

Updated Convention Program

Sunday, July 3

10:00 am - 11:30 am	Convention Registration	Main Lobby
11:50 am - 5:00 pm	Trip to Spheres and Bellevue Gardens	Meet in Lobby
5:45 pm - 6:30 pm	Convention Registration	Main Lobby

Monday, July 4

8:00 am - 8:45 am	Registration (Show Entry Forms Accepted)	Main Lobby
8:30 am - 8:45 am	Board bus for Trip	Meet in Lobby
8:45 am - 4:45 pm	Convention Trip to Heronswood +	-
5:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Registration (Show Entry Forms Accepted)	Main Lobby
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Pre-Convention Dinner	Pavilion D
9:00 pm - 10:30 pm	July 4 th Fireworks Viewing / Socializing	Suite 2500

Tuesday, July 5

8:00 am - 8:30 am	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
8:30 am - 11:15 am	Judges Training Part 1 - Novice/Advanced	Pavilion E
	Judges Training Part 1 - Workshop	Pavilion F
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Discussion with Moderator Anne Vidaver	Pavilion A
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Luncheon (honoring chapters/members)	Pavilion D
12:45 pm - 2:30 pm	Judges Training, Part 2 (all groups)	Pavilion F
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Discussion with Moderator Betsy Gottshall	Pavilion A
1:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Tacoma Walking/Light Rail Tours	Meet in Lobby
2:45 pm - 3:15 pm	Judges Interest Group Meeting	Pavilion F
3:30 pm - 4:15 pm	Chapters & Affiliates Meeting	Pavilion A
4:30 pm - 6:15 pm	Judges Test	Pavilion A
5:30 pm - 6:15 pm	Registration (Entry Forms Accepted)	Rotunda/Pavilion
6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	Opening Dinner and Welcome	Pavilion D
7:45 pm - 9:15 pm	Conservation Program (open to all)	Pavilion E/F

Wednesday, July 6

8:00 am - 8:30 am	Registration (Entry Forms Accepted)	Rotunda/Pavilion
8:15 am - 8:30 am	Board bus for Trip	Meet in Lobby
8:30 am - 11:30 am	Trip to Point Defiance gardens +	-
Noon - 1:00 pm	Lunch	Pavilion D
1:15 pm	Deadline for Submission of Entry Forms	Rotunda/Pavilion
1:15 pm - 4:00 pm	Board of Directors Meeting (Part I)	Pavilion A
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Discussion with Moderator Brandon Erikson	Burano (3 rd Floor)
4:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Lecture #1: "The Names of Plants" (David Zaitlin, Kentucky)	Pavilion E/F
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Social Hour with Cash Bar	Rotunda/Pavilion
6:30 pm - 8:15 pm	Dinner and Annual Membership Meeting	Pavilion D
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm	GHA Meeting and Program (open to all)	Pavilion E/F

Thursday, July 7

8:30 am - 9:45 am	Board of Directors Meeting (Part II)	Burano (3 rd Floor)
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Lecture #2: "Geographic patterns in <i>Drymonia</i> " (Laura Clavijo, Colombia)	Pavilion E/F

"Gesneriads in the Pacific Gateway"

11:15 am - 12:15 pm	Lunch	Pavilion D
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Flower Show Entries	Pavilion D
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Discussion with Moderator Terri Vicenzi	Burano (3 rd Floor)
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Designers only added time in showroom	Pavilion A
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Auction Donations Accepted	Pavilion Hallway
5:15 pm - 5:45 pm	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
5:45 pm - 6:45 pm	Dinner	Pavilion D
7:15 pm - 8:15 pm	Lecture #3: "Plant Hunting in Vietnam" (Stephen Maciejewski, Philadelphia)	Pavilion E/F
8:30 pm - 9:15 pm	Sale of Publications and Promo Items	Pavilion Hallway
9:00 pm - 9:30 pm	Early Plant Sales (entry by registration #)	Pavilion B/C
9:30 pm - 10:30 pm	Plant Sales	Pavilion B/C

Friday, July 8

6:30 am - 7:00 am	Flower Show Late Entries (with permission)	Pavilion A
7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast (and judging instructions)	Pavilion D
8:00 am - 11:30 am	Flower Show Judging	Pavilion A
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
9:00 am - 5:00 pm	Auction Viewing/Bidding	Pavilion B
9:00 am - 6:00 pm	Plant Sales Open	Pavilion B/C
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Discussion with Moderator Ron Myhr	Burano (3 rd Floor)
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Lunch	Pavilion D
1:15 pm - 2:15 pm	First-Timers Program with M.J. Tyler	Pavilion E/F
2:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Flower Show Open	Pavilion A
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Mini Presentations by Students – Part 1	Pavilion E/F
5:00 pm	Silent Auction Closes	Pavilion B
5:00 pm - 5:30 pm	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
5:45 pm - 6:45 pm	Social Hour with Cash Bar	Rotunda/Pavilion
6:45 pm - 8:30 pm	Dinner/Flower Show Awards Presentation	Pavilion D
8:30 pm - 10:00 pm	Flower Show Open (registrants only)	Pavilion A

Saturday, July 9

6:30 am - 7:30 am	Photographers Only in Show Room	Pavilion A
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Flower Show Judges Critique (only for this year's judges/clerks)	Pavilion A
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Convention Registration / Information	Rotunda/Pavilion
8:30 am - 3:30 pm	Sales Open	Pavilion B/C
	Flower Show Open	Pavilion A
9:15 am - 10:15 am	Mini Presentations by Students – Part 2	Pavilion E/F
10:45 am - 11:45 am	Lecture #4: "Gesneriaceae ... Botanical Garden Edinburgh (Sadie Barber)	Pavilion E/F
12:00 pm - 1:45 pm	Luncheon and Live Auction	Pavilion D
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	Visitors Program (with Dale Martens)	Pavilion E/F
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	Phyto Inspections (by appointment)	Gallery (4 th Floor)
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	Auction Settlement (live and silent)	Pavilion D
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Sales Breakdown	Pavilion B/C
	Flower Show Breakdown	Pavilion A
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm	Closing Social (ticket only) / Cash Bar (co-sponsored by the Puget Sound Chapter)	Rotunda/Pavilion