

2018 Georgia Daffodil Society Show Winners

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Hello All Daffodil Aficionados!

The Georgia Daffodil Society held it's show in the usual venu of the Chattahoochee Nature Center in Roswell Georgia last Saturday March 10th.

It was a nice chilly day which seems to be rare for this show date in Roswell but very nice for the show. The cooler and longer winter season for Atlanta this year seems to have been favorable for the Daffodils as the quality was quite good. The container awards are not shown here but were awarded. Otherwise, any other missing ADS Awards that are not shown here, were not awarded. The missing flower name in the 5 stem Historic winner is reported as Thalia.

I wanted to dedicate this show to the memory of Betty Hartzog who departed this life in early May of 2016. She was a very generous person and kind to a fault, spreading the joys of gardening, and sharing plants of all kinds with everyone she could including children, getting them interested as young as she could.

With that in mind, I donated a trophy of a Murano Glass Fire Bowl to the winner of the Georgia Daffodil Society garden club award of horticultural excellence at this show. The winner of this trophy was agreed upon by all judges to be the winning Tuggle entry, exhibited by Becky Fox Matthews. I was so happy to provide this trophy and I'm sure Betty is smiling on us as we all read this post.

The photos of the winners in the show are below. And so kicks off the Daffodil Show season for me!

Tom



Tuggle Award Winner, was also the Garden Clubs Award of Horticultural Excellence. This award is given to any agreed upon entry, or single flower in the show and is discussed among all judges attending the show. Also, I personally wanted to dedicate this show to Betty Hartzog Who had departed this life in May of 2016. I donated the trophy that Becky is holding in this photo of a Murano Fire Bowl. This was the highlight of this show for me personally, as some of you might know how kind and generous Betty was in heart.



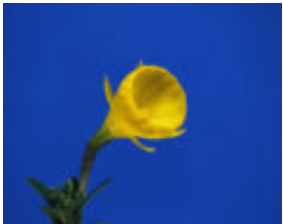
Georgia Daffodil Society Show Trophy Table



Best In Show – Temba, taken from the 2nd place Bozie Entry. Exhibited by Clay Higgins.



The White Ribbon for the best 3 stem entry of standard daffodils. Procyon, exhibited by Becky Fox Matthews, and taken from the winning Tuggle entry which was also the Georgia Daffodil Society award of excellence AND the one time only Betty Hartzog Memorial Trophy winner.



The mini Gold winner for the miniature best in show. “Hoop Petticoat” exhibited by Paula Karth.



The mini rose ribbon for the best miniature seedling (un named new hybrid) in the show. Exhibited by Becky Fox Matthews



The miniature white ribbon winner for the best 3 stem miniature entry in the show. Tete-A-Tete exhibited by Mike & Lisa Kuduk



The Rose Ribbon for the best standard seedling in the show. Exhibited by Clay Higgins. The parents are Gold Hanger X Geometrics.



The Intermediate Single Stem winner – Jeannie Driver, exhibited by Greg Freeman



The Small Grower Ribbon was awarded to Pops Legacy exhibited by Johnnie Buhler



Single Stem Historic winner, Aflame – Exhibited by Darrin Ellis-May



The Classic single stem & Classic Cultivar, Avalanche, exhibited by Bonnie Campbell.



The Classic 3 stem winner, Ceylon – Exhibited by Darrin Ellis-May



Historic 3 stem winner, Silver Chimes – exhibited by Janet Loyd.



The Red White & Blue Ribbon winner for the best collection of 5 american bred Daffodils in the show. Exhibited by Lynn Ladd, the flowers were: Stony Brook, Canyon Wren, Lavalier, Intrigue, and Skaters Waltz.



The Purple Ribbon winner for the best 5 stem entry of standard daffodils in the show. Exhibited by Clay Higgins, the flowers from top right are: Rapture, Waynes World, Lemon Silk, Arrow Head, and Itzem.



The lavender ribbon winner for the best 5 stem miniature collection in show. Exhibited by Clay Fran Higgins



Historic 5 stem winner, Exhibited by Betsy Abrams. Didn't get the white div 5, but the others are: Rustom

Pasma, Emperor, Beryl, and Queen of the North.



The Classic 5 stem collection winner, exhibited by Betsy Abrams with the flowers of Salome', Tahiti, Bridal Crown, Pueblo and Waterperry.