



Upcycle Garden Challenge

– presented by Tui & Resene

We Kiwis are an ingenious bunch when it comes to creating something new out of not a lot. This year we are celebrating the Kiwi can-do attitude with our Upcycled Garden Challenge. We want you to create a small, colourful garden from upcycled objects with edible plants and colourful Resene paint and/or Resene wood stain colours incorporated in some way. Upcycled objects could include pallets, metal baths, bed heads – anything you can create a planter out of. Get those creative juices flowing and show us how one man's trash really is another man's treasure!

Winning prize

The winning garden will take away the grand prize of \$500 Resene voucher, \$500 Tui Products voucher and a \$250 dinner voucher. The runner up receives \$250 Resene voucher and a \$250 Tui Products voucher. All that enter are eligible for flower show medals, a certificate will be distributed to all successful exhibitions.

Who can enter?

Anyone! This category is open to members of the public, interior/exterior designers, passionate 'up cyclers' horticulturalists or anyone with the imagination to create something special. People can enter as individuals or group together to form a team. An application form which includes the design and concept for your exhibit needs to be completed and a selection of successful applicants will be made by the NZFGS Event Director.



Practicalities

- Exhibit size: 2.4 metre X 2.4 metre.
Viewed: Viewed from two sides.
4 gardens will be sited back to back in a cluster of 4.
- Base & Walls: The flower show will provide a treated plywood base, and walls on two sides. The walls will also be 2.4 metres high.



Application deadline 6th September 2017

Applications can be printed off and emailed to info@NZFGS.co.nz
Alternatively, you can complete the online form on our website
www.nzflowergardenshow.co.nz under the Exhibitor tab.

Considerations

- Please consider the vertical aspect of your exhibit, it has tall walls which should be incorporated fully into the design.
- Your design must include paint on all walls and the floor.
- No holes may be cut into the plywood.
- In the upcycle spirit, only solar power should be used on these sites.
- Please consider your neighbours will your exhibit impact on them at all?

Provided

\$400 + GST grant

Treated plywood walls and floors.

All the Resene Primer, Paints and Stains you need – kindly provided by Resene

\$250 worth of Tui Products incl garden mix etc

Other potential Resene props – Empty paint pots, testpots, paint stirrers etc.

2 tickets to the flower show

Please note that you get to keep all items created for the show or you can sell them in the Sunday afternoon sell-off which takes place at 5pm.

Signage

NZFGS will provide signage including the exhibitors/team name

The sign will be 900mm x 300mm and will be positioned at the top right-hand corner of your right hand wall. The Exhibitor may also display a brief description of their exhibit concept, this can be no larger than A3 in size.

Judging

As with all categories at the flower show each display will be judged on the following basis:

Medals

- Four medal grades for each exhibition category are available for reward at NZFGS: Gold, Silver, Bronze and Merit award.
- Medals are awarded by judging panels of three or more qualified judges.
- Certificates will be distributed at or immediately after the flower show.

- Signs displaying the medal won will be distributed to the exhibitors during the afternoon of the media event, immediately prior to the gala opening, for display during the week of the show.

Medal	Points Required
Gold	85-100
Silver	70-84
Bronze	50-69
Merit	40-49

Best in Show Awards

Best In Show Award	Criteria
Overall Best in Show Award	This is the pre-eminent NZFGS award which is rewarded to the exhibit deemed by the judges to be the best exhibit in the entire show
Design Excellence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This award is awarded to the exhibit which complies most successfully with the NZFGS design criteria. • The principles of design excellence are applied to all horticultural exhibits including floral design. • Only those exhibits which have been awarded a Gold medal are eligible for this award.
Horticultural Excellence	All exhibits that feature horticultural material and recognise plant appropriateness, plant associations and other horticultural excellence practises within the exhibit are eligible for this award.
Construction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All exhibits that feature excellence in construction within the exhibits are eligible for this award. • A wide variety of construction techniques should be demonstrated.

Other Awards	Criteria
People's Choice Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This award is judged solely by visitors who vote during the early period of the Show for their favourite exhibit. • Judging takes place between 12pm Tuesday 28 and 2pm Friday 31 Nov
Upcycle Garden Challenge Winner	While all exhibits within the Upcycle Garden Challenge category are eligible to win medals, only those exhibits which have been awarded a Gold Medal are eligible for this award.
Sustainability	An award presented to the exhibit should multiple sustainable practices to the highest of standards. This award is open to all medal winners.
Special Feature	Demonstration of one exceptional, unique, feature within an exhibit. This award is open to all medal winners

Judging Criteria for the Upcycle Garden Challenge:

Originality & Creativity	15
WOW factor	15
Unique use of Upcycled material:	15
Design incl:	
• Command of space/proportion	10
• Use of hard/soft material incl:	10
• Plant quality	10
• Use of colour	10
Overall Quality of exhibit including finish	15
TOTAL	100

UPCYCLE GARDEN CHALLENGE APPLICATION FORM



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PLEASE NOTE, EXHIBITORS APPLYING TO BE A PART OF THE SHOW WILL BE SELECTED BASED ON HOW THEY COMPLIMENT THE NZ FLOWER & GARDEN SHOW. ACCEPTANCE IS NOT GUARANTEED.

Exhibitor/Team Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Best phone number: _____

Best Email: _____

Postal Address: _____ Post Code: _____

Website: _____

On a separate sheet please provide a drawing/images a design of your exhibit. Please also include a brief written description of your intended upcycle exhibit. Don't worry there is always the opportunity to update or change these details! However, this information will be used as part of the exhibit selection process.

Signed: _____

Contact Name: _____ Date: _____

Please scan and email your application plus any supporting images and/or sketched site designs to info@nzfgs.co.nz or post to NZ Flower and Garden Show, PO Box 60348, Titirangi, Auckland 0642

PRIVACY STATEMENT/DECLARATION

Privacy Statement

1. By completing an Application Form, you are providing personal information about yourself to NZFGS. You agree that NZFGS may use that information for the purpose of facilitating an exhibit at NZFGS.
2. You agree that you may be contacted by way of post, email transmissions, and by telephone and that NZFGS will not be responsible for third parties accessing any mail, email transmissions or telephone messages sent to you.
3. Personal information about you will be held by NZFGS. You may have access to that information and request changes to it.
4. You are not required by law to provide personal information. However, if you do not supply the information requested on this Application Form then NZFGS may be unable to process your application.

Declaration:

I, the Applicant, undertake that:

- The information provided in this Application Form is correct.
- I have read, understood and accepted the terms, conditions and rules contained in this document.
- I have read and understood the Privacy Statement.
- I have authorised NZFGS to use the personal information contained in this Application Form for the purposes set out in the Privacy Statement.