

Renaissance Asheville Hotel  
31 Woodfin Street  
Asheville, NC 28801  
877-212-5752 mention Garden Club of NC  
\$109.00 per night for Sunday and Monday Nights  
Check in 4:00 pm – Check out 11:00 am

### **Directions**

Interstate Highways (I-40) enters the area from the west and east, (I-26) from the south and north. To get to the Renaissance Hotel take I-240 to Asheville. **If you're traveling from the west** on I-240 East, take Exit 5A to the traffic light, go left on Broadway one block, then left on Woodfin St for two blocks. Hotel is on the right **If you are coming from the east** on I-240 West, take Exit 5A, then left at the traffic light. Go to the second light and take a left onto Woodfin St, go one block, the hotel is on the right. Asheville Regional Airport is 20 minutes from the hotel.

### **Schedule Sunday**

1:00 – 6:00 Registration  
8:00 – 1:00 Sales Room & Flower Show set-up  
1:00 - 5:00 Sales Room & Flower Show Open  
1:30 – 2:30 Finance Committee – President's Suite  
2:30 – 3:00 Investment Committee – President's Suite  
3:00 – 4:00 Trustees – President's Suite  
3:00 – 3:45 District Directors  
4:15 – 5:00 Business Meeting  
5:15 – 6:00 Presidents' Social  
6:00 – 8:00 Youth Banquet  
8:00 Executive Committee Meeting

### **Schedule Monday**

8:00 – 6:00 Registration  
8:00 – 5:00 Sales Room & Flower Show Open  
8:45 – 11:30 Business Meeting  
12:00 – 2:00 Lunch & Speaker, Rebecca Reed, Associate Garden Editor, Southern Living –  
“Motivating to Make a Difference”  
2:30 – 4:15 Workshops  
5:00 – 6:00 Wine social honoring NGC President Shirley Nicolai & GCNC President, Judy Barnes  
6:30 Awards Banquet

### **Schedule Tuesday**

8:00 – 10:30 Registration  
8:00 – 11:00 Sales Room & Flower Show Open  
8:30 Brunch & Speaker, Barney Barnes, owner of B. B. Barnes Garden Center, Arden,  
NC will incorporate theme “Making a Difference”.

Please register early, enter the Flower Show, and bring money for the auctions, sales room and fun. Be ready to receive lots of information from NGC President Shirley Nicolai and GCNC President, Judy Barnes, the Guest Speakers and Workshop Presenters. Asheville is a beautiful city with lots to see and do. Your Hotel is right downtown so it will be easy to wander the streets and enjoy some of the beautiful art shops. Stay an extra day and visit the Biltmore Estate, Biltmore Village, and the Arboretum.

There will be a Standard Flower Show at this meeting. Make time to see the wonderful horticulture and designs our members will exhibit. The Schedule will be available shortly and all garden club members are urged to enter. Show off the horticulture of your area!! Sign up to do a design!!