

**Nancy R. Wilson, Species and Miniature Narcissus
February 2010**

Dear Friends,

Jerry and I will miss all of our friends at the ADS Convention. Our year has been stressful. Aging is difficult at times. Jerry has had shortness of breath and weakening legs for many months. Our fancy medical system cannot give him a reason. In June I had major back surgery and now have four metal plates shoring me up. The pain I had prior is gone and I am slowly gaining strength. Both of us swim and walk a lot. I look at my daffodils and they are coming up in spite of their forced neglect. In December we had large clumps of *N. bulbocodium* in great varieties. They bloomed in spite of our 19F. degree weather, with rain and wind. They ranged from pure white to deep yellow. What joy. Weeding around those small, round leaves is tedious, we are still too wet to try. I would hope that more of you try the *N. bulbocodiums* out in the open or in deep pots and see if your climate will accommodate them. They bloom when little else is out.

This year I am again offering Walter Blom's wonderful hybrids. He has several new ones with different attributes. For me they do best planted in the garden but they can be potted and kept warmer in a sheltered place.

10-00 'Murphy's Delight' 6 Y-Y, named especially for the 2010 ADS Convention.
6 Y-Y delightful, dark yellow, very small *N. cyclamineus* hybrid. (Blom)..; \$35.00

SELECTIONS FOR 2010 New Walter Blom introductions:

“Spring flowering bulbocodium hybrids, hexaploide (2n.=42)”

- 10-1 'Classic Gold' 10 Y-Y AGM award 2009 213 flowering stems per 10 bulbs! 5 for \$12.50
- 10-2 'Classic Elegance' 10 W-W very free flowering, great potplant, musky scent.....\$15.00
- 10-3 'Darkest of All' 10 Y-Y beautiful deep yellow..... \$15.00
- 10-4 'Spring Vista' 10 Y-Y super large flowers, petunioid, beautiful pot plant.....\$15.00
- 10-5 'Sugar and Cream 10 W-W.....\$12.50
- 10-6 'Sweet Angel' 10 W-W very free flowering, orange anthers.....\$15.00
- “Winter and early spring flowering hybrids, hexaploide (2n.=42)”**
- 10-7 'Buttercream' 10 Y-Y very free flowering, fast increase.....\$12.50
- 10-8 'Firelight Gold' 10 Y-Y fast increase, sweet musky scent.....\$15.00
- 10-9 'Casual Elegance' 10 Y-Y g reat potplant, sweet scent.....\$12.50
- 10-10 'Snow Frost' 10 W-W free flowering, sweetly scented.....\$17.50

10-11 'Symphony Gold'10 W-Y
bicolor.....\$20.00

10-12 'Winter Greetings' pure white, January pot
plant.....\$17.50

10-13 "Winter Wonderland' 10 W-W beautiful December
potplant.....\$17.50

N. triandrus hybrids of Walter Blom, new introductions fine for showing.

10-14 'Romantique'.....\$30.00

10-15 'Sweet Leilani ' 5 Y-Y.....\$30.00

New for 2010

10-16 'Hummingbird' 6 Y-Y.....\$15.00

10-17 'Scilly White' 8 W-W (pre-1865) scented, variant of N. tazetta subsp. Ochraleucus (2-3).....\$4.00

SECTION APODONTHE

AP-CA *N. calcicola* 13 Y-Y seed raised, only order if you can focus on its care.....
\$25.00

AP-RO *N.rupicola* 12 Y-Y (3-4) (Blom) Oregon Pigmy Group, RHS registered \$4.00 or 5 for
\$16.00

AP-RP *N.rupicola* 13 Y-Y grown from seed, various
sources.....\$7.00

The price of each of bulbs below is \$5.00 each or 5 bulbs for \$20.00 Flowering in March and April.

HY-CY 'Clarity Gold' 7 Y-Y (Blom)

HY-EG 'English Garden' 7 Y-Y (Blom)

HY-MY 'Moon Yellow' 7 Y-Y ((Blom)

HY-SC 'Spring Charm' 7 Y-Y (Blom)

HY-YL 'Yellow Pearl' 7 Y-Y (Blom)

SECTION BULBOCODIUM

BU-PR *N. bulbocodium* ssp. *praecox* var. *praecox* 13 Y-Y (2)\$4.00 or 5 for
\$16.00

BU-CN *N. bulb ocodium* ssp. *Bulb. var.*
conspicuus.....\$2.00

BU-SE *N. bulbocodium* ssp. *bulb. var. serotinus* 13 Y-
Y.....\$5.00

BU-TN *N. bulbocodium* ssp. *bulb. var. tenuifolius* 13 Y-Y (3).....
\$6.00

HY-AP 'Apollo Gold' 10 Y-Y (3-4) (Blom).....5 for \$12.50

HY-CH 'China Gold' 10 Y-Y (3-4) (Blom) brilliant greenish yellow.....\$4.00 or 5 for \$16.00

HY-FS 'Fresh Season' 10 Y-Y (James Wells) lovely chrome
yellow.....\$12.00

HY-FE 'Fyno' 10 W-W (2) (Rod Barwick's detective series) very early
.....\$4.00

HY-IN 'Galligaskins' 10 Y-Y (Rod Barwick) brilliant greenish yellow, facing up,

fun.....\$6.00
 HY-JS ' Jessamy' 10 W-W (1) (Blanchard) one of the first named bulbocodium
 hybrids.....\$4.00
 HY-OP 'Oregon Petticoat' group 10 Y-Y (3-4) (Blom).....\$5
 for\$10.00
 HY-GY 'Golden Symphony' 5 Y-Y (3-4) (Blom) More vigorous than Spring Serenade
 flowers 10 days later.....\$30.00
 HY-OG 'Oxford Gold' 10 Y-Y (2-3) (Blom) Vivid, deep golden yellow.,large flowers \$4.00 ea. 5 for
 \$16.00
 HY-KH 'Kholmes' 10 W-W (Rod Barwick's detective series).....
 \$4.00
 HY-SP 'Spoirot' 10 W-W Rod Barwick) detective series
 \$4.00
 HY-SM 'Smarple' 10 W-W (Rod Barwick) detective
 series.....\$4.00
 HY-TF 'Taffeta' 10 W-W (2)(Blanchard) sibling of
 Jessamy.....\$3.00
 HY-SR 'Silver Rains' 10 W-W (2-3) (Blom) free flowering, medium sized
 flowers.....\$6.00

 HY-SY 'Spring Medley' 10 W-Y (3) (Blom) bicolor , large round, yellow corona with dainty white
 perianth segments.....
 \$25.00
 HY-WI 'Wiyot' 10 Y-Y (12-1) (Wells/Wilson) a winter flowering bulbocodium of good form.
 A soft yellow, flower excellent in a pot. Hardy to the low 20F's.
 . \$8.00
CANTABRICUS White flowers
 BU-KE *N. cantabricus* var. *kesticus* 13 W-W..... \$10.00
 BU-CO *N. cantabricus* ssp. *monophyllus* 13 W-W (10--12)
\$10.00
 BU-TA *N. cantabricus* ssp. *tananicus* 13 W-W rarely offered, beautiful)
 \$15.00
 HY-CT *N. cantabricus*, mixed
 bulbs.....\$6.00
 HY-NC 'New Charm' 10 W-W (10-1) (Blom) flowering October-
 January.....\$6.00
 HY-SL 'Silver Palace' 10 W-W (1) (Blom) flowering December-January.....
 \$6.00
 HY-WM 'Wedding Morn' 10 W-W (1-2) (Blom) flowering December-
 January.....\$6.00

ROMIEUXII
 BU-MS *N. romieuxii* var. *mesatlanticus* 13 Y-
 Y.....\$3.00
 BU-RZ *N. romieuxii* ssp. *albidus* var. *zaianicus* 13 Y-Y the best early deep
 yellow.....\$4.00
 HY-CI 'Chinese Ivory' 10 W-W (1-2) Blom).....\$5.00
 HY-FF 'Floral Feast' 10 Y-Y (1-2) (Blom) deep yellow..... \$5.00 or 5 for \$20.00
 HY-JJ 'Julia Jane' 10 Y-Y (2) (J. Archibald) original stock
 \$6.00
 HY-JB 'Julia Jane' 10 Y-Y (2) (Walter Blom stock).....\$4.00 or 5 for
 \$16.00

INTERSECTIONAL HYBRIDS

WH-IN *N. intermedius* 13 Y-Y (2-3).....\$4.00
WH-XO *N. x odorus* 13 Y-Y
(3).....\$1.00

SECTION JONQUILLA

JO-CO *N. cordubensis* 13 Y-Y a garden plant, very
floriferous.....\$5.00
JO-FR *N. fernandesii* 13 Y-Y.....\$4.00
JO-FF *N. fernandesii* 13 Y-Y (Frank Galyon) seedlings, very prolific,
exceptional.....\$4.00
JO-EA *N. jonquilla* var. *jonquilla* 13 Y-Y
(Buchanan).....\$2.00
JO-HN *N. jonquilla* var. *henriquesii* 13 Y-Y.....\$4.00
JO-LT *N. jonquilla* var. *jonquilla* 13 Y-Y (Pine Mills Late).....\$2.00
JO-VI *N. viridiflorous* 13 G-G (DuBose selections) winter blooming, fragrant.....
\$15.00
JO-SE *N. jonquilla* 13 Y-Y selected form.....\$3.00
JO-WL *N. willkommii* 13 Y-Y very small, good for a rock garden, will take summer
watering.....\$2.00
HY-BE 'Bebop' 7 Y-Y (4) (Alec Gray) becoming
rare.....\$4.50
HY-CL 'Clare' 7 Y-Y (Alec
Gray).....\$8.00
HY-DG 'Diamond Gold' 7 Y-Y (4) (Blom).....\$8.00
HY-FB 'Fenben 7 Y-Y (Rod Barwick) a cheerful little jonquil that multiplies
well.....\$10.00
HY-GS 'Golden Sapphire' 7 W-Y (4) (Blom).....\$9.00
HY-SA 'Gold and Silver' 7 Y-W (4) (Blom) bi-colored jonquil, 2006
introduction.....\$12.00

SECTION PSEUDONARCISSUS

PS-AS *N. asturiensis* 13 Y-Y (3).....\$18.00
PS-CY *N. cyclamineus* 13 Y-Y (2-3).....\$15.00
PS-MI *N. minor* var. *pumilus* 4 Y-Y 'Rip Van Winkle' pre-1884.....\$1.00 or 6 for
\$5.00
PS-OB *N. obvallaris* 13 Y-Y (3) The Tenby Daffodil of English Moats, classic.....\$1.00 or 6 for
\$5.00

SECTION TAZETTAE

TA-IT *N. italicus* 13 W-Y (2-
3).....\$5.00
TA-LC *N. tazetta* subsp. *lacticolor* 13 W-Y (12-1) 'Chinese Grand
Emperor'.....\$5.00
TA-PN *N. tazetta* ssp. *panizzianus* 13 W-W (2-
3).....\$5.00

SECTION GANYMEDES (Triandrus)

TR-AL *N. triandrus triandrus* "albus" 13 W-W (3) seed grown.....
\$6.50

TR-LO *N. triandrus* var. *loiseleurii* 13 W-W (3-4).....\$18.00
 TR-PL *N. triandrus* var. *pulchellus* 13 Y-Y (3).....\$20.00
 HY-SS 'Spring Serenade' 5 Y-Y (3) (Blom) *N. triandrus albus* x *N. henriquesii*. 2-3 yellow flowers per stem. Strong, healthy plant with rounded, well overlapping petals.\$20.00

ADDITIONAL HYBRID NARCISSUS (pre-1940 flowers are eligible for historical show entries)

HY-BB 'Bebop' 7 Y-Y\$6.00
 HY-BJ 'BeeJay' 6 Y-Y (Steve Vinisky) an excellent mini for shows, named after the late Betty Jean Forrester.....\$12.00
 HY-EL 'Elka' 1 W-W (2-3)(Alec Gray) early white trumpet\$5.00 or 5 for \$20.00
 HY-GA 'Galligaskins' 10 Y-Y Glenbrook Bulb Farm "brilliant greenish yellow"\$8.00
 HY-GP 'Gipsy Queen' 1 YYW-WWY (2-3) (A. Gray) A tiny reverse bicolor\$5.00 or 5for \$20.00
 HY-LY 'Little Beauty' 1 W-Y (2-3) excellent rock garden plant, becoming scarce..... \$3.00 or 5 for \$12.50
 HY-LG 'Little Gem' 1Y-Y (1939) An oldy but goody historic for the rock garden, early.....\$5.00
 HY-LZ 'Little Lizz 1 Y-YY0 (2-3) (Blom) *N. nanus* hybrid.....\$15.00
 HY-LM 'Little Missus' 7 Y-Y (3) (Glenbrook Bulb Farm *N. fernandesii* x *N. cyclamineus*, Dainty Jonquil, two or three florets, bright deep yellow, good for show bench, or rockery.....\$15.00
 HY-MK 'Mickey' 6 Y-Y (Glenbrook Bulb Farm) Disney Series, *N. rupicola* x *N. cyclamineus*\$10.00
 HY-MI 'Mitimoto' 10 W-Y (Rod Barwick) the first bi-colored bulbocodium, vigorous.....\$5.00
 HY-SG 'Segovia 3 W-Y (4) good form, clear white with small yellow cup.....\$3.00
 HY-SK 'Snook' 6 Y-Y (3) Rod Barwick) perky little yellow cyclamineus\$10.00
 HY-ST 'Sprite' 1 W-W (Alec Gray) smooth little trumpet of good substance, good show flower.....\$15.00
 HY-TJ 'Ta-Julia' 12 Y-Y (Rod Barwick).....\$5.00
 HY-TO 'Towai' 12 Y-Y (Robin Brown) 2 yellow flowers per stem, dainty with scalloped edge.....\$15.00
 HY-WB 'WeeBee' 1 Y-Y\$8.00
 HY-XT 'Xit' 3 W-W\$7.50

COLLECTIONS:

CO-BMC Beginners Miniature Collection. One each of six named bulbs.....\$10.00

All orders should be in by August 15, 2010.
Prices are for one bulb unless otherwise noted.

Recommended Readings:

James S. Wells, **Modern Miniature Daffodils, Species and Hybrids**, ISBN 0-88192-118-1

John W. Blanchard, **Narcissus. A Guide to Wild Daffodils**, Alpine Garden Society, Lye Link, St. Jon's, Working, Surrey, GU21 15W, U.K.

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