



CODS CORNER

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Newsletter of The Central Ohio Daffodil Society

Phyllis Hess, President

Naomi Liggett, Editor

Dear Fellow CODS Members:

Here we go again, another year. The Convention is now just a very pleasant memory. It was great wasn't it? Everything went off without a hitch! Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to make this, "our last convention", so wonderful!

I especially want to thank our new membership chairman, Tag Bourne, for the great job she is doing, and welcome The Aliens (as they call themselves) to CODS. We certainly enjoyed having all of you here and are very happy you joined. (As if they had a choice!)

A crew of seven dug the daffodils at AmeriFlora on Wednesday after the meeting. We then loaded them in the van and they were donated to the Columbus Zoo. Steve Belcher, head horticulturist was happy to get them. He informs us that they are all potted up awaiting fall planting! We are talking about nearly 2000 bulbs! Steve has also consented to be our speaker in November. Thank you to the brave souls who joined us at 6 a.m. to dig!

A couple dates to remember, Sunday, September 20th at 5 p.m. we will have the cocktail party and members bulb sale at my house. Please bring your bulbs in paper bags and priced, to Elsie or myself by Friday, September 18th. You all have a listing of what is at the park, so if you have three bulbs to donate please give them to Nancy Kolson. October 17th has been set to plant at Whetstone; October 24th will be the Fall Midwest Regional Meeting; be sure to save a few bulbs for the bulb exchange there.

Betty Kealiher has a good idea, with the next issue of *CODS CORNER*, we are going to start doing thumbnail sketches of our members. We decided to start with the officers so that when it comes your turn you will know what kind of information we are looking for. Thought it would be a good way to get to know each other a little better.

We would also like to know how you got started growing daffodils. You can jot down a few lines and send it to Naomi or call and I will write it down for you; just let us know how you got "Yellow Fever".

I want to thank Naomi once again for the marvelous job she did chairing the Convention. Most of us will never know just how big that job is! I also appreciate her taking on the job of Editor of *CODS CORNER*, another big job! Thanks also to the other Committee Chairman, and Officers. I'm looking forward to working with all of you this year.

Hope you "Down Under Aliens" have a good season and win all the prizes!

Till September, happy digging and weeding,

NEW MEMBERS:

Mary Anderson	10 Dognell Green	Garden City, England AL87BL
Michael & Sandra Baxter	6 Foxdells Birch Green	Hertford, England 56142LS
M. E. Brogden	41 Grey Street	Taranak, New Zealand
Nancy & Gene Cameron	410 S. Paseo Estrello	Anaheim Hills, CA 92807
Will Dewees		Amesville, OH 45711
Leslie Ramsay	Matangi Road, R.D. 4	Hamilton, New Zealand
Louise Ream	3670 E. Powell Road	Westerville, OH 43081

WELCOME TO CODS!

CONVENTION RAFFLE:

Our raffle was a wonderful success!! We made \$873.00!! Thank you, thank you to all who donated items. A special thank you goes to Cindy Hyde for her beautiful quilted wall hanging (won by Jaydee Ager of Georgia) and to Dick Kolson for the gorgeous painting (won by our own Betty Kealiher). Ask her about the dirty trick she played on Dick! A lovely counted cross-stitched pillow donated by Naomi Liggett and finished by Bessie Haddad was sent home with Leslie Ramsay, a double remembrance for her. Several items were donated by Margaret Vance, including sweat shirts Maria England (Donna's daughter) hand painted. She also painted some flower pots Mary Lou Gripshover donated. Several bulb collections were donated by Handy Hatfield, Naomi Liggett and Phyllis Hess. Bessie gave us a lovely antique bone dish, Bea Wilson donated several hand painted garden items, Don Barnes one of his books which he autographed (and Nancy Kolson won) and Tag Bourne a garden apron with daffodils. Even though it became an embarrassment because so many CODS members won, it was only because we all purchased so many tickets trying to win our favorite item! (Ask Handy about that!) Betty, Barrie Kridler and Barry Nichols did a fantastic job selling tickets on the last night. They sold around \$400.00 worth in just a short time! It was totally due to the time and effort you all exerted that the raffle made so much money! Once again, Our Thanks To All!!

Nancy Kolson and Phyllis Hess

DUES:

Dues are now due. Please mail your check for \$4.00 made out to CODS to Treasurer, Mrs. William C. Baird, 1874 Collingswood Road, Columbus, OH 43221. If your dues are not received by August 31st your name will not appear in the Roster.

IMPORTANT DATES:

July 1, 1992	Whetstone Bulb Sale at the home of Donna Dietsch at 7:00 p.m. For Whetstone workers only
September 20, 1992	Member Bulb Sale and Cocktail Party at Phyllis Hess'
October 17, 1992	Planting at Whetstone Display Garden
October 24, 1992	Fall Midwest Regional Meeting
April 24, 25, 1992	Central Ohio Daffodil Society's Annual Daffodil Show

Aliens Report U.K.

Take-off 11:50 a.m. Heathrow (London) Airport, Columbus here we come!, 500 Years on. First stop Washington leaving our Jumbo for the local crop sprayer with two propellers. Being midnight by British Summer Time, bed was beckoning but daffodils has to be looked after before us, then it was our turn we went to the restaurant and whilst eating dinner we were treated to the most stupendous thunderstorm.

Wednesday morning, out and about to see the sites, down to the river, we viewed the Santa Maria. Are you sure Christopher Columbus braved the Atlantic Ocean in that little ship? Back to the Hotel to see if any CODS members had arrived, they had, Michael then disappeared into the basement of the Hotel to find our precious flowers, great activity over the next few hours, sorting and arranging the blooms. Brian Duncan arrived early Wednesday evening and set to with his daffodils, as the evening wore on more members arrived to arrange their competitive entries or just to chat and reminisce. Time to adjourn to the bar for a well earned rest and drink and to swap stories of past achievements, and so to bed.

Thursday Morning 4:30 a.m., Michael cannot sleep, he is restless so we make out way downstairs so he can stage the exhibits.

Our excursion to AmeriFlora was most interesting, it is a great achievement, we only wish we could visit again in a couple of months when the bedding plants have settled down. We are sure Christopher Columbus would be proud of the authorities for staging such a great spectacle.

Friday Evening/ Saturday Morning very late or early as the case may be, we retired to the bar after the banquet to celebrate Kate Reade's Gold Medal (Who needs an excuse!). At 2:30 a.m. we retired to our room along with a few friends to telephone Kate to impart the good news, it was about 7:00 a.m. in Northern Ireland.

Later Saturday Morning coaches took us out into the Ohio countryside where we were entertained by Handy Hatfield whose daffodils and gardens were truly magnificent.

Sandra Baxter, Hertford England

(Editor's Note: Sandra is a brand new member and has already written an article for *CODS Corner*. Doesn't this put you old time members to shame!)

ADS Convention Chairman's Report:

I wish to thank all the members of CODS who helped with the recent ADS Convention, especially the Steering Committee: Tag Bourne was the Registrar for the third time, Nancy Gill Show Chairman and Handy Hatfield Co-Chairman for the second time, Phyllis Hess Treasurer and Cindy Hyde our talented Immediate Past President. The convention went very smoothly thanks to the excellent cooperation of the members and many non-members who pitched in and helped.

The bills are all paid and we have a balance of \$1231.56 to turn over to ADS. This was a pleasant surprise since registration was lower than anticipated. The budget was based on 200 full-time registrations and we only had 176 and eleven cancelations. While Nancy was worrying about the weather, I was worried we would end up in the red!

Naomi Liggett

At the May Meeting a motion was passed to spend \$200.00 for the purchase of bulbs for the Columbus Zoo. Steve Belcher, Zoo Horticulturist, requested we buy late blooming cultivars since the zoo is busier the end of the daffodil season. Fifty bulbs of Dainty Miss 7W-GWW and Stratosphere 7Y-O were ordered from Elise Havens.

Cindy Hyde, Chairman; Nancy Kolson; Naomi Liggett



We extend our sincere sympathy to Bea Wilson upon the sudden death of her husband Dr. John Wilson. John and Bea have been valuable members of CODS for a number of years.

We Did it Again!

The American Daffodil Society came to Columbus one more time April 23-25 with great expectations for another fantastic convention and show. They weren't disappointed!

It was the concerted effort of the society residents of Central Ohio and the many "far flung" members of CODS that made this 1992 Convention Show outstanding in a very trying growing season! From the first planning session until the last test tube was put back in those boxes, there were many helping hands.....believe me, I needed all of you and I want to thank each and everyone.

The complete show report will be listed elsewhere in this newsletter, however, I thought I'd talk about just a few who managed to help me tremendously and also win as Wells Knierim says the "Big Prizes".

As you all know Hube Bourne was awarded my official "Spouse of the Year Award" at the convention for making our new vase of three mini properties, etc. But I do wonder if he would have done this "minor" task without some encouragement from his spouse, Tag - the Gold Ribbon and English Award winner. My Co-Chairman, Handy Hatfield, who also had his lovely garden open for our convention, won the Quinn Ribbon. Naomi Liggett, not only Convention Chairman, but the Watrous, Fowlds and Olive Lee winner and she did the class cards to match the schedule she typed and had duplicated (I'm sure in her spare time!) Our President, Cindy Hyde, was a repeat Red-White-Blue Ribbon National Show winner as well as making the black covers for the Design Division and coordinating the Commercial Exhibits. As for our out-of-town members, Ruth Pardue did the entries calculations all 2005 of them with no discrepancies. Harold McConnell, Nancy Pilipuf and Jane Meyer did classification. Wells Knierim donated his properties to CODS and the Adena and SWODS Daffodil Societies allowed us to borrow their properties. Last but certainly not least...Mary Lou Gripshover delivered and returned the SWODS properties and was the Judge's Chairman. She also won the Purple, Larus, Northern Ireland, Link and Green Awards. So for future hopeful show winners....it pays to work on a show.....so do it and you win too!!

I'm sure everyone enjoyed the Design Division. This was the first time we offered the Petite Award for Small Designs. You may remember I was very concerned about the space requirements. Obviously that was before our March "disaster". But, our show did score high enough to apply for a National Council Award and Naomi is compiling the brief.

As you can see, with all this help, I did very little except worry. But, I worried for nothing.....we managed to pull it off wonderfully.....thanks to all of you.....WE DID IT AGAIN!! YEA!

Nancy Gill, Show Chairman

(Editor's Note) Nancy did all of this and also won the ADS Miniature White Ribbon, so it also pays to chair a daffodil show.

1992 NATIONAL SHOW WINNERS

GOLD RIBBON	Chelsea Girl 2W-P	TAG BOURNE
WHITE RIBBON	Spindletop 3W-Y	HELEN LINK
MINIATURE GOLD RIBBON	Stafford 7Y-O	NAOMI LIGGETT
MINIATURE WHITE RIBBON	Rikki 7W-Y	NANCY GILL
JUNIOR AWARD	Verve 2W-YYO	JENNY CHEESBOROUGH
SILVER RIBBON	13 Blues	LIBBY FREY
ROSE RIBBON	KF-1 2W-YYP	LEONE LOW
MINIATURE ROSE RIBBON	92/Z 6Y-Y	BARRY NICHOLS
	Little Witch x <i>jonquilla</i>	
PURPLE RIBBON	MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER	
	73-22-15 9W-GYR	73-22-8 9W-GGR
	73-22-3 9W-GYR	73-22-17 9W-GOO
	73-22-11 9W-YYR	(Dactyl x Evans poet sdlg)
RED-WHITE-BLUE RIBBON	CINDY HYDE	
	Sunday Chimes 5W-W	Star Wish 3W-GYR
	Eland 7W-W	Crystal Clear 3W-GWW
	Spindletop 3W-Y	
LAVENDER RIBBON	DELIA BANKHEAD	
	Loyce 7Y-YYO	Fairy Chimes 5Y-Y
	Stafford 7Y-O	Blanchard 61/44A 8W-O
	Pixie's Sister 7Y-Y	
GREEN RIBBON	MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER	
	Chippewa 3W-YYR	Bossa Nova 3O-R
	Silent Cheer 3W-YYR	Badbury Rings 3Y-YYR
	Jewel Song 2W-P	Green Ice 2W-GWW
	Mary Kate 6W-GWP	Snoopie 6W-GPP
	Megalith 2W-Y	Angel Eyes 9W-GYO
	Elizabeth Ann 6W-GWP	Grip 73-36-7 3W-GYY
		(Grace Note O.P.)
ROBERTA C. WATROUS RIBBON	NAOMI LIGGETT	
	Segovia 3W-Y	Sundial 7Y-Y
	Clare 7Y-Y	Stafford 7Y-O
	Yellow Xit 3W-Y	Hawera 5Y-Y
	<i>rupicola</i> 10Y-Y	April Tears 5Y-Y
	Pixie's Sister 7Y-Y	<i>bulbocodium</i> var. 10Y-Y
	<i>triandrus triandrus</i> 10W-W	Moncorvo 7Y-Y
THROCKMORTON MEDAL	JOY MACKINNEY	
	Ice Wings 5W-W	Stint 5Y-Y
	Sparkling Eye 8W-GOO	Intrigue 7Y-W
	Foundling 6W-P	Falconet 8Y-R
	Bluebird 2W-W	Corbiere 1Y-YOO
	Ringleader 2W-YYR	Berceuse 2W-P
	Highfield Beauty 8Y-GYO	Takahe 4Y-O
	Dress Circle 3W-YYR	Gold Velvet 1Y-Y
	Cool Evening 11W-P	

CAREY E. QUINN RIBBON

HANDY HATFIELD
Silver Surf 2W-W
Spindletop 3W-Y
Tuckahoe 3W-GYR
Limbo 2O-R
Dubose N112-4 2W-W
River Queen 2W-W
Gold Shah 2Y-Y
Sun Gem 2YW-W
Saki 1W-W
La Paloma 3W-GYR
Fruit Cup 7W-Y
Chiloquin 1Y-W

Dubose M55-66 2W-P
China Doll 2W-WWP
Pol Voulin 2W-P
Misty Glen 2W-GWW
Chippewa 3W-YYR
Croila 2W-GWW
Dunley Hall 3W-GYY
Mistress Mine 2WG-P
Nob Hill 2YYW-Y
Bilbo 6W-GPP
Elizabeth Ann 6W-GWP
Killearnan 9W-GYR

AMERICAN HORTICULTURAL
SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL

PEGGY MACNEALE
Ice Wings 5W-W
Ringing Bells 5W-W
Moyle 9W-GYO
Fruit Cup 7W-Y
Snoopic 6W-GPP
Martha Washington 8W-O
Silver Chimes 8W-W
Indian Maid 7O-R

Sextant 6W-GWW
Jingle Bells 5W-Y
Array 9W-GYR
Angel Eyes 9W-GYO
Delia 6W-YWP
Honey Guide 5Y-Y
Pukawa 7Y-R

ENGLISH AWARD

TAG BOURNE
Royal Marine 2W-YOO
Chelsea Girl 2W-P
Killearnan 9W-GYR

Norma Jean 2Y-Y
Tripartite 11Y-Y

CARNCAIRN TROPHY

PAULINE DICKENSON
Foundling 6W-P
Mount Fuji 2W-W
Ariel 3W-OOY

Crenelet 2W-W
White Ermine 2W-GWW

NORTHERN IRELAND TROPHY

MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER
Chinchilla 2W-W
Notre Dame 2W-GYP
Rimmon 3W-GWY

Cupid's Eye 2Y-GYP
Bilbo 6W-GPP

NEW ZEALAND AWARD

KATHY ANDERSEN
Declare 2W-P
Career 2Y-OOR
Kestelle 2W-P

Strike 2Y-Y
Brodgen 95-1 2W-YYO

LARRY P. MAINS TROPHY

MARIE BOZIEVICH
Lalique 3Y-GYY
Rimmon 3W-GWY
Spring Tonic 3Y-GYR
Rivendell 3W-GYY
Surfbird 3Y-Y

Ibberton 3W-YYO
Kirkinriola 3W-GYO
Angel 3W-GWW
Slowcoach 3W-GYO

MATTHEW FOWLDS MEDAL

Golden Years 6Y-Y

NAOMI LIGGETT

OLIVE W. LEE TROPHY

Golden Years 6Y-Y

NAOMI LIGGETT

HARRY I. TUGGLE JR. TROPHY

KATHY ANDERSEN

Rich Reward 1Y-W
Triller 7Y-O
Dateline 3Y-O
Mexico City 2Y-O
Red Aria 2O-R
Symphonette 2Y-Y

Heart's Desire 4W-Y
Areley Kings 2W-GWW
River Queen 2W-W
Corofin 3W-YYR
Irvington 3W-R
Newport 2W-YOY

ADS HYBRIDIZERS ROSETTE

Amboseli 3Y-YYR

BRIAN DUNCAN

GOETHE LINK AWARD

MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER

73-36-3 3W-GGY Grace Note O.P.
85-2-X 5W-Y Rainbow x *triandrus*
73-22-8 9W-GGR Dactyl x Evans red-cupped poet

MURRAY EVANS TROPHY

BRIAN DUNCAN

Crimson Chalice 3W-GRR
D-1554 2Y-R
Silverwood 3W-W

Ahwahnee 2Y-R
D-1130 2W-P
LaVella 2Y-R

ADS CHALLENGE CUP

BRIAN DUNCAN

Coromandel 2Y-Y
D-1126 2W-P
State Express 2Y-GOO
Doctor Hugh 3W-GOO
Savoir Faire 2W-YWP
Ahwahnee 2Y-R

Nether Barr 2W-GRR
Amboseli 3Y-YYR
Sperrin Gold 1Y-Y
June Lake 2W-GYP
D-1046 2O-R
Dorchester 4W-P

GRANT & AMY MITSCH TROPHY

#269 3W-GWW
Cushlake x Cushendall

EVE ROBERTSON

JOHN & BETTY LARUS TROPHY

76-16-4 7Y-Y
Baby Moon O.P.

MARY LOU GRIPSHOVER

Number of Entries - 895

Design Entires - 21

Number of Blooms - 2005

Maroon Ribbon and Australian Trophy not awarded.



Look for the old daffodil bed at AmeriFlora, it now has a planting of caladiums just breaking ground.

We should all give Tag Bourne a vote of thanks for serving as Editor since July 1983. She has earned a well deserved rest! This Editor hopes that more of our members will write something for the newsletter as it is only as good as you members make it! October and January issues always need articles. Let's also hear from CODS members who do not live in the Central Ohio area.

DEADLINE FOR THE OCTOBER ISSUE IS SEPTEMBER! This is early, but I will be extremely busy in September.