



CODS CORNER

Newsletter of The Central Ohio Daffodil Society

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Mrs. James Liggett President

"Tag" Bourne, Editor

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Plans for 1983-1984 are almost complete and the Executive Board is hopeful there will be something of interest for old and new members. Since CODS has several novice exhibitors, a workshop is planned for April 10th. I have been in contact with Doris Nelson with the Cultural Arts Commission and there is a chance an art exhibit can be held in conjunction with our 1984 show.

This newsletter is early, not just because Tag is so efficient, but of necessity. This will be your only notice of the bulb sales and the September Meeting, so MARK YOUR CALENDER NOW. YOU WILL NOT BE CALLED.

Cecile Spitz will again chair the Ways & Means Committee. The MEMBERS ONLY BULB SALE is planned for Wednesday, September 28th at Cecile's, 4985 Charlbury Road. Phone: 451-5669. If you have any excess bulbs to donate, please price and get them to Cecile before the day of the sale.

If there are a sufficient number of bulbs remaining, we plan to again sell bulbs at Franklin Park Conservatory & Garden Center, 1777 E. Broad Street on Sunday, October 9th from 10 to 4. The Mum Show is being held there that weekend and it is hoped many potential customers will be attending.

Members decided at the May Meeting not to purchase bulbs this year for a sale. The ones in the collections offered this year were donated by members. The first five were given by Ruth Pardue (except Nampa) and #6, #7A & B by Naomi Liggett except for Chapeau donated by Tag Bourne. This will be pure profit and should net the club over six hundred dollars if they all sell. Thanks Tag and Ruth for your generosity.

I am happy to report that Mary Knierim is now home from the hospital. We wish her well.

The annual Cocktail Party will be Sunday, September 11th at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Donald Zwilling, 3817 Mountview Road in Upper Arlington. Bring your own bottle and favorite hors d'oeuvre. Time 5:30 p.m.

Judges needing refreshed will have the opportunity to do so at the Midwest Regional Fall Meeting, October 8th in Richmond, Indiana. Mrs. Link will lecture on Judging Ethics.

Naomi Liggett
President

RECOMMENDED POETICUS

As a lover of poets, a question that I often get is "if you could grow 3 or 4 poets which ones would you grow and why". As you can see from the list below, I had a difficult time with picking just 3 or 4.

Helen Link's "Lucy Jane" 9 W-GYR is always lovely. See a photo of it in the March 1983 Journal ... this being in color and you can see my reasons for liking it.

"Cantabile" 9 W-GGR - beautiful green eye, has excellent form, good show qualities, available from suppliers at a decent price (Carncairn 75¢).

"Andrew Marvell" 9 W-GYR ... Brian Duncan has it available at a price of \$6.00. Most generally blooms with a smooth thick perianth and is brilliantly white. The flat cup is narrowly rimmed in red. The green in the eye is a very dark green and makes for such good contrast in the bloom.

Grant Mitsch crossed "Quetzal" x "Smyrna" and came up with a number of outstanding poets with excellent show form and they are readily available from the Havens' catalogue.

Angel Eyes 9 W-GYO
Seraph 9 W-GYR
Emerald 9 W-GOR
Suspense 9 W-GYR
Bright Angel 9 W-GOR

All have hardy constitutions, reproduce well and have nice size, sound bulbs. Form on the above is very good - excellent substance.

Tom Bloomer introduced "Poet's Way" 9 W-GYR in 1976. It has intense coloring. I want my poets to look like poets and I like the intense color here. Spicy sweet and available from Rathowen \$4.00.

Helen Link's "Phebe" 9 W-GYO ... nice rounded perianth, vivid color, green, yellow, orange plus usually uniform blooms which makes it easy to get together a vase of 3. Good reproducer.

"Narrabri" 9 W-GGR ... nice rounded perianth, overlaps well with vivid coloring. This is an "oldie" but a "goodie". (Engleheart 1927)

"Caedmon" 9 W-GYR introduced by Engleheart back in 1913 very sweet fragrance. Very uniform. Most generally a show winner.

Newer: "Champion" 9 W-GYR ... Brian Duncan 1980. Good form and substance but I have not dug this one and am hesitant to make a recommendation on it until I dig and see how well it reproduces.

My motive is to help CODS members make a selection of poets that are showable plus all of the above have a tendency toward good increase.

"Tag" Bourne

WHETSTONE DISPLAY GARDEN

Over the past few years several cultivars have been lost in the garden, Ruth Pardue has compiled two lists - one which she would like to replace and the other she does not wish to replace. Some have been planted twice and still show weakness. If you have any on the replacement list, drop Ruth a note. Remember we need 3 of each cultivar, preferably double-nosed.

REPLACEMENT LIST:

Alray 1Y-Y	Glendermott 2W-GWW	Rushlight 2Y-W
Angel 3W-GWW	Golden Cloud 1Y-Y	Sacajawea 2Y-O
Amberglow 2Y-Y	Gossamer 3W-YYP	Saucy 2W-P
Ardbane 2W-GWW	Green Hills 3W-GGY	Spanish Gold 1Y-Y
Aurelia 7Y-Y	Green Howard 3W-GYY	Shot Silk 5W-W
Ballintoy 2Y-R	Hiawasee 8W-W	Susan Pearson 7Y-R
Bobolink 2W-GYO	jonquilla 10Y-Y	Sunapee 3Y-YYR
Benediction 3W-GWW	Kenmare 2W-P	St. Egwin 2Y-Y
Castlecoole 2W-WWO	Lorenzo 2W-O	Thoughtful 5Y-Y
Caro Nome 2W-WPP	Madrigal 2W-WWY	Tresamble 5W-W
Cave 3W-GYR	Marshfire 2W-YOR	Ruth Haller 5Y-Y
Chinese White 3W-GWW	Mary Ann 2W-W	Lichfield 3W-GYR
Chelan 2Y-W	Mt. Hood 1W-W	
Cibola 2Y-Y	Pastorale 2Y-WWY	
Churchfield 2W-W	Pueblo 7W-W	
Fairgreen 3W-GYO	Puppet 5Y-O	
Fairy Dream 1W-W	recurvus 10W-YYR	
Gay Challenger 4W-R	Richhill 2Y-YYR	
Gay Time 4W-R	Rose Ribbon 2W-YYP	

NON-REPLACEMENT LIST:

Grapefruit 1Y-Y	Rowella 1W-Y	Cushie Butterfield 1W-W
Glacier 1W-W	Cathlin 2W-P	Cavatina 2W-YYP
Salmon Trout 2W-P	Seltan 2W-P	Knovehead 2W-W
Palestine 2Y-YOO	Rawhiti 2Y-R	Rawene 2Y-R
Pallas 2W-	Salome 2W-PPY	Imogen 2W-P
Charis 2W-P	Early Mist 2W-W	Handcross 2Y-W
Moonlight Sonata 1Y-W	Orissa 3Y-YYR	Rapallo 3Y-YYR
Sabrina 3Y-O	Alberni Beauty 3W-GYY	Bithynia 3W-WWO
Clockface 3W-YYR	Whariti 2Y-R	

Ruth has set Saturday October 15th as planting day at Whetstone. Bring your shovels. The more the merry; 9:00 a.m.

Excess bulbs from Whetstone Display Garden were sent to Bill Schrader for Ehove Test Garden, Milan, Ohio and to two new gardens; Ray Scholz's in the Medina, Ohio area and to one in Strawberry Bank, New Hampshire.

IMPORTANT DATES: September 11 - Cocktail Party
September 28 - Members Only Bulb Sale - Cecile Spitz's home
October 8 - Regional Meeting at Richmond, Indiana
October 9 - Bulb sale at Franklin Park Conservatory
October 15 - Bulb Planting - Whetstone Park

If you haven't paid your dues, time is running out if you want to be included in the roster. Deadline is September 5th. Our Treasurer, Vanessa Quinones, has the following new address:

1860 North Star Road, Apartment # 14, Columbus, OH 43212.
Telephone # 488-9449

HELPFUL HINTS:

An easy way to get rid of chipmunks is by putting 1/4 cup vinegar (any kind) in the chipmunk hole and if you have them cavorting around the patio, etc. use a sprinkling can with vinegar and they just disappear.

Should they move to your next-door neighbor, pass this information along to them.

Cecile Spitz

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ERROR IN LAST CODS CORNER:

The book presented to Franklin Park Conservatory rather than Inniswood and the book was on perennials. This gift was in memory of Marilyn Fitch's mother.

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NOTE:

Donna Dietsch suggested that we get some opinions from CODS members on what cultivars are susceptible to basal rot. I would like to have some opinions on this subject from any of you. Deadline for the next CODS CORNER is December 15th.

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Replacement for Hawera in last year's bulb sale will be April Tears. The Dutch firm where we ordered bulbs will send 200 April Tears and they should arrive around the end of September.

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The Ticknor's have resigned as Executive Directors of the American Daffodil Society. Miss Leslie E. Anderson, Route 3, 2302 Byhalia Rd., Hernando, Mississippi 38632 will be appointed at the September Board Meeting as the new Executive Director. After September 23rd direct all correspondence to Miss Anderson.

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Indians believed that a naked squaw, walking in the garden under a bright moon while dragging her clothes behind her, would keep cutworms from destroying the vegetables. I wonder if this would have any effort on the larvae of the Narcissus Bulb Fly????

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The summer has flown by so swiftly that it seems as though just last week we were digging bulbs and yet, the time to replant is almost upon us. HAPPY PLANTING!

CENTRAL OHIO DAFFODIL SOCIETY BULB SALE - 1983

COLLECTION #1 \$15.00 (5 available)

Apostle 1W-Y
 Yamhill 2W-YYW
 David Bell 1Y-Y
 Pitchroy 2W-GWW
 Olathe 3W-GYO
 Propriety 2W-P
 Orion 2W-O

COLLECTION #3 \$15.00 (5 available)

Rushlight 2Y-W
 Gin & Lime 1Y-GWW
 Oryx 7Y-W
 Verdin 7Y-W
 Nampa 1Y-W

COLLECTION #5 \$15.00 (5 available)

Verona 3W-W
 Bastion 1Y-Y
 Romance 2W-P
 Avenger 2W-R
 Irish Minstrel 2W-Y
 Pinza 2Y-YOR
 Playboy 2Y-O

COLLECTION #7A \$6.00 (14 available)

Daviot 2W-OOY
 Accent 2W-P
 Elizabeth Bas 11Y-Y
 Sweetness 7Y-Y
 Yellow Cheerfulness 4Y-Y
 Chapeau 2W-Y

#7B Kilworth 2W-GRR instead of Chapeau (6 available)

COLLECTION #2 \$15.00 (5 available)

Broomhill 2W-W
 Passionale 2W-P
 Joyous 2W-Y
 Falstaff 2Y-R
 Shah 7Y-Y
 Daviot 2W-OOY
 Kilworth 2W-GRR

COLLECTION #4 \$15.00 (5 available)

Andalusia 6Y-YRR
 Dik Dik 6Y-R
 Willet 6Y-Y
 Arish Mell 5W-W
 Martha Washington 8W-O

COLLECTION #6 \$6.00 (15 available)

Cantabile 9W-GGR
 Blarney 3W-OOY
 Passionale 2W-P
 Glenwherry 3W-R
 Playboy 2Y-O
 Kilworth 2W-GRR

AVAILABLE FOR LANDSCAPING:

Market Merry 3Y-R	(30+ bulbs)	\$12.00
Therm 3Y-R	(25+ bulbs)	\$10.00
Suzy 7Y-O	(15+ bulbs)	\$7.00
Trevithian 7Y-Y	(20+ bulbs)	\$10.00

ATTENTION: Since some of the collections are so limited in number, orders with the earliest postdates will be used. SEND MONEY WITH CHECK PAYABLE TO : Central Ohio Daffodil Society, C/O Cecile Spitz, 4985 Charlbury Road, Columbus, Ohio 43220

_____ Collection #1 @ \$15.00 _____	_____ Collection #5 @ \$15.00 _____
_____ Collection #2 @ \$15.00 _____	_____ Collection #6 @ \$6.00 _____
_____ Collection #3 @ \$15.00 _____	_____ Collection #7A @ \$6.00 _____
_____ Collection #4 @ \$15.00 _____	_____ Collection #7B @ \$6.00 _____

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

PHONE NO. _____

TOTAL AMOUNT INCLOSED _____

IF YOU DESIRE BULBS MAILED TO YOU, PLEASE ADD SUFFICIENT AMT. TO YOUR CHECK TO COVER POSTAGE.