

GCFM STATE CALENDAR 2024-2025

GCFM State Calendar 2024-2025 Updated Nov 8, 2024				
2024	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	MORE INFO /LINK
NOVEMBER 2024				
Nov 11 2024	7:00 PM	Metro District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Metro District invite to follow Meeting via ZOOM
Nov 12 2024	7:00 PM	Northeastern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
Nov 13 2024	10:00 AM	South Shore District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Cindy Dunn for details
Nov 13 2024	7:00 PM	Cranberry District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Linda Thompson-Clem for details
Nov 14 2024	7:00 PM	Northern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
Nov 15 2024	IRS & State Filing Deadline			
Nov 20 2024	7:30PM	Western & Central South District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Western & Central South District Meeting Contact Vana Nespor for details
Nov 21 2024	6:00 PM	GCFM Webinar D & O Insurance and Liability Insurance which includes Cyber Security through GCFM	ZOOM	INFORMATIONAL WEBINAR REGARDING GCFM DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS INSURANCE With Jeffrey Helm Risk Management Advisor Alera Group Registration information to follow shortly.
Nov 22 2024	10:00-11:30 AM	GCFM Floral Design Workshop with Kaye Vosburgh "Constructing a Creative Design"	Saint Susanna Parish, 262 Needham Street, Dedham	See Flyer for more information
DECEMBER 2024				
Dec 1 2024	Deadline for State Awards submissions to GCFM in in State Award Chair, Lisa Murray GCFMStateAwards@gmail.com			
Dec 1 2024	Deadline for State Awards for Flower Shows submissions to GCFM State Award Flower Show Chair			

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Dec 5 2024	9:30 AM	GCFM Board of Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
28 Dec - Jan 2 2025	Trip Rose Bowl Parade With Road Scholar Tours		Hilton, Woodland Hills, CA	Rose Bowl Parade Flyer
Dec 31 2024	Mayflower Winter Issue submissions due			
JANUARY 2025				
28 Dec - 2 Jan 2025	GCFM Trip Rose Bowl Parade With Road Scholar Tours		Hilton, Woodland Hills, CA	Rose Bowl Parade Flyer
Jan 7 2025	10:00 AM	Landscape Design Council		
Jan 7 2025	7:00 PM	Northeastern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
Jan 8 2025	10:00 AM	South Shore District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Cindy Dunn for details
Jan 10 2025	Judges' Council Meeting		ZOOM	Information to follow
Jan 10 2025	Deadline for the GCFM Youth Essay Contest submissions due to GCFM Youth Contest Chair at: GCFMyouthcontests@gmail.com			
Jan 10 2025	Deadline for the GCFM Youth Smokey the Bear Contest submissions due to GCFM Youth Contest Chair at: GCFMyouthcontests@gmail.com			
Jan 10 2025	Deadline for the GCFM Youth POETRY Contest submissions due to GCFM Youth Contest Chair at: GCFMyouthcontests@gmail.com			
Jan 10 2025	Deadline for the GCFM Youth SCULPTURE Contest submissions due to GCFM Youth Contest Chair at: GCFMyouthcontests@gmail.com			
Jan 13 2025	7:00 PM	Metro District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Linda Thompson-Clem for details
Jan 14 2025	7:00 PM	Cranberry District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Linda Thompson-Clem for details
Jan 15 2025	7:30PM	Western & Central South District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Vana Nespor for details
Jan 16 2025	7:00 PM	Northern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
Jan 21	7:00- 8:00	Central North District Zoom	ZOOM	Contact Nancy Riggs for details

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2025	PM	Meeting		
FEBRUARY 2025				
Feb 1 2025		<p>Students interested in applying for the National Garden Club \$4000 scholarship should fill out an application on the NGC website. Please note the application is du Feb 1st. Deadline NGC Scholarship Applications & Financial Statements (High School Students) Link for details: https://search.app/q3SdpHR4rtr5Mnks8 Submissions to NGC Directly</p>		
Feb 12 2025	6:30 PM	<p>GCFM FREE Webinar For Garden Club Members University's Ware Collection of Blaschka Glass Models of Plants" by Jennifer Brown</p>	ZOOM	Registration Required Information to follow
Feb 19 2025	7:30PM	Western & Central South District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Vana Nespor directly
MARCH 2025				
March 1 2025	<p>AMES Tools Grant (A Corporate Sponsor of National Garden Clubs, Inc.) Submission information: https://search.app/JvNuMGKUjibrMPAu7</p>			
March 6 2025	9:30 AM	GCFM Board of Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
March 7, 2025	1:00 PM	<p>GCFM FREE Webinar For Garden Club Members "Organic Lawn Gardening"</p>	ZOOM	More details to follow
March 8 & 9 2025	<p>Needham Art in Bloom Needham Library</p>			
March 10 2025	<p>Deadline for the Mayflower Spring Issue submission</p>			
March 10 2025	9:00 AM	District Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
Mar 11 2025	7:00 PM	Northeastern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
Mar 11 2025	7:00 PM	Cranberry District in Person Meeting	TBA	Contact Linda Thompson-Clem for details
Mar 12 2025	10:00 AM	South Shore District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Cindy Dunn for details

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Mar 13 2025	7:00 PM	Northern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards / Donna Garrabrant for details
Mar 19 2025	7:30PM	Western & Central South District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Vana Nespor for details
Mar 21 2025	Judges' Council Meeting			Information to follow
Mar 24 2025	7:00 PM	Metro District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Metro District invite to follow Meeting via Zoom
Mar 31 2025	Deadline for Helen Freidberg Scholarship to GCFM Chairperson			
APRIL 2025				
National Garden Month				
April 1 2025	Deadline GCFM Scholarship Applications & Financial Statements (High School Students) Email to GCFM Scholarship Chair GCFMscholarship@aol.com			
April 3 2025	9:30 AM	GCFM Board of Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
April 7 2025	9:00 AM	District Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
April 9, 10, 11 2025	Garden Study School (brochure coming soon)			
April 15 2025	Deadline for the GCFM Club Insurance & Renewals Due			
April 15, 16, 17 2025		GCFM Flower Show School Course 2		Information to follow
Apr 16 2025	7:30PM	Western & Central South District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Vana Nespor directly
Apr 18 2025	7:00- 8:00 PM	Central North District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Nancy Riggs for details
April 23 2025	1:00 PM	GCFM Investment Committee		

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April 24 2025	GCFM Floral Design Workshop Presenter is Dolores Ahern		Saint Patrick's Church 82 High Street Wareham, MA	Information to follow
April 30 2025	10:00 AM - 12 Noon	Prelude to GCFM 100th Anniversary Celebration 2027	Doubletree Hotel 11 Beaver St Milford, MA	See Flyer for info
MAY 2025				
May 1 2025	9:30 AM	GCFM Board of Directors Meeting	ZOOM	ZOOM
May 5 2025	9:00 AM	District Directors Meeting	ZOOM	
May 6 2025	7:00 PM	Northeastern District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Kim Edwards for details
May 10 2025	Deadline for GCFM Goldberg Award			
May 12 2025	7:00 PM	Metro District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Invite to follow for Meeting on Zoom or Contact Linda Thompson-Clem
May 13 2025	7:00 PM	Cranberry District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Invite to follow for Meeting on Zoom or Contact Linda Thompson-Clem
May 18-22 2025	National Garden Club Annual Meeting The Embassy Suites Hotel 5055 International Blvd North Charleston, SC		North Charleston, South Carolina	Information to follow
May 30 2025	Judges' Council Meeting			Information to follow
May 31 2025	The Espoma Company- (A Corporate Sponsor of National Garden Clubs, Inc) Grant submission information: https://search.app/rPcFGBFufwVCBTU59			
JUNE 2025				
June 10 2025	Deadline for the Mayflower Summer Issue Submission to GCFMmayflower@gmail.com			
June 11 2025	10:00 AM	South Shore District Zoom Meeting	ZOOM	Contact Cindy Dunn for details

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June 15 2025	Garden Club Deadline for Yearbook Directory Submission			
June 19 2025	8:30 AM - 2:30 PM	98th GCFM Annual Conference	Danversport 161 Elliott St Danvers, MA	Information to follow