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### 2017 MDS Show

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## President's Message

It's the Labor Day weekend... and I cannot believe the summer has slipped away. And what a lovely summer it was, enough rain to keep the lawns and meadows green, enough sun to get a tan by the pool, and the right mix of all of the above to have incredible tomatoes from the vegetable garden. As the days become shorter and the temperatures start to drop, I realize it's time to turn my focus to Fall. And, that means our Annual MDS Fall Meeting! We will meet on **Saturday, October 22, 2016 at the Baltimore County Ag Center, 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville, 21030 at 10:30 am.** The Agenda starts with our Business meeting, followed by a lecture provided by the American Daffodil Society followed by a Round Table discussion. The program will conclude with a fabulous Raffle of daffodil related items and our traditional Daffodil Bulb Sale. This meeting provides a great opportunity to learn about Daffs, meet other people interested in Daffodil growing and showing, and to enjoy a really nice auction and terrific bulb sale. Following the meeting we will have a hands-on event, planting a Daffodil Demonstration bed at the Ag Center. Bring a trowel and some gloves and help us make a lovely bed for the public to enjoy and learn about Daffodil varieties. Our **Spring Maryland Daffodil Show will be again held at the Shops at Kenilworth on Tuesday, April 18, 2017 and Wednesday, April 19.** Early bird entries may be placed after 3pm on Monday, April 17. The MDS Show is the oldest in the country and the MDS Board is committed to continuing the tradition. The reality is that it is becoming increasingly more complex and, frankly, more expensive to put this show on. Something as simple as table and cloth rental carries a huge cost. We are actively

soliciting financial assistance of any amount. We need Show Angels and would be so appreciative of any help you can provide; expenses from last year's Show were \$4,126! It takes a lot of Membership Dues to cover that! Additionally, we are seeking an Awards Chair, Flower Show Chair, AND Photography Show Chair. Call me! Fun group, easy jobs!

Looking forward to seeing many of you next month, bring a friend – it's a really great meeting!  
- Hilles Whedbee

## Membership

- Julie Minch

We are so fortunate to have not only many individuals but garden clubs as MDS members. The support from so many groups and individuals is what keeps the MDS going. We need everyone's support to offer our fall meeting with speakers and bulb sale, as well as the spring show each year. Monetary donations and the help of many volunteers make all of this possible. Annual dues cover the October 1, to September 30 year. See the insert in this newsletter to renew your membership and volunteer -- or please consider becoming a new member or volunteer today!

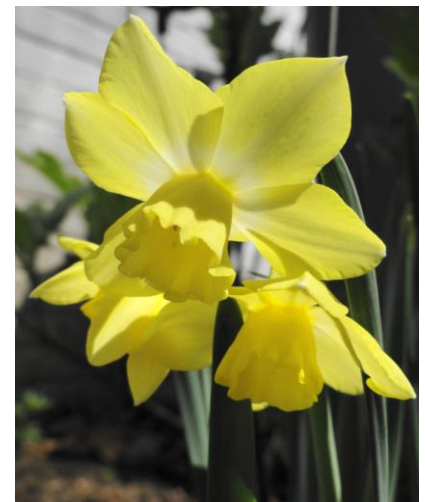


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## 2016 Maryland Daffodil Society Show Results: American Daffodil Society Awards

ADS AWARD and WINNING EXHIBITOR	WINNING EXHIBIT
Gold Ribbon: Amelia Abrahams	Foxfire, 2W-GYO 1968
Rose Ribbon: Anne Donnell Smith	Seedling# 90P-116 Parentage: Oykel X Lancaster 3W-GYO
Mini Gold: Olivia Welbourn	Clare, 7Y-Y
White Ribbon: Anne Donnell Smith	Birthday Girl, 2W-GWW
Mini White: Olivia Welbourn	Clare, 7Y-Y
Youth Best Bloom: Kieran Zacchetti	Tripartite, 11a Y-Y
Youth 3 Stems Award: Kieran Zacchetti	Tripartite, 11a Y-Y
Small Grower Award: Stephanie Harper	Acropolis, 4W-O
Best Historic Bloom Award: Barbara Mertz	Actaea 9W-YYR 1919
Historic 3 Stems Award: Anne Donnell Smith	Firetail, 3W-R 1910
Classic Best Bloom: Barbara Mertz	Merlin, 3W-YYR 1956
Classic Best Single Stem: Amelia Abrahams	Foxfire, 2W-GWO 1968
Classic 3 Stems Award: Barbara Mertz	Merlin, 3W-YYR 1956
Best Intermediate Award: Anne Donnell Smith	Birthday Girl, 2W-GWW
Intermediate 3 Stems Award: Anne Donnell Smith	Birthday Girl, 2W-GWW
Silver Ribbon: Julie Minch	# of Blue Ribbons: 11
Best Photograph Award: Hannah Bryon	Photograph Title: no title
<b>Classics Collection of 5</b> (Must have been introduced 1940 thru 1969) Exhibitor: JANET HICKMAN	<b>Maroon Ribbon</b> (Best Standard Collection of 5 Reverse bi-colors only) Exhibitor: KATE CARNEY
1. Sir Winston Churchill, 4W-O 1966	1. Perpetuation, 7YYW-W
2. Gem of Ulster, 2W-P 1964	2. Carib Gipsy, 2Y-WWY
3. Romance, 2W-P 1959	3. Satchmo, 1YYW-W
4. Rarkmoyle, 2W-P 1969	4. Ethereal Magic, 2YYW-WWY
5. Green Jacket, 3W-GYR 1968	5. Hillstar, 7YYW-YWW
<b>Red White and Blue</b> (Best Standard Collection of 5 Bred in the USA) Exhibitor: SALLY WALLER	<b>Purple Collection of 5</b> (Small cupped collection; Best Standard Collection) Exhibitor: ANNE DONNELL SMITH
1. World Class, 5Y-Y Havens, hybridizer	1. La Paloma, #W-GYR
2. Colonial White, 2W-W Mitsch, hybridizer	2. Purbeck, 3W-YOO
3. Centre Ville, 3Y-R Throckmorton, hybridizer	3. Cornell, 3Y-W
4. Nordic Rim, 3W-WWY Mitsch, hybridizer	4. Noteworthy, 3W-YYO
5. Jonquilawn, 7YYW-Y Havens, hybridizer	5. Killearnan 3W-GYR
<b>Intermediate Collection of 5</b> Exhibitor: JANET HICKMAN	
1. Green Pearl, 3W-GWW 4. Bantam, 2Y-YOO	
2. Fiery Arrow, 2 O-O 5. Pewee, 3W-GWP	
3. Sloe Gin, 2W-GWR	
<b>Elise Havens Award</b> (12 stems from at least three divisions 5 through 10) Exhibitor: MITCH & KATE CARNEY	
1. Helen Keller, 7Y-O Division # 7	7. Adept, 7YYW-Y Division # 7
2. Cantabile, 9W-GYR Division # 9	8. Penny Perowne, 7Y-Y Division # 7
3. Highfield Beauty, 8Y-YYO Division # 8	9. Cento, 9W-GYR Division # 9
4. Roscarrick, 6W-P Division # 6	10. Vienna Woods, 9W-R Division # 9
5. Dutch Lemon Drops, 5W-Y Division # 5	11. Storyteller, 8Y-O Division # 8
6. Rapture, 6Y-Y Division # 6	12. Laura Lee, 5W-W Division # 5

<b>Marie Bozievich Award</b> (12 stems and must include at least 4 divisions)				Exhibitor: RICHARD EZELL
1. Duration, 4W-OOY	Division # 4	7. Kathy Andersen, 1W-W	Division # 1	
2. Thumbs Up, 2Y-O	Division # 2	8. Quoff, 3Y-Y	Division # 3	
3. Emerald Empire, 2W-GWW	Division # 2	9. Louise Randal, 2W-W	Division # 2	
4. Ohura's Mayor, 2Y-O	Division # 2	10. Emcys, 6W-W	Division # 6	
5. Carib Gipsy, 2Y-WWY	Division # 2	11. Mer d'Or, 1Y-Y	Division # 1	
6. Apache Chief, 2 O-R	Division # 2	12. Flight Path, 6Y-W	Division # 6	
<b>Tom Throckmorton Award</b> (15 stems and must include at least 3 divisions)				Exhibitor: ANNE DONNELL SMITH
1. Caye Chapel, 3W-GYO		8. Calexico, 2 O-R	9. Hartlebury, 3W-ORR	
2. College Years, 3Y-YYO		10. Engagement Ring, 3W-WWY		
3. Random Event, 3W-YOY		11. Blue Danube, 1W-W		
4. Carib Gipsy, 2Y-WWY		12. Noteworthy, 3W-YYO		
5. Colley Gate, 3W-YOR		13. Cornell 3Y-W		
6. Modulux, 2W-Y		14. Misty Glen, 2W-GWW		
7. Nowra, 2W-R		15. Royal Marine, 2W-YOO		
<b>Carey Quinn Award Ribbon</b> (24 stems that must include at least FIVE divisions)				Exhibitor: ANNE DONNELL SMITH
1. Killearnan, 3 W-GYR	Division # 3	13. Explosion, 8 Y-O	Division #8	
2. Evesham, 3 W-GYY	Division # 3	14. Super Seven, 7 Y-Y	Division #7	
3. Saviour Faire, 2 W-GWP	Division # 2	15. Carib Gipsy, 2 Y-WWP	Division #2	
4. Circuit, 7 Y-Y	Division #7	16. Colley Gate, 3 W-YOR	Division #3	
5. Mowser, 7 Y-R	Division #7	17. Modulux, 2 W-Y	Division #2	
6. College Years, 3 Y-YYO	Division #3	18. 90P-116, Oykel x Lancaster, 3W-GYO	Division #3	
7. Murlough, 9W-GYR	Division #9	19. Noteworthy, 3 W-YYO	Division #3	
8. Misty Glen, 2 W-GWW	Division #2	20. Blue Danube, 1 W-W	Division #1	
9. Kuantan, 3 W-R	Division #3	21. American Robin, 6 Y-O	Division #6	
10. La Paloma, 5 W-GYR	Division #5	22. American Peace, 5 Y-Y	Division #5	
11. Random Event, 3 W-YOY	Division #3	23. Center Ville, 3 Y-R	Division #3	
12. Treasure Hunt, 2 Y-GYY	Division #2	24. Engagement Ring, 3 W-WWY	Division #3	
<b>Lavender Ribbon</b> (Best Mini Collection of 5 w/o RWB) Exhibitor: OLIVIA WELLBOURN		<b>Miniature Red White and Blue</b> (Best Mini Collection of 5 Bred in the USA) Exhibitor: OLIVIA WELLBOURN		
1. Endearing, 7 Y/WY	Havens, hybridizer	1. Endearing, 7Y/WY	Havens, hybridizer	
2. Loyce, 7 Y-YYO	Watrous, hybridizer	2. Loyce, 7 Y-YYO	Watrous, hybridizer	
3. Little Rusky, 7 Y-GYO	Watrous, hybridizer	3. Little Rusky, 7 Y-GYO	Watrous, hybridizer	
4. Odile 7 Y-O	Watrous, hybridizer	4. Odile, 7 Y-O	Watrous, hybridizer	
5. Apollo Gold, 10 Y-Y	Blom, hybridizer	5. Apollo Gold, 10 Y-Y	Blom, hybridizer	
<b>Delia Bankhead Ribbon</b> (Mini Collection of nine stems, must include at least 3 divisions)				Exhibitor: KATHY ANDERSEN
1. Crevette, 8 W-O	Division # 8	5. Monique, 7 W-W; Div #7	6. Itsy Bitsy Splitsy, 11a Y-O; Div#11a	
2. Hawera, 5 Y-Y	Division # 5	7. N. assoanus, 13 Y-Y	Division #13	
3. Paula Cottell, 3 W-GWW	Division # 3	8. Xica, 11a Y-Y	Division #11a	
4. Shillingstone, 8 W-W	Division # 8	9. N. pallioflorus, 13 Y-Y	Division #13	
<b>Roberta Watrous Award Ribbon</b> (12 stems and/or species, must include at least 3 divisions)				Exhibitor: O. WELLBOURN
1. Shaws Legacy, 9 W-GYO	Division # 9	7. Junior Miss, 12 W-Y	Division #12	
2. Crevette, 8 W-O	Division # 8	8. Little Rusky, 7 Y-GYO	Division # 7	
3. Icicle, 5 W-W	Division # 5	9. Apollo Gold, 10 Y-Y	Division #10	

4. Chappie, 7 Y-O	Division # 7	10. N. poeticus hellenicus, 13 W-GYR	Division #13
5. Demure, 7 W-Y	Division # 7	11. Pixie's Sister, 7 Y-Y	Division # 7
6. Shaws Gift, 9 W-GYR	Division # 9	12. Loyce, 7 Y-YYO	Division # 7

### **Maryland Daffodil Society Awards in Horticulture**

T. McKean-Meire Award - Most Points in Horticulture	Anne Donnell Smith
Louise H. Wharton Memorial - Best American-bred	Amelia Abrahams – <i>Foxfire</i>
Joanna Tilghman Memorial -Best American-bred Miniature	Olivia Welbourn - <i>Shaw's Legacy</i>
MDS club with Most Individuals Earning a 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Hardy Garden Club (15 individuals)
Ethel Gundry Memorial Award - Most Blue Ribbons in Sec. A*	Meredith McDonagh
MDS Award - Most Blue ribbons in Section B	Olivia Welbourn
Isabelle Whedbee Hopkins Award- Most Blue ribbons in Sec. C	Don Caton
The Viele Award - Most Points in Section D	Beth Purvis
Serena S. Bridges Award - Best Novice Collection	Hannah Byron
CC & Grace McCabe Award - Best Daffodil in Section E	Nancy Roberts - <i>Misty Glen</i>
Bruce Campbell Award - Best Red/Orange Cup Collection	Julie Minch
Olga Gilchrist Award - Best Intermediate Daffodil	Anne Donnell Smith - <i>Birthday Girl</i>
Best Historic Daffodil from Section I	Barbara Mertz - <i>Actea</i>
Betsy Bauer Youth Award - Best Single Bloom	Kieran Zacchetti
MDS Youth Award - Best 3 of-a-Kind	Kieran Zacchetti - <i>Tripartite</i>

### **Awards in Design**

Malcolm Lowenstein Award for the Most Original or Creative Design	and
The People's Choice Award, given to the design favorite as voted by visitors to the show .....	Susan Palmer
Mrs. Stuart D.P. Sunday Award for the Most Outstanding Design Using Only Garden-grown Material ...	Joan George
Mrs. Leo J. Vollmer Award for the Most Effective Use of Daffodils .....	Anna O'Kelly
Jo Owen Award for Design Excellence .....	Linda Masland

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