FLOWER ARRANGING

Budget: __

Members: 12

This committee has the responsibility to encourage and educate themselves and the general membership on the art and techniques of flower arranging through workshops, demonstrations, videos and any and all appropriate techniques and classes. This committee will be in charge of all flower arranging activities for the club.

OBJECTIVES:

- 1. Increase the flower arranging skills of all the committee members through workshops, practice, individual and group projects, outside presentations and participation in flower shows.
- 2. Relate all teaching to the information, rules and guidelines presented in the current edition of the "Handbook for Flower Shows" published by the National Garden Clubs, Inc.
- 3. Assist other club members with any flower arranging projects or needs they may have relating to club activities.
- 4. Sponsor a flower show every other year if possible.

Because so much teaching is essential to the functioning of this committee, it is suggested the committee be limited to 12 members. It is difficult to instruct or find room for larger groups than 12.

If committee members find that due to health, family obligations, work or other commitments, they cannot attend the meetings on a regular basis, they should inform the chairman and withdraw from the committee for the time being.

A waiting list should be kept for this committee and new members added as vacancies occur during the year.

It is recommended that whenever possible the committee chair be either a certified flower show judge or someone who has attended flower show school.

There may be a materials charge to help defray costs.