

Lads January 2020 Newsletter

President: Linda Luck

Vice President: Kathy Brown

Secretary: Marie Seaman

Treasurer: Andrea King

Website: Michael Stephens http://lads.plantfans.com

ATTENTION LADS MEMBERS

It would be greatly appreciated if members could pay dues this month. It makes the treasurer's report much easier.

Thank you

Vice President: Kathy Brown

January 16th 2020 meeting will be at the Trinity Presbyterian Church. The time of the meeting is 6:30 p.m.. We will be discussing our HRP program headed by Cleo Philon and hear about the meaning of Hostas College from Phil Raisle. We will also hear what we have to look forward to in 2020. This will be an informative meeting.

President Linda Luck's Message

January 2, 2020

Happy New Year!! I believe this is the first time I have written 2020 as the year and it seems odd. Wasn't all the Y2K hoopla just a year or two ago???!!! I guess this shows I am getting older, doesn't it?

I hope everyone enjoyed a happy December Holiday season, but knowing you gardeners as I do, I bet you are anxiously awaiting the first hellebore bloom and the first sighting of an early spring snowdrop. Me too!!! The warm snap we enjoyed brought daffodils showing a little bit of leaf above ground and while I don't want them to freeze, I can't help but watch for more.

The start of 2020 is a reminder that LADS is hosting the Summer Region 10 Convention in June and time is fleeting. I hope those of you who are AHS members saw the article, registration form and garden photos which were included in The Daylily Appeal that came out in early December. I was very pleased with everything that was included! The Convention Planning Committee will be meeting soon and we will be discussing our plans and needs for volunteer assistance at our regular January monthly meeting. This will be a busy and exciting six months as we organize our new take on the Regional Convention. If things go as well as we expect, we will probably be starting a new trend!

On another exciting note, John Morgan has some big news to share about the LADS bed at the new waterfront Botanical Gardens. He will be discussing some changes to the location and plan at our January meeting and you won't want to miss that! Thanks to all members who attended our December Holiday meeting and elected the slate of Officers which was presented. They (we) will be installed at the January meeting. I anticipate

that Cleo Philon will give us an update on the hybridizers who will be involved in our HRP project this year, and I know everyone is interested in hearing about that. In addition, Phil Raisle will be talking about Hosta College and what that means, so it should prove to be a very fun and informative meeting!

As a reminder, 2020 LADS dues are now due and Andrea King will be happy to accept your checks when you see her. Please remember, dues need to be paid by April 1st in order for you to be eligible to participate in the annual Hybridizer's Reward Program (HRP) distribution in May! Speaking of membership dues, please check your Daylily Journal magazine to make sure your AHS National membership is good through 2020 and if not, send in your dues for the National organization as well.

I hope the New Year is off to a good start for all of you and I look forward to seeing you Thursday January 16th at 6:30 at Trinity Presbyterian Church. May 2020 be happy and healthy for ALL of us!!

Linda Luck



Secretary Marie Seaman

Minutes from December 2019 LADS meeting

After a delicious holiday dinner provided by the club and LADS members, President Linda Luck opened the meeting at 6:40 by welcoming everyone to our gathering.

Minutes had been published in the November LADS newsletter so all that remained was the motion by John Morgan and second by Kate Pfeifer to accept them as written. Andrea King's treasurer's report was sent by e-mail to the membership for review and comments. Marie Seaman motioned that the report be accepted and Claudia Wolff seconded the motion.

Linda went on to review some of the scheduled events for 2020. She reminded us that the 30th Annual Mid-Winter Symposium will be held in Bowling Green, KY from February 7-9. The Registration Form and Schedule were distributed by e-mail earlier in the week. Don Wolff, one of our LADS members, will be a speaker at this event and

all were encouraged to attend. It's a great way to beat the winter blahs!

Our 2020 Region 10 Summer meeting is fast approaching. Dates are Friday, June 26th and Saturday, June 27. The Planning Committee will be meeting in early January to continue work on this event. Linda reminded members that if they did not have their plants at the LADS bed at the time of the fall clean-up and planting in October to leave them in the ground for now at their home and plan to bring them in the spring. These are the Selman plants, as well as any others from previous years of the HRP that have not been returned. They will be used as registration gifts so we do need them for the summer meeting.

The next order of business was the election of LADS officers for 2020. The slate included:

Linda Luck--President
Kathy Brown--Vice President
Marie Seaman--Secretary
Andrea King--Treasurer

A motion was made by Claudia Wolff and seconded by Donna Willett to accept the slate as presented. There was unanimous acceptance by the membership.

Linda then thanked Becky Scarboro for her excellent work as Vice President during the past two years. She also thanked Susan Holt who oversees and distributes our monthly newsletter and other special announcements to the membership and Michael Stephens who keeps our website current and is highly involved in everything LADS does! Karen Sidebottom was thanked for managing and

distributing our LADS Bucks and Doris Stonska was thanked for making sure our Officers are sworn in appropriately and so generously allowing us to use part of her garden for our LADS daylily bed!

Cleo Philon gave a report on the HRP for 2020. He said that Doug Sterling and Tom Polston will be participating this year and providing half of the hybridizer plants we purchase and distribute in 2020. Cleo is still working on a couple other hybridizers who are "considering" our proposal to participate in the HRP for 2020 and will get back to us as soon as they are confirmed.

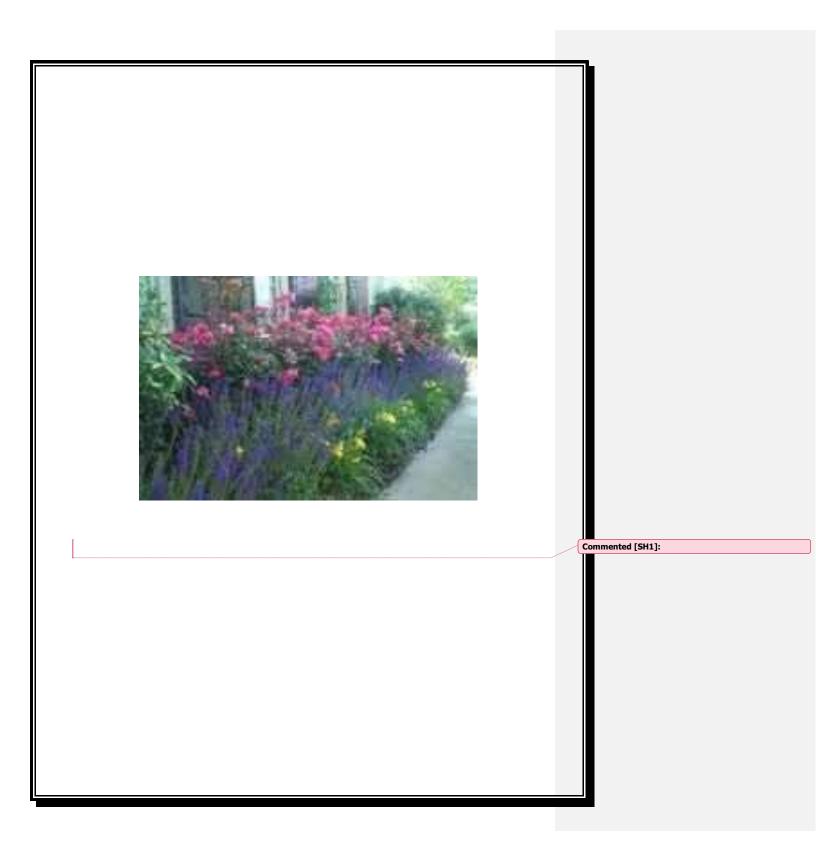
Andrea King announced that our LADS dues are payable in January so they will be on the 2020 financial ledger. If you need to pay your dues for 2020, please come prepared to do so at our January 16th meeting.

Kathy Brown mentioned the Great Lakes
Hosta Convention which will be held March
20-21. Phil Raisle will bring complete details
and registration information to our January
16th meeting.

The formal business meeting adjourned and the members enjoyed the rest of the evening socializing and enjoying one another's company.

The first meeting of 2020 will be on January 16th at Trinity Presbyterian Church.

Respectfully submitted

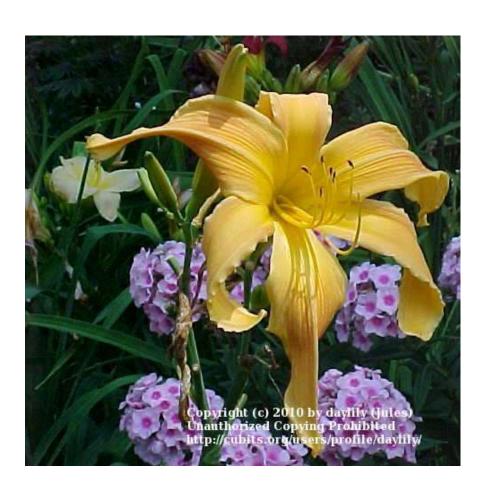








Daylilies with companion plants









Rosabella Von Valkenberg

Hospitality: Betty Wilborn

January 2020 meeting requests all members to bring something yummy to eat. Thank you!



January: LADS dues

January 16th: LADS Meeting

February 7th-9th: 30th Mid-Winter Symposium. Bowling Green Ky.

March 20th-21st: Great Lakes Hostas Convention

June 26th-27th: 2020 Region 10 Summer Meeting

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

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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

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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 9407 Jonathon Pl. Crestwood, KY 40014



