

ADS SOUTHEAST REGION NEWSLETTER

Summer 2018

Everyone, welcome to this newsletter and welcome to the world of daffodils. It is a worthy and welcome flower to bring our spring to life. I am the newly elected Regional Vice President for our Southeast Region and any question you might have please contact me or one of the Regional Directors (listed below). Also, if there is need for membership information the ADS Executive Director is listed below also.

This is your Newsletter and if you have anything to add to it, events, show or growing information that you would like to share send it to me. Please scroll to the end of this message and vote for the Regional Director and Regional Vice President position as it is time to select nominees for the next term. Thank you, *Carolyn Hawkins, SE Region RVP*

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The Executive Director: Frank Nyikos, Unionville, IN
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SOUTHEAST REGION OFFICERS

(Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, Tennessee east of Tennessee River)

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2018 SHOW INFORMATION:

Roswell, Georgia: Entries: 283---Exhibitors: 24---Stems: 588
Most blue ribbons: Dr. Susan Goodman

Maryville, TN (Knoxville area): 278 Stems---12 exhibitors. (They said a small show but they have a good time.)

Nashville hosted the ADS National Convention in April so no local show

2018 SHOW HIGHLIGHTS

Roswell Show:

Becky Fox Matthews won the Tuggle Award (the exhibit is in back of where she is standing in the photo). Also, she won the Georgia Daffodil Society Garden Club Award for outstanding Merit and Hartzog Memorial Trophy donated by Tom Stettner.

Note: Harry I. Tuggle, Jr. Trophy is three stems of twelve different cultivars and/or species from at least three divisions.



Becky Fox Matthews with Tuggle Award



ROSWELL SHOW DESIGN DIVISION, The Blue Ribbon winner and Designers Choice Award won by Bonnie Campbell



KNOXVILLE AREA SHOW Design by Nancy Robinson in memory of her husband, Hal.

OTHER NEWS WITHIN THE REGION IN 2017 AND 2018



SARA VAN BECK planting Historic Daffodils in the Oakland Cemetery, Atlanta, Georgia



ALLEN HAAS and BETSY ABRAMS with more daffodil planting at Oakland Cemetery

The original 6 acres of Oakland founded in 1850 remains one of the oldest historical plots of land in Atlanta, most of the rest of the city having been [burned](#) in 1864. Because of its age and location, the cemetery directly reflects the history and changing culture of the City of Atlanta and the significant events it has seen. An estimated 70,000 people are interred at Oakland, and while the last plots were sold in 1884, there are still regular burials today and the property has increased to 48 acres. A dedicated group maintains the plant specimens that are representative of the era. Sara Van Beck, Betsy Abrams and Allen Haas are members of the Georgia Daffodil Society



ALEN HAAS giving away bulbs to children as they visit the Georgia Daffodil Society Bulb Sale in the month of October 2017. This is a good way to bring the interest of daffodil growing to the children AND it opens the door to the parents' interest as well. (Allen bought them in a bulk quantity for a moderate price)

2019 SHOW INFORMATION

ROSWELL, GEORGIA: MARCH 9, Chattahoochee Nature Center

KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE: MARCH 23-24 in the Hollingsworth Auditorium, University of Tennessee

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE: MARCH 30-31 at Cheekwood Botanical Garden

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REGIONAL DIRECTOR (Three Year Term). Andrew Buhler
REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT: Carolyn Hawkins

WRITE IN: _____

Please send your vote to: Bonnie Campbell at 590 Sandy Creek Road, Fayetteville, GA 30214 or you may email your vote to Bonnie at shade007@bellsouth.net. **Deadline is September 1, 2018**

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