Dear ADS Midwest friends

There have been several requests for the date, time & location of the fall Midwest meeting so I'll paste the newsletter section here that I sent out in July quoting this information.

We will be holding our Midwest ADS Fall meeting at the Cincinnati Civic Garden Center, Saturday OCTOBER 2nd at

THE CIVIC GARDEN CENTER OF GREATER CINCINNATI 2715 Reading Road Cincinnati, OH 45206 513-221-0981 info@civicgardencenter.org

The meeting will start precisely at 9 a.m. so plan to be there early to relax, socialize a bit and have a morning cup with something to nibble.

Please bring a protein item, side dish or dessert for the pot luck lunch and maybe a few bulb varieties to share in the exchange.

I will present a program on hybridizing 101 for entertainment and a few colorful photos. We need to be out by 3:30

Also, it's been suggested that the regional show next spring will be a replacement for this past springs intended show of the St. Joseph Valley Daffodil Society in Niles Michigan.

I wanted to give a bit of advanced word so we all have it in mind.

In case anyone has trouble seeing the pasted quote above from the July newsletter, I'll type in plain text next.

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Hello All Just a little update.

I have information from the venue for our meeting. The good news is that we are still scheduled for the meeting to take place. The update is that masks are required and distancing is requested 'where possible'.

Even with the challenging times, continuing, I hope that most of you will at least consider keeping the date and making the trip to see everyone.

There will be lots of rosette type succulents on hand with instructions on growing and keeping in good health. Some of these, when happy, will put out flower stalks that have small candy corn colored blooms on cascading inflorescences while others have bubble gum pink blooms cascading as on a waterfall on a tall candy cane shaped stems. None will be in bloom for this event, sorry.

That's all for now. hope to see most of you then! Tom