



## **The 2017 Daylily Exhibition**

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### **New England Daylily Society**

American Hemerocallis Society

Accredited Show

Tower Hill Botanic Garden

11 French Dr, Boylston, MA 01505

**Free Admission**

**July 15, 2017**

**1:30 – 4:30**

**VISIT OUR DAYLILY VENDORS**

**FROM 11:00 – 4:00**

**ON THE DAY OF THE DAYLILY EXHIBITION**

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## **TABULATION**

*Deborah Myrick      Adele Keohan*

## **AWARDS**

*Donna Carkin*

## **GENERAL SHOW RULES**

1. Exhibition is open to all daylily growers. Horticultural entries must have been grown, groomed and entered by the exhibitor(s). Entries may not be entered by anyone not at the same physical address as the owner/grower of the daylily. (Exhibitors may not ask anyone to enter their flowers for them).
2. Only AHS members are eligible to win AHS rosettes and other society sponsored awards. However, they may be new members who join at show.
3. All entries will be received (checked by Classification Committee) between the hours of 07:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Late entries arriving after 10:45 a.m. (acknowledged by Classification Committee) may be entered **FOR DISPLAY ONLY and will not be judged. Entries will not be placed in the display area after 11:00 AM.** No entry may be removed

before 4:30 PM. Exhibits not removed by 4:30 will be discarded. Ribbons and awards, if not claimed at this time, will be made available at a later date upon request.

4. Uniform containers and official AHS entry tags will be furnished by the *New England Daylily Society*.
- 5. Only members of the Placement Committee are permitted to place entries in the display area.**
6. Judging will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m. Only Judges, Clerks, General Show Chair, Judges' Chair, Classification Chair, and the Photographer will be allowed in the exhibition area during judging.
7. Show officials and the *New England Daylily Society* will exercise all precautions for protecting exhibits but neither they, nor the *Tower Hill Botanic Garden* will be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.

## **HORTICULTURE RULES**

1. All horticulture exhibits eligible for AHS rosettes and medals must be entered on-scape.
2. Registered cultivars are to be entered on scapes whose overall height does not exceed 36 inches (*or less if your committee desires*).
3. All seedlings (including pre-registered cultivars) shall be severed as near the base as possible regardless of height. If the height of the seedling makes transport difficult, if not impossible, the exhibitor may trim the excess scape height, preserving the cut portion of the scape. The cut portion of the scape must then be placed alongside the base of the container holding the entry.
4. A seedling having won the AHS rosette in any other show is not eligible.
5. Entry tags for seedlings must be marked with the word SEEDLING in the space for cultivar name. Names, numbers or any other identifying marks are not permitted on the visible portion of the folded tag.
6. Eligibility for exhibitors in the Youth sections shall continue through the end of the calendar year following the youth's eighteenth birthday. (If youth entries are to be confined to the Youth section, this must be stated in the schedule. However, youth entries may not be denied in the Seedling, Popularity Poll, and Achievement sections.)
7. Cultivars listed on the official spider list must be exhibited in Section 6 unless they are: (1) a Popularity Poll exhibit, (2) part of a local collection, (3) a Youth Section exhibit, or (4) registered as a multiform cultivar. (Refer to Multiform Classification Code on page 7 of this schedule.)
8. Cultivars whose names are not listed in the AHS checklists or supplements may not be exhibited in any Division, Section, Class or Group where registered cultivars are specified. They must be entered in the seedling section (Section 10). They may also be entered in the Ophelia Taylor Horticultural award (Section 12) in Class 2. They may also be entered in the Achievement Medal (Section 11), however, this option is only available to the hybridizer of the entry. The entry tag must be marked with the word SEEDLING in the space for cultivar name. Names, numbers or any other identifying marks are not permitted on the visible portion of the folded tag.
9. Popularity Poll cultivars must be exhibited only in Section 9 unless they are Youth exhibits.
10. Unusual form cultivars, registered as such, must be entered in Section 7 and only those listed on the official Unusual Form cultivars list may be entered in Section 7 unless they are: (1) a Popularity Poll exhibit, (2) part of a local collection, (3) a Youth Section exhibit, or (4) registered as a multiform cultivar. (Refer to Multiform Classification Code on page 5 of this schedule.)
11. Double form cultivars and polymeric form cultivars, registered as such, must be entered in Section 5 and only those listed on the official Double Form Cultivars list, or Polymeric Form Cultivars list, respectively, may be entered in section 5, unless they are: (1) a Popularity Poll exhibit; (2) part of a local collection; (3) or, a Youth Section exhibit.
12. Only one entry per named class is allowed per household.

## **JUDGING STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITED SHOWS**

1. All judging of an accredited show will employ AHS standards.
2. All horticulture sections must be judged by AHS Exhibition judges.
3. Each panel of judges shall be the final authority for each section and group in which it judges.

4. Only the Classification Chair has the authority to disqualify any entry that is damaged or does not conform to the schedule.
5. The appropriate AHS scale of points will be used for: (1) Registered cultivars on-scape, (2) Seedlings on-scape and (3) Individual flowers of registered cultivars off-scape.
6. The AHS standard system of awards will be used.
7. All scapes receiving the AHS rosettes or purple ribbons must score 95 or above by the AHS scale of points.
8. Registered cultivars will be classified as registered, by size, and by form; they will be grouped alphabetically within each section. No distinction is to be made between the classification of diploids and tetraploids.
9. Each registered cultivar shall constitute a name class. A single entry may be given an award if the judges consider it a superior exhibit. An exhibitor may have only one entry per name class.
10. Each seedling or pre-registered cultivar (a pre-registered cultivar is considered a seedling) shall constitute a class to be judged on individual merit. Each entry may be given an award if considered a superior exhibit.
11. If Division I, AHS Rosette eligible Sections 1-10, are subdivided or judged by more than one panel of judges, the purple awards must be point scored to determine a single winner since there is only one AHS rosette for each of these Sections.

**MULTIFORM CLASSIFICATION CODE FOR SHOWS**

To assist Classification chairs in determining where to place polymeric and multiform flowers, use the Multiform Classification Code shown indicated below:

<u>Registered as:</u>	<u>Place in Show Section:</u>
Double/Spider Flowers .....	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Double/Unusual Form Flowers ...	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Double/Polymerous Flowers .....	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Double/Spider/Unusual Form	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Double/Spider/Polymerous	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Double/Unusual Form	
/Polymerous Flowers	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Spider/Unusual Form Flowers .....	Spider Flowers
Spider/Unusual Form/Polymerous	
Flowers .....	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Spider/Polymerous Flowers .....	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Unusual Form/Polymerous ...	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers
Polymerous Flowers .....	Double, Polymerous and Multiform Flowers

It is recommended that the Classification Committee use the AHS Online Registration Database to classify each registered cultivar by typing the cultivar name into the "Advanced Search" screen of the database. The appropriate Horticulture Division I and II show sections will be shown automatically. A complete list of multiform-registered cultivars will be made available to each show and classification chair.

## DIVISION I: HORTICULTURE ON-SCAPE

- Section 1: Registered Extra Large Flowers 7" or more in diameter  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 2: Registered Large Flowers 4 1/2" or more but under 7"  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 3: Registered Small Flowers 3" or more but under 4 1/2"  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 4: Registered Miniature Flowers less than 3"  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 5: Registered Double, Polymerous, and Multiform Flowers  
May be subdivided according to size or may be subdivided according to *Multiform Classification Code for Shows. (See above)*  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 6: Registered Spider Flowers – Spider ratio 4.0:1 or greater  
May be subdivided according to size or may be subdivided according to *Multiform Classification Code for Shows. (See above)*  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 7: Registered Unusual Form Flowers  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 8: Youth – Registered cultivars any size, form, or pattern.  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name, if desired)
- Section 9: Regional Popularity Poll – Up to five of the top cultivars of the most recent regional poll (including all ties) SUN PANDA, ELSIE STELTER, ALL AMERICAN CHIEF, RUBY SPIDER, ROSE F. KENNEDY.
- Section 10: Seedlings (*Optional listing – Any size, form or pattern*)  
Group 1: Extra Large Group      5: Double, Polymerous, and Multiform Flowers  
Group 2: Large Group            6: Spider  
Group 3: Small Group            7: Unusual Form  
Group 4: Miniature  
(Refer to *Multiform Classification Code for Shows* on page. 5 of this schedule)
- Section 11: The American Hemerocallis Society Achievement Medal  
Three scapes of a single seedling or pre-registered cultivar severed as near the base as possible. (*An exhibitor may have multiple entries in this section.*)
- Section 12: The Ophelia Taylor Horticultural Award N/A
- Section 13: *Local Awards*

## DIVISION II: HORTICULTURE OFF-SCAPE

- Section 1: Registered Extra Large Flowers 7" or more in diameter  
Groups A-Z (alphabetically by cultivar name)
- Section 2: Registered Large Flowers 4 1/2" or more but under 7"  
Groups A-Z
- Section 3: Registered Small Flowers 3" or more but under 4 1/2"  
Groups A-Z
- Section 4: Registered Miniature Flowers less than 3"  
Groups A-Z
- Section 5: Registered Double, Polymerous, and Multiform Flowers  
May be subdivided according to size or may be subdivided according to *Multiform Classification Code for Shows. (See above)*  
Groups A-Z
- Section 6: Registered Spider Flowers – Spider ratio 4.0:1 or greater  
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- Groups A-Z  
Section 7: Registered Unusual Form Flowers  
Groups A-Z  
Section 8: Youth – Registered cultivars any size, form or pattern.  
Groups A-Z

### **DIVISION III: EDUCATIONAL**

- Section 1. A display of materials available through membership in AHS

## **AHS STANDARD SYSTEM OF AWARDS**

Judging of each cultivar in each class shall be done by the American Hemerocallis Society system of awards:

- One First (Blue) which must score 90 or above.  
One Second (Red) which must score 85 or above.  
One Third (Yellow) which must score 80 or above.

For registered cultivars, only one blue, red and yellow may be awarded in a given name class. For seedlings, each exhibit in the section is judged on its own merit and is thus an award-eligible class.

## **MAJOR AWARDS**

**The AHS Purple Award** is awarded to each blue ribbon winner scoring 95 or more within Sections 1-10 of Division I.

**The AHS Section Rosette** is awarded to the most outstanding purple ribbon winning entry in Sections 1-10 of Division I.

**The AHS Best-in-Show Rosette** is awarded to the best of the AHS Rosette winners in Sections 1-10 of Division I.

**The AHS Sweepstakes Rosette** is awarded to the exhibitor winning the most blue ribbons in Division I, Sections 1-10. In the event of a tie, purple ribbons will be counted. If a tie should still exist, red, then yellow ribbons will be counted.

**The AHS Tricolor Rosette** is awarded to the best design in Division IV, Section 1, scoring 95 points or more. This entry qualifies to compete nationally for the AHS Tricolor Medal.

## **SPECIAL HORTICULTURE DIVISION AWARDS**

**The AHS Achievement Medal** is awarded to the originator of each entry of 3 different seedling scapes in Division I, Section 11 scoring an average of 90 points or more, and which in the opinion of the judges shows adequate merit and *distinctiveness* as compared with existing cultivars. Entries must be entered by number as assigned by the Classification Committee. Each of the judges on the panel assigned to judge the entries will point score each scape individually. The score sheets will be returned to the General

Show Chair and Tabulation Committee Chair who will tabulate the scores. Scores will NOT be official until they have been verified by the Exhibitions Chair or the Exhibitions Committee.

The **AHS Award of Appreciation**, a rosette, may be given at the discretion of the local show committee, not the judges, to one or more noncompetitive educational exhibits in Division III to show appreciation for the significant efforts involved.

## Local Awards

**1. New England Daylily Award**

This award is given to the exhibitor of the finest specimen on scape of a registered daylily originated in New England. The entry does not have to be made by the hybridizer. Any number of entries may be made by the same exhibitor as long as each entry shown is a different cultivar.

One award: \$25.00

**2. Sweepstakes Winner (Youth Classes)**

First Prize: \$15.00

**3. A.H.S. Sweepstakes Winners**

Awarded to the exhibitor winning the most blue ribbons in Division 1, Sections 1-10.

*First Prize: \$25.00 Runner-up: \$15.00*

**4. Best-in-Show**

Winner will receive a \$50.00 award.

### JUNIOR JUDGE CERTIFICATION

This to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ has performed the following requirements of a Junior Exhibition Judge at this show \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

General Show Chair or Judges' Chair

### SENIOR JUDGE CERTIFICATION

This to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ has placed entries in competition at this show \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

General Show Chair or Judges' Chair



## **The New England Daylily Society**

The New England Daylily Society (NEDS) is one of many small horticulture clubs that are scattered across the United States and Canada made up of people who are passionate about daylilies. Club members are eager to grow and promote daylilies because of their beauty, variety, and ease of care. Please visit the NEDS website at [www.nedaylily.org](http://www.nedaylily.org) and the American Hemerocallis Society website at [www.daylilies.org](http://www.daylilies.org).