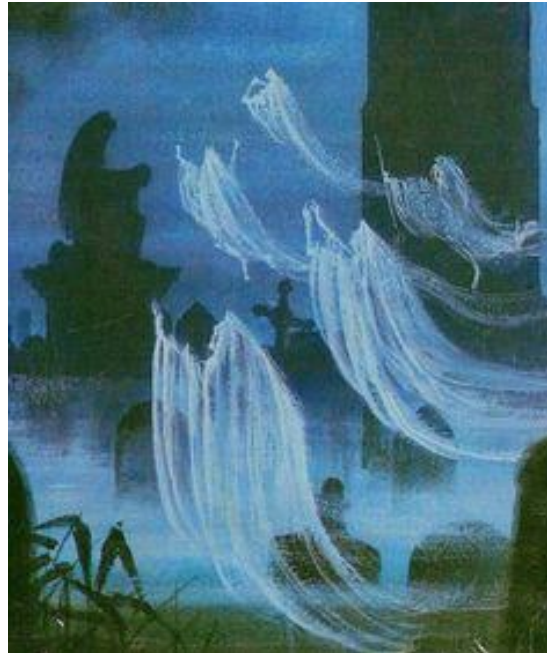


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***"Ghosts of the Sourlands"***

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*Friday, October 30, 2015: 1:30-7:30pm*  
*Saturday, October 31, 2015: 10:00am-3:00pm*

***'Ghosts of the Sourlands'***  
***A Standard Flower Show***

The Neshanic Garden Club is excited to be hosting a Standard Flowers Show at the Montgomery United Methodist Church.

This show celebrates The Sourlands, a 4,000 acre Mountain Preserve in Somerset County, NJ and a fun time of the year – Halloween!

The Preserve occupies a portion of the northeast “point” of the Sourland Region, which stretches southwest across Hillsborough and Montgomery Townships through Southern Hunterdon and northern Mercer counties to the Delaware River.

The Sourland Mountain Preserve offers several recreational opportunities in an undisturbed natural setting, including hiking, mountain biking, bird watching, bouldering, and horseback riding. It is extremely rich in natural resources, and an area that boasts a variety of stream corridors, geologic outcrops, and an ecological preserve that provides a core habitat for a diversity of plant and animal species.

Thank you for attending the show!

*THE FLOWER SHOW COMMITTEE*

## President's Message

The Neshanic Garden Club takes great pleasure in welcoming you to our Flower Show inviting you to share in celebrating our 86<sup>th</sup> anniversary with us.

As we approach the season of celebrations, we are happy to display our many talents by hosting this National Garden Clubs, Inc., Standard Flower Show "Ghosts of the Sourlands". Come enjoy our floral displays, horticulture exhibits, artistic crafts and photography. Check out our Youth Group's "Creepy Veggie Critters" and the Educational and Invitational exhibits from the Sourland Conservancy, The Karen Nash Memorial Butterfly Garden, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection's "Choices Make Changes", and the Garden Club of New Jersey's Backyard Wildlife Habitat Project.

Pick up the Neshanic Garden Club's leaflet showcasing our activities and projects.

I would like to thank the Flower Show Committee and club members for the many hours they put in planning and staging this event, and thank you for attending.

Enjoy our show and Happy Halloween!

Marion Nation  
Neshanic Garden Club President



Special Thanks to: Montgomery United Methodist Church; Lee at Kingwood Gardens;

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Ambleside Gardens and Edward V. Danberry

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## General Rules

- 1 All classes are open to Garden Club of New Jersey Members and the public except Division I, Section A, Class 1, and Division II, Section D, Class 10 which is open to Neshanic Garden Club members only, and Division III, Section E & Section F which is open to Neshanic Garden Club youth members only.
- 2 There must be an emphasis on fresh plant material. No artificial plant material is permitted in any Division. Fresh plant material may not be treated, or altered by the application of oil or commercial “shine” products that may artificially change the natural color and texture.
- 3 Each entry must be the work of one exhibitor except where noted in the schedule. Educational Exhibits can have one or more exhibitors.
- 4 All tables will be skirted in green and topped in gray.
- 5 Plants on the Category I Invasive Plant List of the Nature Conservancy are NOT permitted except in Educational Exhibits.
- 6 Plants on the NJ Conservation Guide List are NOT permitted unless grown by exhibitor or legally acquired and must be so stated on a 3”x 5” card.
- 7 Entry cards will be provided by Division Chairs. All entry cards must be filled out in pencil or waterproof black ink in advance if possible.
- 8 All entries may be entered, registered and checked from 4:00 pm-8:00 pm on Thursday, October 29, 2015, unless prior permission is obtained from the Design or Horticulture Chair to bring the entry in on October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 7:30 to 9:00 am.
- 9 The Chair for Design, Horticulture and Special Exhibits must review and pass ALL entries in their respective Divisions for proper horticulture identification and conformity to the schedule prior to exhibitors departing showroom floor.
- 10 Judging will begin promptly at 10:00 am on Friday, October 30, 2015. Only the Show Co-Chairs, Horticulture Chair, Design Co-Chairs, Special Exhibits Chair, Clerks and Clerks Chair will be allowed on the floor during judging.
- 11 Judging will utilize the Standards set forth in the National Garden Clubs, Inc., Handbook for Flower Shows, Revised 2007 with subsequent amendments in *The National Gardener*. Judges may withhold top exhibitor awards if not merited. The decision of the judges is final.
- 12 The show will be open to the public at the conclusion of judging or at 1:30 pm, on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- 13 The Flower Show Committee shall exercise care to safeguard exhibits but will not be held responsible for loss or damages.
- 14 All properties must be removed at the show closing on Saturday, October 31, 2015 at 3:00 pm but **not before**.
- 15 Handbook for Flower Shows, Revised 2007 will be abbreviated as HB throughout this schedule.

## Awards

The National Garden Clubs, Inc. Standard Systems of Awarding will be used for all competitive judging:

- Only one first place (blue) ribbon per class or subclass requiring a score of 90 points or above.
- Only one second place (red) ribbon per class or subclass requiring a score of 85 points or above.
- Only one third place (yellow) ribbon per class or subclass requiring a score of 80 points or above.
- One or more honorable mention (white) ribbons, as merited, scoring 75 points and above.

**Judges are requested to sign and date all blue, sectional and divisional top exhibitor awards and indicate “90+”, if merited, on all entry cards of non-blue ribbon exhibits.**

### NGC, Inc. Top Exhibitor Awards

#### Design Division

**Holiday Excellence Award:** A rosette of red ribbons. This may be awarded to the highest scoring blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or above in the entire design division entered by a single exhibitor. One award offered.

**Designer’s Choice Award:** A rosette of purple ribbons. This may be awarded to the highest scoring blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or above in Section B. Four designs per class required. One award offered.

**Petite Award:** A small rosette of blue and white ribbons. This may be awarded to the highest scoring blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or above in Section A. Four designs per class required. One award offered.

#### Horticulture Division

**Award of Horticultural Excellence:** A rosette of green, orange and blue ribbons. This may be awarded to the finest correctly named blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or above in the entire horticulture division entered by a single exhibitor. One award offered.

**Award of Merit:** A rosette of orange ribbons. These awards may be offered to the highest scoring and correctly named blue ribbon winners scoring 95 or above in designated Sections of cut, non-arboreal specimens sharing some physical, quality and condition/life cycle, or one genus. One per Section provided all General and Horticultural Requirements have been met. Four awards offered: Section C, Section E, Section F, and Section G.

**Grower's Choice Award:** A rosette of dark green ribbons. This may be awarded to the highest scoring, correctly named, blue ribbon exhibits scoring 95+ or above in Section A and Section B. Two awards offered provided all other General and Horticulture Requirements have been met.

### **Special Exhibits Division**

**Educational Top Exhibitor Award:** A rosette of brown and white ribbons may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit scoring 95 or above in Section B. One award offered provided all requirements are met.

**Youth Top Exhibitor Award:** A rosette of red, white, and blue ribbons may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit scoring 90 or above in Section E, sub-section E-1, Class 8. Three awards are offered, one for each age group, provided all requirements are met.

### **Additional NGC, Inc. Exhibitor Award**

**Artistic Craft Award:** A rosette of navy ribbons with gold lettering. This award may be given to the highest scoring exhibit of 95 or above in Division III, Section D. Must include some plant material. One award offered provided all requirements are met.

**Award of Appreciation:** A rosette of orchid ribbons. This award may be awarded to a non-competitive exhibit in Division III, Section A, Classes 1 and 2.

### **Neshanic Garden Club Awards**

**Photography Award:** A Neshanic Garden Club rosette may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit 95+ or above in Division III, Section C. One award offered.

**Neshanic Garden Club Dish Garden Challenge:** A Neshanic Garden Club rosette may be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit 95 or above in Division II, Section D, Class 10. One award offered.

**Neshanic Garden Club Youth Award:** May be awarded to the highest scoring exhibit of 90 or above in Division III, Section E, sub-section E-2, Class 9. Must include some plant material. Three awards offered, one for each age group, provided all requirements are met.

## Design Rules

1. Refer to General Rules, pg. 3 and HB pg. 29.
2. Design entries MUST be preregistered with the Design Co-Chairs and Section Consultants by October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
3. **If designer is unable to fulfill assignment, it is the designer's responsibility to find a replacement and to notify the appropriate Consultant.**
4. Exhibitors may enter as many classes in Design Division as desired, but only one entry per class.
5. No landscapes allowed.
6. Each design entry is to be accompanied by a 3x5" index card listing plant materials used in the design. Common names for plant material are acceptable.
7. Design must be the work of one person.
8. Some plant material must be used in every exhibit and need not have been grown by exhibitor. This includes fresh/and or dried plant material.
9. No *artificial* plant material, flowers, fruit, foliage, or vegetables may be used.
10. Fresh plant material may not be treated in any manner. Only dried plant material may be treated and/or painted.
11. Vegetables and fruits may be used in designs if uncut. Exception: whole, cleaned and/or carved pumpkins and/or gourds may be used.
12. Capsule-Functional Table requires table coverings provided by committee that hangs to the floor. Use of silverware is discouraged.
13. Class 1 is open **only** to Neshanic Garden Club members who are **Novice** designers, who have never won a blue ribbon in the Design Division of a NGC Standard Flower Show.
14. If a designer is unable to transport and/or setup their completed design, a substitute may enter the design(s) for the designer.
15. All Design Consultants are to review designs within their Sections for conformance to the schedule before exhibitor leaves the showroom floor.
16. American and other national flags may not be incorporated into competitive design nor be used in any other fashion.
17. **Judging Scale of Points for Design** may be found in HB in page 303.
18. Exhibitors are responsible for keeping their designs in good condition through the duration of the show. Spent plant materials may be replaced prior to and after judging by exhibitor or designate.
19. Refer to the HB, pp. 189-190 for a list of materials that are **NOT** prohibited.
20. All entries to be received on October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 4:00 to 8:00 pm and, with prior permission only from the Design Co-Chairs, on October 30<sup>th</sup>, from 7:30 to 9:00 am and checked. **Exhibitors must be off the showroom floor by 9:30 am.**



## **Division I - Design “Sourland Specters”** Must preregister with Design Chairs

Co-Chair Carmella Shepley 908-369-4272 [carmrich@verizon.net](mailto:carmrich@verizon.net)

Co-Chair Barbara Devitt 908-782-6595 [barbndon@embarqmail.com](mailto:barbndon@embarqmail.com)

*All Adult Design Classes are eligible for the Holiday Excellence Award*

### **Section A “Zion General Store”**

*Eligible for Petite Award*

Consultant: Jean Stives 908-359-6480 [mjstives50@centurylink.net](mailto:mjstives50@centurylink.net)

#### **Class 1 “Witchy Whittling” 4 Entries**

**A Small Design (Freedom of Style)** featuring a Novice Class, designer’s choice of plant material and components, not to exceed 8”H x 8”W x 8”D, staged at 49”H on shelf skirted in green and topped in gray provided by committee. Underlay and background panel may be used and provided by designer. Judged from front and open to Neshanic Garden Club members who are Novices (an exhibitor who has never won a blue ribbon in a design class in a flower show). (HB pg. 204).

#### **Class 2 “Potions & Notions” 4 Entries**

**A Small Design (Freedom of Style)** not to exceed 8”H x 8”W x 8”D. Staged on a shelf 49” H, skirted in green with gray top provided by committee, underlay and background panel may be used and provided by designer. Designer’s choice of plant material and other components. (HB pg. 204).

#### **Class 3 “Casting a Spell” 4 Entries**

**A Miniature Design (Freedom of Style)** staged on a shelf provided by committee at eye level, design not to exceed 5”H x 5”W x 5”D. Underlay and background panel may be used and provided by designer. Designer’s choice of plant materials and components. Shelf to be skirted in green with gray top provided by committee. (HB pp. 203-204).

### **Section B “Ghostly Manifestations”**

*Eligible for Designer’s Choice Award* Consultant: Doris Szala 908-359-0410

#### **Class 4 “Halloween Dining at Hillbilly Hall” 4 Entries**

**A Capsule-Functional Table** for one person, must include a floral design, designer’s choice of plant materials and components, staged on a 30” round, 30” H table, provided by committee. Exhibitor to provide 90” round tablecloth to floor. Judged from front. Use of silverware discouraged. (HB pg. 216).

**Class 5 “Cabin in the Sourlands” 4 Entries**

**A Still Life Design**, staged on a 30”H table with dimensions 36”W x 30”D, no height restriction, table skirted in green with gray top provided by committee. Underlay and background panel may be used and provided by designer. Exhibit viewed from front. Components used must be dominant and true to function with “some” plant material included, designer’s choice of plant materials and components. (HB pp. 209-210).

**Class 6 “Ghost of Knitting Betty” 4 Entries**

**A Design (Freedom of Style)** staged on a 35”H x 15”square black pedestal provided by committee, design not to exceed 26”W x 26”D, and viewed from front. Designer’s choice of plant material and other components, underlay may be used. No height restriction. (HB pp. 181-183).



## Horticulture Rules

1. Refer to General Rules and HB pp. 103-105.
2. All plant material must be fresh and have been grown by the exhibitor and may not be altered in any way to change the natural color and texture.
3. Exhibits must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for not fewer than 90 days. Exception: Plants grown from seed, seedling, cutting or immature transplants, bulbs, rhizomes, tubers or corms. Combination plantings must have been in exhibitor's possession and growing together for no fewer than 6 weeks.
4. Double potting is allowed but interior pot cannot show.
5. Horticulture entries will be received on Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 4:00 to 8:00 pm, and with prior permission only from the Horticultural Chair, on Friday, October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 7:30 am to 9:00 am.
6. Each horticulture entry card must be filled out in advance using pencil or water proof ink and specimen identified by its binomial name or its currently accepted scientific nomenclature, underlining Genus and species and stating variety/cultivar when available in single quotes. A common name is suggested for educational purposes and should be enclosed in parentheses. Example: Genus species 'Cultivar/Variety' (Common Name)
7. An exhibitor may enter more than one entry per class if each entry is a different species and variety/cultivar, type or color.
8. Cut specimens will be displayed in transparent bottles provided by Flower Show Committee. Cut specimens should not have foliage below the water line.
9. Wedging will be provided by Flower Show Committee to improve the pose of cut specimens consisting of plastic wrap or bubble wrap.
10. Plastic plates will be provided for staging all potted plants, pumpkin, gourd and late season vegetable exhibits.
11. Each entry **MUST** be checked and passed by Horticulture Classification Committee before being registered and placed.
12. The Classification Committee may subdivide classes as warranted and to refuse any entry deemed not to be of show quality.
13. **Scales of Points for judging Horticulture** can be found on **pp. 297-300** of the *Handbook for Flower Shows, Revised, 2007*.

## **Division II – Horticulture “Goblins Amidst Flora & Fauna”**

Horticulture Chair Barbara Majewski 908-359-6819 [butterflybarb01@yahoo.com](mailto:butterflybarb01@yahoo.com)

*All Horticultural Classes are eligible for Award of Horticultural Excellence*

### **Section A “Devil’s Half Acre” Must preregister with Horticulture Chair**

*Eligible for Grower’s Choice Award*

Container grown foliage plants

**Class 1** Container up to 4” in diameter.

**Class 2** Container more than 4”D up to 8” in diameter.

**Class 3** Container more than 8”D up to 12” in diameter.

### **Section B “Fort Haunts” Must preregister with Horticulture Chair**

*Eligible for Grower’s Choice Award*

Container grown flowering and/or fruited plants

**Class 4** Container up to 4” in diameter.

**Class 5** Container more than 4”D up to 8” in diameter.

**Class 6** Container more than 8”D up to 12” in diameter.

### **Section C “Hopewell Valley’s Hitchhiker Ghost”**

*Eligible for Award of Merit*

Flowering Herbaceous Perennials-One cut flowering stem and/or spray with attached foliage

**Class 7** *Aster*

**Class 8** *Chrysanthemum*

**Class 9** Any other cut flowering herbaceous perennial

### **Section D “Goat Hill Ghouls” Must attend workshop on August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

*Eligible for Neshanic Garden Club Dish Garden Challenge Award*

Combination Planting

A dish garden, a miniature landscape with 3 or more Cacti and Other Succulents (maximum 5), grown together in an open container.

**Class 10** Neshanic Garden Club Dish Garden Cacti/Succulents Challenge. Class only open to attendees of the August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015, Dish garden workshop with plants, container and soil provided by Committee. Optional accessories may be provided by exhibitor.

### **Section E “Silvia Dubois’s Evanescence”**

*Eligible for Award of Merit*

One cut specimen with at least 1” of attached stem to be exhibited on a plate provided by Committee.

**Class 11** *Curcubita pepo* (Pumpkin, Squash)

**Class 12** *Lagenaria siceraria* (Gourd)

**Class 13** *Cucurbita mosehata* (Squash)

**Class 14** Any other *Cucurbita* species

## Section F “Edward Boehm’s Dance Frolics”

*Eligible for Award of Merit*

Flowering Bulbs, Corms, Rhizomes, and Tubers

**Class 15** *Canna*---one cut flowering stem without leaves

**Class 16** *Dahlia*---one cut flowering stem disbudded with minimum of one set of leaves

**Class 17** Any other cut flowering bulb, corm, rhizome or tuber

## Section G “Ghosts of Stouts behind every rock”

*Eligible for Award of Merit*

Herbs—Single cut non flowering stem with attached foliage

**Class 18** *Rosemarinus officinalis*

**Class 19** *Salvis officinalis*

**Class 20** Any other single cut non flowering herb stem



## Special Exhibits Rules

1. Refer to General Rules.
2. Entries will be received on Thursday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2015 from 4:00 to 8:00 pm.
3. Entry cards will be filled out by Consultants and placed.
4. Each Artistic Craft entry requires a 3 x 5" card listing materials used.
5. Educational Exhibits must occupy a minimum of 18 square feet of surface area.
6. Fresh and/or dried plant material is encouraged in all classes excluding Photography.
7. Artistic Craft entries may be decorated with paint and/or fresh and/or dried plant materials. Dried plant materials may be treated or painted.
8. **Scales of Points for judging Artistic Craft Exhibits can be found in HB, pg. 304.**
9. **Scales of Points for judging an Educational Exhibit is in HB, pg. 304.**
10. Photos must be 8" x 10" only, matted in **White** in an 11" x 14" mat overlay. Hanging device and a clear acetate sleeve will be provided by Committee at entry. Pre-registration required.
11. Photography to be judged by panel of three professional photographers looking at creativity, composition, technical merit, quality of image, conformance and distinction, according to *The National Gardener*, Fall, 2012 Scale of Points for Photography.
12. Youth Designs should refer to Design Rules.

### Division III Special Exhibits "Ghostly Apparitions"

Special Exhibits Chair Arline Pagliaro 732-247-8175 maypagliaro@verizon.net

#### Section A Invitational Exhibits

##### "Sourlands Wildlife & Diversity Threatened by Sprawl"

*Eligible for Award of Appreciation*

##### Exhibit 1 "Sourland Conservancy"

###### Outlining Conservancy's Mission

Illustrating steps used to implement the Conservancy's mission to protect the ecological integrity, historic resources and special character of the Sourland Mountain Region. Staged on an 8' table skirted in green, topped in gray provided by committee.

##### Exhibit 2 "Got Milkweed?"

###### How to create a Monarch Waystation

The Karen Nash Memorial Butterfly Garden Junior Garden Club presents the importance of planting milkweed corridors to save the Monarch Butterfly. Staged on an 8' table skirted in green, topped in gray provided by committee.



## **Section B Educational Exhibits “Eugene O’Neill of Rock Mill”**

*Eligible for Educational Top Exhibitor Award* Must occupy a minimum of 18 square feet surface area. Inclusion of plant material is encouraged.

### **Exhibit 1 “What’s a Poor Bug to do?”**

#### **Choices Make Changes: Creating a Healthy Habitat**

With the increasing encroachment on our open space and the use of sterile landscaping schemes in our communities, how can a poor “bug” survive? The answer is we must all make an effort to help our beneficial insects. The “ins and outs” of creating a healthy habitat will be demonstrated. Staged on an 8’ table, skirted in green, topped in gray provided by committee.

### **Exhibit 2 “GCNJ Backyard Wildlife Habitat Project”**

#### **Create a Wildlife Protective Habitat in your yard and garden**

National Garden Clubs, Inc. is partnering with the National Wildlife Federation to work on the Million Pollinator Garden Challenge by the National Pollinator Garden Network. The goal is to help establish one million gardens to support pollinator recovery. Staged on an 8’ table, skirted in green, topped in gray provided by committee.

## **Section C Photography “George Bellows Spirit is Alive and Well”**

Consultant Marion Nation 908-359-6317 [mrsnation@comcast.net](mailto:mrsnation@comcast.net) pre-registration Required by October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015, limited to 1 photo per class, per entrant

*Eligible for Neshanic Garden Club Photography Award*

**Photos must be 8” x 10” only, matted in a white 11” x 14” mat overlay, hanging device and a clear acetate sleeve will be provided by committee at entry.**

**Class 1 Fall Color**

**Class 2 Flowers**

**Class 3 Landscapes**

**Class 4 Wildflowers**

## **Section D Artistic Crafts “Ghosts of Lindbergh, Docherty & Danberry Babies Inhabit the Ether Waves of the Sourlands”**

*Eligible for Artistic Craft Award*

### **Class 5 “Cora’s Wraith, 17 Forever” 4 Entries**

**A Collage, an abstract creative design** in low relief created on a canvas panel, 24”W x 36”H provided by Committee. Components can be bonded with glue, paste or otherwise attached to panel. Exhibitor must include some plant material. Staging provided by committee. (HB pp. 197-198).

### **Class 6 “Tales of Minnietown’s Fiddling Pete” 4 Entries**

**A pumpkin decorated with succulents** crafted at a Neshanic Garden Club workshop on October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015. To be exhibited on a dish staged on a 30”H table. Pumpkins and succulents procured at workshop and provided by Committee.

### **Class 7 “Peddler Michael’s Specter Roams the Sourlands” 4 Entries**

**Gourd made into a birdhouse** and decorated by exhibitor **must have** plant materials, paint, and/or other components. Must include hanging mechanism---to be exhibited on wood tree by Committee.





## Section E Youth “Rock Mountain Haunts”

### Pre-Registration:

Ages 5-6; 7-8; 9-11

Consultants: **Carol Ann Lindstrom 908-369-4278** **Clara Weller 908-432-0118**

### E-1 Youth Design

*Eligible for Youth Top Exhibitor Award*

**Class 8 “Tribute to Ghost of John Hart, Revolutionary War Hero of the Sourlands” A Design**, (freedom of style), no more than 15” wide and deep, no height restriction. Designer’s choice of fresh and/or dried plant material.. Staged on a 30” high table, skirted in green and topped in gray provided by committee. Exhibitors to provide list of plant materials used on a 3” x 5” index card.

- a. ages 5-6 years old.
- b. ages 7-8 years old.
- c. ages 9-11 years old.

### E-2 Youth Artistic Crafts

*Eligible for Neshanic Garden Club Youth Award*

### Class 9 “Creepy Veggie Critters”

**Neshanic Garden Club’s youth will create Halloween creatures** using fresh and/or dried plant material and other components. Exhibits to be staged on a 12” square board on a 30”H table, skirted in green and topped in gray provided by committee.

- a. ages 5-6 years old.
- b. ages 7-8 years old.
- c. ages 9-11 years old.



**Epitaph in the Danberry Cemetery off Long Hill Road, in the  
Sourland Mountains**

**Cora M**

**Daughter of  
Edward N & Margaret E Danberry  
1890-1907**

**Dearest daughter thou hast  
Left us and thy loss we deeply feel  
It is God who has bereft us  
He will all our sorrows shield**

