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## AREA GARDENS

Will be open for Convention visitors on  
Sunday, April 25th.

Mr. Fred Deschamps Forrest Grove, Bucks County, Pa.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gruber *124 Lincoln Terrace, Norristown, Pa.
Dr. and Mrs. H. Vernon Lapp 500 Warminster Road, Hatboro, Pa.
Longwood Gardens Kennett Square, Pa.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Rowland Timms Box 183, Wallingford, Pa.
John J. Tyler, Arboretum Painter & Forge Roads, Lims, Pa.
Dr. and Mrs. John C. Wister *735 Harvard Ave., Swarthmore, Pa.
Mr. & Mrs. Zachary T. Wobensmith Jamison, Pa.

\*on bus tour before convention was abbreviated.

## COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS

The appreciation of all at the convention is expressed  
to the following growers who have furnished the dis-  
plays of modern daffodils in the lobby and inside the  
show room:

Mrs. J. Abel-Smith Ballydorn Bulb Farm Carncairn Daffodils, Ltd Murray W. Evans J. Gerritsen & Son Brent Heath's Daffodil Mart John Lea Grant E. Mitsch Charles H. Mueller Rathowen Daffodils Mrs. J. Lionel Richardson G. Zandbergen-Terwegen
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## TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING AND CONVENTION

# The American Daffodil Society, Inc.

APRIL 23 and 24, 1976



*Independence Hall*

*Commemorating the Bicentennial of American*

*Independence, 1776 - 1976*

*Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

## THE HOLIDAY INN

City Line Ave. at I-76



## PROGRAM

### THURSDAY, APRIL 22

Noon to Midnite Entries accepted for Show; set up Commercial Exhibits

### FRIDAY, APRIL 23

7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast—Regency A  
 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Entries accepted for the Daffodil Show  
 Work room—Regency C; show room—Regency D&E  
 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Registration—Lobby  
 2:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Convention Daffodil Show—open to the public, presented by the  
 Philadelphia Area Daffodil Society and the Delaware Daffodil Society  
 3:30 p.m. Board of Directors Meeting—Regency F  
 6:30 p.m. Social Hour—Cash Bar—Regency A  
 7:30 p.m. Dinner—Regency A  
 Invocation—Mr. P. R. Moore, Jr.  
 Official Opening of the 1976 Convention by President William H. Roese  
 Welcome to Philadelphia—Dr. John C. Wister  
 Introduction of Head Table  
 Presentation of Major show ribbons and trophies  
 Presentation of Medals  
 Annual Meeting of the Membership, William H. Roese presiding  
 Panel of Visiting Growers: Sir Frank Harrison, Mrs. R. H. Reade, Mr. John Lea,  
 Mr. Brian Duncan.  
 Moderator: Mr. William O. Ticknor

### SATURDAY, APRIL 24

7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast—Regency A  
 7:00 a.m. to Noon Convention Daffodil Show open to the public  
 8:00 a.m. to 9:40 a.m. Basic Science by Penn State Extension Service—Regency B  
 8:00 a.m. to 8:40 a.m. Plant Nutrition—James K. Rathmel,  
 Professor of Floriculture Extension, Norristown, Pa.  
 8:40 a.m. to 9:20 a.m. Plant Genetics—Dr. Richard Craig, Associate Professor of Plant Breeding,  
 Department of Horticulture, University Park, Pa.  
 9:20 a.m. to 9:40 a.m. Question the Professors  
 9:40 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Recess  
 10:00 a.m. Practical Pointers by ADS Experts  
 10:00 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. Growing Show Flowers—Mrs. John Bozievich  
 10:25 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Cutting and Packing—Mrs. Ernest K. Hardison, Jr.  
 10:50 a.m. to 11:10 a.m. Staging—Mrs. Marvin V. Andersen  
 11:15 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Question the Experts  
 11:30 a.m. Board of Directors Meeting—Regency F  
 11:30 a.m. Early lunch or last minute look at the Show  
 12 Noon to 2:00 p.m. Lunch on your own  
 2:00 p.m. Greyline Tour of Historic Philadelphia.  
 Buses will load on Monument Ave. at the driveway entrance to Holiday Inn.  
 4:00 p.m. Reception for the American Daffodil Society at the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society  
 Headquarters, 325 Walnut St. Visit the 18th century gardens and view the exhibits  
 in the PHS library. Your bus will wait one hour.  
 8:00 p.m. Banquet at the Holiday Inn  
 Invocation—Willis H. Wheeler  
 Introductions by President William O. Ticknor  
 Details of New Zealand trip—Wells Knierim  
 Invitation to California 1977  
 "Historical Sketches of ADS" by William G. Pannill, Director-at-Large  
 Good-night.

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## PHILADELPHIA

## CONVENTION COMMITTEE

Chairman and Program	Dr. William A. Bender
Treasurer	Mrs. Jonathan W. Williams
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Subsistence	Mrs. W. R. Mackinney
Commercial Exhibits	Mrs. Wallace Windus

### TABLE DECORATIONS

#### FRIDAY

Philadelphia Area Daffodil Society

#### SATURDAY

Delaware Daffodil Society

— NOTES —