



**THE INLAND EMPIRE GARDENERS'
& THE SPOKESMAN-REVIEW'S
GARDEN OF THE MONTH
CONTEST ENTRY BLANK**

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____
(must include zip code)

PHONE/CELL NUMBER: _____

EMAIL: _____

IN 50-WORDS OR LESS, DESCRIBE YOUR GARDEN:

**WOULD YOU CONSIDER BEING ON A PUBLIC GARDEN
TOUR IN THE FUTURE? _____ YES _____ NO**

***ON ENTRY BLANK, STAPLE ONE (NON-RETURNABLE)
PHOTO OF GARDEN (WRITE NAME/ADDRESS ON BACK)**

RETURN COMPLETED ENTRY BLANK TO:

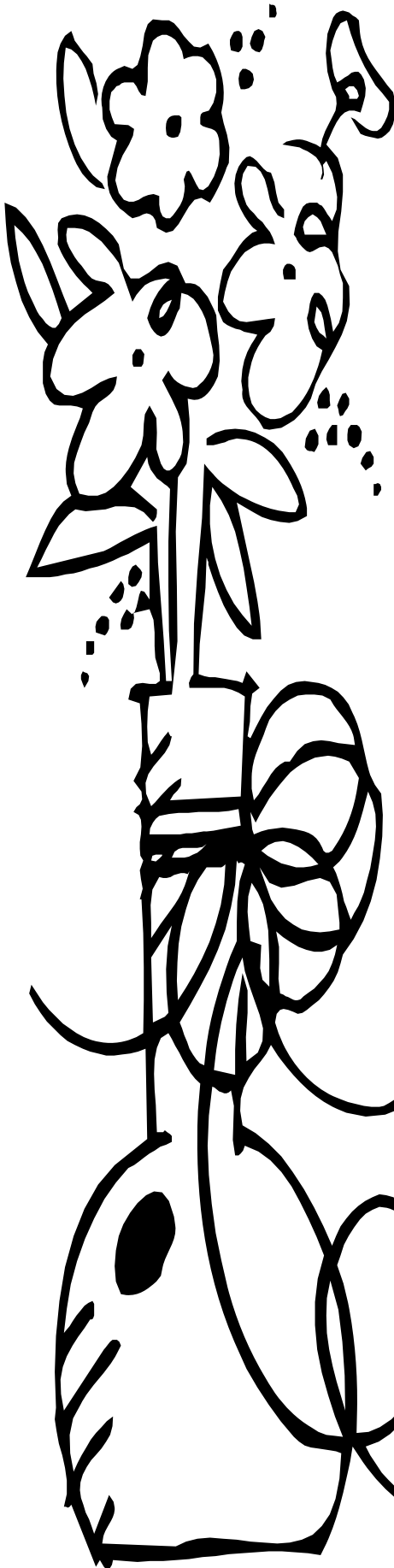
NORTHWEST SEED SPRAGUE LOCATION

***OR MAIL TO: GARDEN OF THE MONTH CONTEST
PO BOX 13184, SPOKANE VALLEY, WA 99213-3184***

**ENTRY DEADLINE FOR GARDEN OF THE MONTH
CONTEST IS THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH**

GARDEN OF THE MONTH

RULES & REGULATIONS



- 1 - The purpose of this contest is to promote gardening and the beautification of our neighborhoods. The Garden of the Month Contest is open to private residents of the City of Spokane and Spokane Valley.
- 2 - Each month will be the start of a new contest. All entries received for a certain month will only be good for that month. One entry per a month. Enter as many monthly contests as you wish in the growing season. One Garden of the Month contest winner per a garden or household please.
- 3 - Each contest will conclude by the 15th day of the month (June through September) and monthly contest winner will be announced in Spokesman-Review.
- 4 - Only 5 gardens will be chosen monthly from entries to be judged any given month. Contest entrants agree to a tour of their garden by judges (usually around 3rd weekend of month entered), an interview by newspaper staff, and to have photos taken of their garden for possible publication purposes in the newspaper.
- 5 - The decision of the judges is arbitrary and final.
- 6 - All taxes are the responsibility of contest winner.
- 7 - The selection committee will be members of The Inland Empire Gardeners. In case of a tie or if a decision cannot be reached, the winner of the monthly contest will be determined by the head of the Garden of the Month Selection Committee.
- 8 - The monthly winner will receive recognition in the Spokesman-Review; an annual membership in The Inland Empire Gardeners and an engraved, keepsake stepping stone; and a gift certificate from Northwest Seed and Pet.
- 9 - Entries and photos become the property of The Inland Empire Gardeners and will not be returned.
- 10 - This contest is subject to end at any time without advanced notice. All rights reserved.