

American Daffodil Society Pacific Region Newsletter, Summer 2010

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The 2010 National Show and Convention at Ironstone Vineyards, Murphys, CA, was a great success. Thanks goes to all of the people that helped make this show one of the best ever (Kudos to the members of the Northern California Daffodil Society). Special thanks go to the co-chairpersons, Bob Spotts and Nancy Tackett.

There are a couple of exciting events scheduled for Fall of 2010.

The main event for the Pacific Region is the **Fall Meeting** on **November 13, 2010** at the Shilo Inn in Springfield, Oregon. This is the same location where we had the Pacific Region Fall Meeting in 2007. Harold Koopowitz, our Second Vice President, has put a lot of time and effort in planning and organizing this event. The main theme of this meeting is **Autumn Flowering Daffodils**, as well as, **Narcissus Species in the Wild**. Early registrants who mail their registration form by August 15 will receive a packet of Autumn flowering bulbs. It's hoped that there will be the first ever **ADS-judged Autumn Flowering Show**.

There will be the Northern California Daffodil Society's Fall Bulb Raffle (date to be announced), but it's usually in October or early November at the Alden Lane Nursery in Livermore, CA.

In Tyson's Corner, Vienna, Virginia, there will be the Fall Board Meeting and Intermediate Symposium on October 1-3, 2010. All members are encouraged to attend the Intermediate Symposium. There is an optional Sunday tour of the Steven F. Udvar-Hazy Center, which is part of the National Air and Space Museum.

I'm sending out this newsletter via snail mail as there is a delay in getting the PacNet set up at this time. Hopefully, when the next newsletter is released, PacNet will be ready and members with email addresses can receive the newsletter through PacNet. If a member doesn't have access to a computer, the newsletter will be mailed to you. I will contact all Pacific Region members regarding your newsletter receipt preference.

Jon

Autumn Flowering Bulbocodiums
Jon Kawaguchi

My main daffodil interests are the miniatures. And one of my favorites are the bulbocodiums. I've collected a large number of *N. bulbocodium*, *N. cantabricus*, and *N. romieuxii*, as well as, lots of Division 10 cultivars. They begin to bloom in October and the last one usually blooms in early May. Here are examples of Division 10 cultivars that usually bloom for me in November.



Camoro



Glenbrook Ta-Julia Group #4/91



Eye Spy



Hat



Wiyot

I live in Alameda right off the San Francisco Bay, just west of Oakland, CA. The weather is very mild and is similar to San Francisco.

Photos by Jon Kawaguchi

**Kirby Fong
American Daffodil Society
Silver Medal Winner**



Congratulations to Kirby Fong! He was awarded the Silver Medal at the 2010 Murphys National Convention for meritorious service to the American Daffodil Society.

Now is the time to order bulbs from our growers in the Pacific Region:

Cherry Creek Daffodils

Steve and Heather Vinisky
21700 SW Chapman Road
Sherwood OR 97140-8608
stevev447@yahoo.com
503-625-3379

Grant Mitsch Daffodils

www.mitschdaffodils.com
Elise and Richard Havens
(color catalog \$3; later credited to your order)
PO Box 218
Hubbard OR 97032
info@mitschdaffodils.com
503-651-2742

Nancy Wilson Miniature and Species Daffodils

www.asis.com/users/nwilson/index.html
Nancy and Jerry Wilson
6525 Briceland-Thorn Road
Garberville CA 95542
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707-923-2407

William R. P. Welch Tazetta Daffodils

www.billthebulbbaron.com
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1031-B Cayuga Street
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Pacific Regional Fall Meeting
November 13, 2010
Shilo Inn, [Elmer's Restaurant], Springfield, Oregon

The Pacific Regional Meeting will be held on November 13th at Elmer's Restaurant (next to Shilo Inn) downstairs, in Springfield, Oregon. Participants are encouraged to stay at the Shilo Inn.

Shilo Inn - Suites and Hotel

3350 Gateway

Springfield, OR 97477

Phone: 541.747.0332 - FAX: 541.726.0587

- Our "Group" number is 111210AD

Shilo contact person: Kya Groves; 541.726.0587

Elmer's contact person: Mark Keith; 541.726.1261

Website: <http://www.shiloinns.com/>

Room "block" is from 11/12/10 to 11/14/10 (Friday, Sat & Sun). Room Rates: \$69.00 (double queen standard) and \$79.00 (a Mini suite w/kitchenette) per night. All have a room tax of 10.5% added. ROOM Block will be held until 10/28/10. RATES held until 11/5/10. Mention American Daffodil Meeting to get these special rates.

Arrival after 3:00pm on Friday, 11/12: No-host get-together @ Steve and Heather Vinisky's room. Dinner as a group, or on your own. NOT scheduled.



'Glorious' x N. elegans

Photo by Jon Kawaguchi

Early Registrants submitting applications before August 15th will be mailed a package of Autumn Flowering Daffodils. These will be primarily unnamed seedlings of a number of different types. Growing instructions will be provided. Bulbs are free but postage is included in the early registration fee.

We hope to hold the first **ADS judged Autumn Daffodil Show** at this meeting.

Cost is \$35.00 per person INCLUSIVE (breaks, lunch, includes gratuity, room rental, postage of the bulbs) made out to **ADS** and mailed to:

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Pacific Fall Region Meeting
3524 Bowman Ct.
Alameda, California 94502

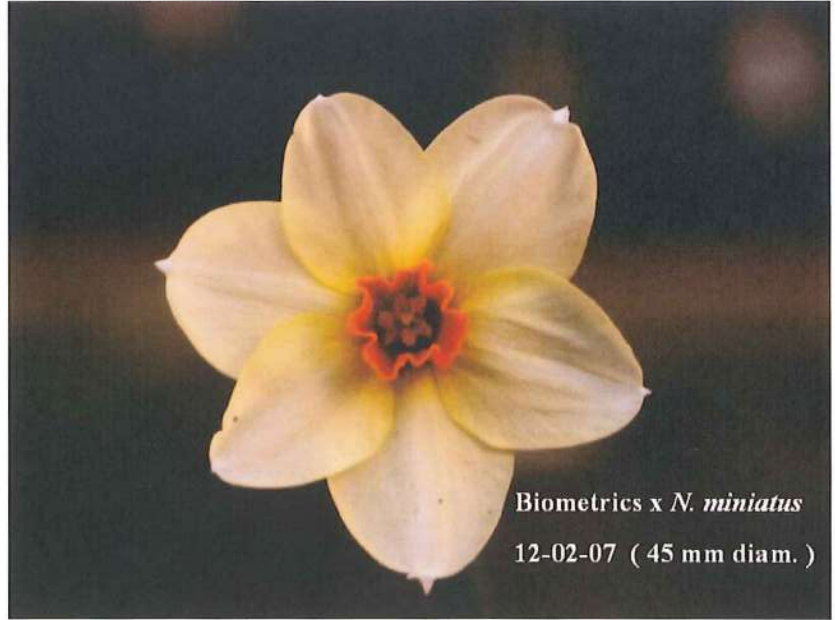
Make checks out to: American Daffodil Society

Fall Pacific Region Tentative Program:

Saturday 11/13 - Room set up for 6:30am. Tentative start time at 8:00am with coffee, tea, juice, rolls. Judging starts at 8:30 a.m.



Green Gosling



Biometrics x N. miniatus

Meeting starts at **10 a.m.** The complete program with speakers will be published closer to the time of the meeting, but we expect to include **Derrick Donnison-Morgan** from the U.K. who is holder of the National Collection of Autumn Flowering Daffodils. We also expect **Stephen Hampson** on the *Daffodils of the Picos and Pyrenees* and, hopefully, **Elise Havens** of *Mitsch Daffodils* on their *jonquilla breeding program*, plus other speakers.

Break 1: 9:30 am to 10am - Coffee, tea, juice, rolls

Lunch: 12:00 to 1:15pm

Break 2: 3:00 to 3:15pm - Coffee, tea, soft drinks, home-baked cookies

Meeting finishes at 5:30pm

Judges Refresher Course

Attendance counts as a Judges refresher course. Attendees who want credit are required to pay an extra \$3.00. This can be paid at the meeting.

Sunday 11/14 - Tour as a group to **Gossler Farms Nursery @ 10:00am**; Directions will be provided.



Registration Form

2010 Pacific Region Fall Meeting

November 13, 2010

Shilo Inn - Suites and Hotel

3350 Gateway

Springfield, OR 97477

Please complete this form for each attendee.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Email Address _____

Phone (optional) _____

_____ \$35.00 per attendee

_____ \$3.00 Judges Refresher (optional and can be paid at the meeting)

_____ Total

Make check payable to: American Daffodil Society

***Early registration: Those postmarked by August 15, 2010 will receive a packet of Autumn Flowering Daffodils.**

Mail the Registration Form to:

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American Daffodil Society: www.daffodilusa.org
Northern California Daffodil Society: www.daffodil.org



Taffeta
Begins to bloom in November

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First Class Mail



2010 Pacific Region Fall Meeting, November 13, 2010
Eugene, Oregon