Dear Friends, February 2007

We have had unusually cold weather, down to 16 F for a few nights and below freezing for two weeks. Now we have a snow storm. We expected many daffodil losses, especially pots, but only a few tender Tazettas melted their foliage. There are many seedlings coming along. If you have not grown daffodils from seed, start now. Pick any ripe seed pods you have or order seeds from the Alpine Garden Society, North American Rock Garden Society or Jim and Jenny Archibald in Wales. Jim and Jenny's catalog is on the web. They travel all over the world collecting seed and have some rarities. You can plant your seed immediately upon harvesting or if you live in a mild climate, refrigerate them for a couple of weeks. Keep them watered after planting. If they have not germinated by late spring you can dry the pots off until fall and water again. It may take 2-3 years for the right conditions to trigger germination. I plant my seeds in a sandy soil , in a 4x4 inch pot and let the seedlings stay there until they have two leaves. Then I divide them so they are three inches apart. I fertilize them lightly each spring. Their mature flowers may not be evident for 2-3 years. This is a long process but if you start now you will have bulbocodiums blooming in 4-5 years and every year there after. The standards take longer. You may notice that jonquils in particular may start dividing before they flower. It is alot of fun. I hope this information is useful.

Above all, happy growing. We hope to see you and your flowers at a daffodil show.

Sincerely,

Nancy and Jerry Wilson

COLLECTIONS:

COL-BMC Beginners Miniature Collection One each of six named bulbs 10.00

COL-CAN One each of five selections of *N. cantabricus* subsp. *cantabricus* 13W-W good for breeding, rare, lovely 25.00

COL-CPS One each of Walter Blom's three new introductions of 2005. Chinese Ivory, Peppermint, and Silver Palace 27.50

COL-CTA One each of Rod Barwick's detective series: Kholmes, Spirot, Smarple, ... and Fyno originating in Tazmania 27.50

COL-EMY One each of Walter Blom's new 7 Y-Y *N. rupicola* selections, new in 2006 English Garden, Moon Yellow and Yellow Pearl 32.00

Seed offerings: Please inquire regarding availability later in the season.

SELECTIONS FOR 2007:

7-1 Bebop 7 Y-Y (A.Gray)"Almost extinct", historical, pre-1949, RHS First Class Certificate 2006 . . . . . 25.00

7-2 Clarity Gold 12 Y-Y** (Walter Blom)*N. rupicola* selection, star shaped flower, brilliant greenish yellow 12.00

7-3 Diamond Gold 7 Y-Y** (Walter Blom)dwarf, strongly scented, early 15.00

7-4 Fresh Season 10 Y-Y (Jim Wells) A chrome yellow bulbocodium of goodform stock has now increased to offer again 12.00

.7-5 Golden Sapphire 7 WY-Y **(Walter Blom)dwarf, strongly scented,mid-season . . 15.00

7-6 *N cantabricus ssp. cantabricus var. kesticus* 13W-W from the valley of the Kest the High Atlas Mountains, new to cultivation, seed grown 20.00

7-7 Spring Serenade 5 Y-Y (Walter Blom) *N. triandrus var. triandrus x N. jonquilla henriquesii* A delightful small Triandrus 35.00

7-8 Twosome 12 Y-Y (Jim Wells) a delightful, two headed jonquil with unusual chartreuse foliage, to be registered this year. 20.00

7-9 Wedding Morn 10 W-W ** (Walter Blom) frilled pure whitecorona, very early, sweetly scented, ... 15.00

7-10 WeeBee 1 Y-Y, historical, pre-1948 rarely offered. 15.00

SPECIES NARCISSUS

Section Apodanthi

AP-CA *N. calcicola* 13 Y-Y seed raised, endangered species do not attempt to grow unless you can focus on it's care, instructions included. 25.00

AP-RO *N. rupicola* 13 Y-Y, Oregon Strain, free flowering, (Blom) 7.00

AP-RP *N. rupicola* 13 Y-Y from my seed, may vary in form.. . . . . 7.00

Section Bulbocodium

BU-FL N. *bulbocodium var. filifolius* (natural hybrid) 13Y-Y 2.00

BU-PR *N. bulbocodium ssp.praecox. var. praecox* 13Y-Y 5.00

BU-SE *N. bulbocodium ssp. bulb var. serotinus* 13Y-Y 5.00

BU-TN *N. bulbocodium ssp. bulb. var. tenuifolius* 13Y-Y 8.00

BU-FP *N. cantabricus var. foliosus # 6,* 13W-W (Peter Watkins) 8.00

BU-TA *N. cantabricus ssp. tananicus* (Rarely offered, for the collector) 20.00
BU-MO *N. cantabricus ssp. monophyllus* 18.00
BU-MS *N. romieuxii var. mesatlanticus* 13Y-Y 5.00
BU-RZ *N. romieuxii ssp. albidus var. zaianicus lutescens* 13 Y-Y 4.00

Section Jonquilla

JO-C *N. cordubensis* 13 Y-Y 8.00
JO-EA *N. jonquilla var. jonquilla* (Buchanan) 13Y-Y 2.00
JO-FR *N. fernandesii* 13 Y-Y 4.00
JO-FF *N. fernandesii* 13 *Y-Y* Frank Galyon seedlings, very prolific, exceptional. 8.00
JO-GD *N. gaditanus* 13Y-Y 10.00
JO-HN *N. jonquilla var. henriquesii* 13Y-Y 3.00
JO-LT *N. jonquilla var. jonquilla* (Pine Mills late) 13 Y-Y 2.00
JO-SE *N. jonquilla (selected form)* 13 Y-Y 3.00
JO-WL *N. willkommii* 13Y-Y 2.00

Section Pseudonarcissus

PS-AS *N. asturiensis* 13 Y-Y 18.00
PS-CY *N. cyclamineus* 13 Y-Y(acid, heavy soil, morning sun) 15.00
PS-RV *N. minor var. pumilus plenus* 4Y-Y "Rip Van Winkle" 1.00
PS-OB *N. obvallaris* 13 Y-Y The Tenby Daffodil of English Moats, classic 1.00

Section Tazettae

TA-CN *N. canaliculatis* 8W-Y 2.00
TA-IT *N. italicus* 13W-Y 5.00
TA-LC *N. tazetta subsp. lacticolor* 13 W-Y ('Chinese Grand Emperor') 4.00
TA-PN *N. tazetta ssp. panizziaus* 13 W-W 5.00
TA-SM *N. tazetta ssp. papyraceus* 13 W-W very small, early fall blooming, needs some frost protection, fertile and very beautiful, (Blanchard)(Blom) 12.00

Section Ganymedes

TR-AL *N, triandrus triandrus* "albus" 13 W-W seed grown 8.00
TR-LO *N. triandrus var. loiseleurii* 13 W-W 22.00
TR-PL *N. triandrus var. pulchellus* 13 Y-Y 20.00

Intersectional Hybrids

WH-IN *N.* x *intermedius* 13 Y-Y 5.00
WH-OR *N.* x *medioluteus* 13 W-Y 2.50
WH-OD *N.* x *odorus* 13 Y-Y 1.00
WH-TE *N. x tenuior* 13 Y-Y 5.00

HYBRID NARCISSUS: All bulbs from "Downunder" have been acclimatized.
**These bulbs are being tried out with the ADS Miniature Committee.

HY-AB Angel's Breath 5 Y-Y (Rod Barwick) 12.00
HY-AW Angel's Whisper 5Y-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farm) 12.00
HY-AG Apollo Gold** 10 Y-Y(Walter Blom) 10.00
HY-BJ BeeJay 6 Y-Y (Steve Vinisky) an excellent mini for shows 32.50
HY-CI Chinese Ivory** 10 W-W (Walter Blom) 10.00

HY-CL	Clare 7 Y-Y	7.00
HY-CG	Classic Gold** 10 Y-Y (Walter Blom).	10.00
HY-EL	Elka 1 W-W	7.00
HY-FE	English Garden 7 Y-Y, (Walter Blom)	12.00
HY-FE	Fenben 7 Y-Y (Rod Barwick) A cheerful little jonquil that multiplies well	10.00
HY-FL	Floral Feast 10 Y-Y** (Blom))a soft yellow, a frilled corona, good form.	15.00
HY-Fy	Fyno 10 W-W (Glenbrook Bulb Farm)	8.00
HY-GL	Galligaskins 10 Y-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farm)	10.00
HY-GP	Gipsy Queen 1 YYW-WWY A tiny reverse bicolor	7.00
HY-GS	Gold and Silver 7 Y-W (Blom) a bi-colored jonquil, 2006 introduction	15.00
HY-HW	Hawera 5 Y-Y pre-1928, excellent for rock gardens	1.00
HY-JS	Jessamy 10 W-W (Blanchard)	4.00
HY-JJ	Julia Jane 10 Y-Y Jim Archibald's beautiful selection	10.00
HY-KH	Kholmes 10 W-W. (Rod Barwicks Detective Series)	8.00
HY-LY	Little Beauty 1 W-Y (Good rock garden plant becoming scarce)	7.00
HY-LF	Little Flick 12 Y-Y (Bill Djik) one of the best.	15.00
HY-LZ	Little Lizz 1 Y-YO (Walter Blom) colorful mini	18.00
HY-LS	Little Soldier 10 Y- (Jack Romine)	20.00
HY-MT	Mitimoto 10 W-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farms) ADS Gold Ribbon Winner.	15.00
HY-MY	Moon Yellow 7 Y-Y,(Walter Blom) lighter yellow N. rupicola hybrid	12.00
HY-MR	Mortie 6 Y-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farm) ADS 2003 Miniature Gold Ribbon	20.00
HY-NC	New Charm 10 W-W ** (Walter Blom)	10.00
HY-OD	"Odoratus" 8 W-Y	5.00
HY-PP	Peppermint 10 W-W** (Walter Blom)	10.00
HY-SG	Segovia	3.00
HY-SL	Silver Palace 10 W-W** (Walter Blom)	10.00
HY-SR	Silver Rains 10 W-W** (Walter Blom) small, sparkling white	12.00
HY-SM	Smarple 10 W-W (Rod Barwick's Detective Series)	8.00
HY-SN	Snook 6 Y-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farm)	15.00
HY-SN	Snipe 6 W-W (A.M. Wilson)	7.00
HY-SP	Spirot 10 W-W (Rod Barwick's Detective Series)	8.00
HY-TF	Taffeta 10 W-W (Blanchard)	3.00
HY-WP	W.P. Milner (best Historical collection of the 2006 Fortuna Show)	2.00
HY-YL	Yellow Pearl 7 Y-Y**, most free flowering, prostrate foliate	12.00

Recomended Readings:

James S. Wells, **Modern Minature Daffodils, Species and Hybrids,** IBSN 0-88192-118-1

John W. Blanchard, **Narcissus, A Guide to Wild Daffodils**, Alpine Garden Society, Lye Link, St. Jon's, Working, Surrey, GU21 15W, U.K.

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