



CODS CORNER

Newsletter of The Central Ohio Daffodil Society

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Phyllis Hess, President

Tag Bourne, Editor

Dear Fellow CODS Members:

As I start my second year as your President, I want to thank everyone who helped make my first year run so smoothly. Special thanks to Elsie Hack for being a good Secretary, and a welcome to Nancy Kolson for joining the crew.

We once again had a most successful Show, my sincere thanks to all who brought blooms, or helped in any way. It seems we have had the largest show in the Country, special kudos to Naomi and Handy for their efforts. Special thanks to Nancy Gill for having the Judges luncheon, it was wonderful!!

I was happy so many of you were able to attend the last meeting and see the Convention slides. I especially want to thank Wells Knierim for coming and showing his slides. They were from not only Convention but all the area shows, including our own. Thanks also to Ray Scholz for coming along. It's always especially nice to have them with us. They are both long-time great supporters of CODS.

Several of us now have blooms on the "down-under" bulbs we planted. I have had great success, of 47 planted, all but 3 are growing and several have bloomed. Of course with all the rain they think it is Spring so I fancy I chose a good year to experiment with trying to grow them. Voodoo which is a 6 y-y from Temple-Smith was good enough to go to a show!! (Of course the very most expensive ones purchased have yet to show their noses!) Great to see a daffodil on June 17th!!

The Members Bulb Sale will be at Naomi's on September 20th at 7PM. Please take your bulbs to her on the 18th or 19th. Make sure you put them in a paper bag and have them pre-priced. The bulb sale information is included in this issue. Please read, drool and buy!!!!

Handy has consented to host the Cocktail Party on September 24th at 5 PM. Please bring your favorite finger food to share.

We are going to try to replant at Whetstone all on one day, on Saturday Oct. 14th. Mark your calendars now, many hands make light work!!

See you at the fall functions!!

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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

Dr. James & Dr. Ann Chase, 5390 Portland St., Columbus, OH 43235 - Tele. No. 459-7976

Mrs. R. E. Kealiher (Betty), 6625 Seeds Rd., Box 144, Grove City, OH 43123 - Tele. No. (Home) 875-9584 (Work) 464-7404

Ms. Gloria Hathaway, 2054 Decker Court, Worthington, OH 43085 - Tele. No. 764-9218

Mr. Mark A. Novotney, 1579 Lucks Rd., Reynoldsburg, OH 43068 Tele. No. 861-6725

WELCOME BACK: Kevin Sohner

Herbicide Test at Whetstone Park

The results of the first year's test of pre-emergent herbicides are now in. It's great to do a test and have the results be a good success, and that was the result.

Dr. Elton Smith of Ohio State University applied three different herbicides to Bed #16 in October 1987. The compounds were Endurance, Devrinol and Surflan. It was known that all three would control the weeds, but the objective was to see if any would cause injury to the daffodils. The bed had been planted with four varieties of daffodils from four different divisions. They were planted in rows down the length of the bed so that sections could be divided for each herbicide plus the control plots.

The first year's evaluation ended in June, 1988. Weed control was quite good with Devrinol and Surflan being the best. Almost no problems were found to occur in the bulbs or the plants from any of the three compounds. Stem and leaf height and flower size were not affected. There was no deformity or irregularity in the flower form. There did not appear to be any significant difference among the cultivars chosen, although the jonquil and tazetta cultivars showed slight leaf problems early in the season. They recovered rapidly-within a week- and from then on showed no problems.

In October, 1988, Dr. Smith again tried some additional herbicides on Bed # 16 and the results of this year's test will also be available next spring. At our March meeting, Dr. Smith presented the results of the test to our members with slides of the bed. The OSU bulletin #123, January 1989 is available and an article about the test is in the ADS Journal for June 1989. The results of this year's test will be published in the Journal next summer.

Devrinol had previously been labeled for use on narcissus and Surflan is now labeled for use. Devrinol 50W was used at a rate of 5 lbs per acre and Surflan 75W.P. at a rate of 3 lbs per acre. Surflan is available at the New Albany Mill at \$49.75 for 5 lbs. We will be purchasing it for use at the garden this fall and will have enough to share if anyone wants to try some on their own gardens.

The Whetstone Garden had a good year with all the rain we had. Bloom was spectacular and many people visited the planting. We were able to give tours to the new Whetstone volunteers, the Worthington Women's Club, Mona Scott of Channel 4 and Miriam Levy, Horticulture coordinator of AmeriFlora.

Digging will be finished by the time you get this and many bulbs will be sent out to other ADS test gardens. We will be planting in October, tentative dates are Oct. 13th & 14th. There is room for some more new varieties in the beds we are digging, so if you have extras when you dig, remember the garden. Even with Ray Culbertson computerizing the records, it's not possible to print a list each year. If you have three of a variety that you may want to donate, please give me a call at 866-9582.

Special thanks go to those people who did weeding this year. With application of Surflan this fall, we hope to make life easier for all of us, and harder for the weeds.

Donna Dietsch

1989 CODS SHOW WINNERS

GOLD RIBBON	Phyllis Hess	Loch Rimsdale 2Y-YRR
WHITE RIBBON	Tag Bourne	Cairn Toul 3W-ORR
MINIATURE GOLD	Helen Link	Flyaway 6Y-Y
MINIATURE WHITE	Curtis Tolley	Sun Disc 7Y-Y
GREEN RIBBON	Chris Hyde	Symphonette 2Y-Y
SILVER RIBBON	Mary Lou Gripshover	12 Blues
PURPLE RIBBON	Handy Hatfield	Touch of Silver 2W-GWW
		Kindee 1W-GWW
		Ashmore 2W-W
		River Queen 2W-W
		Saki 1W-W
RED-WHITE-BLUE RIBBON	Nancy Gill	Rim Ride 3W-GYO
		Gull 2W-GWW
		Our Tempie 3W-YYO
		Williamsburg 2W-W
		Homestead 2W-W
MAROON RIBBON	Ruth Pardue	Dotteral 2Y-WWY
		Dawnlight 1Y-W
		Young American 1YW-WWY
		Rushlight 2Y-W
		Sweet Prince 1YW-WWY
LAVENDER RIBBON	Nancy Gill	Jumblie 6Y-O
		Clare 7Y-Y
		Quince 6Y-Y
		Segovia 3W-Y
		Sun Disc 7Y-Y
GREEN RIBBON	Donna Dietsch	
	Green Quest 3W-GWW	Masquerade 2W-R
	Achnasheen 3W-W	Montego 3Y-YYO
	Sun Ball 4Y-Y	Sunbeater 2Y-O
	Shearwater 2Y-WWY	Green Quest
	Dailmanach 2W-P	Homestead 2W-W
	Starmount 2W-W	Highfield Beauty 8Y-GYO
THROCKMORTON RIBBON	Ruth Pardue	
	Arish Mell 5W-W	Bee Mabley 3W-YYO
	Golden Aura 2Y-Y	Rameses 2W-R
	Avalon 2Y-W	Rainbow 2W-WWP
	Gull 2W-GWW	Loch Lundie 2Y-R
	Crenelet 2W-W	Young American 1YW-WWY
	Best Regards 1YW-W	Dress Circle 3W-YR
	Pure Joy 2W-Y	Urchin 6W-P
	Indian Maid 7O-R	
CAREY E. QUINN SILVER MEDAL	Phyllis Hess	
	Urbane 2W-YOY	Lavender Lass 6W-GPP
	Catbird 6Y-Y	Tudor Dance 1W-Y
	Mot Mot 8Y-R	Gold Convention 2Y-Y
	Snoobie 6W-GPP	Loch Rimsdale 2Y-YRR
	Gull 2W-GWW	Liverpool Festival 2Y-O
	Bogside 3W-R	Loch Katrina 2Y-YOO
	Mentor 2W-GPP	Fire Raiser 2O-O
	Homestead 2W-W	Broomhill 2W-W
	Fly Half 2Y-R	Ballydorn 2AY/55/5
	Shadow 2W-GWW	Mitsch MO 11/2 6Y-Y
	Ginger 2Y-Y	Bryanston 2Y-Y
	Diane 6W-GPP	Rameses 2W-R
ROSE RIBBON	Helen Link	1280C 5Y-Y (Top Notch x T. albus)

MINIATURE ROSE RIBBON	Mary Lou Gripshover	69-38	3W-GYO
	(Cushendall x Knave of Diamonds)		
JEAN WRIGHT AWARD	Irene Moseley	Lavender Lass	6W-GPP
NOVICE AWARD	Barry Reed	Newcastle	1W-Y
MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER AWARD	Ruth Pardue	Gull	2W-GWW
MARY & WELLS KNIERIM AWARD	Tag Bourne		
LEONORA C. WILKE AWARD	Helen Link		
CYNTHIA BELL MEMORIAL TROPHY	Donna Dietsch		
CHRISTOPHER DAVID LANG AWARD	Chris Hyde		
CENTRAL OHIO DAFFODIL SOCIETY AWARD	Phyllis Hess		
MARY E. BLUE FOUNDER'S CUP	Phyllis Hess		
WALTER T. POPPENGER AWARD	Handy Hatfield		
ENGLISH AWARD	Cindy Hyde	Silent, Valley	1W-GWW
		Rashee	1W-W
		Lavender Lass	6W-GPP
		Greeting	2W-Y
		Diane	6W-GPP
AMERICAN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL	Tag Bourne		
	Foundling	6W-P	Andalusia 6Y-YRR
	Dove Wings	6W-Y	Whip-Poor-Will 6Y-Y
	Bell Song	7W-P	Highfield Beauty 8Y-GYO
	Ice Wings	5W-W	Poet's Wings 9W-GYR
	Killearnan	9W-GYR	Helsa 7Y-GYY
	Hoopoe	8Y-O	Sweetness 7Y-Y
	Red Rim	9W-GYR	Rival 6Y-Y
	P. praecox grandiflorus	9W-YR	

In spite of the COLD, DAMP spring CODS held their second largest show excluding the 1978 and 1987 National Shows. Thirty-four adult exhibitors and four juniors made 613 entries with a total bloom count of 1268. This is probably the largest show in the United States this year. The quality was high and the color the best in years. The orange perianth flowers were outstanding as well as the yellow/orange and pinks.

Special Thanks

To the membership for their outstanding cooperation in putting this show on
 Nancy Gill for hosting the Judges Luncheon and food preparation
 Ruth Pardue for helping prepare the food for the Luncheon
 Elsie Hack for her delicious and beautiful cake.

Handy Hatfield Co-Chairman
 Naomi Liggett Co-Chairman

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Anyone wishing a copy of Modern Daffodils by James S. Wells, please let me know by August 1st. It is supposed to be published in July and with a club order we receive a 20% discount. That will make the cost about \$25.16. Sorry we can not mail it for this price.

Naomi Liggett 451-4747

Good News! Nancy Kolson has arranged for us to buy daffodil sweatshirts like the one Phyllis had on at the show. They are \$29.00 each and are available in these sizes: (S) 34-36, (M) 38-40, (L) 42-44, (E-L) 46-48. If you are interested in purchasing one, please send a check for \$29.00 to Nancy Kolson, 22131 Delaware County Line Road, Marysville, Ohio 43040. Also include the size you want. They will be delivered at the party at Handy's. NOTE: The small is for a petite person (size 6-8 at most).

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CONGRATULATIONS TO WELLS KNIERIM on his birthday: July 6th. Hope you'll have many more!

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I know CODS members will be saddened to learn of the death of Elsie Hack's mother on June 9th. I hope Elsie will be comforted in knowing we care and share her sorrow.

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The Executive Board met for a planning session at Ruth Pardue's on Monday night, June 12th. We have great plans for the 1989-90 season. Cindy has lots of good programs in the works. A miniature program will be on November 14th, you will be able to see the Clive Postle program which he gave at the National Convention in San Francisco in February, a grooming for show session in March and the May meeting could have a special out-of-town speaker if things work out.

CODS show date next year will be April 21 and 22. Ruth Pardue, show chairman for 1990, is exploring places to have the show in the future.

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REGIONAL MEETING OF MIDWEST REGION - ADS: The regional will be held this year on October 7th at the Cox Arboretum at 6733 Springboro Road, Dayton, OH 45449. Peg Newill, new ADS Regional Vice President, is working hard to make this a very entertaining and educational day for Midwest Regional ADS members. Please mark your calendars now and Peg will be sending further details in Narcissus Notes in the near future.

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NEW OFFICERS: 1989-90 Year
President: Phyllis Hess
Vice President: Cindy Hyde
Secretary: Nancy Kolson
Treasurer: Lura Emig

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REMINDER: CODS DUES ARE NOW DUE Check for \$4.00 (individual) or \$5.00 (family) made to CODS and mailed to Mrs. Lura Emig, 1878 Demorest Road, Columbus, OH 43228 (CODS TREASURER). If not received by August 30th your name will not appear in the yearly roster.

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DEADLINE FOR NEXT CODS CORNER: September 15th.

1989
CENTRAL OHIO DAFFODIL SOCIETY BULB SALE

MINIATURE COLLECTIONS

Collection 1

Little Beauty 1W-Y
Sun Disc 7Y-Y
April Tears 5Y-Y
Tete-a-Tete 6Y-O
Minnow 8W-Y

Collection 2

Little Gem 1Y-Y
Sundial 7Y-Y
Hawera 5Y-Y
Jumblie 6Y-O
Baby Moon 7Y-Y

These collections will consist of three bulbs of each cultivar and will sell for \$11.50 apiece. However, if you buy both 1 and 2 the price will be \$20.00.

MINIATURES FOR CODS MEMBERS ONLY

✓ juncifolius 10Y-Y	3 for \$2.00
✓ scaberulus 10Y-Y	3 for \$2.00
✓ T. pulchellus 10 Y-W	3 for \$2.25
✓ T. concolor 10W-Y	3 for \$1.50
bulbocodium obesus 10Y-Y	3 for \$2.25
✓ cyclamineus 10Y-Y	3 for \$2.50

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There are only 33 of each of these available. So if you want these, send your order immediately.

STANDARD BULBS

The following bulbs are offered singularly and only 20 each will be available from a reputable grower.

Armley Wood 2Y-YOR	\$2.75	Andalusia 6Y-YRR	\$3.50
Blue Bird 2W-W	\$3.50	Chiloquin 1Y-W	\$2.75
Cold Overton 2W-GWW	\$3.50	✓ Eland 7W-W	\$3.50
Euphony 2Y-Y	\$2.75	Fly Half 2Y-R	\$2.75
Fruit Cup 7W-Y	\$3.50	Golden Ranger 2Y-Y	\$3.50
✓ Golden Aura 2Y-Y	\$2.00	Lavender Lass 6W-GPP	\$3.50
✓ Highlite 2Y-PPY	\$3.50	✓ Loch Hope 2Y-R	\$2.75
✓ Lyles 2Y-Y	\$3.50	Misty Glen 2W-GWW	\$2.75
Quail 7Y-Y	\$1.50	✓ Rainbow 2W-WWP	\$2.75
✓ Resplendent 2Y-R	\$3.50	✓ Rushlight 2Y-W	\$2.00
✓ Shining Light 2Y-ORR	\$2.00	✓ Starmount 2W-W	\$4.00
Suede 2Y-W	\$3.50	Symphonette 2Y-Y	\$2.75
✓ Tahiti 4Y-R	\$2.00	✓ Pure Joy 2W-Y	\$5.00

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MEMBER BULB SALE

Our annual member bulb sale will be held on Wednesday, September 20th at 7:00 p.m. at 4126 Winfield Road, Columbus, OH 43220. Bag (no plastic) all bulbs, name and price and get to Naomi Liggett on the 18th or 19th.

Naomi Liggett, Ways & Means Chairman