



Lads July 2019 Newsletter

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June's Meeting

VICE PRESIDENT: Becky Scarboro

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Meeting will start at 6:30 p.m.. John's address 5700 Morrison Ave. Louisville ky. 40214 and his phone no. is 502-775-9197

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: Linda Luck

July 2, 2019

Wow! We are certainly in the midst of peak daylily bloom time now and the gardens are outdoing themselves. Although I began to think I was getting moldy, apparently the daylilies appreciated all of that rain. (Unfortunately, the weeds did as well!) This is the time of year for which we all wait, so I hope everyone is able to take some time to really appreciate it and stop to smell the flowers.

June was another full month of fun activities. After the trip to the Cincinnati nurseries on the first, Bardstown Bloomfest was the following weekend. Unfortunately, that was another rainy day, but according to Marie, it was still a good event. We had a great meeting on the 20th at Becky and Nelson's beautiful garden, and the rain actually gave us a break. Everyone enjoyed the chance to meander through the daylilies, hostas, and many other blooming perennials. The friendly black cat was an added bonus. Thank you again to Becky and Nelson! Some LADS members participated in the DSL Daylily Show on June 22nd. The rain that morning may have discouraged some people from entering, but the Show seemed to have a good turnout and a wide variety of daylilies were on display. This was my first time to enter a Show and it was fun!

As we have been discussing, the Region 10 Summer Meeting was held this past weekend in Kingsport, TN. Several LADS members made the trip and we were not disappointed. The Meadowview Hotel and Conference Center was beautiful and a great central location. The Appalachian Mountains really make for a scenic drive there as well as beautiful views from Kingsport and the surrounding communities. We visited three private (home) gardens in the morning then went to Blue Ridge Daylilies in the afternoon. What a spectacular place it is, with over 1500 varieties of daylilies for sale. They also have what seem to be hundreds of seedlings in their fields, and it creates an amazing vision! Following the banquet Saturday evening, I presented our PowerPoint Invitation to the Daylilies and Barbecue in Bourbon Country Summer Region 10 Meeting in 2020. Our "unusual form" convention was again well-received and everyone is anxious to see how well our modified plan works out as it may be the wave of the future. Region 10 Awards were presented next and I am

very pleased to share with you that Michael Stephens was the co-recipient, along with Chris Schardein, of the 2019 Region 10 Service Award. I'm sure we can agree that there is no harder working, kinder or more involved Region 10 member than Michael and we offer our heartfelt congratulations to him!!

This next Saturday, July 6th, is the Daylily Sale and workday at the LADS bed at Doris Stonska's garden. Unfortunately, I am not able to be there, but we had a good number of people sign up at our June meeting. Hopefully the morning will be comfortable and rain free and plenty of customers will stop by!

The 2019 AHS National Convention is next week, July 11 -14, and several of us are heading to Madison, WI for it. Those are always great opportunities to meet and spend time with other daylily "addicts" from around the country. Typically, lovely gardens are toured and a good variety of daylilies are available to purchase. There is also a "Wisconsin barbecue" on Thursday evening so we can take advantage of local brats and German potato salad. Sounds like fun!!

Our July meeting will be the 18th and John Morgan will be hosting it. Marie included John's address and phone number in the Minutes from the June meeting, which follow in this Newsletter. We're all anxious to see John's lovely home and garden, which he has been working hard to establish in just the past few years! John will be providing burgers and brats, so members are asked to bring a side or dessert. In addition, please remember to bring the count of your daylily fans of the Bob Selman HRP plants which were distributed in May 2017. Plan to keep two fans for yourself and give us the count of the remaining fans. We will be asking for you to return those in another couple of months, so we can plant them in the LADS bed.

I look forward to seeing everyone July 18th if not before. Enjoy your daylily gardens while they are blooming!!!

Linda Luck

SECRETARY: Marie Seaman



Minutes from June 20, 2019 LADS Meeting

LADS members gathered in the beautiful gardens of Becky Scarboro and Nelson Ratchford for our June meeting. After a delicious meal provided by Becky, Nelson and the LADS members President Linda Luck opened our business meeting at 7:33. She welcomed back members we haven't seen in a while and new member, Summer Marks and her son Eli.

The minutes from our May meeting were published in the June Newsletter and Kathy Brown made a motion that they be accepted as written. Donna Willett seconded the motion. The Treasurer's report was sent by e-mail earlier in the week and John Morgan moved that the report be approved as presented. Phil Raisle seconded the motion.

Linda reminded us that our list of summer activities gets shorter with each month that passes. Below are some of the important dates to remember.

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| June 22 | DSL Daylily Show and Sale at Mid City Mall |
| June 28-30
TN | Region X Regional Convention in Kingsport |
| June 28-30 | Northern Mecca in Dayton OH area |
| July 6 | LADS bed Daylily Plant Sale |
| July 10-13 | AHS National Convention in Madison WI |

August 3 Wallitsch Plant Sale (dig July 31)

Hopefully many members will be able to participate in one or many of these club activities!

Just a note: LADS provides the gift prize for the winner of a Region 10 Hybridizer exhibit at the DSL Show on June 22. This year it is a lovely ironwork shepherd's hook with a butterfly ornament.

Linda thanked all who participated in the wonderful trip to Great Seal Peonies and the amazing Hosta garden. She also thanked Becky for arranging the nurseries to visit in the Cincinnati area and Michael Stephens for getting transportation lined up. Both trips were well attended and good times for sharing and learning together.

A list of the contributions that were promised for the Waterfront Botanical Gardens was distributed. At this time we have 33 contributions. Linda thanked everyone for submitting their cultivars' names and information. A complete list of the plants and a pictorial directory are published on the LADS website. Members were encouraged to "take a look" at lads.plantfans.com . Thank you, Michael Stephens for getting these onto our website!

The dates for our 2020 Regional Summer Meeting will be Friday June 26th and Saturday June 27th. Registration plants for the

Convention will be the Bob Selman HRP plants that would have been auctioned to members in August 2019. Please plan to let us know at the JULY MEETING how many fans you will bring back after keeping two. Plants will be due in October so that they can be planted in the LADS bed and be ready for June 2020.

The Planning Committee for the 2020 Regional Summer Meeting has prepared a Power Point invitation to be presented at this year's Summer Meeting in Kingsport, TN the weekend of June 28-30. The opening reception for the 2020 Summer Meeting will be in Chris and Bill Schardein's gardens with a dessert bar, short welcome, distribution of packets with tour garden options and a time for meeting and greeting old and new daylily friends. The tour gardens on Saturday are those of Michael Stephens, John Morgan, Sally Fensterer, Don and Claudia Wolff and Linda Luck and Ray Clark. Our Saturday evening banquet, Business Meeting and Daylily Auction will be hosted at the garden of Karen and Danny Sidebottom. Convention plans are progressing nicely.

Sally Fensterer gave a short presentation on a hosta virus which she spotted at a local big box store. The Oldham County extension agent confirmed it was HBX which causes a discoloration in hosta leaves and other abnormalities. Sally cautioned us to be careful where we buy our hostas because if a new plant carrying the HBX virus is introduced into our garden it can quickly spread to our otherwise healthy hostas. Thank you Sally, for the information.

Our July meeting will be at John Morgan's new home located at 5700 Morrison Ave. His phone number is 502-775-9197. We look

forward to seeing what John has done to this new garden in a short time!

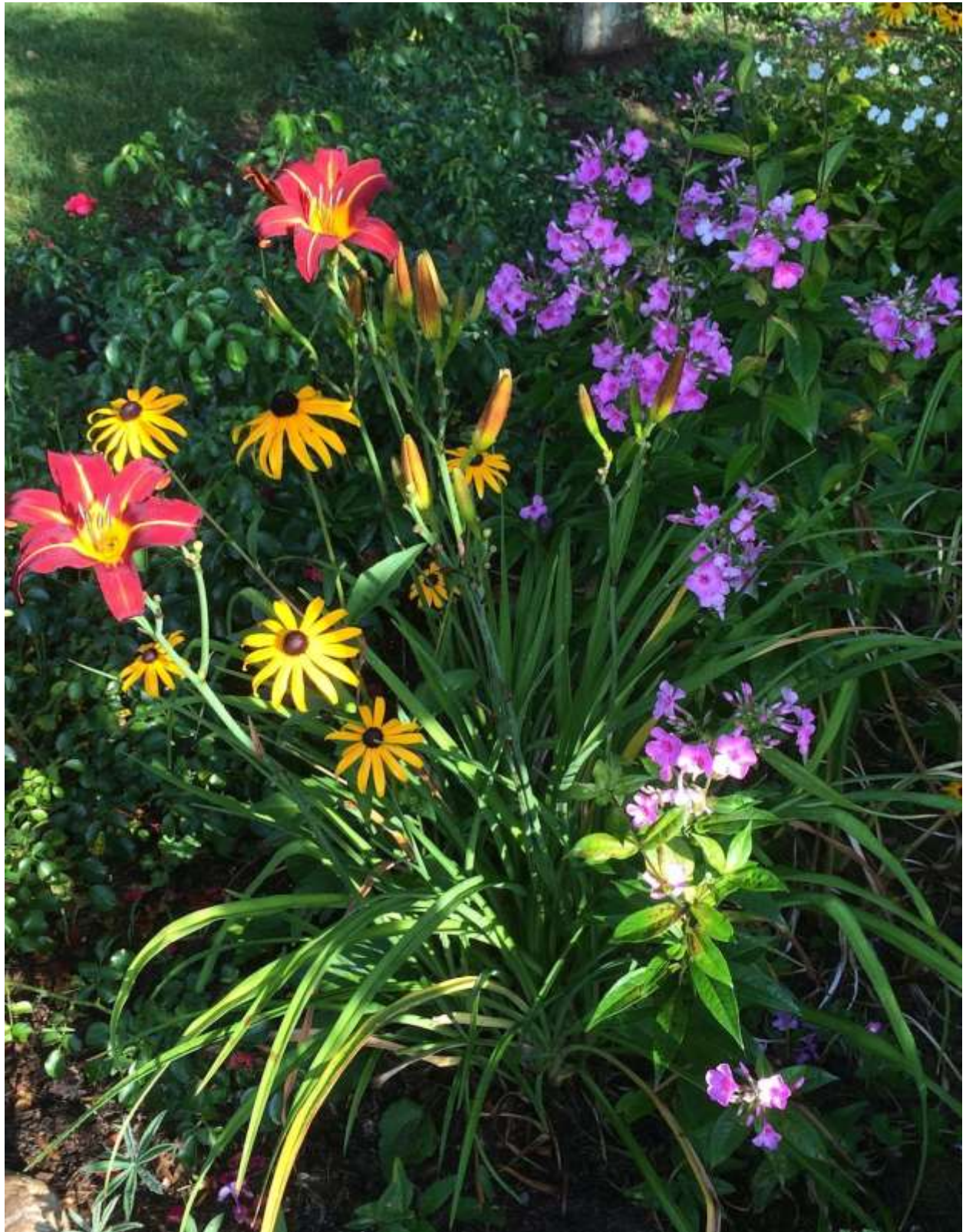
Donna Willett made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Andrea King seconded it.

Respectfully submitted by





DAYLILY WITH SILVER EYE





This Photo I received from Michael Stephens
It is Region 10 best hybridizer winner, Sanibel Sunrise
hybridized by Don and Claudia Wolff.

A Stroll through Sally Fensterer's Garden





Thank you Ray and Linda



Daylilies with companion plants









Rosabella Von Valkenberg

Hospitality: Betty Wilborn

**For July meeting John will provide the dogs and brats
Members are asked to bring side dishes or desserts.
Thank you.**



Dates to mark on your Calendar

The following events and dates were brought to our attention. Please take time to mark your calendar so you don't miss any of these important d

June 28-30 Region 10 Regional Convention in Kingsport TN

June 28-30 Northern Mecca in the Dayton, Ohio area

July 6th LAD'S Garden at Doris Stonska's home dig and sale

July 10-13 AHS National Convention in Madison, WI

July 18 Lads monthly meeting at John Morgans garden

August 3 Wallitsch Plant Sale (Dig day will be July 31st)

Information on Kentuckiana Clubs

Midwest Peony Society

Contact: Don Smith, donsmith@twc.com

Phone number: 502-876-9300

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Hostas of Kentuckiana (HOK)

Six regular meetings, 7:00 p.m. on the 3rd Tuesday of March, April, May, September, October and November. In addition there are Hostas events scheduled throughout the year. Our usual meeting place is Lyndon City Hall, 515 Wood Ave., which runs south off New LaGrange Rd., Lyndon, KY.

Contact Phil Raisle: 502-491-9975 or e-mail dukeisours@yahoo.com

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DSL (Daylily Society of Louisville)

Meeting location: Usually the third Monday of the month at the Farmdale Church of the Nazarene, 6501 Vandre Ave. located off Smyrna. About 0.1 miles before Outer Loop_ The new info for DSL is

Don Wolff

Email: wolffdon@aol.com

Web site: dsl.plantfans.com

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Louisville Area Iris Society (LAIS) is Jackie Glasscock.

E-mail: mjglasscock5@gmail.com

Bluegrass Iris Society (BGIS): David Cupps,

e-mail - president@bluegrassiris.org.



Membership form with treasurer's correct address

**Application for Membership
Louisville Area Daylily Society
LADS.PlantFans.com**

Name _____ **Date** ____/____/____
HomePhone _____ **Cell** _____

Address _____ **State** ____ **Zip** _____

**Email Address_____AHS Member
Yes/No**

**Annual Dues:
Individual--\$10.00 Dual (same household) -- \$15.00 Youth,
(under 18)--\$7.50**

**Please make checks payable to: Louisville Area Daylily
Society or LADS. Mail payment to: Andrea King**

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