



## The Mid-Atlantic Region American Daffodil Society Winter Newsletter 2015

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The Mid-Atlantic region will be hosting the National Convention and Show in Williamsburg, VA April 9 -12, 2015. Mark your calendar and plan to attend. Go visit the area before or after the convention and explore. As hosts to the convention many hands are needed to make it a success. Let Michael Berrigan or Mitch Carney know how you can help.

There will be a special section at the Williamsburg show. Section Z will have the **Pannill Collection** class of 5 different standard daffodils registered by Bill Pannill. It will be open to all exhibitors and be eligible for the ADS Red, White and Blue and the Purple Ribbon. There are also thirteen classes of single stem standard daffodils for small growers of less than 50 daffodils, only open to members of The Virginia Daffodil Society, The Garden Club of Gloucester and the Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Society. These will be eligible for all ADS Ribbons including the Small Growers Ribbon.

The Mid Atlantic service and leadership award was given to Lucy Rhame at our fall meeting. I received numerous letters of recommendation on her behalf. She is truly deserving of this award. Be sure to congratulate her when you see her.

Please feel free to keep in touch and let me know how I can support you and your local show. When we work together we can accomplish great things.

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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**Attention all ADS Judges!** The Maryland Daffodil Society is making available judges badges. These badges have a “daffodil” yellow background and a strong magnetic backing. They eliminate the messy sticky tape backs, pins and clips that leave holes in your clothing, or do not hold! Cost of the

badge is \$20.00 (inclusive). Be sure to print your name clearly for the badge. All orders must be prepaid. Make checks payable and send to: Maryland Daffodil Society, Joan Bender 117 Oak Drive, Catonsville, MD 21228

## Mid Atlantic 2015 Spring Shows

**February 28, 2015 The Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Society** will hold its Spring meeting at the NC Extension Center. The address is below.

### March 27-28

The **Northeast North Carolina Daffodil Show** will be held at Currituck County Agriculture Extension Center, 120 Community Way, U.S. Rte 158 & Aviation Parkway, Barco, NC 27917. Contact Show chairman Clay Higgins (252)491-9268(h), (252)207-7992(c) or ClayHiggins@centurylink.net

### March 31- April 1

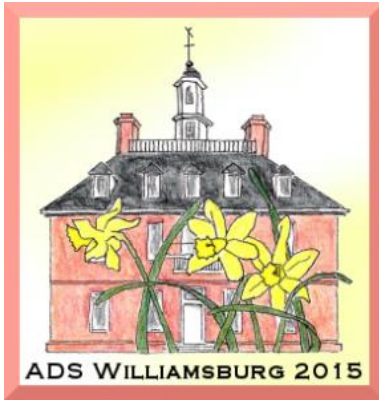
The **Garden Club of Virginia show** will be Tuesday and Wednesday, March 31 and April 1, 2015, with entries accepted beginning at 2 PM on Monday, March 30. It will be held at Millwood Station in Winchester, VA, hosted by The Little Garden Club of Virginia. This is the same site as the 2014 GCV Show. Registration and schedule will be available at [gcvirginia.org](http://gcvirginia.org)

### April 3-4

The **Somerset County Garden Club** will hold its **50th daffodil show** on Friday, April 3rd, 2015, from 1-5pm, and on Saturday, April 4th, 2015, from 10am - 3pm; at St. Andrews Episcopal Church parish hall, 30513 Washington Street, Princess Anne, MD 21853. Mary Ann Peterman ([dallyone@aol.com](mailto:dallyone@aol.com)) is the show chairperson.

### April 4-5

The **Virginia Daffodil Society** will hold its Daffodil Show at Lewis Ginter Botanical Gardens, 1800 Botanical Gardens, 1800 Lakeside Ave. Richmond, VA 23228 Contact Sarah Wilkinson at 804 366 2008 or [sjwilkinson@gmail.com](mailto:sjwilkinson@gmail.com) for further information.



**April 9-12 ADS 2015 National Convention and Show in Williamsburg, Virginia**

go to the American Daffodil Society web site: [www.daffodilusa.org](http://www.daffodilusa.org) for details and information.

**April 8-9**

The **District II Daffodil Show** will be held on Tuesday April 7, 2015 through Thursday April 9, 2015 at Our Shepherd Lutheran Church, 400 Benfield Road, Severna Park, MD 21146. Entries will be accepted between 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday and from 7:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday. The show will be open to the public from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday and from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. on Thursday. The show chairmen are Marie Coulter, [frankandmarie@verizon.net](mailto:frankandmarie@verizon.net), and Nicki Schwab, [mako261mom@aol.com](mailto:mako261mom@aol.com)

**April 14<sup>th</sup> The Upperville Garden Club** will hold its 51<sup>st</sup> Annual Daffodil Show at Buchanan Hall, Upperville, VA. The chairman is Carol Farnow [cfarnow@aol.com](mailto:cfarnow@aol.com), 540-338-9608 and co-chair is Stephanie Bates [sbates@stellaandbean.com](mailto:sbates@stellaandbean.com), 540-592-7086.

**April 16-17**

**The Washington Daffodil Society Daffodil Show** will be held at American Legion Hall, Post 177, 3939 Oak Street, Fairfax, Virginia 22030. April 15<sup>th</sup> is set up and the show is judged on the 16<sup>th</sup>. It is open to the public on the 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>. Contact show chair Mary Ann Barton [wbill@bellatlantic.net](mailto:wbill@bellatlantic.net), 703-273-8641

**April 18-19**

**The Delaware Valley Daffodil Society Show** will be held at Jenkins Arboretum and Gardens, 631 Berwyn - Baptist Road, Devon, PA 19333  
Contact Don Caton, 610-269-0794, [smak04don@yahoo.com](mailto:smak04don@yahoo.com)

**April 21-22**

**The Maryland Daffodil Society Show and Regional Show** at held at the Shops at Kenilworth, 800 Kenilworth Drive, Towson, MD 21204. Set-up is April 20<sup>th</sup>, Judging April 21<sup>st</sup> and the show opens to the public at 2:00PM on the 21<sup>st</sup> and closes at 3:00 PM on April 22<sup>nd</sup>. The Chairman is Hilles Whedbee, [hwhedbee@shawan.org](mailto:hwhedbee@shawan.org), 410-771-1341 and the Co-Chair is Mary Ann Thompson-[mannthompson@verizon.net](mailto:mannthompson@verizon.net), her phone is 410-832-1810

**Looking Ahead...**

April 6-10, 2016

The American Daffodil Society will be hosting the World Convention in St. Louis, MO. Plan now to be at this exciting event.



### **Membership in the American Daffodil Society includes:**

- Quarterly issues of *The Daffodil Journal*, a publication containing beautiful color photos and articles
- Invitation to attend annual National Daffodil Shows and Conventions
- Newsletters from your ADS Regional Vice President
- Invitation to attend Regional meetings in some areas
- Internet Support for DaffSeek, DaffTube, DaffNet, and DaffLibrary
- Information about local daffodil societies in your area
- Daffodil growing advice unique to your region
- ‘Yellow Fever’ friendships and fun!

### **Membership categories are:**

- **Individual/Organization**.....\$30.00 per year; three years \$75.00
- **Household**.....\$35.00 per year; three years \$90.00  
(Household will receive one copy of *The Daffodil Journal* and each member will have voting privileges)
- **Youth**.....\$10.00 per year through age 20 at time of application  
(Youth will receive *The Daffodil Journal*, plus additional bi-annual Youth newsletters.)
- **Individual Life Membership**.....\$750

To join the ADS with your credit card, use our Webstore and become a member today.  
Make your check payable to “The American Daffodil Society” and mail to:

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