	General Meeting Annual Meeting, Luncheon and Awards Members only Location and Timing TBA

GCA CONFERENCES AND PROGRAMS

Oct. 18, 2023	Shirley Meneice Horticulture Conference (Virtual)
Nov. 7-10, 2023	Conservation Study Conference (Jekyll Island, GA)
Jan. 25, 2024	Photography Conference (Virtual)
Feb. 6, 2024	Floral Design Conference (Virtual)
Mar. 17-20, 2024	National Affairs & Legislative Conference (Hybrid for Education Day and in-person in Washington, DC)
Apr. 26-29, 2024	GCA Annual Meeting (in-person, hosted by Zone II in Hartford, CT, <i>Beyond the Green</i>)

Access to the virtual national meetings will be available through the GCA Website. Also look there for additional meetings and conferences on demand.

**SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
GOVERNING BOARD
2023 – 2024**

President	Susan Potts
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Ways and Means	Marianne Kitchell and Sarah Robinson, Co-Chairs

ADVISORY / NON-VOTING BOARD MEMBERS

Overall Judging Chair	Marilee Ahalt
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SPECIAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Archives	Christine Davis
Awards	Iris Wagner
Common Ground	Barbara Feasey
Flower Show	Caroline Goedhart and Catherine Allan, Co-Chairs
Fragrance Garden	Carolyn Whittlesey
Garden History and Design	Anne Dor, Debby Smith, and Mary Turner, Co-Chairs
Historian	Jolie Roze
Technology	Kim Bishop
Visiting Gardens	Sue Ashmun and Helen Blair, Co-Chairs

**SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
BOARD MEETINGS
2023-2024**

*The SGC Board generally meets the
first Thursday of each month (note: second Thursday in
January this year). SGC members welcome.
Please contact the SGC President if you wish to attend.
There is no Board Meeting in December, July, or August.
All meetings will be held in the boardroom of the
Sunset Club, 2nd floor, unless otherwise noted.*

Sept. 7, 2023	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Oct. 5, 2023	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Nov. 2, 2023	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Jan. 11, 2024	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Feb. 1, 2024	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Mar. 7, 2024	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
Apr. 4, 2024	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
May 2, 2024	Board Meeting 10:00 – 11:30 am
June 13, 2024	In/Out Board Meeting and Luncheon 10:00 am – 1:00 pm, location TBA

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB

MEMBERSHIP LIST

2023 – 2024

Total Membership	146
Active	84
Provisional	13
Sustaining	22
Honorary	2
Honorary Life	4
Non-Resident	15
Inactive	6

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 Member's last name, first name
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KETCHAM, Janet (Samuel*) 1988

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NEUMANN, Vicki (Marc) 1990

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PARKER, Nancy (Victor) 1990

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PIGOTT, Gaye (James) 1987

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RAGEN, Suzanne (Brooks*) 1988

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RATZLAFF, Kristie (Stephen) 2009

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REED, Victoria "Vicki" (William) 1985

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ROACH, Catherine (J. Thurston) 2003

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SIMMONDS, Karen (Mark John Gilbert) 2013

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WHITE, Lyn (F. Tomlinson) 1984

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WILTON, Peggy (William*) 1986

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HONORARY MEMBERS

ASTOR, Katherine (John) 2013

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HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Forty-Five Years of Service

FRAY, JoAnn 1966

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HENDERSON, Carol (Dan*) 1974

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STRONG, Dorothy (Harry*) 1976

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WYCKOFF, Ann (T. Evans*) 1978

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NON-RESIDENT MEMBERS

AHERN, Laurie (Paul) 2001

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ANDERSON, Lanny (William)

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BAXTER, Kay (John) 2017

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FOSTER, Jeannine (Robert) 1995

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HAMACHEK, Barbara (Tod) 2007

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HARDER, Jane (Martin) 2002

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HILPERT, Susan (Edward) 2001

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HOOKER, Julie (Rodman*) 1989

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McCALL, Dinah (Robert) 1997

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MORSE, Alexandra (Charles) 1994

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NEELY, Diana (Michael*) 1983

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NOONAN, Sheila (Peter Hartley) 2007

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PATTISON, Patsy (Richard) 2003

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ROMANO, Juliet (Stephen) 2006

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INACTIVE MEMBERS

Fitzgerald, Mrs. Hugh J. (Pat Manlove) 2004

Madison, Mrs. James H. (Elizabeth Cook) 1968

Pringle, Barbara 1979

Sangster, Patricia 1981

Westover, Mrs. Ronald D. (Joan Chatalas) 2002

**SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
CORE COMMITTEES
2023 – 2024**

CLUB COMMUNICATIONS

*Responsible for all internal and external communications,
including Public Relations, the Website and Newsletter.*

Edie Tenneson, Chair

Email Blasts
Website Administration
Newsletter Editor
Newsletter Poetry
Newsletter Proofreaders

Kim Bishop
Kim Bishop
Edie Tenneson
Barbie Snapp
Catherine Allan
Jolie Roze

Photographers

Marnie Roozen
Catherine Allan
Kim Bishop
Ana Hergert
Beverly Martin
Ann McCutchan
Charlee Reed
Jo Anne Rosen
Mary Turner
Helen Blair
Kim Bishop

Yearbook
Year End Review Slide Show

COMMUNITY PROJECTS

*Evaluates grant requests from the community or from an SGC
Committee. Evaluates the funding requests and makes funding
recommendations to the Governing Board.*

Roxanne Wiley, Chair

Margi Allison
Barbara Anderson
Phoebe Andrew
Kim Bishop
Helen Blair
Stacey Campbell
Jennie Carter

Barbee Crutcher
Eliza Davidson
Gayle Harris
Candace Lancaster
Kathy Lea
Peggy-Paige Most
Marianne Mowat

Catherine Mueller
Eleanor Nolan
Charlee Reed
Shelley Rolfe
Susan Simmons
Debby Smith

CONSERVATION

Educates the membership regarding local, regional and national conservation issues. Acts as liaison to GCA Conservation and National Affairs and Legislation Committees.

Cindy Bostwick, *Chair*

Sue Brickman	Christins Koons	Barbie Snapp
Suzette de Turenne	Erin Lea	Suzy Titcomb
Anne Dor	Beverly Martin	Sis Woodside
Beth Ketcham	Shelley Rolfe	Jenny Wyatt

Sis Woodside - Wetherill Nature Preserve Chair

FINANCE

Prepares the annual SGC budget together with the Treasurer and in consultation with SGC committee chairs. Presents the budget to the Governing Board for its review, modification and approval.

Judy Rupert, *Chair*

Barbara Anderson	Sheila Noonan	Carlyn Steiner
Barbara Feasey	Charlee Reed	
Sandy Hanower	Dabney Rohrbach	

Send reimbursement requests to: Judy Rupert

Seattle Garden Club, UW Botanical Gardens,

Box 354115, Seattle, WA 98195-4115

Or scan and email reimbursement form to:

treasurer@seattlegardenclub.org

FLORAL DESIGN

Provides a structure for the learning and practice of floral design.

Caroline Goedhart, *Chair*

Marilee Ahalt	Barbara Hamachek	Jo Anne Rosen
Sue Ashmun	Sandy Hanower	Debby Smith
Kim Bishop	Joan Harkins	Carlyn Steiner
Helen Blair	Ana Hergert	Rachel Stroble
Jill Crutcher	Beth Ketcham	Edie Tenneson
Barbara Feasey	Liz McKallor	Linda Walker
Lucy Glenn	Fay Page	

HORTICULTURE

Provides the opportunity for learning about current and important horticultural topics of interest to the membership.

Carey Davis, *Chair*

Catherine Allan
Sue Ashmun
Kim Bishop
Helen Blair
Sue Blethen
Eliza Davidson
Julie English
Lucy Glenn

Jeannie Gravenkemper
Pamela Green
Carolyn Kitchell
Candace Lancaster
Erin Lea
Betty Paul
Barbara Peterson
Shelley Rolfe

Debby Smith
Megan Smith
Rachel Stroble
Linda Walker
Carolyn Whittlesey
Roxanne Wiley
Jenny Wyatt

MEETING ARRANGEMENTS

Makes arrangements for General Meetings.

Charlee Reed, *Chair*

B.J. Anderson
Jill Crutcher
Ana Hergert

Candy Lancaster
Barbara Peterson
Debby Smith

Mary Turner
Sis Woodside

MEMBERSHIP

Receives applications from members making proposals for Provisional Members. Proposes to the Board candidates for membership.

Catherine Mueller, *Chair*

Sue Brickman 2024
Jennie Carter 2025

Ana Hergert 2026
Kathy Lea 2024

Suzy Titcomb 2026
Mary Turner 2025

Wade Garretson and Betsy Larson,
Provisional Co-Chairs

NOMINATIONS

Selects and proposes to the Board candidates for the next year's slate of officers, as well as Core Committee Chairs.

Suzette de Turenne, *Chair*

Jill Crutcher
Wade Garretson

Barbie Snapp
Edie Tenneson

PHOTOGRAPHY

Responsible for setting up workshops to educate members, keeping a photographic record of our club activities, storing the photographs and having a photographer at all SGC events.

Kim Bishop, Chair

Marilee Ahalt	Sandy Hanower	Charlee Reed
Catherine Allan	Joan Harkins	Jo Anne Rosen
Sue Ashmun	Ana Hergert	Jolie Roze
Nancy Bain	Marianne Kitchell	Debby Smith
Ann Blume	Christina Koons	Barbie Snapp
Jennie Carter	Candy Lancaster	Delphine Stevens
Stacey Campbell	Beverly Martin	Edie Tenneson
Suzette de Turenne	Liz McKallor	Suzy Titcomb
Anne Dor	Peggy-Paige Most	Mary Turner
Carolyn Echelbarger	Fay Page	Carolyn Whittlesey
Lucy Glenn	Catherine Parker	Jenny Wyatt
Jeannie Gravenkemper	Barbara Peterson	

PROGRAM

Plans content for General Meetings.

Carlyn Steiner, Chair

Kim Bishop	Caroline Goedhart	Peggy-Paige Most
Cindy Bostwick	Joan Harkins	Sheila Noonan
Barbara Feasey	Ana Hergert	Burnley Snyder

WAYS & MEANS

Plans and facilitates fundraising for the SGC.

Marianne Kitchell and Sarah Robinson, Co-Chairs

Suzette de Turenne	Patsy Pattison	Carlyn Steiner
Candy Lancaster	Tori Ragen	Roxanne Wiley
Marianne Mowat	Charlee Reed	
Catherine Mueller	Debby Smith	

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB SPECIAL COMMITTEES

ARCHIVES

*Maintains and prepares for safe storage of the SGC archives,
including minutes, yearbooks, photos, news releases
and all records collected.*

Christine Davis, *Chair*

Kim Bishop

Fay Page

Debby Smith

AWARDS

*Searches out and selects members of The Seattle Garden Club and
from the community for GCA National and Zone Awards, as well
as The Seattle Garden Club Awards.*

Iris Wagner, *Chair*

Jolie Roze

Sheila Noonan

Carlyn Steiner

COMMON GROUND

*Mirroring the GCA Common Ground Committee, this special
committee explores and recommends how the Club can
seek to be more diverse.*

Barbara Feasey, *Chair*

Candace Lancaster

Eleanor Nolan

Debby Smith

Beverly Martin

Charlee Reed

Jenny Wyatt

Dabney Rohrbach

FLOWER SHOW

*Coordinates, strategizes and communicates with Floral Design,
Photography, Horticulture, Conservation, Botanical Arts and
Judging Chairs for SGC and GCA flower shows.*

Catherine Allan and Caroline Goedhart, *Co-Chairs*

Marilee Ahalt

Cindy Bostwick

Barbara Feasey

Sue Ashmun

Jill Crutcher

Pam Green

Nancy Bain

Suzette de Turenne

Barbara Hamachek

Kim Bishop

Anne Dor

Sandy Hanower

Helen Blair

Carolyn Echelbarger

Joan Harkins

Ana Hergert	Charlee Reed	Suzy Ticomb
Sue Hilpert	Sarah Robinson	Mary Turner
Carolyn Kitchell	Dabney Rohrbach	Iris Wagner
Katie McReynolds	Jo Anne Rosen	Carolyn Whittlesey
Peggy-Paige Most	Jolie Roze	Debbi Wilson
Diana Neely	Debby Smith	Jenny Wyatt
Catherine Parker	Edie Tenneson	

FRAGRANCE GARDEN

Collaborates with the UWBG Curation Committee on the design and maintenance of the Fragrance Garden.

Carolyn Whittlesey, *Chair*

Catherine Allan	Stacey Campbell	Erin Lea
Mary Jo Bench	Julie English	Betty Paul
Helen Blair	Candy Lancaster	Susan Potts
Sue Blethen	Betsy Larson	Megan Smith

GARDEN HISTORY AND DESIGN

Documents members' gardens and occasionally submits documentation of these gardens to the Smithsonian Institution's Archives of American Gardens.

Debby Smith, Anne Dor, and Mary Turner, *Co-Chairs*

Nancy Bain	Betsy Larson	Delphine Stevens
Stacey Campbell	Ann McCutchen	
Eliza Davidson	Jolie Roze	

HISTORIAN

Maintains, revises and updates the history of SGC which appears in the yearbook.

Jolie Roze, *Chair*

SPEAKER ENDOWMENT FUNDS

These funds are for the purpose of engaging special speakers for educating SGC members and the public.

The Pamela Green Speaker Fund (Horticulture) and the Iris Wagner Conservation Lecture Fund were both established in 2005. The chair of each lecture is appointed by the President and the President-Elect.

PAMELA GREEN SPEAKER

- 2006/2007 Hope Stroble, Chair: Dan Hinkley/MOHAI
2008/2009 Debby Smith, Chair: Fergus Garrett/SAM VP
2011/2012 Carlyn Steiner, Chair: Andrea Wulff/MOHAI
2015/2016 Carol Eland, Chair: Allan Armitage/SAM VP

IRIS WAGNER CONSERVATION LECTURE

- 2008/2009 Eleanor Nolan, Chair: Bill Ruckelshaus/MOHAI
2012/2013 Carol Eland, Chair: Peter Seligman and
Jean Enersen/Seattle Aquarium
2017/2018 Shelley Rolfe and Barbie Snapp, Co-Chairs:
Kathleen Biggins, C-Change Conversations/
Seattle Aquarium

TECHNOLOGY

*Consults and assists with technology based on availability.
Interfaces with Communications (for website and slide shows);
works with Hort, Meeting Arrangements and Programs for AV
needs; assists Ways and Means and other committees as needed;
and provides support to Photography and Archives
for photo library purposes.*

Kim Bishop, *Chair*

VISITING GARDENS

*Committee members escort visiting GCA members through
selected SGC members' gardens and public gardens. Plans out-of-
town garden tours for SGC members as well as local field trips.
Please refer to GCA website for latest policies and procedures.*

Sue Ashmun and Helen Blair, *Co-Chairs*

Eliza Davidson
Lucy Glenn
Pamela Green
Christina Koons

Candy Lancaster
Kathy Lea
Liz McKallor
Debby Smith

Carlyn Steiner
Linda Walker

**SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
GARDEN CLUB OF AMERICA JUDGES**

Marilee Ahalt, *SGC Judging Chair*

FLORAL DESIGN

Sue Ashmun, *Advisor*

Approved Judges

Marilee Ahalt
Sue Ashmun
Barbara Feasey
Barbara Hamachek

Candidates

Jill Crutcher
Caroline Goedhart

HORTICULTURE

Jenny Wyatt, *Advisor*

Approved Judges

Catherine Allan
Diana Neely
Jenny Wyatt

Sue Hilpert
Suzette de Turenne
Pam Green

PHOTOGRAPHY

Jolie Roze, *Advisor*

Approved Judges

Catherine Allan
Suzette de Turenne
Charlee Reed
Jo Anne Rosen
Suzy Titcomb
Mary Turner

Prospective Judges

Cathy Parker
Jolie Roze

EMERITUS JUDGES

Nancy Bain, *Hort*
Noreen Frink, *Photo*
Prudence Hammett, *FD*
Carol Henderson, *FD*
Kathleen Lea, *Photo*
Dinah McCall, *Hort*
Vicki Neumann, *FD*

Catherine Parker, *FD*
Juliet Romano, *Photo*
Jo Anne Rosen, *FD*
Iris Wagner, *FD*
Debbi Wilson, *Hort*
Peggy Wilton, *FD*

AWARDS

GARDEN CLUB OF AMERICA AWARDS

GCA NATIONAL MEDAL AWARDS

Margaret Douglas Medal

1952 – Mrs. Alexander Fraser McEwan, Seattle

1961 – Mrs. Everett Griggs II, Tacoma

Katherine Thomas Carey Medal

1964 – Mrs. Robert Wyatt Sprague, Seattle

Amy Angell Collier Montague Medal

1967 – Mrs. Pendleton Miller, Seattle

1978 – Mrs. Corydon Wagner, Tacoma

Natalie Peters Webster Medal

1981 – Mrs. Pendleton Miller, Seattle

Mrs. Oakleigh Thorne Medal

1998 – Mrs. Brantley Holt, Jr., Seattle

Medal of Honor – Horticulture

2004 – Daniel J. Hinkley, Seattle

Frances K. Hutchinson Medal

2009 – William D. Ruckelshaus, Seattle

GCA ZONE XII AWARDS

Zone XII Achievement Award

Awarded to a member of a Zone XII club who best fulfills the role of the ideal member. This member should have participated in her club's activities and projects with outstanding zeal, have held office in her club and served as a committee chairman on more than one occasion. She should also have held positions at the zone level.

1996 – Mrs. Andrew Price, Jr.

Zone XII Conservation and/or Civic Improvement Award

Awarded to a member or member club for outstanding service in Conservation or Civic Improvement within the Zone.

1962 – Mrs. Allen B. Engle

1988 – Mrs. Lyman W. Hull

Zone XII Creative Leadership Award

For outstanding and unusual talent in leadership exemplifying continued judgment and initiative over a period of time.

1994 – Mrs. Edward W. Andrews, Jr.

2020 – Iris Wagner

Zone XII Floral Design Award

For outstanding achievement in floral design beyond the activities of her own club.

1998 – Mrs. Dan Fenno Henderson

2004 – Mrs. Peter Hammett

Zone XII Mary Drake Freer Award

For outstanding creativity, achievement and contribution in the field of Floral Design in Zone XII.

1994 – Mrs. Dan Fenno Henderson

2004 – Mrs. Peter Hammett

Zone XII Horticulture Award

Presented to a member for outstanding horticultural achievements beyond the activities of her own club.

1976 – Mrs. Pendleton Miller

1980 – Mrs. Hugh Baird

1982 – Mrs. Corydon Wagner

1994 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson

Mrs. James R. Scott

Joint Award

Zone XII Judging Award

For outstanding achievement in the field of judging.

2021 – Diana Neely

Zone XII Photography Award

Presented to a member for outstanding photographic achievements beyond the activities of her own club.

2011 – Jo Anne Rosen

2011 – Noreen Frink

GCA CLUB AWARDS

GCA Medal of Merit

For contributions of exceptional merit in the field of Horticulture, Conservation or Civic Achievement within the area of a member's respective club.

1962 – Mrs. Pendleton Miller
1964 – Mrs. Page H. Ballard
1984 – Mrs. Prentice Bloedel
1990 – Mrs. Hugh Baird
2006 – Mrs. Tod Hamachek
2007 – Mrs. T. Evans Wyckoff
2016 – Diana Neely
2019 – Pamela K. Green
2020 – Iris Wagner

GCA Certificate of Appreciation

Awarded to a club member for dedicated and sustained participation in activities within the recipient's own club.

1995 – Mrs. Ward M. Doland
1996 – Mrs. Doyle E. Fowler
1997 – Mrs. William L. Trudgian
2003 – Jo Anne Rosen
2004 – B.J. Anderson

GCA Conservation Achievement Commendation

For outstanding service to Conservation within the recipient's own club.

1979 – Mrs. James R. Scott
1983 – Mrs. Lyman W. Hull
2001 – Mrs. F. Bartow Fite III
2018 – Sue Blethen

GCA Floral Design Achievement Award

For excellence in Floral Design within the recipient's own club.

1995 – Mrs. Norman Cole
2016 – Carol Henderson

GCA Horticulture Achievement Commendation

*For excellence in the field of Horticulture
within the recipient's own club.*

- 1957 – Mrs. John Minor Blackford
- 1958 – Mrs. J. Swift Baker
- 1959 – Mrs. O. B. Thorgrimson
- 1964 – Mrs. Philip D. Macbride
- 1965 – Mrs. J. Wendell Trosper
- 1966 – Mrs. Hugh Baird
- 1971 – Mrs. Brian O. Mulligan
- 1975 – Mrs. Rex Palmer
- 1983 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
- 1988 – Mrs. Phil Duryee
- 1996 – Mrs. Ann M. Herron

GCA AWARDS TO NON-MEMBERS

Conservation Commendation of Acknowledgement to a Non-Member

*Awarded to a citizen or group of citizens who have
made a significant contribution to Conservation.*

- 1994 – Martin J. Rosen, President
Trust for Public Land
- 2006 – Dr. Sarah Reichard
- 2011 – Kathy Fletcher

Club Horticulture Commendation of Acknowledgment

- 2006 – Robert Chittock, Landscape Architect

GCA MAJOR FLOWER SHOW AWARDS

Fenwick Medal

*For creative work of outstanding beauty
using fresh material at a Major Flower Show.*

1997 – Carol Henderson, *San Francisco*

2004 – Jo Anne Rosen, *Portland*

2014 – Barbara Hamachek, *Portland*

2016 – Barbara Hamachek, *Milwaukee*

Elizabeth Platt Corning Medal

*For distinction and originality notable
for its cultural difficulty.*

2014 – Diana Neely, *Portland*

GCA Novice Award in Photography

2012 – Suzette de Turenne, *Honolulu*

2019 – Catherine Allan, *Long Island*

GCA Best in Show Photography

2012 – Mary Turner, *Memphis*

2014 – Mary Turner, *Memphis*

Certificate of Excellence Photography

2017 – Suzette de Turenne, *Portland*

2018 – Susan Hilpert, *Honolulu*

2020 – Mary Turner, *GCA Annual Meeting, Asheville*

2022 – Jolie Roze, *Piedmont*

2022 – Mary Turner, *Middletown*

2023 – Kim Bishop, *Tacoma*

GCA FLOWER SHOW AWARDS

Sandra Baylor Novice Floral Design Award

- 2002 – Trudy Baldwin, *Seattle*
- 2007 – Susan Hilpert, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Carlyn Steiner, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Barbara Hamachek, *Portland*
- 2012 – Marilee Ahalt, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Sue Ashmun, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Jill Crutcher, *Seattle*

Dorothy Vietor Munger Award

- 2002 – Mrs. George Hutchinson, *Seattle*
- 2007 – Jo Anne Rosen *Joint Award*
Carlyn Steiner *Seattle*
- 2011 – Mrs. Mark Torrance, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Marilee Ahalt
Debbi Wilson
- 2019 – Sue Ashmun, *Tacoma*
- 2022 – Marilee Ahalt, *GCA Annual Meeting, Parsippany*

Harriet DeWaele Puckett Creativity Award

For an innovative and interpretive entry in a Small Flower Show.

- 1988 – Mrs. Norman Cole *Joint Award*
Mrs. Douglas K. Fleming *Seattle*
- 1997 – Prudence Hammett, *Portland*
- 1999 – Prudence Hammett, *Seattle*
- 2002 – Prudence Hammett, *Seattle*
- 2007 – Prudence Hammett, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Carol Henderson *Joint Award*
Vicki Neumann *Seattle*
- 2015 – Marilee Ahalt, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Jill Crutcher, *Seattle*
- 2023 – Sue Ashmun, *GCA Annual Meeting, Columbus*

Elizabeth F. Wood Award for Novice Floral Designers

- 2011 – Shelley Rolfe, *Seattle*
- 2012 – Suzette de Turenne, *Seattle*

Catherine Beattie Medal

*For excellence in Horticulture at a
GCA Flower Show.*

- 1988 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson, *Seattle*
- 1990 – Mrs. Garrett Horder, *Seattle*
- 1993 – Mrs. Ann M. Herron, *Seattle*
- 1999 – Diana Neely, *Seattle*
- 2007 – Sherrill Elliott, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Nancy Bain, *Seattle*

GCA Novice Award in Horticulture

- 2011 – Jane Harder, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Jenny Wyatt, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Ann Blume, *Seattle*

Rosie Jones Horticultural Award

Propagated entry of exceptional visual appeal.

- 2007 – Debbi Wilson, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Burnley Snyder, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Diana Neely, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Diana Neely, *Seattle*

Clarissa Willemsen Horticulture Propagation Award

*Distinguished by its prime condition, flawless
grooming and difficulty of propagation.*

- 2007 – Mrs. F. Bartow Fite III, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Eleanor Nolan, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Gayle Harris, *Seattle*

GCA Novice Award in Photography

- 2011 – Charlee Reed, *Seattle*
- 2011 – Mary Turner, *Seattle*
- 2015 – Jolie Roze, *Seattle*
- 2019 – Roxanne Wiley, *Seattle*

GCA Photography Committee Award

- 2008 – Kathleen Lea, *Santa Barbara*
- 2011 – Kathleen Lea, *Seattle*
- 2012 – Mary Turner, *St. Paul*

GCA Photography Creativity Award

- 2011 – Susan Hilpert, *Cincinnati*
- 2012 – Susan Hilpert, *GCA Annual Meeting, Savannah*

2012 – Jane Harder, *Englewood*
 2015 – Susan Hilpert, *Indianapolis*
 2015 – Juliet Romano, *Honolulu*
 2015 – Mary Turner, *Hillsborough*
 2015 – Kathleen Lea, *Seattle*
 2016 – Mary Turner, *Pasadena*
 2017 – Suzette de Turenne, *Millbrook*
 2018 – Susan Hilpert, *Memphis*
 2018 – Mary Turner, *Honolulu*
 2018 – Jolie Roze, *Augusta*
 2018 – Jolie Roze, *Southampton*
 2023 – Kim Bishop, *Litchfield*
 2023 – Jolie Roze, *Tacoma*
 2023 – Mary Turner, *Piedmont*

Marion Thompson Fuller Brown Conservation Award

For an environmental exhibit of exceptional educational and visual merit at a GCA Flower Show.

1988 – The Seattle Garden Club Conservation Committee
 1990 – The Seattle Garden Club Conservation Committee
 1993 – The Seattle Garden Club Conservation Committee
 2002 – The Seattle Garden Club Wetlands Conservation Exhibit
 2011 – The Seattle Garden Club, Seattle Public Utilities, Seattle Rain Garden
 2015 – The Seattle Garden Club, Water Works – Rethinking Rain Water

Ann Lyon Crammond Award

An educational exhibit which increases the knowledge and appreciation of plants and their importance.

1999 – Woodland Park Zoological Gardens
 2002 – The Soest Herbaceous Display Garden
 2002 – The Seattle Garden Club Entry Shade Garden
 2002 – The Marilou Goodfellow Grove at the Center for Urban Horticulture
 2011 – Class 31 – Waterwise Plants – SGC *Welcome Aboard* Flower Show

GCA Best In Show

- 1999 – *Zoobotanica* – GCA Flower Show
Floral Design – Mrs. Peter H. Hammett
Horticulture – Mrs. Paul Thomas
- 2007 – *It's Magic* – GCA Flower Show
Floral Design – Carol Henderson
Vicki Neumann
Horticulture – Dinah Hutchinson
Debby Smith
- 2011 – Photography, Susan Hilpert, *Palm Beach*
- 2011 – *Welcome Aboard* – GCA Flower Show
Floral Design – Mrs. Susan Torrance
Horticulture – Jane Harder
Photography – Catherine Parker
- 2012 – Floral Design, Marilee Ahalt, *Tacoma*
- 2012 – Photography, Susan Hilpert, *Katonah*
- 2013 – Photography, Jane Harder, *Lookout Mountain*
- 2013 – Photography, Jane Harder, *Cleveland*
- 2013 – Photography, Mary Turner, *Dallas*
- 2014 – Photography, JoAnne Rosen, *Augusta*
- 2015 – Photography, Suzy Titcomb, *Dallas*
- 2015 – *Northwest Passages* – GCA Flower Show
Floral Design – Sue Ashmun
Photography – Kathleen Lea
- 2016 – Photography, Mary Turner, *Rye*
- 2017 – Photography, Suzy Titcomb, *Alamo Heights-
Terrell Hills*
- 2017 – Photography, Susan Hilpert, *Nantucket*
- 2017 – Photography, Suzette de Turenne, *Madison, NJ*
- 2017 – Photography, Jolie Roze, *Litchfield, Conn.*
- 2019 – *Nature's Poetry* – GCA Flower Show
Floral Design – Marilee Ahalt
Debby Wilson
Horticulture – Dinah McCall
Photography – Juliet Romano
- 2020 – *20/20 Vision, Vistas, and Views* – Virtual GCA
Annual Meeting
Photography – Mary Turner
- 2022 – *The Wizard of Oz* – GCA Flower Show
Photography – Jolie Roze

2022 – *The Enduring Inspiration of Trees* – GCA Flower Show

Photography – Mary Turner

2023 – *Driven by Design* – GCA Flower Show

Photography – Kim Bishop

Small Flower Show Award

No longer awarded.

1988 – The Seattle Garden Club

SGC GCA FLOWER SHOW SPECIAL AWARDS

Awards given at SGC Flower Shows by an appointed chairman/committee.

Martha Lindberg Isaacson Award

Best in Show – Floral Design

- 1985 – Mrs. Norman Cole
- 1988 – Carol Henderson
- 1990 – Mrs. Norman Cole
- 1993 – Prudence Hammett
- 1995 – Mrs. Lyman W. Hull
- 1999 – Carol Henderson
- 2002 – Prudence Hammett
- 2007 – Carol Henderson
Vicki Neumann
- 2011 – Mrs. Mark Torrance
- 2015 – Diana Neely
Jenny Wyatt
- 2019 – Barbara Feasey

Virginia Merrill Bloedel Award

Best in Show – Horticulture

- 1985 – Mrs. William D. Hofius
- 1988 – Pamela Green
- 1990 – Mrs. Garrett Horder
- 1993 – Mrs. Douglas L. Footh
- 1995 – Mrs. James R. Scott
- 1999 – Vicki Neumann
Sis Woodside
- 2002 – Barbee Crutcher
Eleanor Nolan
- 2007 – Dinah Hutchinson
Debby Smith
- 2010 – Jane Harder
- 2011 – Jane Harder
- 2015 – Laurie Riley
- 2019 – Iris Wagner

Noreen Raymond Frink Photography Award

Best in Show – Photography

- 1995 – Noreen Frink
- 1999 – Phoebe Andrew
- 2002 – Dinah Hutchinson

2007 – Mrs. Penelope Ross, *East Hampton*
2011 – Catherine Parker
2015 – Bev Martin
2019 – Noreen Frink

Seattle Times Tulip Cup Award

Show Sweepstakes

1993 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
1995 – Mrs. Frederick W. Hayes
1999 – Noreen Frink
2002 – Noreen Frink

Seattle Times Iris Cup Award

Horticulture Sweepstakes

1993 – Mrs. Hugh Baird
1995 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
1999 – Mrs. Thomas P. Youell
2002 – Diana Neely

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB AWARDS

SGC Special Awards

The President's Award

Awarded to a member whose substantial and unique contributions exemplify the initiative, spirit of generosity, and community service that represent the purposes of The Seattle Garden Club.

- 2006 – Diana Neely
- 2008 – Iris Wagner
- 2008 – Pamela Green
- 2012 – Barbara Anderson
- 2017 – Hope Stroble
- 2018 – B.J. Anderson

Commendation of Appreciation

Awarded to a club member for dedicated and sustained participation in activities within The Seattle Garden Club.

- 2001 – Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
- 2001 – Mrs. James R. Scott
- 2006 – Vicki Neumann
- 2009 – Mary Turner
- 2010 – Eleanor Nolan
- 2012 – Judith Phillips
- 2013 – Jane Harder and
Mrs. Frederick W. Hayes
- 2015 – Betty Paul
- 2018 – Marilee Ahalt
- 2018 – Laurie Riley
- 2019 – Sheila Noonan
- 2020 – Wade Garretson
- 2020 – Dinah McCall

Commendation of Spirited and Enthusiastic Participation

Awarded to a club member for her spirited and enthusiastic participation in meetings and projects and her willingness to assist others.

- 2001 – Mrs. Joseph L. Valentine
- 2003 – Peggy Wilton
- 2005 – Sis Woodside
- 2006 – Jane Harder
- 2008 – Patsy Pattison
- 2009 – Judy Thomas
- 2011 – Suzette de Turenne

2015 – Debra Smith
2018 – Sue Ashmun
2019 – Hotie Hard
2020 – Vicki Reed

The Marjorie Wetherill Baird Award

*Awarded to a club member for unparalleled service to
The Seattle Garden Club.*

2002 – Mrs. Hugh Baird
2003 – Mrs. Doyle E. Fowler
2005 – Mrs. Garrett Horder
2005 – Mrs. Phil Duryee
2023 – Megan Smith

SGC Heartfelt Hort Award

*For innovative leadership in the creation of outstanding
Seattle Garden Club Horticulture programs, exceeding all
expectations during unprecedented times.*

2021 – Wade Garretson
Betsy Larson

SGC Golden Gavel Award

*For innovative leadership in the initiation of a first-ever
online Seattle Garden Club auction, exceeding all
expectations during unprecedented times.*

2021 – Cindy Bostwick
Sue Brickman
Suzette de Turenne
Patsy Pattison

SGC Transformative Technology Award

*For innovative leadership and skillful management of
Seattle Garden Club technology, exceeding all expectations
during unprecedented times.*

2021 – Kim Bishop

SGC Exemplary Service Award

*Awarded to a member who graciously accepts a leadership
role with minimal notice in unforeseen circumstances.*

2023 – Jill Crutcher

SGC Honorary Members

Bestowed to a non-member for outstanding service.

2013 – Katherine Astor

2018 – Mr. Daniel J. Hinkley

SGC Medal Awards for Members

Gold – *For being a recognized expert in her field and sharing her expertise with the Club many times; for a long history of exceptional service to The Seattle Garden Club or The Garden Club of America; for being a willing participant in Club activities.*

Silver – *For being accomplished in her field and sharing that expertise; for a history of dedicated service to The Seattle Garden Club or The Garden Club of America.*

Bronze – *For meritorious service to her Club in any field; for willingness to share her talents; for willing and frequent participation in Club activities.*

1920-21	Silver	North Park District
1922	Bronze	Mr. Law Dawson, Brookline, MA
1923	Bronze	Mr. A. Norman
1924	1Gold, 2Silver	Mrs. J. Van Aalst
1924	Silver	Mr. J.J. Bonnell
1924	Silver	Mr. Jacob Umlauff
1924	Bronze	Mr. George Cooper
1924	Bronze	Mr. Percy Wheadon
1924	Bronze	Dr. Cecil Tenny
1924	Bronze	Mr. E.W. Osgood
1924	Bronze	Mr. Ted Jacobson
1924	Bronze	Seattle Dahlia Society
1925	Bronze	Mrs. W.W. Evans, Greenwich, CT
1925	Bronze	Solberg and Anderson
1925	Bronze	Mr. A. Norman
1925	Bronze	Mrs. Alexander F. McEwan
1926	Bronze	Seattle Dahlia Society
1928	Bronze	Mt. Baker Community Club
1928	Bronze	Mrs. Edward Lincoln Smith
1928	Bronze	Mr. W.M. Sommerville
1928	Gold	Mrs. Cecil Tenny

1928	Bronze	Mrs. Anna Thompson Milburn
1928	Bronze	Mrs. Albert Sherman Hoyt, Pasadena, CA
1928	Silver	Mr. Edwin Ivey
1928	Bronze	Mrs. Herman Schroeder, Tacoma, WA
1929	Bronze	Mrs. H.F. Alexander
1929	Bronze	Seattle Dahlia Society
1930	Gold	Mrs. Thomas D. Stimson
1932	Bronze	Mrs. Alexander A. Gardner
1933	Bronze	Mrs. C.W. Stimson
1935	Bronze	Mrs. Hazel M. Pringle
1937	Bronze	Mrs. Hazel M. Pringle
1938	Bronze	Mrs. Henry C. Field
1940	Bronze	Mrs. C.W. Stimson
1941	Bronze	Mrs. Robert W. Sprague
1942	Bronze	Mrs. Lawrence Bogle
1943	Bronze	Mrs. Don H. Palmer
1943	Bronze	Mrs. E. Firmin Flohr
1944	Bronze	Mrs. Allen B. Engle
1945	Bronze	Mrs. Edward B. Thomas
1947	Bronze	Mrs. E.B. Hanley
1949	Bronze	Mr. Donald G. Graham
1950	Bronze	Mrs. Frederick Padelford
1950	Bronze	Mrs. Elizabeth LeBaron Duffy
1950	Bronze	Mrs. Langdon Henry
1951	Bronze	Mrs. Carl McNeilan Ballard
1952	Bronze	Mrs. J. Thomas Dowling
1952	Bronze	Mrs. O.B. Thorgrimson
1956	Bronze	Mrs. Alexander B. Hepler
1956	Bronze	Mrs. Philip D. Macbride
1956	Silver	Mrs. Gilbert LeBaron Duffy
1957	Silver	Mrs. Alexander F. McEwan
1960	Bronze	Mrs. Pendleton Miller
1960	Bronze	Mr. John E. Ryan, Jr.
1961	Bronze	Mrs. Henry Isaacson, Sr.
1963	Bronze	Mrs. J. Wendell Trosper
1964	Bronze	Mr. Brian O. Mulligan
1965	Silver	Mrs. Donald G. Graham
1965	Bronze	Mrs. Rex Palmer
1968	Bronze	Mrs. Chapin Henry
1970	Bronze	Mrs. Hugh Baird
1971	Bronze	Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
1971	Silver	Mrs. Pendleton Miller
1971	Silver	Mrs. J. Wendell Trosper

1971	Gold	Mrs. Philip D. Macbride
1975	Silver	Mrs. Mark Jensen
1976	Silver	Mrs. Hugh Baird
1976	Gold	Mrs. Henry Isaacson, Sr.
1977	Bronze	Mrs. Margaret M. Challman
1977	Bronze	Mrs. Howard E. Richmond
1978	Bronze	Mrs. Harold N. Taylor
1978	Silver	Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Bloedel
1978	Silver	Mr. and Mrs. Corydon Wagner
1979	Bronze	Mrs. Richard Lea
1980	Bronze	Mrs. Edward W. Andrews, Jr.
1980	Bronze	Mrs. Ward M. Doland
1981	Bronze	Mrs. William B. Hutchinson
1981	Silver	Mrs. John E. Ryan
1982	Silver	Mrs. Robert C. Lenfesty
1982	Bronze	Mrs. Edward W. Andrews, Jr.
1983	Gold	Mrs. Pendleton Miller
1983	Bronze	Mrs. Dickinson C. Harper
1983	Bronze	Mrs. William L. Trudgian
1984	Silver	Mrs. Rex Palmer
1984	Gold	Mrs. Hugh Baird
1984	Bronze	Mrs. Moritz Milburn
1986	Bronze	Mrs. James R. Scott
1987	Gold	Mrs. Donald G. Graham
1987	Bronze	Mrs. Doyle F. Fowler
1988	Gold	Mrs. J. Swift Baker
1988	Bronze	Mrs. Dan Fenno Henderson
1988	Bronze	Mrs. Garrett Horder
1989	Gold	Mrs. Brantley Holt, Jr.
1989	Bronze	Mrs. Norman Cole
1989	Bronze	Mrs. Louis H. Edmunds
1989	Bronze	Mrs. James H. Madison
1990	Gold	Mrs. Phil Duryee
1990	Silver	Mrs. Frederick W. Hayes
1990	Bronze	Mrs. Robert Flanagan
1990	Bronze	Mrs. Chauncey Hazen
1990	Bronze	Mrs. Michael Neely
1990	Bronze	Mrs. William G. Reed
1991	Gold	Mrs. Garrett Horder
1991	Silver	Mrs. Ann M. Herron
1991	Bronze	Mrs. Phillip F. Frink, Jr.
1992	Bronze	Mrs. Andrew Price, Jr.
1993	Bronze	Mrs. Herschell H. Boyd

1993	Silver	Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
1993	Silver	Mrs. James R. Scott
1994	Silver	Mrs. William B. Hutchinson
1995	Bronze	Mrs. Joshua Green III
1996	Silver	Mrs. Margaret M. Challman
1997	Silver	Mrs. Lyman W. Hull
1998	Bronze	Mrs. Stanley N. Minor
1998	Bronze	Mrs. J. Newton Morris
1998	Bronze	Mrs. Harry M. Strong
1999	Bronze	Mrs. T. Saunders English
2000	Silver	Mrs. Thomas P. Youell
2001	Silver	Mrs. F. Tomlinson White, Jr.
2002	Bronze	Mrs. Jerome L. Anderson
2003	Silver	Mrs. Leonard A. Yerkes III
2004	Gold	Mrs. Gordon B. Anderson
2004	Bronze	Kathleen Lea
2005	Silver	Noreen Frink
2006	Bronze	Mrs. Robert Holmes
2007	Bronze	Mrs. Harold Rooks
2008	Bronze	Mrs. Milton Bohart
2010	Bronze	Nancy Bain
2010	Bronze	Peggy Wilton
2011	Bronze	Charlee Reed
2012	Gold	Alison Andrews
2012	Bronze	Hope Stroble
2013	Bronze	Burnley Snyder
2014	Silver	Debbi Wilson
2015	Silver	Trudy Baldwin
2015	Bronze	Dabney M. Rohrbach
2016	Gold	B.J. Anderson
2016	Silver	Patsy Pattison
2017	Silver	Kim Bishop
2018	Gold	Suzette de Turenne
2018	Gold	Carol Henderson
2018	Silver	Mary Turner
2019	Gold	Catherine Allan
2020	Silver	Carlyn Steiner
2020	Bronze	Barbie Snapp
2020	Bronze	Peggy-Paige Most
2022	Silver	Dabney Rohrbach
2022	Silver	Suzy Titcomb
2023	Gold	Charlee Reed
2023	Silver	Jo Anne Rosen

SGC Certificate of Merit for Members

For significant contribution to The Seattle Garden Club projects or for outstanding service to the community in the fields of Horticulture, Conservation, Civic Achievement or Photography which furthers the goals of SGC.

1965 – Mrs. Prentice Bloedel
1965 – Mrs. Corydon Wagner
1966 – Mrs. Lawrence Bogle
1971 – Mrs. Donald G. Graham
1971 – Mrs. Hugh P. Brady
1972 – Mrs. J. Fergus McRee
1974 – Mrs. Alfred E. Montgomery
1975 – Mrs. J. Richard Lane
1976 – Mrs. Ernest P. Ballard
1976 – Mrs. Isaacson Fray
1977 – Mrs. George C. Nickum
1978 – Mrs. Charles T. Jordan
1981 – Mrs. Herbert E. Coe
1981 – Mrs. Janet L. Lane
1982 – Mrs. Clarence Ambrose, Jr.
1982 – Mrs. Bruce Connelly
1982 – Mrs. Walter L. Wyckoff
1984 – Mrs. Kirby Holmes
1984 – Mrs. John H. Baxter
1984 – Mrs. Emery P. Bayley
1985 – Mrs. Jack M. Docter
1987 – Mrs. John M. Peterson
1990 – Mrs. Hugh Baird
1992 – Mrs. William P. Hagen
1995 – Prudence Hammett
1995 – Susan Moseley
1995 – Jo Anne Rosen
2001 – Betty Bottler
2002 – Mrs. Frederick W. Hayes
2008 – Barbee Crutcher
2010 – Sue Blethen
2012 – Mrs. James Pollock
2013 – Tracy Tenneson
2019 – Jenny Wyatt
2022 – Eliza Davidson

SGC Certificates of Merit for Non-Members

For outstanding service to the community in the fields of Horticulture, Conservation and Civic Achievement to further the aims of The Seattle Garden Club; for significant contribution to the Seattle Garden Club projects.

(Includes 1964-2006)

- 1964 – Mr. James Crissey, Florist
- 1966 – Col. Charles E. Holbrook, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- 1967 – Mr. John W. Fischer, Landscape Architect, Ship Canal
- 1976 – Col. Raymond J. Eineigal, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- 1976 – Mr. Brian O. Mulligan, Director, Washington Park Arboretum
- 1977 – Mrs. Francis J. Pelly
- 1978 – Mrs. Joseph A. Witt, Iris Expert
- 1979 – Mr. Robert Kildall, Commodore Park, Community Leader
- 1980 – Mr. D. K. MacDonald, The Seattle Garden Club Native Plant Garden
- 1982 – Dr. & Mrs. Arthur Kruckeberg, Botany Professor, Nurserymen
- 1982 – Walter Hundley and his Seattle Parks and Recreation Department Staff
- 1983 – Mrs. Maurice Dunn
- 1983 – Capt. & Mrs. Arthur P. Gardiner, Horticulturalists
- 1983 – Mr. Edwin Wells, Nurseryman
- 1984 – Mrs. Jean Claud Michel, Volunteer Park Conservatory
- 1985 – Mr. Tony Angell, Artist, Conservationist
- 1985 – Mrs. Robert Becker
- 1985 – Mr. Marvin Black, City Arborist
- 1985 – Mrs. Leonard Roberson, Nurseryman
- 1986 – Margaret and Joe Miller, Conservationists
- 1986 – Mrs. Peter Talbot
- 1987 – Mrs. Grace Patrick, Author, Conservationist
- 1988 – Mr. Richard V. Piacentini, Director, Rhododendron Species Foundation
- 1989 – Mr. Steven Doonan and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pearson, Rare Plants Experts
- 1989 – Mrs. Paige Ballard, Plantswoman

- 1990 – Ms. Sue Olsen, Fern Expert
- 1991 – Mrs. Anne Lovejoy, Author, Plantswoman
- 1992 – Mr. Richard A. Brown, Director, Bloedel Reserve
- 1992 – Mr. Duane Kelly, Founder, Northwest Flower and Garden Show
- 1993 – Ms. Holly Miller, Superintendent, Seattle Parks Department
- 1994 – Catherine Joy Johnson, Olmsted Historian
- 1994 – Mr. David L. Towne, Director, Woodland Park Zoo
- 1995 – Mr. Lee Springgate, Director, Bellevue Parks and Community Services
- 1996 – Cass Turnbull, Founder, Plant Amnesty
- 1996 – Arthur Lee Jacobson, Author, Tree Expert
- 1997 – Hugh Baird, The Seattle Garden Club Husband of Year
- 1997 – Dan Hinkley, Developer of Heronswood Nursery
- 1997 – Robert Lasser, Director of Rose Garden at Woodland Park
- 1997 – Charles Price & Glen Withey, Perennial Garden Experts
- 2002 – Elizabeth Moses, Dedicated Volunteer to the Arboretum and the Japanese Garden
- 2003 – Linda Hanson, Madrona Drive Ravine Preservationist
- 2004 – Egon and Laina Molbak, Nursery Owners, Horticulturalists and Educators
- 2005 – Joy Spurr, 50 years of Horticulture & Conservation Volunteering
- 2005 – Cheryl Thomas, Organizer & Motivator of the Roanoke Park Renovation
- 2006 – Carolyn Geise, The Cistern Steps & Growing Vine Street
- 2006 – Daniel & Ann Streissguth, The Streissguth Gardens – A Gift to the City of Seattle

Beginning in 2008 Non-Member Awards are all listed under SGC Commendation for Non-Members.

SGC Commendation for Non-Members

*For dedicated service to the community in the fields
of Horticulture, Conservation, Civic Achievement or
Photography which reflect the purpose of
The Seattle Garden Club.*

- 1998 – Doug Bayley, E.B. Dunn Historic Garden Trust
- 1998 – Valerie Easton & Martha Ferguson,
Elisabeth C. Miller Library
- 1998 – Mike Fleming, Carl English Gardens
at Hiram M. Chittenden Locks
- 1999 – Priscilla Bullitt Collins, Garden of Remembrance
at Benaroya Symphony Hall
- 1999 – Diana Gale, Director of Seattle Public Utilities
- 2000 – Margaret Hauptman, Seattle Youth Garden Works
- 2002 – Nancy Davidson Short, Journalist and Advocate in
Gardening
- 2002 – Dr. Fran Wood, Preservationist for City Green
Spaces
- 2003 – Bob Lilly, Nurseryman
- 2003 – Steve Lorton, Sunset Magazine Northwest Editor
- 2004 – Jerry Arbes and Anne Knight, 2003 Centennial
Celebration of Seattle's Olmsted Legacy
- 2004 – Mary Robson, Director of Master Gardeners,
Researcher and Writer
- 2005 – Ciscoe Morris, Horticulturalist &
Environmental Educator
- 2006 – Kay Rood, Cal Anderson Park Renovation in
Seattle
- 2007 – Martha Wyckoff, Trust for Public Land/Preserving
Turtleback Mountain in the San Juans
- 2008 – Boy Scout Troop #15, Restoration work on
numerous projects in the Madison Park, Madrona
& Capitol Hill areas
- 2008 – IslandWood, Environmental Learning Center
provides exceptional learning experiences and
inspiring lifelong environmental & community
stewardship
- 2009 – EarthCorps, for dedicated service in the field of
conservation

- 2009 – Gaye & Jim Pigott, for leadership in the Methow Valley in the fields of civic achievement, preservation and conservation
- 2010 – Michele Burton, for dedicated service to The Seattle Garden Club in the field of photography
- 2011 – Liz Bullard, honoring her vision to create Seattle's Play Garden for children with special needs
- 2012 – Martha Harris, for artistic floral designs, event planning and philanthropy
- 2012 – C. David Hughbanks, an amazing gardener who has made outstanding contributions to our community
- 2013 – Peter Seligmann, for dedicated service to the community in the field of conservation
- 2014 – Liz and Gene Brandzel, for dedicated service to the community in the field of civic achievements
- 2014 – Randall Hitchin, for his dedication and support to the SGC in the field of horticulture
- 2015 – Richie Steffen, for dedicated service to the community in the field of horticulture
- 2015 – The Friends of the Rainier Beach Urban Farm and Wetlands Board, for dedicated service to the community in the field of horticulture
- 2016 – Anne Kennedy for her years of work on the Fragrance Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture
- 2016 – Lily Takatsuka, Lois Prestrud and Pat Danford for contributions to and support of the Otis Douglas Hyde Herbarium of the University of Washington Botanical Gardens
- 2018 – Fred Hoyt, Interim Director of the University of Washington Botanic Gardens, for dedicated service to the community
- 2022 – David and Marian Bergey, for their years of dedication, perseverance and hard work on behalf of the Wetherill Nature Preserve

A Brief History of the Seattle Garden Club 1917–2023

The year 2017 marked the 100th anniversary of The Seattle Garden Club. In celebrating this milestone, we learned a great deal about the generations of remarkable women who have dedicated their time, energy and knowledge to the founding and ongoing success of our club. With each succeeding decade, they've enriched our community in incalculable ways through their shared passion for horticulture, design and the environment.

Year-long preparations for our Centennial began in 2016. Under the helm of Hope Stroble, a committee was convened to research our history and plan special events. A generous donation of \$100,000 was earmarked as an anniversary gift to the city. In an historic vote, the SGC membership elected to award those funds to the Washington Park Arboretum for the building of the new Azalea Way Centennial Garden in our honor.

The Seattle Garden Club has had a long and distinguished association with the Washington Park Arboretum and the University of Washington Botanic Gardens. It was our club which first envisioned an Arboretum for the University and then commissioned the Olmsted Brothers of Boston to design it in 1934. Over subsequent years, the SGC has maintained close and consistent support for UWBG, and today we maintain the SGC Fragrance Garden at its Center for Urban Horticulture. So, it is most fitting that our centennial gift to the Seattle

community established a beautiful new garden in the Arboretum. The garden was officially unveiled at our 2017 Fall Picnic with a parasol parade down Azalea Way and ribbon cutting ceremony.

The Seattle Garden Club was launched in 1917 by eight visionary women. Despite the tumult of a world at war, these founding members were determined to create an organization that would promote horticulture and preserve nature through education and community works. The first few years of the club were tenuous at best. But by 1923, the SGC had formalized its structure and affiliated itself with the Garden Club of America which had been established only ten years earlier. Although this affiliation obligated us to follow GCA rules, we have been more than compensated by the joys and advantages of associating with 200-plus garden clubs nationwide.

Regional and national meetings, visits from GCA officers, lectures by horticulture experts, and mutual projects with the Portland and Tacoma clubs have all led to a century of lifelong friendships and enriching experiences with like-minded women. We've had the honor of sponsoring two GCA Annual Meetings in 1930 and 1977, along with Zone XII meetings in 1968 and 1994. In 1991, we hosted the national Board of Associates, and in 2016, our club was selected to organize and host the prestigious Shirley Meneice Horticulture Conference with renowned experts speaking to representatives from GCA clubs nationwide.

With each passing generation, the SGC has made significant contributions to the beautification of Seattle and its surrounding communities. The list of local landmarks credited to the Seattle Garden Club is impressive due to the dedicated efforts and foresight of its members. We have encouraged “pocket parks”, freeway plantings, wilderness preservation and bird sanctuaries. We have donated funds, not only to Lakewold, Island Wood and the Wetherill Preserve, but to the gardens such as the Lighthouse for the Blind, the Home of the Good Shepherd, the Burke Museum, and the Species Rhododendron Garden at Weyerhaeuser’s former headquarters in Federal Way. We have contributed to conservation education through teachers’ summer workshops, field trips and the Student Conservation program in our national parks. We have presented many horticulture experts and floral design speakers, sponsored classes and held competitive exhibits, not only for our own edification but for the public’s education as well. Here are just a few of the many notable and lasting contributions made by the SGC to our community at large:

- In 1921, the SGC planted 1,200 elms along Des Moines Way to memorialize soldiers lost in World War I.
- In 1925, we planted 100 pink dogwoods on the University of Washington campus.
- In 1930, the SGC planted trees along Aurora Avenue as it cuts through Woodland Park after we lost a valiant battle to keep the park from being cut at all.
- In 1932, we planted flowering crabapple

trees on the north shore of Green Lake to honor George Washington's Bicentennial.

- In 1934, we commissioned the Olmsted Brothers to design the Washington Park Arboretum. A year later, we funded the Samish Island Bird Sanctuary.

- The SGC worked to save the south shore of Shilshole Bay. In doing so, we helped create the present park and the linear Burke-Gilman Trail Park from an abandoned railroad right-of-way.

- In 1959, we initiated efforts to beautify the Lake Washington Ship Canal and maintain the Carl English gardens at the Ballard Locks.

- In 1992, the SGC collaborated with the Pacific Science Center to produce a special three-month Beatrix Potter exhibit from England which included a competitive flower show at its opening.

- In 2001, the SGC helped establish a community park at Planned Parenthood and funded the refurbishment of the Entry Shade Garden at CUH, the Healing Garden at Cancer Lifeline, and the rare plant collection at CUH.

- In 2002, we raised funds at our "Raising the Roof" flower show to help rebuild the Center for Urban Horticulture after eco-terrorists had destroyed it. A full 100% of SGC members donated to this urgent cause.

- Our annual Christmas Luncheon has become a popular holiday tradition with magnificent table decorations made by members and an extensive silent auction that funds our Community Projects each year.

- In 2005, two notable SGC families established gifts of \$30,000 each to the club via

separate accounts at the Seattle Foundation. The first gift endowed the Pamela Green Speaker Fund for nationally recognized horticulture speakers. It honors three generations of the Joshua Green family who have served as SGC Presidents. The second gift established the Iris Wagner Conservation Leadership Fund for nationally recognized speakers on important conservation issues.

- In 2006, we raised over \$27,000 at a special fundraiser in Diana Neely's lakeside gardens with magnificent art installations by the renowned glass artist Dale Chihuly. That same year, we pledged \$50,000 to the Seattle Art Museum for the Seattle Vivarium Nurse Log in the SAM Olympic Sculpture Park.

- In 2007, we refurbished the former Entry Garden at UWBG and renamed it the SGC Fragrance Garden. In gratitude, the University of Washington awarded The Seattle Garden Club with Benefactor Status to signify our generous lifetime contributions then totaling over \$100,000.

- In 2009, we hosted the very successful Fergus Garrett Lecture at the Asian Art Museum, followed months later by an Iris Wagner Conservation Symposium entitled "Toward a Healthy Puget Sound. The esteemed William Ruckelshaus served as the moderator for a panel discussion on this important topic.

- The SGC has a long distinguished history of support for the Montlake Cut Waterside Trail. In 1958, we proposed the original Lake Washington Ship Canal Project as a finalist for the GCA Founders Fund, and we've remained

involved ever since. The project was first designed by the US Army Corps of Engineers, landscape architects and the Seattle Garden Club. In 1970, we gave \$4,000 to establish the Montlake Cut portion as a National Recreation Trail. By 2008, the trail had suffered neglect and serious disrepair. Concerned members of the SGC met with the Seattle Parks and US Army Corps of Engineers at the site to initiate a restoration plan. The new East Montlake Park Restoration Project received \$2,500 from Partners for Plants (P4P), and restoration began with the support of SGC volunteers, Seattle Parks, the USACE and local Boy Scout Troop 15. Another \$2,500 in P4P monies was subsequently authorized by GCA for the propagation of native plants to replace invasive ones. The Montlake Cut Waterside Trail remains one of our most successful ongoing projects.

- In 2012, our preservation efforts at the Montlake Cut were recognized nationally with two prestigious accolades. President Barack Obama gave the SGC a Volunteer Service Award for our 254 hours of work at the East Montlake Park. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers awarded us a Certificate of Appreciation for our “outstanding volunteer service and performance at the Lake Washington Ship Canal.”

- In 2012, the Pamela Green Speaker presented best-selling English author Andrea Wulf who spoke about our founding fathers as gardeners, plantsmen and farmers. Four years later, this esteemed lecture series featured the acclaimed horticulturist, Allan Armitage, Ph.D.

- In 2013, an Iris Wagner Conservation Lecture was held at the Seattle Aquarium featuring Peter Seligman and Jean Enersen discussing how “We Are All Connected” in the goal of protecting nature globally. That same year, the SGC provided major funding for the Rainier Beach Urban Farm & Wetlands. We also participated in a nationwide tree project celebrating the GCA’s Centennial. We selected the *Thuja plicata* (Western Red Cedar) and *Amelanchier alnifolia* (Pacific Serviceberry) — both highly valued in Northwest Native American culture.

- In recent years, we have improved and expanded our SGC website and the electronic distribution of our monthly newsletter to facilitate better communication and involvement for our members. To preserve the legacy of older members, we also initiated a project to document many of their gardens. To date, four beautiful books have been published for purchase with photographs and biographies compiled by the SGC Garden History and Design Committee.

- In 2018 another Iris Wagner Conservation Lecture was held at the Seattle Aquarium with Kathleen Biggins of C-Change Conversations presenting an informative talk on the many aspects of climate change. To much acclaim the Seattle Garden Club was in charge of the Concierge Services for the April GCA Annual Meeting in San Francisco. At our own SGA Annual meeting we honored Dan Hinkley who has been made an honorary member of the Garden Club of America.

- During the 2018-2019 year, a new Rose Arbor was dedicated at the well-loved SGC Fragrance Garden at the UW Center for Urban Horticulture. The Arbor supports a repeat bloom climber, the fragrant *Rosa 'Colette.'*

In December, our annual Holiday Luncheon and Auction eclipsed previous years' attendance and revenue. A highlight of our year was the GCA Flower Show, "*Nature's Poetry*" May 30-June 1. The event was a showcase of talent, beauty and creativity. The evening preview party and the amazing Flower Show were held at The Bellevue Botanical Garden.

- The 2019-2020 SGC year was extraordinary. In November, GCA leadership, including President Debbie Edwards, visited Seattle and asked members to support the Second Century Campaign. SGC leadership led the GCA visitors on tours of our Centennial Garden in the Arboretum and Seattle's Chihuly Garden and Glass Museum, and hosted a luncheon and a cocktail party. March brought us the COVID-19 pandemic, which caused us to cancel all SGC in-person meetings, speakers, provisional talks, outings, Auction Events and the Annual Luncheon and Awards. Undaunted, our leadership team continued to work hard completing the year's agenda by implementing new ways to share ideas and develop projects/proposals. One successful example was SGC's virtual flower show: "2020 Vision amidst the Virus." Nature and our gardens will sustain us during these highly unsettled times. We should follow the GCA recommendation going forward – "Keep Calm and Garden On!"

- Facing the Covid-19 pandemic, SGC pivoted to Zoom meetings during the 2020-2021 year. In June 2020 we held a virtual Photography Show of 300 entries which was shared throughout Zone XII. Thanks to the generosity of many members, in February 2021 a Community Garden Endowment (our fifth endowment) was created with the Seattle Foundation. Funds from the endowment will be used to support maintenance and improvements to the Fragrance Garden at CUH. On May 11, 2021, at the Garden Club of America Annual Meeting, Seattle Garden Club won the coveted GCA Founders Fund, with an award of \$30,000, for its “Rhododendron Glen: Healing a Historic Stream and Engaging All Ages in Urban Water Ecology” project at the Arboretum. The June 2021 Annual Meeting was held virtually and featured a slide show of recent virtual Hort and Photography Club Shows.

- In 2021-2022 the SGC held some in-person meetings, a change welcomed by all members. Throughout the year, there was an energy and enthusiasm among members which resulted in many accomplishments and interesting new ideas. We kicked off the year with a Club Flower Show “Opposites Attract” and a virtual Club Photography Show “A Time to Heal.” The Conservation Committee expanded “Outside Your Door,” a website with activities for outdoor projects appropriate for all ages. We had a year-long celebration of Frederick Law Olmsted in the run up to the 200th anniversary of his birth in April. Our club and community enjoy his legacy as Seattle’s

many Olmsted Parks are some of the best designed and preserved systems in the USA. On Veteran's Day, our SGC President announced a future donation of six American Elm trees to be planted in a grove in Des Moines, WA to commemorate the centennial celebration of our first major civic project that honored Washington State Soldiers killed in WWI. An Ad Hoc Committee on Building Diversity was formed to engage members in discussions about diversifying our club and to draft a statement of support, which was approved in June. The Scholarship committee was successful in the submission of a local candidate for a GCA Hull award. Lastly, our membership fully supported our December 'Holiday Stars' online auction, which allowed us to grant significant funding for community projects. In 2022-2023, the SGC celebrated its year 100th anniversary as a member of the GCA. An extensive review of the past century was displayed at our June annual luncheon. Among other activities, the SGC continued its work on the Centennial Garden and final plantings nearby for the Arboretum Stream Restoration Project which was partially funded through our 2021 GCA Founder's Fund Award. The Volunteer Park Committee was created to convert energy from previous SGC efforts at East Mountlake Park into other parks needing assistance. Work continued on club diversity issues begun in 2021 with the SGC special committee renamed Common Ground in keeping with the GCA's new push for building diversity in clubs nationwide. The Garden History and Design Committee

successfully applied to have Vicki Reed's garden accepted into the Smithsonian Archives of American Gardens. Monthly Hort meetings were expanded with a new feature called "Plants We Love - Plants We Hate" while General Meetings saw renowned speakers including photographer Keron Psillas and Botanical Arts expert Sarah Boynton. Changes to the By-Laws were approved by the membership to create a 2-year position for the SGC President going forward.

THE SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB COMMUNITY PROJECTS AND GRANTS

1921

“The Highway of a Thousand Elms” was the Club’s first major civic project. Twelve hundred elm trees were planted along Des Moines Way, which was then the “new highway” between Seattle and Tacoma. Each tree was in memory of a Washington State soldier killed in World War I.

1925

Planted 600 Lombardy Poplars along the road to The Highlands

Planted 100 pink Dogwoods on the University of Washington campus and dedicated a bench, designed by Carl Gould, to Mrs. Horace Henry in a campus garden area called Island Grove

1930

Planted Aurora Avenue as it cuts through Woodland Park

1932

Planted a Lawson Cedar on the grounds of St. Mark’s Cathedral

Planted 200 flowering Crabapples and American Elms and Oaks along the north shore of Green Lake in honor of George Washington’s Bicentennial

1933

Plantings and a bench designed by Carl Gould for Volunteer Park

1934

\$3000 to commission the Olmsted Brothers of Brookline, Massachusetts, to design the Washington Park Arboretum

1935

\$3000 for the Samish Island Bird Sanctuary

1936

Plaque in memory of Dr. Cecil Tenny in the Washington Park Arboretum. Through the Garden Club, Mrs. Tenny gave 300 of her husband's rhododendrons to the Arboretum.

Funding for Native Flora at Lake Tipso

1937

A Shakespearean Garden on the University of Washington campus

1942

Rhododendron planting in the Arboretum in honor of Mrs. Frank Reed

1946

Tree planting at Yesler Terrace

\$1750 to the Redwoods Memorial for soldiers and sailors lost in World War II

Arboretum plantings in honor of Mrs. Edward Garrett, Mrs. William McEwan and Mrs. Anna Milburn

1950

A Yuletide gift to the Northwest, "The Christmas Tree of a Thousand Lights," the first tree to grace downtown Seattle in 25 years. The tree honored all the men of the Armed Forces, especially those away from home for the holidays.

1954-1955

\$1000 for plantings at Children's Orthopedic Hospital

1958-1994

\$25,577 for the Lake Washington Ship Canal Beautification and Carl English Botanical Garden. This project was submitted for a Founders Fund Award in 1958-1959 and received one of two Runners-Up Awards.

1960-1995

\$57,441 for creation and maintenance of the Washington Park Arboretum's Azalea Way

1969

Fragrance Garden at The Lighthouse for the Blind

1969-1971

In collaboration with the U.S. Corps of Engineers, \$4000 to establish the Montlake Cut Waterside Trail which follows the Lake Washington Ship Canal east from the Seattle Yacht Club to Foster Island

1971

D. K. MacDonald Woodland Garden of Native Plants

1974

\$200 to Woodland Park Children's Zoo for design and planting of the Entry Garden

1974-1976

\$9825 for the Governor's Mansion Garden, a Bicentennial Project with the Tacoma Garden Club

1979-1981

\$2037 to fund the Rhododendron Species Foundation's Master Plan

1982

\$4500 to the Woodland Park Zoological Gardens for plantings at the Phinney Street entrance and 21 trees for the two long gardens flanking the Promenade

\$5000 for a plan and plantings at the Good Shepherd Center campus

1983

\$2100 for plants for the Erna Gunther Garden at the Burke Museum, University of Washington campus

1984

\$1000 to Friends of Seattle's Olmsted Parks for a Visitors' Guide

1985

\$50,000 to the Washington Park Arboretum Graham Visitors Center

\$25,000 for the Entry Shade Garden at the University of Washington Center for Urban Horticulture

1988

\$1000 to Berry Botanic Garden

\$2500 for Adopt a Species, *Castilleja Levisecta* (Golden Paintbrush)

\$20,000 to contribute to the building of the University of Washington Center for Urban Horticulture

1988-1989

\$1960 to Woodland Park Zoological Gardens for two benches, designed by Carl Gould, for the Rose Garden

1988-1990

\$5000 to Lakewold Gardens, Tacoma

1990

\$2100 to the Erna Gunther Garden at the Burke Museum, University of Washington campus

1990-1991

\$10,000 to the Wetherill Nature Preserve

1992

\$10,000 to the Pacific Science Center

1995

\$1500 to McGilvra School Garden Project

\$1536 for planters at Seattle Commons Entry Playground at Denny and Westlake

\$5329 for Seattle Youth Garden Works to establish a working produce garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture

1996

\$250 for a wall art plaque in the Entry Shade Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture

\$8900 to the Discovery Lab Entry Garden at the Pacific Science Center, funded cooperatively with the Pendleton and Elisabeth Carey Miller Charitable Foundation

1997-2000

\$100 in each year to fund an award for an “Au Naturel” Garden at the Northwest Flower and Garden Show

1998

\$2000 to the Rare Plant Care and Conservation Program at the Center for Urban Horticulture

1998-1999

\$15,000 for the Woodland Park Zoological Gardens Entry Garden

1999

\$4750 to the Erna Gunther Garden at the Burke Museum, University of Washington campus

\$15,000 for School Garden Projects

2000

\$4000 to Cancer Lifeline for a Healing Garden

2001

\$1500 to refurbish the Entry Shade Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture

\$436 to Cancer Lifeline for patio heaters

\$3000 to Planned Parenthood for a Community Pocket Park

2002-2003

\$1500 for the Entry Shade Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture

\$1500 for the Rare Care Plant Collection at the Center for Urban Horticulture

\$25,000 to the Center for Urban Horticulture for its reconstruction

2003

\$5000 to the E.B. Dunn Historic Garden Trust for the reconstruction of the original historic Lath House

2004

\$1500 to Pacific Science Center for renovation of the Discovery Lab Garden, originally supported by the SGC in 1996

\$1500 to Elderhealth for pots and plants to enhance their entry

\$2000 for renovation of the Erna Gunther Garden at the Burke Museum, University of Washington Campus, following remodel of the Museum. SGC supported the creation of this garden with a \$2100 gift in 1990

\$15,000 to IslandWood

2005

\$6435 to Friends of the Madrona Ravine, Phase IV

\$15,000 to the Pete Gross House Healing Garden

2006

\$50,000 to Seattle Art Museum's Olympic Sculpture Park Vivarium Nurse Log – 3 year pledge

\$10,000 to Bellevue Botanical Garden – 2 year pledge

\$15,000 to Woodland Park Rose Garden Pergola

\$5000 to Center for Plant Conservation for sponsorship of *Hackelia venusta*

\$15,000 to IslandWood Garden Classroom Project

2007

\$2500 to The Center for Plant Conservation for sponsorship of *Sidalcea oregano* var. *calva*

\$21,000 to UWBG for the SGC Fragrance Garden

2008

\$5000 to Friends of Madrona Woods for plants for the Madrona Park Daylighting and Renovation

\$21,782 to UWBG for the SGC Fragrance Garden
\$35,000 to the Japanese Entry Garden Project at the
Washington Park Arboretum – 2 year pledge
\$25,000 to IslandWood
\$50,000 to the Lake Union Park for sponsorship of a
Planter Boat – 3 year pledge

2009

\$20,000 to Bloedel Reserve for Phase I of the
Japanese Garden Restoration Project
\$25,000 to IslandWood

2010

\$10,000 to Seattle Children's Play Garden

2011

\$2,500 to the Dunn Garden Heritage Tree Program for
scientific survey of the trees involved
\$7,500 to Bloedel Reserve for Phase II, the
completion of the Japanese Garden Restoration
\$4,500 to the Dunn Garden Heritage Tree Program for
professional consultation and reforestation
\$1,000 Grant for the Fragrance Garden at Center for
Urban Horticulture*

2012

\$25,000 to the Washington Park Arboretum
Foundation for the Arboretum Lookout Renovation
and Rehabilitation
\$10,000 to the Bellevue Botanical Garden Society for
the landscape of the new Spring Courtyard, as part of
the Growing a Legacy Campaign
\$1300 to Nikkei Manor for three vertical gardens
that are ergonomically suited for seated or standing
gardeners

2013

\$30,000 to the Seattle Parks Foundation Campaign for the benefit of the Rainier Beach Urban Farm & Wetlands

\$15,000 for redeveloping the SGC Fragrance Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture*

2014

\$16,000 for an expanded redevelopment plan for the SGC Fragrance Garden at the Center for Urban Horticulture*

\$10,000 to re-plant a prominently-located garden bed at Volunteer Park (Volunteer Park Trust)

\$10,000 to fund 100 hand-drawn botanical illustrations to be included in a major revision of the one-volume *Flora of the Pacific Northwest*, to be published in 2017 (University of Washington, Burke Museum, Herbarium)

2016

\$3,500 to the IslandWood Garden Program

\$30,000 to the Friends of Waterfront Seattle for the plants and planting of The Evergreen Passage Hillclimb.

\$100,000 to Washington Park Arboretum for the creation of the Azalea Way South Pond Centennial Garden, given by the Seattle Garden Club as part of its Centennial Celebration, including a new garden, pathways, bench, and commemorative signage.

2017

\$7,000 for the design and installation of a rose arbor to replace the two magnolia trees that have been removed and relocated from the Fragrance Garden by the UW Center for Urban Horticulture.*

\$30,000 payable over three years with \$15,000 paid in the first year to the Burke Museum for the reimaged “New Burke” gardens.

\$5,000 to the University of Washington Press for the manufacturing costs of the second edition of “Flora of the Pacific Northwest: An Illustrated Manual”.

\$5,000 as “Seed Money” for the establishment of the “SGC Community Garden Fund” for the on-going maintenance of our community garden, currently the CUH Fragrance Garden (SGC internal grant).

2018-2019

\$15,000 as the final installment of the 2017 \$30,000 pledge to the Burke Museum for the reimagining of the “New Burke” gardens.

\$5,000 to HistoryLink/Friends of Seattle Olmsted Parks toward the publication of the new “Olmsted in Seattle” book.

\$1,000 for the Conservation Exhibit at the Bellevue Botanical Garden as part of the Nature’s Poetry GCA Flower Show (SGC internal grant).

\$7,500 to the Washington Park Arboretum as a planning grant for future work on the Rhododendron Glen restoration project, a potential Founders Fund Project.

2019-2020

\$7,500 for YouthGrow at YouthCare in South Seattle.

\$5,000 as the first installment of a 2020 \$15,000 pledge to the Bloedel Reserve (Bainbridge Island) for their Summer Internship Program.

\$10,000 for the Peony Garden at the Seattle Chinese Garden.

2020-2021

\$15,000 Island Wood for expansion of “When it Rains, it Pours” Educational Program.

\$7,500 Fare Start to support Gleaning and Food Recovery Program at Local Farms.

\$7,000 Seattle Children’s PlayGarden to support Nature Based Preschool Programs.

2021-2022

\$20,400 Trees for Neighborhoods - Growing Tree Canopy in Seattle's Environmental Justice Focus Communities (Grant is \$27,100 total, with second year funding of \$6,700)

\$10,000 Friends of Seattle's Olmsted Parks - Seattle Tree Support

\$10,000 Tilth Alliance - Children's Garden Rejuvenation Project

\$1,600 GROW - Garden Support Program for P Patch Community Gardens

\$5,000 Bloedel Reserve - Summer Internship Program (Second year of 3 year grant)

2022-2023

\$5,000 Bloedel Reserve (Final year of 3 year grant)

\$5,000 University of Washington Culinary Garden

\$6,700 Trees For Neighborhoods (Second and final payment of \$27,100 grant)

\$5,000 Danny Woo Community Garden

\$50,000 Friends of Waterfront Seattle (native plants)

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Woodside-Atherton Garden Club

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
BUDGET 2023-2024

ADMINISTRATIVE

Receipts

Membership Dues (allocated)	\$5,772
** Reserve Allocation	\$6,000
Yearbook Binders/Inserts	\$400
Total Receipts	<u>\$12,172</u>

Expenditures

Accounting Fees	\$2,750
Bookeeping Fees	\$6,000
Board Expense	\$2,100
Corresponding Secretary	\$100
Filing Fees	\$70
GCA Insurance	\$274
Legal	\$305
Safe Deposit Box Rental	\$51
Software Rental Expense	\$367
Stationery	\$100
Treasurer's Expense	\$55
Total Expenditures	<u>\$12,172</u>

Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	\$0
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SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
BUDGET 2023-2024

PROGRAM

Receipts

Membership Dues	\$23,498
Initiation/Acceptance Fees	\$1,025
Meeting Arrangement Fees	\$25,000
Individual Meeting Fees	\$2,500
** Excess Reserves Program	\$11,797
Total Receipts	<u>\$63,820</u>

Expenditures

GCA:

GCA Dues	\$8,220
GCA Annual Meeting	\$5,000
NAL	\$5,000
National Registration Fees	\$7,200

Standing Committees:

Club Communications	
Newsletter	\$250
Website	\$250
Yearbook	\$2,500
Community Projects	\$100
Conservation	\$300
Floral Design	\$1,000
Horticulture	\$3,000
Meeting Arrangements	\$25,000
Membership	\$200
Policy & Planning	\$200
Program	\$3,500
Photography	\$600

Special Committees:

Common Ground	\$1,000
Awards	\$400
Garden History & Design	\$100

Total Expenditures	<u>\$63,820</u>
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	\$0

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
BUDGET 2023-2024

PROJECT & CHARITABLE

Receipts

Fundraising:	
Holiday Auction	\$30,000
Holiday Auction Prior Year	\$0
Donations	
Donations / Memorials / Angels	\$10,000
Aprons/Centerpieces	\$0
SF Endowments	
Fragrance Garden	\$4,000
SGC Flower Show	
Flower Show	\$5,050
Preview Party	\$45,000
Ackerley Family Endowment for	
GCS Flower Shows	\$6,500
** Reserves Fund	\$5,818

Total Receipts	<u>\$106,368</u>
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Expenditures

Holiday Auction	
Holiday Auction Expenses	\$4,900
Community Projects:	
Grants	\$30,000
Fragrance Garden Maintenance	\$700
CUH Donation	\$8,237
Contributions:	
Conservation Committee Donations	
(\$100-\$200 annual donations)	\$1,500
Horticulture Committee Donations	
(\$100-\$200 annual donations)	\$1,500
SGC Flower Show:	
Flower Show	\$34,531
Preview Party	\$25,000

Total Expenditures	<u>\$106,368</u>
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Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	\$0
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**Designated funds for Community Projects from Reserve Account.

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
2022 – 2023

ADMINISTRATIVE ACCOUNT

Receipts	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Membership Dues (allocated)	\$5,112	\$5,112
Yearbook Binders/Inserts	\$400	\$585
Administrative Receipts	\$0	\$0
Apron Receipts	\$0	\$30
Total Receipts	<u>\$5,512</u>	<u>\$5,727</u>
Expenditures		
Accounting Fees	\$2,100	\$2,341
Apron Fees	\$0	\$0
Board Expense	\$2,100	\$1,485
Corresponding Secretary	\$100	\$39
Filing Fees	\$50	\$110
GCA Insurance	\$284	\$270
Legal	\$305	\$295
Safe Deposit Box Rental	\$51	\$51
Software Rental Expense	\$367	\$367
Stationery	\$100	\$0
Treasurer's Expense	\$55	\$0
Total Expenditures	<u>\$5,521</u>	<u>\$4,958</u>
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures		\$769

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
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PROGRAM ACCOUNT

Receipts	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Membership Dues	\$24,728	\$23,238
Initiation/Acceptance Fees	\$875	\$0
Meeting Arrangement Fees	\$18,025	\$16,800
Individual Meeting Fees	\$2,500	\$3,150
Total Receipts	<u>\$46,128</u>	<u>\$43,188</u>
Expenditures		
GCA:		
GCA Dues	\$8,520	\$8,100
GCA Annual Meeting	\$2,000	\$1,990
National Registration Fees	\$4,300	\$1,632
Standing Committees:		
Club Communications		
Newsletter	\$250	\$0
Website	\$250	\$180
Yearbook	\$2,000	\$3,781
Community Projects	\$100	\$0
Conservation	\$300	\$0
Floral Design	\$1,000	\$500
Horticulture	\$3,000	\$2,970
Meeting Arrangements	\$20,000	\$21,431
Membership	\$200	\$374
Policy & Planning	\$200	\$0
Program	\$3,500	\$1,748
Photography	\$600	\$599
Special Committees:		
Awards	\$400	\$429
Garden History & Design	\$200	\$227
Common Ground	\$1,000	\$0
Total Expenditures	<u>\$47,820</u>	<u>\$46,398</u>
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	<u>-\$1,692</u>	<u>-\$3,210</u>

SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB
TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT
2022 – 2023

PROJECT & CHARITABLE ACCOUNT

Receipts	BUDGET	ACTUAL
Fundraising:		
Holiday Auction	\$30,000	\$67,341
Donations / Memorials / Angels	\$10,000	\$26,233
Endowment Donations	\$0	\$4,390
**Reserve Funds	\$15,000	\$15,000
Total Receipts	<u>\$55,000</u>	<u>\$112,964</u>

Expenditures

Holiday Auction:		
Auction Expenses	\$4,900	\$3,556
Community Project Grants	\$30,000	\$65,700
**Reserve Funds	\$15,000	\$0
Fragrance Garden Maintenance	\$700	\$660
CUH Donation	\$6,737	\$6,737
Flower Show 2024	\$0	\$3,767
Seattle Foundation Endowment Donations	\$0	\$4,390

Conservation Committee		\$1,500
Horticulture Committee		\$1,500
Bellevue Botanical Garden Society***		\$200
Duamish River Cleanup Coalition		\$300
E.B. Dunn Historic Garden Trust		\$100
EarthCorps		\$100
Elizabeth Miller Botanical Garden		\$100
Forterra		\$100
Kruckeberg Botanic Garden Foundation		\$100
Northwest Horticulture Society		\$100
Plant Amnesty		\$100
Rhododendron Species Botanic Garden Foundation		\$100
Seattle Children's Play Garden		\$100
Seattle Chinese Garden		\$100
Seattle Parks Foundation		\$100
Stewardship Partners		\$200
The Nature Conservancy		\$200
Tilth Alliance		\$100
Trust for Public Lands		\$200
USACE - Lake Washington Ship Canal		\$100
UW Arboretum Foundation***		\$200
UW Greenhouse		\$100
Washington Conservation Action - Education Fund		\$100
Wetherill Nature Preserve***		\$200

Total Expenditures	<u>\$60,337</u>	<u>\$87,810</u>
Excess of Receipts over Expenditures	<u>-\$5,337</u>	<u>\$25,154</u>

**Funding from reserves.

***Conservation and Horticulture Committees both made donations.

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GIFTS

Donations, honorariums
and memorials may be
made payable to
The Seattle Garden Club

Please notify the
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University of Washington Botanic Gardens
Box 354115
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*Donation form may be found
on the SGC website.*

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AMENDED BYLAWS OF THE SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB

ARTICLE I

NAME

Section 1.1 Name. The name of this corporation shall be THE SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB (sometimes referred to herein as “SGC”).

ARTICLE II

OBJECTS AND PURPOSES

Section 2.1 Objects and Purposes. The objects and purposes of the corporation shall be to stimulate the knowledge and the love of gardening, to aid in the protection of the quality of the environment, to encourage and assist in civic beautification, and to aid and carry on charitable, scientific and educational activities in all of the said fields.

The corporation may lease, purchase, receive by deed, devise or bequest, possess and dispose of all such real and personal property as may be necessary or convenient to carry out the objects and purposes of the corporation, and may borrow money for all lawful corporate purposes, and execute and deliver notes, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, and may secure the repayment of any such loans, with interest, by a mortgage upon or pledge of all or any part of its real or personal property.

In the event of the dissolution of this corporation, all assets shall be donated to a non-profit corporation or corporations having objects and purposes similar to those of this corporation and which are exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of

1986, as amended, and no part of such assets may inure to the benefit of any Member or other individual.

ARTICLE III

GOVERNANCE

Section 3.1 In Person or Virtual Membership Meetings.

Any meeting of the membership may be conducted in person or in a virtual meeting or in a combination thereof.

- a) **Voting.** Members may cast one vote on a motion that comes before the members at a meeting. If the meeting is held virtually, in whole or in part, the Board may elect to provide for paper and/or electronic balloting for voting during the meeting or in lieu of conducting voting during the meeting itself, within one day after the meeting has ended.
- b) **Proxy Voting.** There shall be no proxy voting at meetings of the membership.
- c) **Voting Limitations.** Provisional members are not authorized to vote.

Section 3.2 Meetings of the Membership.

- a) **Annual Meeting.** There shall be an Annual Meeting of the membership on a date to be specified by the Governing Board (also referred to herein as “the Board”). At such meeting, SGC members shall vote for Officers and Chairs of Core Committees and address such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
- b) **General Business Meeting.** Annually, there shall be a business meeting of the membership. The Business Meeting shall be in lieu of the General Meeting in the month in which it is held.
- c) **General Meetings.** There shall be monthly General Meetings of the membership unless otherwise directed by the President.

- d) Special Meetings.** Special Meetings of the membership may be called by the President of SGC, or upon the written request of fifteen percent (15%) of the votes entitled to be cast at such meeting. Notice of a Special Meeting shall state the purpose of the meeting and no other business shall be transacted at that meeting.

Section 3.3 Notice.

- a)** Notice for the meetings listed in Article III, Section 3.2 and Article VI, Section 6.1.3 shall be published annually in the Yearbook (sometimes referred to herein as “Greenbook”), shall be placed on the SGC calendar on its website [www.SeattleGardenClub.org] and shall be printed in the SGC newsletter in advance of such meeting. See SGC Policies and Procedures, Section () for a discussion of the “Yearbook.”
- b)** Notice for the Annual Meeting, for any meeting at which bylaws will be voted on, and for any Special Meeting shall be given at least two weeks in advance of such meeting. Such notice shall include the date, time and place of such meeting; shall be delivered by mail or electronically and shall include instructions for accessing and participating in the meeting, virtually. Notice shall be deemed given at the time 1) it is deposited in the mail if delivered by mail or 2) when directed to an electronic mail address of record for the recipient.
- c)** Prior to any meeting with a virtual option, the membership shall be provided with instructions for accessing and participating in the meeting.

Section 3.4 Quorum. There shall be a quorum at any meeting of the membership, including any Special Meeting, for any vote taken to be valid. A quorum is forty percent (40%) of the votes entitled to be cast at that meeting. The passage

of any motion requires the approval of fifty percent (50%) plus one of the members present and entitled to vote at the meeting. The passage of a new or amended bylaw requires the approval of sixty-six and two-thirds (66.67%) of the members present and entitled to vote at the meeting. Any action taken at any meeting of the membership may be conducted by voice vote, but if the result of such vote is inconclusive, the vote shall be retaken by a show of hands.

Section 3.5 Location. The location of any meeting of the membership shall take place in Seattle, Bellevue, Shoreline, Mercer Island and Bainbridge Island (hereinafter, the “Greater Seattle” area).

Section 3.6 Robert’s Rules of Order. All meetings of the membership shall be conducted in accordance with the most recent edition of Robert’s Rules of Order.

Section 3.7 Actions by Written Consent. Any corporate action required or permitted by the Articles of Incorporation or Bylaws, or by the laws of the State of Washington, to be taken at a meeting of the Members or the Governing Board (or its committees) may be taken without a meeting if a consent in writing, setting forth the action so taken, shall be signed by all of the members or the members of the Board entitled to vote with respect to the subject matter thereof. Such consent may also be provided by email. Such consent shall have the same force and effect as a unanimous vote and may be described as such.

Section 3.8 Amendments to these Bylaws.

- a) Recommendations for changes to these Bylaws may be placed before the membership for a vote if ten (10) members of the Governing Board approve such amendment; or on the written proposal of no fewer than twenty-five (25) Active members.

- b) These Bylaws may be altered, amended, or appealed at any meeting of the membership of SGC by a majority vote of two-thirds (66.67%) of the Active, Sustaining, and Non-Resident Members present, provided that notice of the proposed amendment is given pursuant to Section 3.2 of this Article III.
- c) These Bylaws shall be updated as needed, and thoroughly reviewed every three (3) years.

ARTICLE IV

MEMBERSHIP

Section 4.1 Membership Classes. The membership shall include the following classes of members: Provisional, Active, Sustaining and Non-Resident. In addition, membership classes may include, at the discretion of the Governing Board, the following: Honorary, Honorary Life, and Inactive.

- a) All classes of membership shall be elected by the Board, with the exception of Honorary Life.
- b) A request for change in the classification by any member or a readmission of a member who previously had resigned, shall be reviewed by the Membership Chair, who shall notify the Board of the requested re-classification or readmission.

Section 4.2 Rights of Members. Members in the classes of Active, Sustaining and Non-Resident shall have the following rights:

- a) May vote on all SGC matters at meetings, may serve on committees and may exhibit at flower shows.
- b) Shall be members of GCA and may participate in matters pertaining to GCA.
- c) Shall pay annual dues and other required fees.

- d) May propose or second a candidate for membership.

Section 4.3 Qualifications for Members of SGC.

Nominations for membership shall be presented to the Governing Board by the Chair of the Membership Committee. Candidates shall have the following qualifications:

Section 4.3.1 Provisional.

- a) A candidate shall demonstrate knowledge of and interest in horticulture, conservation, floral design, photography, landscape design, or active participation in the work of a garden.
- b) A candidate shall be willing to share actively in the work and responsibilities of SGC and shall attend Horticulture and General Meetings on a consistent, regular basis while the candidate is a provisional member.
- c) A candidate's principal residence shall be in any one of the following counties: King, Kitsap, and Snohomish.

Section 4.3.2 Active.

- a) A candidate for active membership shall have met the requirements set forth in section 4.3.1.
- b) A candidate shall have demonstrated the ability and willingness to cooperate in committee work and in the advancement of civic, cultural, horticultural, charitable, scientific and educational interests of the community.
- c) A candidate shall be reviewed by the Membership Committee and shall be presented to the Governing Board for approval.
- d) Active members shall be elected at any meeting of the Governing Board.
- e) Active members may hold office and may be a member of the Governing Board.

- f) A candidate for Active membership shall have her principal residence in any one of the following counties: King, Kitsap and Snohomish.

Section 4.3.3 Sustaining. (“Sustainer”)

- a) An Active member who has completed ten years of service may, upon submitting a written request to the Membership Chair, be transferred to Sustaining membership.
- b) Sustaining members may serve on committees and may exhibit at flower shows.
- c) A Sustainer may not serve on the Governing Board.

Section 4.3.4 Non-Resident.

- a) Any Active Member in good standing whose principal residence is outside of the counties listed in Section 4.3.2(f) may become a Non-Resident member upon application to the Membership Chair.
- b) She may hold an office or serve on the Governing Board.
- c) A Non-Resident member, upon returning to the Seattle area, may be reinstated to her previous membership classification, with the approval of the Board and without paying an acceptance fee.

Section 4.3.5 Honorary.

- a) Honorary Members shall be chosen from persons unaffiliated with SGC in recognition of outstanding service to SGC or the community.
- b) Honorary Members shall be nominated by the Membership Committee. The Chair of the Membership Committee shall present any nominations to the Governing Board for approval.

- c) A prospective Honorary Member shall be elected by the affirmative, unanimous vote of the Governing Board in attendance at such meeting.
- d) Honorary Members shall be exempt from dues and required fees and shall not have membership responsibilities.

Section 4.3.6 Honorary Life.

- a) Honorary Life Members are those Active, Sustaining or Non-resident Members who have been dues-paying members of SGC for forty-five (45) years. Honorary Life Members shall retain the privileges of the class of membership from which they were transferred.
- b) The Chair of the Membership Committee shall notify the Governing Board of the transfer of a member to Honorary Life membership.
- c) Honorary Life Members shall be exempt from dues and required fees.

Section 4.3.7 Inactive.

- a) Inactive Members are those members who have been in good standing, but due to ill health or physical disability are unable to participate in SGC activities.
- b) To remain on the roster that person, or her representative, may submit a written request to the Membership Chair to become an Inactive Member.
- c) An Inactive Member shall not pay annual dues to either SGC or GCA. If attending an SGC event, the Inactive Member shall pay the required fee for the event.

Section 4.4 Resignation and Reinstatement.

- a) Notice of Resignation. The resignation of any member shall be submitted to the Membership Chair in writing and shall, at the discretion of the Governing Board, take effect only upon the discharge of all indebtedness to SGC by the resigning member.
- b) Reinstatement. A member in good standing who has resigned may be reinstated with an affirmative vote of the Governing Board. The member shall resume their previous membership classification.

ARTICLE V

GOVERNING BOARD, OFFICERS, AND COMMITTEES

Section 5.1 Duties and Obligations of Board Members to the Corporation

Section 5.1.1 Duty of Care. Washington State law requires a director to perform his or her duties “in good faith, in a manner such director believes to be in the best interests of the corporation, and with such care, including reasonable inquiry, as an ordinarily prudent person in a like position would use under similar circumstances.”

Section 5.1.2 Duty of Loyalty. A director must act in the best interest of the corporation, and not for her personal benefit or the benefit of another person or organization. Conflicts of interest, or potential conflicts of interest, should be avoided. If a conflict of interest is unavoidable, the conflict should be disclosed to the board and the director with the conflict should abstain from the discussion and the vote.

Section 5.1.3 Other Obligations. Directors must act lawfully when conducting business on behalf of the

corporation. Directors must also act within the scope of authority and purpose of the corporation as specified in the corporation's governing documents. Finally, directors should ensure that the corporation is in compliance with laws and other regulations.

A board functions as a group. A director cannot speak on behalf of the board or act for the board outside a meeting, unless authorized by the board. Any director attempting to act on behalf of the board without explicit authorization is exceeding his or her authority. However, officers and some committee chairs may have implicit authority to perform certain routine tasks associated with their jobs.

Section 5.2 Governance. All affairs of SGC shall be managed by the Governing Board consisting of the Officers and the Chairs of the Core and Standing Committees. [See Article V, Sections 5.4.1 and 5.4.2 for a discussion of the Executive Committee and other SGC Committees].

Section 5.3 Officers. The Officers of SGC shall consist of President, President-Elect, Immediate Past President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, and Treasurer. No two offices may be held by the same person at the same time.

Section 5.3.1 President. The President shall preside at all General, Governing Board, and Executive Committee Meetings.

- a) The President shall, subject to the Governing Board's oversight, manage the assets, business and affairs of SGC.
- b) During the year when a President-elect is a member of the board, the President shall consult with the President-elect on all appointments including, but not limited to: (1) a chair for each Special Committee; (2) a chair and members for each Ad Hoc committee; (3) delegates to GCA Annual and

Zone Meetings; and (4) delegates to other SGC related meetings.

- c) The Governing Board shall approve all appointments (see B-13).

Section 5.3.2 President-elect. The President-elect shall serve on the Board of Directors, assist the president, serve as the presiding officer in the absence of the president, and become the president after completing a one-year term as President-elect. She may vote at board meetings. She shall administer a member survey each year, in consultation with the President.

Section 5.3.3 Immediate Past President. The Immediate Past President shall assist as may be requested by the President.

Section 5.3.4 Corresponding Secretary. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Club under the direction of the President and shall prepare the annual Yearbook.

Section 5.3.5 Recording Secretary. The Recording Secretary shall record minutes at all Governing Board and Executive Committee Meetings and shall distribute said minutes to Governing Board Members and appropriate GCA and Zone Officers. She shall send to the SGC Membership any information deemed necessary. She shall see that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws or as required by law. She is responsible for maintaining the permanent records of SGC and ensuring their safe custody.

Section 5.3.6 Treasurer. The Treasurer shall chair the Finance Committee and shall have custody of all operating funds, properties and securities of SGC. She shall act as liaison to The Seattle Foundation, or any additional or subsequent asset management advisor that manages all or a

portion of SGC's Endowment Funds. The Treasurer's duties shall be subject to such requirements as may be established by the Governing Board. In consultation with the Finance Committee, she is responsible for preparing the annual budget and presenting it to the Board in the month prior to the Annual Meeting.

Section 5.4 Committees. SGC Committees shall consist of the following:

Section 5.4.1 Executive Committee. There shall be an Executive Committee composed of the Officers of SGC. It shall have all the powers of the Governing Board between meetings. Any action taken by the Executive Committee shall be reported to the Governing Board at the next meeting. It is a Standing Committee. The President shall chair the Executive Committee.

Section 5.4.2 Core Committees.

- a) Club Communications
- b) Community Projects
- c) Conservation
- d) Finance
- e) Floral Design
- f) Horticulture
- g) Meeting Arrangements
- h) Membership
- i) Nominations
- j) Photography
- k) Policy and Planning

- l) Program**
- m) Ways and Means**

Section 5.4.3 Core, Ad Hoc and other Committee Chairs.

- a) Committee Chairs.** Each Core, Ad Hoc or Special Committee Chair shall report to the Governing Board at its monthly meetings or as the President may request.
- b) Responsibilities of Core Committee Chairs.** The Chair of each Core Committee shall hold a meeting(s) as she may deem necessary. The Chair is responsible for adhering to the committee guidelines and responsibilities. See SGC Policies and Procedures, Section ().
- c) Composition of Core Committees.** Except as provided in sections 5.4.4 and 5.4.5 of this Article V, membership on Core committees shall be determined pursuant to SGC Policies and Procedures, Section ().
- d) For a list of Ad Hoc and Special Committees, and the composition thereof, See SGC Policies and Procedures, See Section ().**
- e) The Judging Program Chair** shall be a non-voting member of the Governing Board.
- f) The Provisional Chair (s)** shall have one vote on the Governing Board.
- g) The Ad Hoc and Special Committee Chairs** shall not be members of the Governing Board.

Section 5.4.4 Composition of the Membership Committee. The Membership Committee shall consist of a Chair and Provisional Chair(s), each of whom shall serve a two (2) year term, and six (6) Active Members, each of whom shall serve staggered three (3) year terms. At the commencement of the newly elected President's term, she shall appoint, in

consultation with the President-elect and the newly elected or continuing Membership Chair, and with the approval of the Governing Board, Active members to fill any vacancies on the Membership Committee.

Section 5.4.5 Composition of the Nominating Committee.

1. At the commencement of the newly elected President’s term, she shall choose the chair of the Nominating Committee from among the members of the outgoing Nominating Committee, excluding the outgoing chair of the Committee.
2. The Nominating Chair and with the approval of the Governing Board, shall select the Nominating Committee members using the following criteria:
 - a. Two members currently serving on the Governing Board
 - b. Two active members not currently serving on the Governing Board
3. A member of the Nominating Committee shall serve for one year unless she is appointed to chair the Nominating Committee for the following year.
4. Eligibility: A former member of the Nominating Committee may be reappointed to the Nominating Committee after no fewer than two years.

ARTICLE VI

**ELECTION OF THE OFFICERS AND THE
GOVERNING BOARD**

Section 6.1 Election of Officers and Chairs of Core Committees.

Section 6.1.1 Nominations. The Nominating Committee shall nominate from the Active Membership, the Officers and the Chairs of the Core Committees. In addition, the Nominating Committee shall nominate a Treasurer-elect. Members of the Nominating Committee are not barred from becoming nominees for Board positions. See Section 6.2 for the Terms of Office.

Section 6.1.2 Governing Board Approval. The Nominating Committee shall refer its recommended slate to the Governing Board for its approval. The Governing Board shall vote on each Board position. The approved slate of positions shall be presented to the Members for approval at the Annual Meeting.

Section 6.1.3 Notice to Board Members. See Article III, Section 3.3 for Notice Provisions.

Section 6.1.4 Nomination by Members. Active Members may nominate additional candidates for the offices of President-elect, Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer-elect, or any Core Committee Chair, providing that in each case, the nomination shall have been endorsed by ten (10) Active Members and shall have been presented in writing to the Recording Secretary not fewer than seven (7) days before the Annual Meeting.

Section 6.1.5 Election by Members. The Membership shall elect the Officers and the Chairs of the Core Committees at the Annual Meeting. Approval of the slate shall require the approval of two-thirds (66.67%) of the voting Members present. If a nomination is presented in accordance with Section 6.1.4, that position shall be removed from the slate and voted on separately.

Section 6.2 Term. All officers shall be Active or Non-Resident members. No officer shall hold the same office for more than two years unless circumstances require a special exception, which requires approval of the Governing Board.

Section 6.3 Removal. Removal of the President or any Member of the Governing Board shall have been endorsed by ten (10) Active Members and shall have been presented in writing to the Recording Secretary no fewer than seven (7) days before a vote is scheduled. A vote to remove may take place at any meeting of the membership and shall require the

approval of two-thirds (66.67%) of the members present and eligible to vote at the meeting.

Section 6.4 Vacancies. Vacancies in offices or on the Governing Board shall be filled for the remainder of the term by the Governing Board.

ARTICLE VII

GOVERNING BOARD MEETINGS

Section 7.1 Annual Meeting of Governing Board. There shall be an Annual Meeting of the Governing Board, held in the Greater Seattle area within forty-five (45) days after the end of the SGC fiscal year.

Section 7.2 Quorum. A quorum consisting of nine (9) Members of the Governing Board is required before any transaction is deemed approved.

Section 7.3 General Meetings. There shall be monthly meetings of the Governing Board, unless otherwise directed by the President.

Section 7.4 Special Meetings. Special Meetings of the Governing Board shall be held in the Greater Seattle Area, at such place and time as the President or any two (2) Members of the Governing Board shall direct.

Section 7.5 Notice of Meetings. No notice of the Governing Board's Annual Meeting shall be required. Notice of the time and place of any Special Meeting of the Governing Board shall be given by the Recording Secretary, or by the person or persons calling the meeting, by regular or express mail, facsimile, electronic communication, or by personal communication over the telephone or otherwise, at least three (3) days prior to the date on which the meeting is to be held. If the meeting is to be held virtually, such notice shall include instructions for accessing and participating in the

meeting virtually. Attendance at any meeting shall constitute a waiver of notice of such meeting, except where the Director (Governing Board Member) attends a meeting for the purpose of objecting to the transaction of any business because the meeting is not lawfully called or convened. Neither the business to be transacted, nor the purpose of any meeting of the Governing Board needs to be specified in the notice or any waiver of notice of such meeting.

Section 7.6 Meetings Held by Telephone or Similar Communications Equipment. Members of the Governing Board or its committees may participate in a meeting of the Governing Board or such committees by means of a conference telephone or similar communications equipment by means of which all persons participating in the meeting can hear each other at the same time and participation by such means shall constitute presence in person at a meeting.

Section 7.7 Proxies. Members of the Governing Board may not vote by proxy.

Section 7.8 Robert's Rules. All meetings of the Governing Board shall be conducted in accordance with the most recent edition of Robert's Rules of Order.

ARTICLE VIII

FEES, DUES, FISCAL YEAR AND BUDGET

Section 8.1 Initiation Fees and Acceptance Fees. Initiation fees for Provisional members and Acceptance fees for Active members shall be determined by the Governing Board.

Section 8.2 Annual Dues. The amount of SGC annual dues shall be determined by the Governing Board and shall be payable on June 1st or in person at the Annual Meeting. Any Member who is delinquent in the payment of dues on July 1st shall be notified by the Treasurer. If such dues are not paid by September 1st, the Treasurer shall forward the name

of the Member to the Chair of the Membership Committee for further consideration.

Section 8.3 Forfeiture. If the various assessments levied during a fiscal year are not paid by a member by the end of that fiscal year, membership shall be forfeited.

Section 8.4 Fiscal Year. The fiscal year of SGC shall be June 1 through May 31.

Section 8.5 Budget. The budget shall be prepared by the Finance Committee, chaired by the Treasurer, and shall be presented to the Governing Board for approval. Necessary adjustment of, or additions to, the budget may be made by the Governing Board at any time thereafter.

Section 8.6 Conflict of Interest. A Conflict-of-Interest Questionnaire shall be completed by each Member of the Governing Board prior to assuming office, or annually, when continuing in office. The forms shall be collected and held by the Recording Secretary and shall be reviewed by the President and the Treasurer. Any conflict of interest shall be resolved before a Board Member takes office on the Governing Board, or if a conflict arises during such Board Member's term, by following the procedure in the Conflict-of-Interest Policy. See SGC Policies and Procedures, Section P-12.

Section 8.7 Loans Prohibited. The corporation shall make no loans to any Officer or to any member of the Governing Board.

ARTICLE IX

ENDOWMENT FUNDS

Section 9.1 Endowment Funds. SGC has Endowment Fund(s) to provide additional support for SGC's Objects

and Purposes. All such Endowment Funds shall be managed separately from SGC operating funds; such funds shall be placed for investment with professional management, with no relationship to SGC. The Governing Board must approve any new endowments.

ARTICLE X

DELEGATES

Section 10.1 Appointment. The President and a delegate appointed by the President in consultation with the President-elect shall attend the Annual Meeting of GCA. The Governing Board shall approve the appointment. Should the President be unable to attend, an alternate member shall be designated by the Governing Board.

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MEMORIAL POLICY

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

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POLICIES OF SEATTLE GARDEN CLUB

REVISIONS

I. The Policy and Planning Committee shall review proposed revisions to an SGC policy. After completing its review, the Committee shall forward its recommendation to the Governing Board for its further consideration.

COMMUNITY PROJECTS

I. The Community Projects Committee solicits and reviews requests for funding of projects from the community or a committee of the SGC. All projects shall be consistent with the objects and purposes of SGC. (See Article 11, B-3)

II. Guidelines for Community Projects

1. Benefit to community
2. Stated financial need
3. Opportunity for membership participation, oversight and use of membership expertise
4. Appropriate to size and strength of membership
5. Source of pride and identity for SGC
6. Long term maintenance assured
7. Opportunity for collaboration with other community organizations
8. Educational value to the community
9. Timeline of the project

III. Deadline for the Committee to receive requests is November 1st. Any exceptions will be at the discretion of the Committee.

IV. All recommendations for funding made by the Community Projects Committee shall be approved by the

Governing Board. *All projects in excess of \$2,500* shall be approved both by the Governing Board and by the membership. A project that would cause the fiscal total of all new projects in one year to exceed \$10,000 shall be approved both by the Governing Board and by the membership.

V. Funds from the Project and Charitable account shall be used to fund projects. The Finance Committee shall budget the amount of funds available to be awarded for Community Projects in the upcoming fiscal year and shall retain a budget cushion of at least \$100,000 in reserve.

FINANCIAL POLICIES

I. Accounts

1. The funds of SGC are accounted for in three categories.
 - a. Administrative Account Income to the Administrative Account comes from a portion of membership dues. Expenditures from the Administrative Account are expenses which support SGC operations.
 - b. Program Account Income to the Program Account comes from a portion of membership dues and from all fees. Expenditures from the Program Account enhance the programs for and education of SGC members and guests.
 - c. Project and Charitable Account Income to the Project and Charitable Account comes from fund raising, flower shows, special projects, endowment distributions and contributions. Expenditures shall be used to support the objects and purposes of SGC including community projects or contributions to other organizations, fund raising expenses, flower show expenses and special project expenses.
2. Endowment distribution (income) may be accumulated for a future project or remain in the Endowment Fund at the discretion of the Governing Board.
3. Excess funds, which accumulate in all SGC accounts, may be invested in a safe instrument upon the recommendation of the Finance Committee and the approval of the Governing Board.

4. All donations, including memorials and bequests, shall be directed to the Project and Charitable Account, one of the SGC endowment funds, or as otherwise specified.

II. Endowment Funds

1. The following Endowment Funds have been established with the Seattle Foundation and are listed in chronological order by year established. A description of the purpose of each fund is outlined below.

- a. Seattle Garden Club Endowment Fund
- b. Pamela Green Speaker Fund
- c. Iris Wagner Conservation Lectureship Fund
- d. Ackerley Family Endowment for Garden Club of America Flower Shows
- e. Seattle Garden Club Public Garden (Fragrance Garden) Fund

2. The Seattle Garden Club (SGC) Treasurer shall be the liaison to the Seattle Foundation, and to any additional or subsequent asset management advisor that manages all or a portion of SGC's endowment funds.

3. Gifts to endowment funds may be sent to the SGC Treasurer or directly to the Seattle Foundation, identifying the fund to receive the gift.

4. The SGC may withdraw no more than the distributable amount as determined by the Seattle Foundation.

5. The Board of Trustees may create additional endowments at its discretion.

III. Endowment Funds Description and Purpose

1. Seattle Garden Club Endowment Fund shall provide a permanent source of funding to support the objects and purposes of SGC.

2. Pamela Green Speaker Fund shall provide speaker fee and expenses to be used for featuring well-known speakers to further promote Horticulture.

3. Iris Wagner Conservation Lectureship Fund shall fund lectures focusing on Conservation.

4. Ackerley Family Endowment for Garden Club of America Flower Shows shall provide funds to support SGC GCA flower shows, generally held every 3-4 years.

5. Seattle Garden Club Public Garden (Fragrance Garden) Fund shall provide funds to support the annual maintenance, occasional improvements, and new plantings for the SGC Fragrance Garden at CUH, or any future SGC Public Garden.

IV. General

1. Reimbursements

- a. All reimbursement requests submitted to the Treasurer shall be accompanied by a receipt and a reimbursement form approved by the appropriate committee chair.
- b. SGC members attending either the GCA Annual Meeting or the National Affairs and Legislation Meeting (NAL) shall each be reimbursed for registration fees, airfare (not to exceed \$1,000), and other trip expenses (not to exceed \$1,000). Reimbursement shall be limited to two SGC members for each of the two meetings.
- c. SGC members attending the GCA Shirley Meneice Horticulture Conference, Zone XII Meeting or Zone XII Presidents' Meeting shall each be reimbursed for the registration fee and a maximum of \$700 of expenses. Reimbursement shall be limited to two SGC members for each of the three meetings.

2. Signature cards for all checking, savings, investment accounts and safe deposit box shall be updated each June.

3. All restricted gifts to SGC shall be reviewed by the Governing Board and accepted or rejected on a case-by-case basis, based on the appropriateness to SGC objects and purposes as well as to possible tax consequences.

V. SGC Contributions to Other Organizations

- a. The Horticulture Chair and the Conservation Chair, after consultation with their respective committees, will combine their recommendations for contributions to organizations.
- b. Requests shall be submitted to the Treasurer to determine the amount available for distribution. If the amount available is less than the \$3,000 budgeted, the Treasurer will work with the Horticulture and Conservation Committee Chairs to prioritize the organizations and amounts for distribution.
- c. Combined requests shall not exceed \$3000; subject to yearly review.

VI. Dues and Acceptance Fees

1. Membership dues shall be \$230 for Provisional, Active and Sustaining Members, including transfers. Dues for Non-Resident Members shall be \$110 per year. Honorary Life Members and Inactive Members do not pay dues.

2. Meeting Arrangements fees shall be \$250 per year and are required from Active and Provisional Members. They are optional for Honorary Life, Sustaining and Non-Resident Members.

3. The initiation fee for Provisional Members shall be \$125.

4. Upon acceptance into Active Member status there shall be an additional acceptance fee of \$50.

5. The acceptance fee for members transferring into SGC shall be \$125.

6. SGC pays \$60 to GCA in annual dues for each member, excluding inactive members.

MEMBERSHIP POLICIES

I. The Membership Committee shall be selected by the President in consultation with the President-Elect and the Membership Chair. The Committee shall be composed of the Chair, the Provisional Chair, and six members, each member selected for a staggered three year term. For purposes of voting, a quorum [five members plus Chair] of the Membership

Committee shall be present. Balloting shall take place at the last meeting prior to the presentation of the list of candidates to the Governing Board. A separate written ballot shall be cast for each candidate. Six affirmative votes shall be cast in person or by proxy for the vote to carry. The Chair does not vote.

II. Proposal for Provisional Membership

1. Candidates for Provisional membership shall be proposed and seconded by Active, Sustaining or Non-Resident Members, none of whom shall be members of the Membership Committee, relatives, or relatives by marriage.

2. Proposal for membership shall be made to the Membership Chair on forms furnished by the Chair. Forms must be postmarked no later than midnight December 15.

3. Candidates shall be personally known by at least one member of the Governing Board and/or Membership Committee and at least four Active and/or Sustaining Members of SGC.

4. An Active, Sustaining or Non-Resident Member may propose one candidate and second another candidate each year.

5. A Candidate who fails two times to pass the Membership Committee or the Governing Board may not be proposed again.

III. Election to Provisional Membership

1. The Membership Committee shall carefully consider each candidate proposed for Provisional membership.

2. At the March meeting of the Governing Board, the Membership Chair shall present for consideration the names of those candidates recommended by the Membership Committee for Provisional membership.

3. Election to Provisional membership shall take place by written ballot at the April meeting of the Governing Board. Election shall require the affirmative vote of ten members of the Governing Board. Votes may be cast in person, or by a ballot mailed or sent by electronic means previous to the April meeting. There shall be no more than two negative votes.

4. Upon election of a candidate to Provisional membership, a formal invitation, including the amount of the initiation fee, shall be sent by the Membership Chair. A letter from the President and a letter from the Membership Chair shall immediately follow. Provisional membership shall become effective upon written acceptance of the invitation and upon payment of the initiation fee. Response and initiation fee shall be sent to the Membership Chair by a date decided by the Governing Board.

5. The Membership Chair shall notify the candidate's proposer and seconder of the decision of the Governing Board and remind them of their responsibilities for the new Provisional Member.

PROVISIONAL EXPECTATIONS

As Seattle Garden Club is a small organization run by volunteers, Provisional Members are expected to support and participate in all activities as best as possible:

- Attend Horticultural Meetings, monthly General Meetings and all Provisional Meetings.
- Participate in SGC workshops, community projects and field trips when offered.
- Participate in SGC events such as Holiday Luncheon, Public Speakers (Green and Wagner Lectures), Flower Shows, etc.
- Attend and create a table decoration for the Holiday Luncheon under the guidance of the Floral Design Committee.
- Make a presentation to the general membership on a horticultural topic provided by the Horticultural Committee.
- Serve on Committees which are of interest.
 - First year: Attend one meeting of four different "Standing Committees."
 - Second year: Select two committees on which to serve.
- Pay annual membership dues and meeting arrangements fees.
- Upon acceptance into Active Membership pay an acceptance fee, currently \$50.

IV. Election to Active Membership

1. At the March meeting of the Governing Board, the Membership Chair shall present for consideration the names of those Provisional candidates recommended by the Membership Committee for Active membership.

2. Election to Active membership from Provisional status shall take place by written ballot at the April meeting of the Governing Board. Election shall require the affirmative vote of ten members of the Governing Board. Votes must be cast in person, or by a ballot mailed or sent by electronic means previous to the April meeting. There shall be no more than two negative votes. In the event that there is no meeting of the Governing Board, voting will be held by unanimous written consent of its members.

MEMBER TRANSFER POLICIES

I. Transfer from SGC

1. An Active or Sustaining Member who becomes non-resident may request the SGC President to send to the President in her new community a letter stating that she is an SGC Member in good standing.

II. Transfer into SGC

1. A GCA Member wishing to transfer into SGC shall reside in the Seattle area at least one year.

2. The President of the Transfer's former GCA Club shall write a letter to the Membership Chair stating that the candidate is a member in good standing.

3. The candidate shall be proposed by an Active or Sustaining Member of SGC who knows her.

4. The Transfer candidate shall have attended some meetings of SGC and shall understand its objects, purposes and operations.

5. The SGC Membership committee shall process the application of the transferring candidate who shall enter SGC as Active or Sustaining Member, whichever she chooses.

6. A Transfer has the option of joining the Provisional class for one year.

PROVISIONAL TRANSFER POLICIES

I. Transfer into SGC

1. A GCA Club Provisional wishing to transfer into SGC shall reside in the Seattle area for at least one year.

2. The President of the Provisional Transfer's former GCA Club shall write a letter to the Membership Chair stating that the candidate is a Provisional in good standing.

3. The candidate shall be proposed by an Active or Sustaining Member of SGC who knows her.

4. The Provisional Transfer candidate shall have attended some meetings of SGC and shall understand its objects, purposes and operations.

5. The SGC Membership committee shall process the application of the transferring candidate who shall enter SGC as a Provisional Member for two years.

MEMORIAL POLICY

The death of a member will be announced through email, in the Newsletter and at the Annual Meeting. It may also be announced at other SGC meetings.

The Corresponding Secretary will send a note to the family.

All donations, including memorials and bequests, shall be directed to the Projects and Charitable Accounts, one of the SGC endowment funds, or as otherwise specified.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

The Annual Business Meeting will be held at the customary time of the General Meeting in a month determined by the President and the Board in advance of the publication of the meeting schedule in the yearbook.

EVENTS POLICY

The Policy and Planning Committee shall maintain a three-to-five-year Events Calendar, subject to Board approval. The Calendar shall be posted on the SGC Website and in the Yearbook. SGC shall rotate key events on a yearly basis, including, but not limited to, The Pamela Green Speaker, The Iris Wagner Conservation Lecture and GCA Flower Shows. SGC shall endeavor to hold a GCA Flower Show to include the Floral Design, Horticulture, Photography and Conservation Divisions as frequently as every three years. Separate divisions are encouraged to hold judged Club Shows in non-GCA Flower Show years. A division may hold a Club Show separately or in concert with another division at monthly SGC meetings or luncheons. The SGC Judging Chair shall coordinate Club Shows with the Advisor of the respective division and shall send any request to calendar a Club Show to Policy and Planning for consideration.

GOVERNANCE

Each member of the Governing Board shall complete and sign a Conflict of Interest Statement; each Statement shall be reviewed by the President and the Treasurer. Signed copies of the Statement shall be retained by the Recording Secretary and shall be replaced 1) whenever there is a change in the composition of the Governing Board, and 2) at the beginning of the SGC fiscal year. A copy of the Conflict of Interest Policy, as approved by the Governing Board on June 8, 2022, shall be included on the SGC website under "Forms."

IN MEMORIAM

- 1917-1918 – Mrs. J.C. Haines (Isobel Burton)
1917-1918 – Mr. E.C. Hughes
1918-1919 – Mr. Frank Dewitt Black
1925-1926 – Mrs. Alexander Baillie (Jessie Nicol)
1925-1926 – Mrs. Paul Mandell Henry (Ethel Williams)
1925-1926 – Mrs. John Erickson (Margaret Beaman)
1927-1928 – Mrs. Manson F. Backus (Elise Piutti)
1931-1932 – Mrs. Ivan W. Goodner (Minnie Adaperry)
1933-1934 – Mrs. Philips Morrison (Ethel Young)
1934-1935 – Mrs. Alexander B. Stewart (May E. Martin)
1935-1936 – Mrs. LeRoy Backus (Edith Boetzkes)
1936-1937 – Mrs. Charles D. Stimson (Harriet Overton)
1936-1937 – Mrs. William H. Parsons (Ella Webster)
1937-1938 – Mrs. John W. Eddy (Ethel Garrett)
1937-1938 – Mrs. Albert Sperry Kerry (Katherine A. Glen)
1937-1938 – Mrs. Richard Dwight Merrill (Eula Lee)
1937-1938 – Mrs. Elmer E. Todd (Relura Hunt)
1940-1941 – Mrs. A.H. Anderson (Agnes Bradford Healy)
1940-1941 – Mrs. George E. Wright (Mary Wyckoff)
1942-1943 – Mrs. Clarence Peck (Martha Field)
1942-1943 – Mrs. Frank C. Reed (Georgine Raithel)
1945-1946 – Mrs. William H. McEwan (Anna Braddock)
1945-1946 – Mrs. Sidney A. Chrysler (Betty Sanders)
1947-1948 – Mrs. John Collins (Angela Burdett Jackling)
1947-1948 – Mrs. Edward I. Garrett (Jessie Ring)
1947-1948 – Mrs. Winlock Miller (Martha Keating)
1948-1949 – Mrs. W. Marfield Bolcom (Katherine Larson)
1948-1949 – Mrs. E.C. Hughes (Emma De Hart)
1948-1949 – Mrs. Anna Thomsen Milburn (Anna Thomsen)
1948-1949 – Mrs. Colin O. Radford (Zilpha Radford)
1948-1949 – Mrs. Frank G. Taylor (Anna Underwood)
1948-1949 – Dean Hugo Winkenwerder
1949-1950 – Mrs. Darrah Corbet (Katherine Trumbull)
1949-1950 – Mrs. Fred Remington Green (Estelle Delbridge)
1949-1950 – Mrs. Baker Lewis (Louise Baker)
1949-1950 – Miss Catherine Malloy
1950-1951 – Mrs. Robert Pim Butchart (Jenny Foster Kennedy)

IN MEMORIAM

- 1950-1951 – Mrs. Thomas M. Green (Corinne Sykes)
1950-1951 – Mrs. George Youell (May Van Duzen)
1951-1952 – Mrs. J.H. Bloedel (Mina Prentice)
1951-1952 – Mrs. Hawthorne K. Dent (Dorothy Lindley)
1951-1952 – Mrs. William D. Perkins (Cora Chamberlain)
1951-1952 – Mrs. David Edward Skinner (Jeanette Whittemore)
1953-1954 – Mrs. Harvey J. Fetter (Sally Bradford Little)
1953-1954 – Mrs. William Amann (Katherine Richards)
1953-1954 – Mrs. Morris A. Arnold (Georgie Moss)
1953-1954 – Mrs. Archibald G. Clark (Ethel Taylor)
1954-1955 – Mrs. Arthur Eldridge (Alice Rogers)
1954-1955 – Mrs. Eugene Fuller (Margaret E. MacTavish)
1954-1955 – Mrs. Robert P. Greer (Charlotte Ellinwood)
1954-1955 – Mrs. Harry P. Ostrander (Lenore McGrath)
1956-1957 – Mrs. Archibald H. Ferguson (Helen McEwan)
1956-1957 – Mrs. Frederic K. Struve (Anna Furth)
1957-1958 – Mrs. John B. Agen (Florence Ryan)
1957-1958 – Mrs. Clarence B. Blethen (Rae Kingsley)
1957-1958 – Mrs. William Calvert, Sr. (Edna Cragin)
1957-1958 – Mrs. James A. Wood (Tuolumne Gooch)
1958-1959 – Mrs. Francis G. Frink (Elinor Spafford)
1958-1959 – Mrs. Langdon C. Henry, Sr. (Genevieve Relfe)
1958-1959 – Mrs. George T. Myers (Mary Chapin)
1959-1960 – Mrs. James G. Eddy (Mary Horton Cooley)
1959-1960 – Mrs. Donald E. Frederick (Fay Swick)
1959-1960 – Mrs. Don H. Palmer (Maude W. Gruwell)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Lew V. Day (Alvaretta Riden)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Miller Freeman (Bessie Bogle)
1960-1961 – Mrs. W.N. Gaither (Mildred Todd)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Alexander A. Gardner (Mary Virginia Cox)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Alexander F. McEwan (Lillian Gustin)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Lawrence M. Arnold (Grace Heffernan)
1960-1961 – Mrs. Tom Mesdag (Marion Blethen)
1962-1963 – Mr. Edward I. Garrett
1962-1963 – Mrs. Edward Lincoln Smith (Rosalia I. Baker)
1962-1963 – Mrs. William H. McGrath (Nan Turner)
1963-1964 – Mrs. Page H. Ballard (Pat Smith)

IN MEMORIAM

- 1964-1965 – Mrs. Charles Willard Stimson (Clara Wing)
1964-1965 – Mrs. Thomas D. Stimson (Emma Baillargeon)
1965-1966 – Mrs. Alexander B. Hepler (Carolyn Shoemaker)
1965-1966 – Mrs. Richard Dwight Merrill (Eula Lee)
1966-1967 – Mrs. John Minor Blackford (Elizabeth Mann)
1966-1967 – Mrs. Frederick B. Collins (Katherine McGrath)
1966-1967 – Mrs. J. Thomas Dowling (Grade Thompson)
1966-1967 – Mrs. Pierre Peyre Ferry (Lurena Foy)
1966-1967 – Mrs. George C. Nickum (Elizabeth Brinkley)
1967-1968 – Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher (Blanche Cameron)
1967-1968 – Mrs. Frederick M. Padelford (Jessie Pepper)
1968-1969 – Mrs. Gilbert LeBaron Duffy (Florence Blethen)
1968-1969 – Mrs. Henry Callender Field (Marguerite White)
1968-1969 – Mrs. John S. Mauk (Elsbeth Young)
1968-1969 – Miss Margaret McKenny
1969-1970 – Mrs. John S. Carey (Katherine Corbet)
1969-1970 – Mrs. Barrett Green (Mary Hughes)
1969-1970 – Mrs. Arthur J. Krauss (Sophie Marks)
1969-1970 – Mrs. Otis Floyd Lamson (Armenie Tashjian)
1969-1970 – Mrs. James P. Robertson (Harriet Chamberlin)
1969-1970 – Mrs. Albert Harold Rooks (Edith Redfield)
1969-1970 – Mrs. Ernst L. Skeel (Hazel Emery)
1970-1971 – Mrs. Stephen Anderson (Virginia Shank)
1970-1971 – Mrs. Minor C. Lile (Elma Collins)
1970-1971 – Mrs. Rollin Sanford (Kate McGraw)
1970-1971 – Mrs. Alexander M. Wetherill (Sidonia Furth)
1971-1972 – Mrs. Lawrence Bogle (Ethel Amann)
1971-1972 – Mrs. James Irving Colwell (Ruth Clise)
1971-1972 – Mrs. Keith G. Fisk (Marion McEwan)
1971-1972 – Mr. Donald Graham
1971-1972 – Mrs. Philip D. Macbride (Frances Waltemeyer)
1971-1972 – Mrs. Frederick Hall White (Willye Anderson)
1972-1973 – Mrs. Philip Bailey (Marian Louise Moser)
1972-1973 – Mrs. Bernard B. Pelly (Elizabeth Nute)
1972-1973 – Mrs. O. B. Thorgrimson
1973-1974 – Mrs. Carl McNeilan Ballard (Phyllis Purdy)
1973-1974 – Mrs. J. Bruce Connelly (Illis Harper)

IN MEMORIAM

- 1973-1974 – Mrs. Henry H. Judson (Martha Field Peck)
1973-1974 – Mrs. Frederick O. Sundt (Theresa Maria Thomsen)
1973-1974 – Mrs. Clarence W. Bledsoe (Elizabeth Case)
1974-1975 – Mrs. Joshua Green, Jr. (Laura Turner)
1974-1975 – Mrs. Morrison Jones (Sarah L. Morrison)
1975-1976 – Mrs. John H. Ballinger (Alma Stewart)
1975-1976 – Mrs. Richard E. Fuller (Elizabeth Morrison)
1975-1976 – Mrs. Carl F. Gould (Dorothy Fay)
1975-1976 – Mrs. Mansel Griffiths (Mildred Smith)
1975-1976 – Mrs. William Budd Parsons (Virginia Clark)
1976-1977 – Mrs. M. Cutten Brooks (Margaret Cutten)
1976-1977 – Mrs. J. Fergus McRee (Margaret W. Stewart)
1976-1977 – Mrs. Alfred E. Montgomery (Alice Claire Smith)
1976-1977 – Mrs. Paul Roland Smith (Helen Fowler)
1977-1978 – Mrs. Calvert Coburn (Nancy Calvert)
1977-1978 – Miss Kathleen Donahoe
1977-1978 – Mrs. Noble Hoggson (Janet Henry)
1977-1978 – Mrs. J. Wendell Trosper (Martha Metzger)
1978-1979 – Mrs. Warren Bean (Mildred Severinson)
1978-1979 – Mrs. Caspar W. Clarke (Catherine Collins)
1978-1979 – Mrs. Kemper Freeman (Clothilde Duryee)
1978-1979 – Mrs. E. Firmin Flohr (Anne Nicholson)
1978-1979 – Mrs. Alfred E. Jones (Florence Jean Williams)
1978-1979 – Mrs. John T. Tenneson (Gladys W. Roop)
1979-1980 – Mrs. Charles W. Donahoe (Janet Sheahan)
1981-1982 – Mrs. Everett Griggs II (Mary Lea Fiskén)
1981-1982 – Mrs. Edward LeCocq (Jane Nettleton)
1981-1982 – Mrs. Edward B. Thomas (Ethel Morrison)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Hugh P. Brady (Mary Schiefflein)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Raleigh Lunt Chinn (Mary Pryor)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Janet L. Lane (Janet Lilly)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Lewis E. Landgon (Olive Ostrander)
1982-1983 – Mrs. John Loor Locke (Irene Fisher)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Aubrey A. Naef (Sue Mosher)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Robert W. Sprague (Lidie Herren)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Elbridge H. Stuart (Mary Homer)
1982-1983 – Mrs. Thomas H. Youell (Jeanne Woodworth)

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- 1983-1984 – Mrs. Thomas F. Gleed (Mary Elizabeth Balmer)
1984-1985 – Mrs. Edward W. Andrew, Sr. (Margaret S. Chinn)
1984-1985 – Mrs. William McKinley Davis (Margaret Fransioli)
1984-1985 – Mrs. Albert H. Meadowcroft (Lillian Howarth)
1985-1986 – Mrs. Charles W. Cole (Marie Greer)
1985-1986 – Mrs. Charles T. Jordan (Jean Stewart)
1985-1986 – Mrs. Kenelm Winslow, Jr. (Mary H. Delafield)
1986-1987 – Mrs. Robert D. Allen (Elizabeth Fetter)
1986-1987 – Mrs. John M. Goodfellow (Marilou Phelps)
1986-1987 – Mrs. James F. Griffiths (Frances Bettina Moser)
1986-1987 – Mrs. Mark A. Jensen (Elizabeth Steele)
1986-1987 – Mrs. J. Richard Lane (Helen Tremper)
1986-1987 – Mrs. Rex Palmer (Catherine L. Baum)
1987-1988 – Mrs. William R. McMillan (Marjorie Oates)
1988-1989 – Mrs. Prentice Bloedel (Virginia Merrill)
1988-1989 – Mrs. Herbert E. Coe (Lucy Campbell)
1988-1989 – Mrs. William M. Culliton (Helen Ainsworth)
1988-1989 – Mrs. Moritz Milburn (Rosalie Field)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Frances H. Brownell, Jr. (Phyllis Twombly)
1989-1990 – Mrs. John A. McCone (Theiline McGee)
1989-1990 – Mrs. William E. McMicken (Hawthorne Adams)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Sheffield Phelps II (Patricia Stewart)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Stanley E. Stretton (Cecile Mullen)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Kerry Trimble (Glen Kerry)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Robert B. Wilson (Barbara Pooley)
1989-1990 – Mrs. Walter L. Wyckoff (Jane Brown)
1990-1991 – Mrs. James L. Addington (Judy Bledsoe)
1990-1991 – Mrs. Cebert Baillargeon (Katherine Agen)
1990-1991 – Mrs. Charles P. Burnett, Jr. (Frances Green)
1990-1991 – Mrs. James Blake Howe (Elizabeth Salmon)
1990-1991 – Mrs. Corydon Wagner (Eulalie Merrill)
1990-1991 – Mrs. Howard Wright (Ellis Henry)
1991-1992 – Mrs. Leo Simpson Black (Dorothy McEwan)
1991-1992 – Mrs. Lance E. Gowen (Mary Barlow Trimble)
1991-1992 – Mrs. William P. Hagen (Nancy Caswell)
1991-1992 – Mrs. B. Letcher Lambuth (Olive Schram)
1991-1992 – Mrs. Horace W. McCurdy (Catherine McManus)

IN MEMORIAM

- 1992-1993 – Mrs. Allen B. Engle (Rosamond Parsons)
1992-1993 – Mrs. Hazel M. Pringle (Hazel McMillan)
1992-1993 – Mrs. John E. Ryan, Jr. (Mary De Hart Andrews)
1993-1994 – Mrs. Philip W. Bailey (Alma Ballinger)
1993-1994 – Mrs. John P. McVay (Dorothy Dickey)
1993-1994 – Mrs. Philip Robertson (Polly Lawrence)
1993-1994 – Mrs. Pendleton Miller (Elisabeth Carey)
1993-1994 – Mrs. Louis H. Edmunds (Margaret Church)
1994-1995 – Mrs. J. Swift Baker (Elizabeth Harnan)
1994-1995 – Mrs. C. Spencer Clark (Georgina Myra Snowdon)
1994-1995 – Mrs. Theodore Plestcheeff (Guendolen Carkeek)
1995-1996 – Mr. Prentice Bloedel
1995-1996 – Mrs. Katrina Jensen
1995-1996 – Mrs. Joan H. Shoemaker
1996-1997 – Mrs. Joel W. Baker (Elizabeth Russell)
1996-1997 – Mrs. Anson Brooks (Mary Margaret Buhler)
1996-1997 – Mrs. Carl Henry Neu (Mary Ann Shiel)
1996-1997 – Mrs. William Garrard Reed (Eleanor Henry)
1996-1997 – Mrs. Bruce Shorts, Jr. (Beryl Elfendahl)
1996-1997 – Mrs. Arthur R. Taylor (Marilyn Ryan)
1997-1998 – Mrs. W. Kirby Holmes (Sally Allen)
1997-1998 – Mrs. J. Tate Mason (Margaret Elisabeth Thomas)
1997-1998 – Mrs. Ernest N. Patty (Virginia Wiley Price)
1997-1998 – Mrs. Chester R. Paulson (Janet MacDonald)
1998-1999 – Mrs. Harry S. Goodfellow (Jean Colwell)
1998-1999 – Mrs. Hugh H. Hotson (Jo Richardson)
1998-1999 – Mrs. Howard E. Richmond (Polly Poe)
1998-1999 – Mrs. Charles A. Pelly (Jennifer Paul)
2000-2001 – Mrs. Henry C. Isaacson, Sr. (Martha Lindberg)
2001-2002 – Mrs. Donald G. Graham (Juanita Fisher)
2001-2002 – Mrs. Chapin Henry (Betty Calvert)
2001-2002 – Mrs. Evan S. McCord (Constance Leonard)
2001-2002 – Mrs. William J. McGowan (Stephanie Coe)
2001-2002 – Mrs. George C. Nickum (Mary Ann Eddy)
2002-2003 – Mrs. Claude Bekins (Margaret Wells)
2002-2003 – Mrs. Norman H. Branchflower (Edith Williams)
2002-2003 – Mrs. Ward M. Doland (Fransi Davis Lile)

IN MEMORIAM

- 2002-2003 – Mrs. Roger W. Jones (Jeanne Fisher)
2002-2003 – Mrs. J. Newton Morris (Virginia Blackford)
2002-2003 – Mrs. James R. Scott (Nell Clemen)
2002-2003 – Mrs. John N. Sylvester (Jane Baillargeon)
2002-2003 – Mrs. Harold N. Taylor (Barbara Brygger)
2002-2003 – Mrs. Donald H. Venables (Patricia Odland)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Herbert Day (Annis Morgan)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Alexander M. Fisk (Elizabeth Reynolds)
2003-2004 – Mrs. John H. Hauberg (Ann Homer)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Willard E. Skeel (Ann Potter)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Volney Richmond, Jr. (Phyllis Graham)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Emery P. Bayley (Dorothy Dunn)
2003-2004 – Mrs. Richard Lea (Ruth Abel)
2003-2004 – Mrs. William Frame
2004-2005 – Mrs. Hugh Baird (Marjorie Wetherill)
2004-2005 – Mrs. Wetherill Collins (Josephine Lane)
2004-2005 – Mrs. Dickinson Harper (Helena Robbins)
2004-2005 – Mrs. Brantley Holt, Jr. (Anne Corbet Clark)
2005-2006 – Mrs. Eugene Eldridge (Elaine Brygger Green)
2005-2006 – Mrs. William L. Trudgian (Prudence Lambuth)
2005-2006 – Mrs. Brian O. Mulligan (Helen Margaret Mitchell)
2005-2006 – Mrs. Ernest P. Ballard (Helen Durkin)
2006-2007 – Mrs. William M. Allen (Mary Ellen Field)
2006-2007 – Mrs. Robert Walker (Florence Carroll Riley)
2006-2007 – Mrs. W. Bruce Jones (Grace Potter Hiscock)
2007-2008 – Mrs. John Reynolds (Mary Jean Jordan)
2007-2008 – Mrs. Charles G. Abbott (Babs von Hasslacher)
2007-2008 – Mrs. Clarence Ambrose, Jr. (Elizabeth McGhie)
2007-2008 – Mrs. Margaret M. Challman (Margaret Meadowcroft)
2007-2008 – Mrs. J. Collins Lloyd (Frances Bolton)
2007-2008 – Mrs. Donald McAusland (Virginia Calvert)
2008-2009 – Mrs. H. Hood Boyd (Marili Podliessnie)
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2010-2011 – Mrs. Bruce Connelly (Cathering Deming)
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2011-2012 – Mrs. Stanley N. Minor (Betsy Seaver)
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2019-2020 – Mrs. Douglas Footh (Janet Barker)
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