

FEDERATED GARDEN CLUBS OF IOWA, INC
BLUE RIBBON CLUB

To qualify for this award, a club must have a minimum score of 100 on the following list, and have a club yearbook sent upon publication. If more space is needed, use a separate sheet of paper. This form is sent to the Awards Chairperson by **February 1.** ~ *Additional copies to be sent to the State President and District Director.* ~

Underlined items are required (60 Points toward Blue Ribbon rating). A Book of Evidence is **NOT** required for this Rating.

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<u>Club Yearbook sent upon publication to State President, District Director, and Awards Chairperson</u>	10	
<u>Federation Dues (not later than February 1</u>	10	
<u>Promotion of Garden Week, first week in June</u>	10	
<u>Annual report made promptly to State President, District Director, and Awards Chairperson.</u>	10	
<u>Contributions: Send only the following to the State Treasurer by May 1 - Contribution to FGCI Horticulture Scholarship (ISU), not less than 5 dollars (10 extra points for contributions above \$25 in each category)</u>	10	
<u>Contributions: Send only the following to the State Treasurer by May 1 - Contribution to FGCI Landscape Design Scholarship (ISU), not less than 5 dollars (10 extra points for contributions above \$25 in each category)</u>	10	
Club and Community Activities:		
Attendance not less than 50% of membership at each meeting	5	
Community project engaged in by club	10	
Program on environment education	10	
Work with youth	10	
Increase in membership	5	
A membership increase of more than 10% additional pts	5	
Program on birds, flowers, trees, and butterflies	5	
Garden Therapy Project	10	
Program on Conservation	10	
Program on Horticulture	10	
Garden Center where garden information is available to public	10	
Standard Flower show held, may be with other club	10	
Radio and/or TV participation	10	
Newspaper publicity of club event	10	
Plant a tree as a club	5	

News sent regularly to District Director	10	
For each Flower Show Judge, Landscape Design Consultant, Environmental consultant or Garden Study Consultant that is a member of your club	10	
Additional Contributions: Send the following contributions as a club to the individual places.		
Contribution to the Iowa Arboretum	5	
Contribution to any other Arboretum, give name	5	
Contribution to the Botanical Center	5	
Contribution to Nature Conservancy	5	
Contribution to Plant-A-Tree	5	
Contribution to Plant America	5	
Contribution to Blue Star Marker, not less than \$10	10	
PARTICIPATION IN DISTRICT, STATE, REGIONAL, NATIONAL ACTIVITIES:		
Attendance at State Annual Meeting (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at Regional Meeting (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at National Meeting (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at District Meeting (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at District Workshop (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Participation in State Flower Show (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at Symposium (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance at Landscape Design School (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance Garden School (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
Attendance Environmental Schools (per person) (_____ # x 5 points)		
TOTAL		

Club Name _____

President's Name _____

Date: _____