



**NEW ENGLAND
GARDEN CLUBS, INC
10TH ANNUAL MEETING
OCTOBER 13 - 14, 2026**

Killington Grand Hotel Resort
228 E. Mountain Rd, Killington, VT. 05751

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HOST
FEDERATED GARDEN CLUBS OF VERMONT INC

ANNUAL MEETING THEME
"VERMONT'S GREEN MOUNTAINS:
FOSTERING THE BIRTH OF THE REPUBLIC"

"Our New England" A Photography Show



Our New England!

A Photography Show

for the

Annual Meeting of the New England Garden Clubs, Inc.

October 13-14, 2026

Killington Lodge & Resort, Killington, VT

Class 1 Enjoy our Landscapes

A photograph capturing the essence of a favorite New England scene

Class 2 Celebrate our Architecture

A monochromatic image of a New England structure and/or architectural element

Class 3 Revel in our Flora and Fauna

A photograph showing the interaction between Flora and Fauna in New England gardens and/or natural areas

Class 4 Examine our Heritage

A photograph that enhances our understanding of our New England history using creative techniques

Class 5 Travel Our Waterways and Coastlines

Show us the importance of water: our coastlines, riverways, and/or lakes and ponds

Class 6 Experience Our Seasons

A close-up or macro featuring a moment in New England 's changing seasons



Class 1 Enjoy our Landscapes

CLASS 1 - ENTRY 2

Finalist

Dodi Bump

Stonington GC CT

Stone and Timber





**CLASS 1 -
ENTRY 6**

Finalist

Maureen Morse

Country Lane GC MA

**Snow Day in the
White Mountains**



CLASS 1 - ENTRY 5

Finalist

Priscilla DiMarco

Hameho GC - RI

**Nature's Reflective
Colors**



CLASS 1 - ENTRY 7

Finalist

Jill Corr

Stonington GC

Pumpkin Farm



CLASS 1 – ENTRY 9

Finalist

Victoria Foulke

Pomperaug Valley GC

All Done for the Day

CLASS 1 ENTRY 12

Finalist

Victoria Macmillan

North Shore GC MA

**Autumn in the
White Mountains**





Class 2 Celebrate our Architecture

CLASS 2 ENTRY 1

Finalist

Anne Mele

Old Saybrook GC CT

Early Morning Solitude



CLASS 2 - ENTRY 3

Finalist

Janet Josselyn

Noanett GC MA

Caught in Traffic





CLASS 2 ENTRY 7

Finalist

Victoria Foulke

Pomperaug Valley GC

**New England Barn-
Now Gone**

CLASS 2 ENTRY 8

Finalist

Cathleen Glynn

Aptucxet GC of Bourne MA

**Madame Sherri Staircase
West Chesterfield NH**



CLASS 2 ENTRY 10

Finalist

Sue Haviland

Rutland GC VT

**Gilded-age Aviary
Wilson Castle
Proctor VT**



CLASS 2 ENTRY 11
Finalist
Margot Partridge – GCF MA
Fisherman's Dock on Deer Isle





Class 3 Revel in our Flora and Fauna

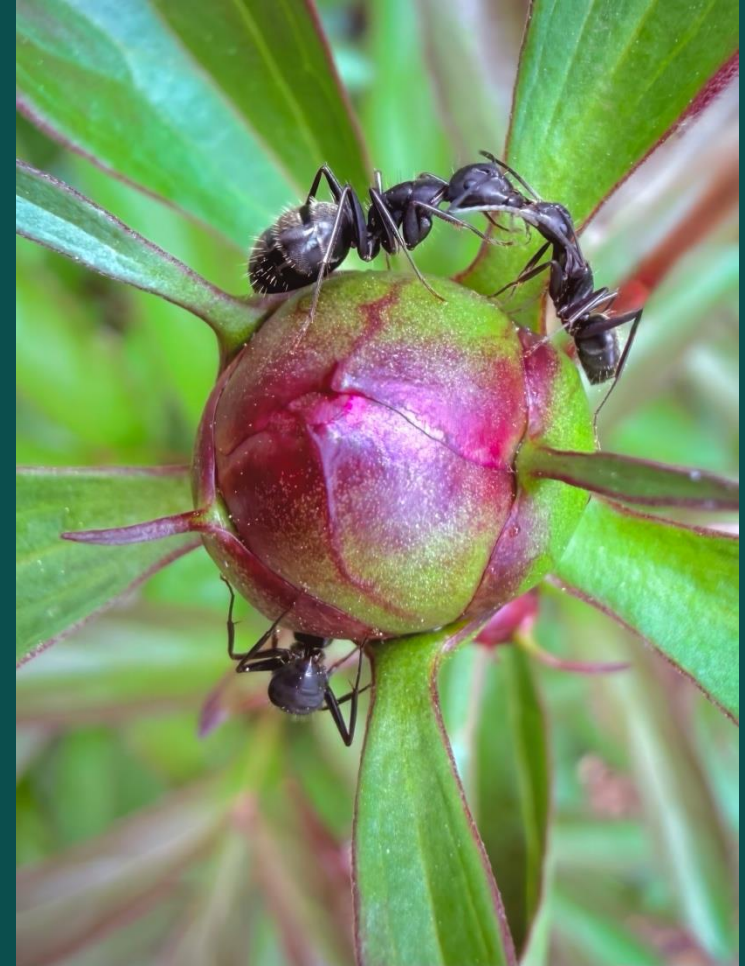
CLASS 3 ENTRY 1

Finalist

Beth Paisner

Noanett GC MA

Round and Round the Peony Bud



CLASS 3 ENTRY 4

Finalist

Christine Meyer

MT. Blue Area GC ME

Mid-flight with Mullein



CLASS 3 ENTRY 5

Finalist

Christine Meyer

MT. Blue Area GC ME

The Munching Monarch



CLASS 3 ENTRY 7

Finalist

Kelly Wakefield

Saint Albans GC VT

Fuzzy Buzzy Bee



CLASS 3 ENTRY 8

Finalist

Michelle Mensinger

Derry GC NH

Exquisitely Creepy



CLASS 3 ENTRY 12

Finalist

Wallace Elton

Middlebury GC VT

Damsel on Ginkgo



CLASS 3 ENTRY 13

Finalist

Debra Burger

Danbury GC CT

Feathering the Nest



CLASS 3 ENTRY 18

Finalist

Doris Holt

Chelmsford GC MA

**Robin Grabbing
Winterberries**



CLASS 3 – ENTRY 19

Finalist

Rose Godard

Burlington GC VT

**Survivor of the Old
Quarry**



CLASS 6 ENTRY 17

Finalist

Susan Davis

Derry GC NH

**First Hellebore
of the Season**



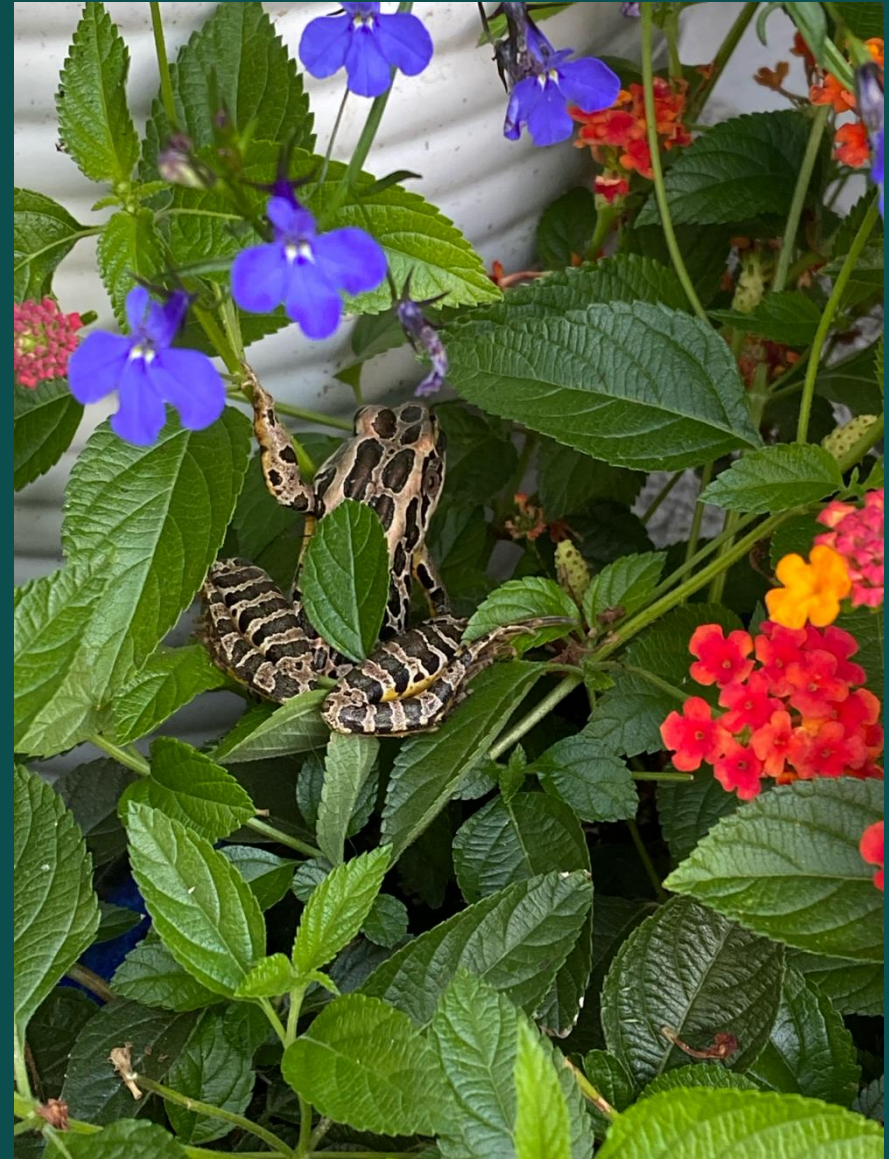
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Finalist

Susan Davis

Derry GC NH

**Leopard Frog Hiding in
Flowers**



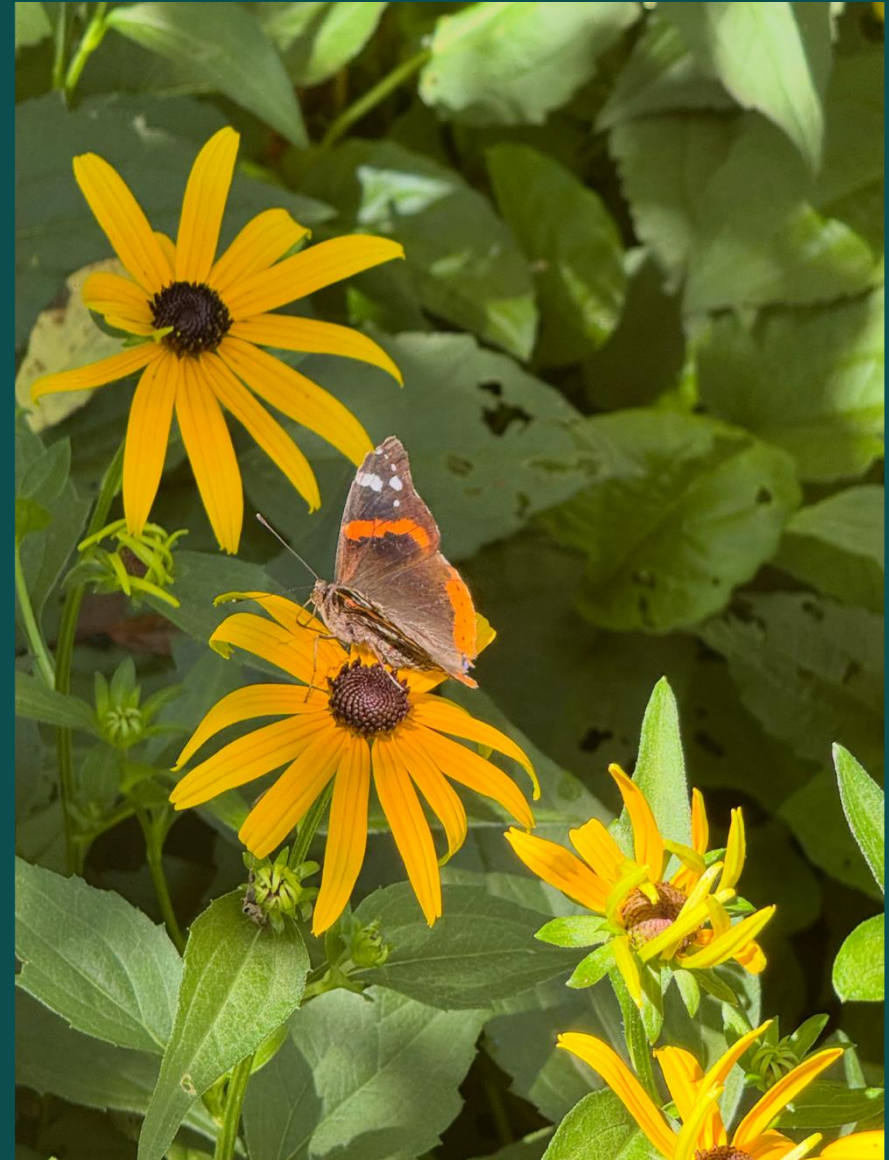
CLASS 3 ENTRY 26

Finalist

Janessa LeComte

Salem & Friendship GC NH

Nature's Little Dance



CLASS 3 ENTRY 27

Finalist

Melody Marie Luciano Norris

Buxton GC ME

Summer Berries





Class 4 Examine our Heritage

CLASS 4 ENTRY 1

Finalist

Maureen Morse – Country Lane GC MA
Frosty Morning at the Old Grist Mill



CLASS 4 ENTRY 2

Finalist

ELLEN
AVELLINO

Green Fingers GC CT

Paul Revere
Freedom Bowl



CLASS 4 ENTRY 3

Finalist

SHANNON
FITZPATRICK

Framingham GC MA

This Old House
Saw the Revolution



CLASS 4 ENTRY 4

Finalist

SUSAN ROTANDO

Fairfield GC CT

Historic Home
& Garden in Fairfield



CLASS 4 ENTRY 5

Finalist

Ann Franzen

Fairfield GC CT

Colonial Harvest
Double Exposure



**CLASS 4 Entry 6
Finalist
Anne Friday**

Hortulus GC CT

**The Connecticut State
Capitol in Hartford is a
National Historic
Landmark renowned
as the only state
capitol in the High
Victorian Gothic
architectural style**





Class 5 Travel our Waterways and Coastlines

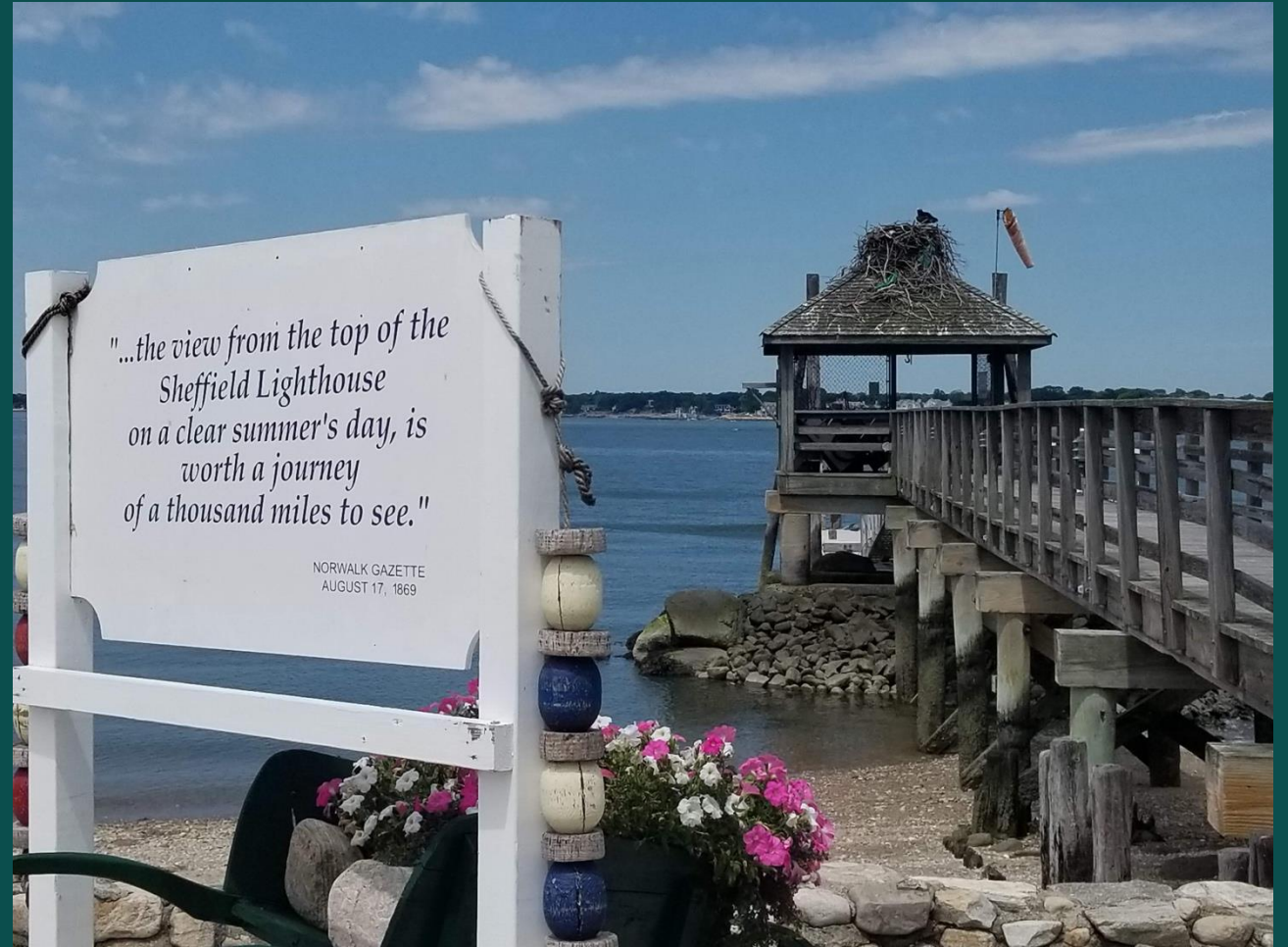
CLASS 5 ENTRY 2

Finalist

Peggy Boissoneau

Kensington GC CT

Osprey Nesting
at Sheffield Island



CLASS 5 ENTRY 3

Finalist

Robin Turnbaugh

GCF NH

**Juvenile Bald
Eagle
Tests his Wings**



CLASS 5 ENTRY 4

Finalist

Betsy Woodley

Aptucxet GC of Bourne
MA

Egrets in a Marsh



CLASS 5 ENTRY 6

Finalist

Doris Holt

Chelmsford GC MA

Boothbay Harbor's Recreational Activities



CLASS 5 ENTRY 7

Finalist

Jill Corr

Stonington GC

Stonington Harbor -
The Last Race of the
Season



CLASS 5 ENTRY 12

Finalist

Shannon Fitzpatrick

Framingham GC MA

**A Keystone Species,
Built on Water**



CLASS 5 ENTRY 14

Finalist

Ileene Chernhoff

Portsmouth GC RI

**"Stinging Shores",
Highlighting the importance of
jellyfish within our ecosystem**



CLASS 5 ENTRY 15

Finalist

Margot Partridge

GCF MA

**Views from
the Cliff Walk**





Class 6 Experience our Seasons

CLASS 6 ENTRY 2

Finalist

Elisa Camera

Ridgefield GC CT

**Fallen Cherry
Blossom**



CLASS 6 ENTRY 4

Finalist

Kelly Wakefield

Saint Albans GC VT

Fall Mini Moth Shadow



CLASS 6 ENTRY 5

Finalist

Maureen Morse

Country Lane GC MA

**Tulip Season is
Just About Over**



CLASS 6 ENTRY 10

Finalist

Victoria Eastman

Milo GC ME

**Japanese Maple Leaf
on Oak**



CLASS 6 ENTRY 18

Finalist

Janessa Le Comte

**Salem & Friendship GC
NH**

**Chill 'n after a Cool
Swim**





CREDITS – Judge – LISA CUCHARA



CREDITS – Our exhibitors!!!

Our exhibitors listed by State Garden Club affiliation

NAME	GARDEN CLUB	STATE
Ellen Avellino	Green Fingers GC	CT
Peggy Boissoneau	Kensington GC	CT
Meghan Brown	Thames River GC	CT
Dodie Bump	Stonington GC	CT
Debra Burger	Danbury GC	CT
Elisa Camera	Ridgefield GC	CT
Jill Corr	Stonington GC	CT
Victoria Foulke	Pomperaug Valley GC	CT
Ann Franzen	Fairfield GC	CT
Anne Friday	Hortulus	CT
Deborah Hoponick	Naugatuck GC	CT
Anne Mele	Old Saybrook GC	CT
Susan Rotando	The Fairfield GC	CT
Shannon Fitzpatrick	Framingham GC	MA
Cathleen Glynn	Aptucxet GC of Bourne	MA
Doris Holt	Chelmsford GC	MA
Janet Josselyn	Noanett GC	MA
Maureen Morse	Country Lane GC	MA
Beth Paisner	Noanett GC	MA
Margot Partridge	Federated GC of MA	MA
Vcki Saltonstall	Chestnut Hill GC	MA
Betsy Woodley	Aptucxet GC of Bourne	MA
Victoria Macmillan	North Shore GC of MA	MA
Sara Bozorg	Foreside GC ME	ME
Suzanne Bushnell	Harpswell GC	ME
Diane Dunn	Buxton GC	ME
Victoria Eastman	Milo GC	ME
Susan Joakim	Seacoast GC	ME
Christine Meyer	Mt. Blue Area GC	ME
Melody Marie Luciano	Buxton GC	ME
Norris		
Susan Davis	Derry GC(NH)	NH
Alison Hartung	Sandown GC	NH
Florine LeComte	Salem Friendship & GC	NH

Michelle Mensinger	Derry GC	NH
Robin Turnbaugh	Monadnock GC & GCF NH	NH
Jeanne Bondarevskis	Western Cranston GC	RI
Ileene Chernoff	Portsmouth, RI	RI
Kathleen Damiani	Western Cranston GC	RI
Priscilla DiMarco	Hameho GC	RI
Janessa LeComte	Salem Friendship & GC	NH
Pat Haubner	GC of Manchester VT	VT
Donna Davis	GC of Manchester VT	VT
Wallace Elton	Middlebury GC	VT
Linda Finkelstein	Burlington GC	VT
Jody Gendron	Burlington GC	VT
Rose Godard	Burlington GC	VT
Sue Haviland	Rutland GC	VT
Doris Van Mullen	Burlington GC VT	VT
Karen Vatne	Springfield GC	VT
Karen Villanti	Burlington GC VT	VT
Kelly Wakefield	St.Albans GC	VT
Martha Weintraub	GC of Manchester VT	VT



CREDITS – Thank you We could not have done this without the help of...

Thank you

New England Garden Club Photo Committee

Polly Brooks, Regional Director

Doris Van Mullen, past president FGC VT

The NE State Presidents & Newsletter Chairs

**Our State Meeting Committee Members
for encouraging the members of our clubs to enter
this annual digital photography competition.**

***The finalists' images will be on display at the
NEGC Annual Meeting in VT October 13-14, 2026
and printed copies will be for sale at the Meeting at \$10 per print.***