

GCA OGC Awards

GCA NATIONAL AWARDS

Bonnylin Woods Martin Medal

Gail Emmons 2002

Montine McDaniel Freeman Medal

Honorable Mention, Manzanita ‘Howard McMinn’, 2015

Honorable Mention, Aristolochia californica 2018

Founder’s Fund Award

Runner-up for Heather Farm Garden Center 1986 and 1987, (OGC)

Special Citation

Ruth Bancroft 2001 (OGC)

GCA Zone XII Awards

Barbara Spaulding Cramer Zone

Flower Arrangement Education Award

Gail Emmons, 2006

Mary Drake Freer Award

Gail Emmons 1996

Zone Creative Leadership Award

Evie Cranston, 2010

Zone Flower Arrangement Award

Gail Emmons, 1998

Phoebe Kahl, 2021

Diana Kennedy, 2021

Zone Historic Preservation Award

Muir Shank, 1988

Zone Horticulture Award

Toni Fauver, 1994

Sue Andersen-Berger, 2021

Zone Civic Improvement Award

Joan Andrews and Diana Kennedy, 2014

Zone Photography Award

Yoni Mayeri, 2021

Conservation Commendation Award (To a Non-Member)

Sylvia McLaughlin, Save the Bay, 2014

GCA Club Awards

Medal Of Merit

Dorothy Lamb, 1984
 Muir Shank, 1987
 Maddy Borden, 1989
 Beryl Plath, 1989
 Maxine Johnson, 1991
 Midge Batchelder, 1992
 Bobbie Bellamy, 1993
 Dee Seifert, 1994
 Merlon Williamson, 1995
 June Cunningham, 1996
 Evie Cranston, 1997
 Pat Connolly, 1999
 Jane Wiser, 2024

Civic Improvement Award

Judy Cortese, 2008
 Sylvia Carter, 2009
 Joan Andrews, 2010
 Diana Kennedy, 2013
 Julie O'Melveny, 2015
 Shari Bashin-Sullivan, 2015
 Laurie Smith, 2018
 Pam Goode/Cathleen Sodos, 2021

Communications Achievement Award

Deb Stephenson, 2019
 Jean Rowe, 2020
 Caroline LaVoie, 2024

Conservation Achievement Award

Sandy Denny, 1995
 Kirsten Whitsett, 2017
 Linda Thompson, 2017

Floral Design Achievement Award

Gail Emmons, 1995, 1996
 Phoebe Kahl, 2001
 Diana Kennedy, 2004
 Jean Schommer, 2006
 Heather Dunne, 2007
 Evie Cranston, 2008
 Mari Tischenko, 2009

Midge Zischke, 2001
 Joan Andrews, 2002
 Toni Fauver, 2003
 Isa Mary Ziegler, 2004
 Bev Bloodworth, 2005
 Pat Winther, 2009
 Joyce Nelson, 2008
 Jenifer Brunk, 2009
 Jean Rowe, 2010
 Gina Field, 2011
 Phoebe Kahl, 2015
 Mary Read, 2018

Horticulture Achievement Award

Jackie Voigt, 2000
 Isa Mary Zeigler, 2006
 Diana Kennedy, 2009
 Sue Ann Manners, 2009
 Joyce Nelson, 2011
 Kirsten Whitsett, 2013
 Sue Anderson-Berger, 2017

Club Appreciation Award

Muffy York, 2002
 Sally Chapman, 2004
 Sue Ann Manners, 2005
 Helen Richards, 2006
 Jean Rowe, 2007
 Dayna Taylor, 2008
 June Cunningham, 2009
 Betsy Bingham/Jackie Voigt, 2010
 Dona Snow/Carole Wolfman, 2011
 Cathleen Sodos/Jane Wiser, 2013
 Janet Riley, 2017
 Chris Stoneberg, 2018
 Bobbie Wilson, 2019

Recognition for Horticulture and the Plant Sale

Katie Rittman, Jean Rowe, Pam Wiley, 2021

Orinda Garden Club Awards

Dorothy C. Lamb Conservation Award

Lennie Roberts, 1997
 Sandy Denny, 1998
 Gina Field, 2004
 Jane Ryan and M.J. Walburg, 2007

Orinda Garden Club Special Award

DD Felton, 2009
 Ruth Fortune, Bob Nelson, 2011
 Diana Kennedy, 2012

Toni deReynier Fauver Natural Heritage Award

Midge Zischke, 2005

Joan Andrews, 2007, 2011

Carole Amstutz, 2009

A to Z (Andrews to Ziegler) Award

Suanne Inman, 2014

GCA Flower Show Awards**FLORAL DESIGN**

Best in Show

Gail Emmons, 1991, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2004

Jenifer Brunk and Evie Cranston, 2004

Betty Argabright and Heather Dunne, 2005

Gail Emmons and Margie Murphy, 2007

Heather Dunne, 2010

Sandra Baylor Novice Award

Heather Dunne, 2004

Dorothy Vietor Munger Award

Phoebe Kahl, 2000

Heather Dunne and Gina Field, 2004

Heather Dunne, 2009

Gail Emmons, 2009, 2010

Harriet de Waele Puckett Award

Gail Emmons, 1990, 1991, 1995, 1996

Jenifer Brunk and Evie Cranston, 2004

Betty Argabright and Heather Dunne, 2005

Heather Dunne, 2010

OGC Dee Seifert Floral Design Award

Mari Tischenko, 2001

Phoebe Kahl, 2004

Sylvia Carter and Phoebe Kahl, 2007

Nancy Dickmeyer and Ruth Fortune, 2010

GCA JUDGING PROGRAM

Flower Arranging:

Approved: Phoebe Kahl

Diana Kennedy

Heather Dunne

Emeritus: Sally Chapman

Evie Cranston

Gail Emmons

Horticulture:

HORTICULTURE

Best in Show

Joyce Nelson, 2004

Suanne Inman, 2014

Catherine Beattie Medal

Isa Mary Zeigler, 2004

Claressa Willemssen Award

Joyce Nelson, 2004, 2010

Rosie Jones Award

Janet Pease, 2010

GCA Novice Horticulture Award

Karin Carroll, 2010

PHOTOGRAPHY

Best in Show

Marion Bottomley, 2004, 2007, 2009

Photography Creativity Award

Yoni Mayeri, 2017

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS

Ann Lyon Crammond Award

OGC "*Open Book*" Flower Show, 1996OGC "*Images of Orinda*" Flower Show, 2004OGC "*In Concert*" Flower Show, (Botanical Art Display), 2010**JUDGES' COMMENDATION**OGC, "*Open Book*" Flower Show, 1996OGC, "*Images of Orinda*," (5 Awards), 2004OGC, "*In Concert*," (7 Awards), 2010OGC, "*In Translation*" (3 Awards), 2014

Approved: Suanne Inman

Joyce Nelson

Emeritus: Joan Andrews


Isa Mary Ziegler

Photography:

Approved: Yoni Mayeri

Emeritus: Joan Andrews

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