



The Mid-Atlantic Region American Daffodil Society Fall Newsletter 2016

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Members throughout the region are busy preparing for their fall meetings and securing volunteers for their spring show. Please call your show chairman and offer to help. There are jobs of all sizes. Many hands make for a wonderful show.

A judges refresher is being offered at the October 22nd MDS meeting in Cockeysville, MD. There will also be the annual MDS meeting and bulb sale. Look inside for more information.

How can you help the ADS? In addition to paying your dues you can participate in Bloomin' Bucks and Smile Amazon. First, remember to use Bloomin' Bucks when ordering from Brent and Becky's bulbs. ADS gets a portion of your order from them.

The second way to help is when you log into SmileAmazon.com designate ADS as your charity and ADS will receive a portion of your order from them as well. Every little bit helps and it doesn't cost you anything to support the ADS!

The Mid Atlantic service and leadership award was given to Brent Heath and was presented to him at the World Convention in St. Louis. I received numerous letters of recommendation on his behalf. Brent has spent a lifetime sharing his love of daffodils and educating others.

Julie Minch,
Mid Atlantic Regional VP

Welcome New Members!

Here is a list of new ADS members. Why not invite them to see your show? Be sure to welcome them when you see them at a show or fall meeting.

Membership is a constant in any organization. Please consider giving a membership to the ADS to a friend, garden club member, Horticultural society member or someone you think would enjoy learning about daffodils. Help spread yellow fever.

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Mid Atlantic 2016 Fall Meetings

(& a few outside our region)

October 8th The Virginia Daffodil Society Fall Meeting at Covenant Woods, 7090 Covenant Woods Drive, Mechanicsville, VA 23111.

October 16th The Delaware Valley Daffodil Society, fall meeting is being held at Jenkins Arboretum.

October 22nd The Maryland Daffodil Society Fall meeting and bulb sale and the Regional Meeting will be held at 10:30 AM at the Maryland Agriculture Center, 1114 Shawan Rd. Cockeysville, MD 21030. Contact Hilles at hwhedbee@ix.netcom.com

A **judges refresher** is being offered. Contact Julie Minch, julesmin@gmail.com

October 29th Washington Daffodil Society annual meeting, bulb exchange, and bulb order pickup at Trinity United Methodist Church, 1205 Dolley Madison Blvd, McLean, VA 22101 10:00

For information contact Mary Anne Barton [703-273-8641](tel:703-273-8641) / wbill@bellatlantic.net

October 29th Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Society (NENCDS) fall meeting and bulb exchange with speaker at the NCSU Cooperative Extension Center, 120 Community Way, Barco, NC 27817.

Contact Clay Higgins (252) 491-9268 or Clayhiggins@centurylink.net

November 11-13th The ADS Fall Board Meeting in Indianapolis, IN

It's time to make plans for the ADS Fall Forum and Board Meeting. There will be two especially motivating speakers whose honorariums have been graciously underwritten by Indiana Daffodil Society, **Gaye Hammond, Houston, who will address "Cultivating Membership" and "Making Marketing Work in a Non-Profit Organization"**, plus **Teresa Byington, Indianapolis, "Social Media's Dynamic Potential"**. It will be well worth the registration cost of \$175.00 for the weekend.

www.daffodilusa.org for more information.

Here's How You Can Help!

- Pay dues
- Return ribbons- we can reuse them
- Join other daffodil societies
- Underwrite an award or part of the show
- Attend a national convention
- Help with the show
- Enter in the show
- Bring friends and family to the show



Mid Atlantic 2017 Spring Shows

February 25th The Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Society (NENCDS) spring meeting at the NCSU Cooperative Extension Center, 120 Community Way, Barco, NC 27817. Contact Clay Higgins (252) 491-9268 or Clayhiggins@centurylink.net

March 25th The Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Society (NENCDS) show will be held at the NCSU Cooperative Extension Center, 120 Community Way, Barco, NC 27817. Judging on the morning of March 25th. Public viewing from 1:00pm to closing. Set up on Friday March 24th and early entry on March 25th from 4:00 pm to 7:00pm. Contact Show Chairman, Clay Higgins (252) 491-9268, mobile (252) 207-7992 or Clayhiggins@centurylink.net

April 5-6

The **Garden Club of Virginia show** will be held at the Hampton Roads Convention Center in Hampton, VA. The Huntington Garden Club is sponsoring the show. Co- Chairman Rebecca Fass and BoBo Smith ;rebeccafass@yahoo.com/757-3909 or scotchy51@verizon.net/757-930-2964

Judging School II will be offered on the morning of April 4th. Contact Janet Hickman, hickmanderm@aol.com

April 1-2

The Virginia Daffodil Society will host the Mid-Atlantic Regional Show at Lewis Ginter Botanical Gardens, 1800 Botanical Gardens, 1800 Lakeside Ave. Richmond, VA 23228 Contact Jen Potter jpotter890@msn.com for further information.

Somerset County Garden Club has decided to hold a daffodil show every other year. Their next show will be in April 2017.

April 1-2

Gloucester Daffodil Festival Counsel will host the show at the Botetourt Elementary School, 6361 Main Street, Gloucester, VA. Contact Peggy Bowditch peggyb72@gmail.com, 804-693-4811

April 15-16

The Washington Daffodil Society Show will be held at American Legion Hall, Post 177, 3939 Oak Street, Fairfax, Virginia 22030.

April 18-19

The Maryland Daffodil Society Show will be held at the Shops at Kenilworth, 800 Kenilworth Drive, Towson, MD 21204. The Chairman is Hilles Whedbee, hwhedbee@shawan.org , 410-771-1341

Mid Atlantic Regional Election 2016

Karen Cogar, ADS National Nominating Committee

Below is our current slate of officers for this year's Mid Atlantic Region. We have strived to get board representation from around the region.

The nominating committee presents the following slate for the Mid Atlantic Region for 2017 through 2018:

_____ Vice President 2018	Julie Minch (MD)	(year 3 of 3 year term)
_____ Director 2018	Dianne Spence (VA)	(year 3 of 3 year term)
_____ Director 2019	Pat Parker (MD)	(year 2 of 3 year term)
_____ Director 2020	Donna Clausen	(year 1 of 3 year term)

Donna Clausen lives in Alexandria, VA.

Additional nominations may be made to the slate but permission of the nominee must first be granted. The vote will take place at the MDS Fall Meeting to be held with the Maryland Daffodil Society, at the Maryland Agriculture Center, 1114 Shawan Rd. Cockeysville, MD 21030 at 10:30 am. New candidate positions will take office at the 2017 National Convention. Member ballots must be reported to the ADS Nominating Chair by October 20, 2016.

BALLOT FOR THE ADS MID-ATLANTIC REGION

Please mark your ballot and send to Karen Cogar, 320 1/2, Alexandria, VA 22302 or email to kcogara@gmail.com.

_____ Julie Minch, VP	Third Term of Three
_____ Dianne Spence, Director	Third Term of Three
_____ Pat Parker, Director	Second Term of Three
_____ Donna Clausen, Director	First Term of Three



The Mid-Atlantic Region Leadership and Service Award

Please take time and consider someone you feel worthy to nominate for the Mid Atlantic Region Leadership and Service Award. This is a very deserving award for members of our region that have gone above and beyond just planting and showing daffodils. The goal of the American Daffodil Society is to stimulate and encourage wide interest in the daffodils through education, exhibition, and dissemination of information. I think that you will agree all of those winners listed below have been very deserving of this award and the silver medal that it symbolizes. Please nominate someone in your area or someone in the Region that you think would be a deserving recipient of this award. Just send me a letter proposing the candidate. Two seconding letters from individuals within the Region who are ADS members or are affiliated with a local daffodil society (this affiliation may be through a garden club) are also requested. Please send nominations to me by October 1st so the award can be presented at the fall board meeting. julesmin@gmail.com, 8602 Countrybrooke Way, Lutherville, MD 21093.

Thank you, Julie Minch, RVP

Previous Recipients

1993 Mrs. Merton S. Yerger & Mr. Quentin E. Erlandson	2004 Mrs. Marie Coulter
1994 Ms. Delia Bankhead	2005 Mr. & Mrs. Skip Ford
1995 Mrs. Thomas W. Smith	2006 Mr. & Mrs. Sam Nock
1996 Mrs. Laura Lee & Mr. Bill Ticknor	2010 Mr. & Mrs. Mitch Carney
1997 Ms. Anne Donnell Smith	2011 Mrs. Glenna Graves
1999 Mr. & Mrs. George Bragdon	2012 Mrs. Julie Minch & Mr. Robert Darling
2000 Mrs. Ann Corson	2013 Mrs. Lissa Williamson
2001 Mrs. Mary Koonce	2014 Ms. Lucy Rhame
2002 Mrs. Kathy Welsh	2015 Mr. Brent Heath