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National Capital Daylily Club
Newsletter

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It's Time to Choose Club Plants!

First of all a special "Thank You" goes to Emily Barry who worked tirelessly for the past 2 years to ensure that our Club Plant Program was a success. Your service is greatly appreciated.

At the membership meeting on Oct. 14, I was asked if I would take over the Club Plant Program. I agreed to accept the job and am looking forward to adding some really nice cultivars into the program and into our gardens. Some plants have already been purchased and I am looking for more. If you have any suggestions, please forward them to me at geraldbange@aol.com or call me at 410-798-9207 and we'll go from there. Also, if you'd like to consider growing any of the ones already purchased let me know that too and I will add your name to the list. Please see page 5 of this newsletter for additional Club Plant information.

The following cultivars have been purchased for the program:

BROWNS FERRY GARDENS

www.brownsferrygardens.com

BROWNS FERRY ELEGANCE
CAROLINA HURRICANE
CAROLINA REVEILLE
CHARLES LUCIUS
DORY'S BIG HEART
KATHY'S ORGANIZED CHAOS
MR. & MRS. BUBBS
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www.distinctly.on.ca/smallworldgardens

BUTTERFLIES DANCING
GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS
LOUISE FROM LOUISA
PARADISE COVE
PATTERNED EXPLOSION
SILLY STRING
SUNNY DAYS



Schedule of Events 2018

Jan. 14-20 .. AHS Facebook Auction
Jan. 27 Membership Meeting 11 am... Kathleen Schloeder's
March 10 ... Spring Lunch w/Rich Rosen.. Maggiano's Tysons Corner
May 5 Membership Meeting 11 am..... The Bange's
June 7-10... AHS National Convention.. Myrtle Beach, SC
July 1 Daylily Show and Sale Brookside Gardens
July 21 Tentative Bus Tour Charlottesville, VA
August 11 .. Daylily Sale and Auction ... Maryland Farm Bureau
Sept. 8..... Fall Picnic..... Noon..... The Fallin's
Oct. 13 Membership Meeting TBD
Oct. 19-21 .. Lilyhemmer Camp Hill, PA

Events and meetings are open to all. Visit ncdcwebsite.com.

MANEKI NEKO GARDENS

www.scottelliottdaylilies.com

CITRONELLA STARFISH
MAYOR OF CORNATZER
PLAYFUL MINX
SPIRAL DISTRACTION

HEAVENLY GARDENS

www.heavenlygardens.com

RED HOT MIRACLE
SNOWFLAKES AND CASHMERE
TWO HEADED FIREDRAGON

--Faith Bange

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2018 Newsletter Schedule

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Articles Due</u>
February	January 28
June	May 5
August	July 8
November	October 21

We welcome your articles about daylilies, news and events, horticulture, or hybridizers. Please send them to Juliet Blackford at daylily11@verizon.net.

Don't Forget to Renew Your Membership!

If you receive your newsletter electronically, and your membership expires at the end of this year, you will be mailed a membership renewal form. If your membership is expiring and you are mailed a hard copy of the newsletter, a renewal form will be included in the newsletter. We hope you will continue to join us at club events and renew your membership by January 1!



Winter Membership Meeting January 27

The next membership meeting will be at Kathleen Schloeder's and Dick Tenney's home at 11 a.m. All members are encouraged to attend and share their ideas! We will be discussing and planning our activities for next year. Please bring a brunch dish to share. Drinks and utensils will be provided.

Kathleen Schloeder and Dick Tenney
2501 St. John Place
Alexandria, VA 22311
703-671-6635



Please note: If coming from Maryland across the American Legion Bridge, take the GW Parkway and 395 south. If your GPS tells you to take Rt. 7 east, or Rt. 50 east, do not do it.



New NCDC Members

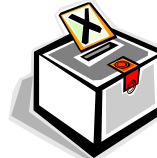
Debbie and Ed Buckman, Westminster, MD
Anlyn DiPalma, Davidsonville, MD

NCDC Election Results

President: Carol Spurrier
Vice President: Chris von Kohn
Treasurer: Will elect in January
Recording Secretary: Sherley Channing
Corresponding Secretary: Faith Bange

2018-2020 Board of Directors

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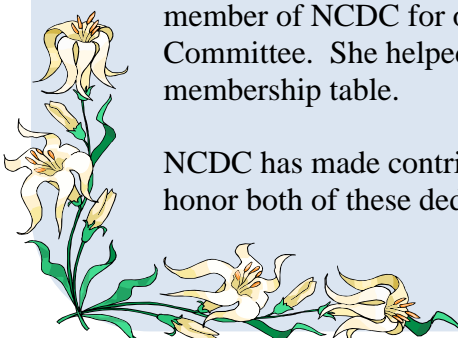
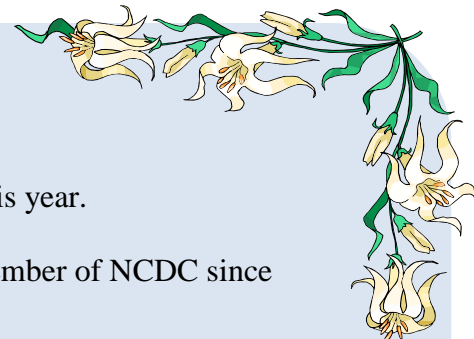
IN MEMORIAM

Sadly, we lost two good friends and fellow daylily enthusiasts this year.

Judith Applefeld passed away on April 23, 2017. She was a member of NCDC since 2008 and grew beautiful Club Plants for our club.

Mary Frances (Fran) Renz passed away on August 25, 2017. Fran was an active member of NCDC for over 25 years. She served on the board and chaired the Education Committee. She helped at many NCDC events, especially with the education and membership table.

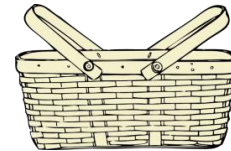
NCDC has made contributions to the AHS William E. Monroe Endowment Fund to honor both of these dedicated members. Judy and Fran will be missed.



August Sale and Auction a Success

The outside sale and inside auction on August 12 were both successes. The outside sale made \$2,983, which was down 20% from last year, but the auction was almost the same, less than 1% difference. For about the past 10 years the auction has consistently drawn on approximately 18-20 bidders who have purchased on average about \$3,000 of club plants. This particular past year even though only 74 fans were returned for auction, the club still sold \$2,900 of auction plants. So, due to interest and participation of members and guests, the Club Plant Program continues to support itself. Special thanks to everyone who helped in one of many ways from donating plants to set up and tear down. We are so fortunate to have such devoted members in our Club.

--Faith Bange



NCDC Fall Picnic

The picnic was held on Saturday, September 9, 2017. Approximately 17 people attended and had a great time. The picnic was held at the home of Georgia and Wayne Fallin in Lothian, Maryland. The day was beautiful and the food was exquisite. The past 2 years had been plagued with the day being overly hot or it rained. We held the picnic inside in those years, but this year was perfect. We held the picnic outside on the patio in the cool sunlight. The view from the patio looking south included a beautiful large pond and rolling hills. Along with members of the NCDC club, two members from the Tidewater Daylily

Society attended. Dianna Driver (former President of TDS) and her husband Greg Fiestel enjoyed spending time with all of us.

Following food, drink and conversation, a short membership meeting ensued and then trophies were distributed to those members who won at our Daylily Show on July 1.

A good time was had by all! We look forward to a repeat in 2018.

--Wayne Fallin



Lilyhemmer 2017

This year's Lilyhemmer event was a delight. Paulette Miller (RADS President) prepared the hospitality suite with lots of goodies and Michael Miller and other hybridizers showed slides of new cultivars. The speakers were quite interesting and it was great to be exposed to some hybridizers which I had not seen in the past. Our club had 15 members in attendance. This is a great number but I think more of our membership would benefit from attending this end of the season event. It's wonderful seeing old friends from other clubs and re-establishing those friendships for the future. As an added bonus, at the auction I was able to obtain 3 really nice cultivars for inclusion in our Club Plant Program. Please think of attending this informative event in 2018 – it's a positive fun experience.

Mark Your Calendars - Spring Luncheon March 10, 2018

This year our speaker will be Rich Rosen from Frankfort, KY. You can see photos of his and his wife's AHS Display Garden at: www.daylilydiary.com/3_RichardAnnaMarieRosen/index.html. More information will be in the February newsletter.

NCDC Club Plant Program Information



The Club Plant Program is designed to provide members with the opportunity to see and grow some of the newer and more expensive daylily cultivars. This promotes goodwill and encourages participation in club activities as well as expanding our knowledge of plants that grow well in our area. The Club purchases around 20 daylilies annually. Members grow them for 2 years; then they are auctioned in August and the funds raised go to support the Club Plant Program. Members who actively participate in NCDC events, donate plants to sales, or work on committees are eligible to receive a Club Plant.

You can find more information on our website at ncdcwebsite.com/ClubPlantProgram.html, including lists (with photos) of previous years' Club Plants and Club Plant Applications.

Club Plant Process:

The Club Plant Team selects cultivars to be included in each year's Program. Please feel free to submit requests to the Club Plant Chair, Faith Bange, at geraldbange@aol.com or 410-798-9207 for specific cultivars or hybridizers to be included in the Program between October and early February, when selections are being made. The Club Plant Team will review and consider all requests.

Growing A Club Plant:

Plant the cultivar promptly in a full sun bed. Check its progress regularly and report any changes. Grow the plant for 2 years. Most plants return for auction then. Keep 1 fan if the plant is 4 or 5 fans. Keep 2 fans if it is 6 fans or more. If the plant is 3 fans or fewer consult the Club Plant Chair to decide if the plant will be grown for a third year before return.

-- Club Plants should be well grown. It is expected that plants be planted in the ground, in good soil,

fertilized and weeded to ensure optimum growth and performance.

-- The Club provides garden markers with the cultivar name and the notation "Club Plant." The grower needs to keep track of the Club Plant.
-- Club Plants should be available for viewing by other NCDC members.

-- You may use Club Plant pollen for hybridizing but do not set pods. Remove pods made by bees.

-- If possible, enter or display your Club Plant on scape or as a single bloom at a daylily show or exhibition. This will let more members see the plant and encourage members to bid at Auction time.

-- Report the status of your Club Plant to the Chair annually (online assessment form will be added to the website or emails are accepted).

-- Like other daylilies, Club Plants may suffer the ill effects of weather, shipping, or infestations, so losses may occur. Please inform the Club Plant Chair promptly of any losses.

Returning a Club Plant:

Provide a color photo of your Club Plant for display at the Club Plant Auction. Return your Club Plant (properly divided, groomed, and labeled) to the Auction on schedule. Keep 1 fan if the plant is 4 or 5 fans. Keep 2 fans if it is 6 fans or more. If the plant is 3 fans or fewer, consult the Club Plant Chair to decide if the plant will be grown for a third year before return.

-- At Auction, explain how this plant performed in your garden.

-- Return your entire Club Plant if you resign from NCDC or move out of the area.

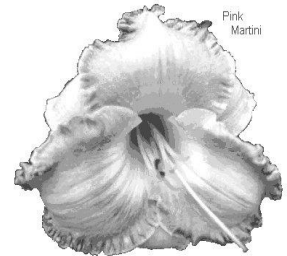
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