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NEW ENGLAND DAYLILIY SOCIETY

Saturday, January 13, 2018

LOCATION:

Tower Hill Botanic Garden 11 French Drive, Boylston, MA

*** Our meeting this month will be held downstairs in Room C ***

9:30 AM Setup for hospitality (volunteers needed to help)

9:30 AM Board meeting

10:00 AM Social time

10:30 AM NEDS Member Photo Contest

11:30 AM Setup for Pot luck

12:00 PM Pot luck—Please bring a dish to share

1:00 PM Drawing for door prize plants

1:15 PM Annual Business Meeting, Local Hybridizer Presentation

Bob Sobek

(schedule may be adjusted as needed)

NEDS 2018 Calendar of Events

Mark these dates on your calendar for future NEDS meetings:

January 13, 2018—Meeting in Room C (downstairs) NEDS Annual Photo contest

Afternoon: Business meeting and NEDS Hybridizer Presentation

February, 2018—no meeting

March 10, 2018—TBD

April 14, 2018—TBD

Daylily Exhibition—July 14 Tower Hill Botanic Garden, Boylston, MA

Membership in NEDS is complementary to membership in the AHS. There are no additional NED's dues and the e-mail bulletin is included. Membership in AHS is by calendar year – Jan-Dec. and includes a year's subscription (four issues) to *The Daylily Journal*. Membership Renewal is due by January 1st each year. Individual dues are \$25 year, or \$70/3 years. Family membership (2 persons) is \$30, or \$83 for 3 years. Life membership: \$500. Youth Membership through calendar year of 18th birthday: \$10. Payment can be made to:

American Hemerocallis Society, c/o Pat Mercer, AHS Executive Secretary, P.O. Box 10, Dexter, GA 31019

Contact Elisabeth Murphy at Elisabeth.Murphy@gmx.net or 508-498-5638 to receive the NEDS Newsletter by email. There is a \$5.00/year fee each year for members receiving the newsletter by US mail to help defray the cost of printing and postage to be paid to NEDS via our Treasurer.

Message from the president

Hi Everyone,

Are you all enjoying this New England weather? We all need to have everything stop once in awhile. Sometimes it is relaxing to know we don't have anything pressing to do. Somewhat like going on vacation.

This is also the time of year we start getting catalogs. What fun to go through them and think of spring and warm weather.

Our photo contest is perfect for this time of year. Just think of summer and the beauty of daylilies and perennials in bloom. Hope everyone is looking forward to the photographs.

Looking forward to spring,

Shirley Ann

Editor's Comments

As I'm writing this Newsletter, it is 2 F outside and the wind is blowing with 20 miles/hour wind gusts. There is nothing more distracting from the cold weather than the pictures of daylilies from our first meeting this year.

Our meeting on Saturday, January 13th, should help to bring you back to thinking of summer on a cold day. We'll have the NEDS members photo contest in the morning and we'll hear from NEDS hybridizer Bob Sobek in the afternoon. He has introduced some great cultivars in the past. I can't wait to see what new things he got up his sleeve. Also, if you an aspiring hybridizer, you may learn some things that will help you achieve your hybridizing goals. You won't want to miss it!

This newsletter does not contain any minutes from our last meeting in November, because we do not have a secretary to send them to me. Please consider volunteering for this position to keep the club informed and functional

Mark your calendar:

21st Annual CanAm Classic

May 4-5, 2018
Toronto Airport West Hotel
5444 Dixie Road
Mississauga, Ontario L4W 2L2
Phone 905-624-1144
http://www.ontariodaylily.on.ca/

The **Annual AHS National Convention** is hosted by the Nova Scotia Daylily Society in Nova Scotia 7/27/ - 7/29/2018

Here is the link to the website: http://www.ontariodaylily.on.ca/

I hope to see you at the meeting — and stay warm

Respectfully, Lis Murphy, Editor

NEDS 2018 January Door Prize Plants—photos Harmon Hill Farm



Wanda Evans

Holmes-S., 2009 — 40" ML 10" SEV TET height 40 in.(102 cm), bloom 10 in.(25 cm), season MLa, Semi-Evergreen, Tetraploid, 22 buds, 4 branches, Unusual Form Cascade, Clear lavender pink above large green throat.(((sdlg × sdlg) × (sdlg × sdlg)) × Tet. Skinwalker)



America's First Peoples

Turner C 2012 — 45" ML 3.75" DOR DIP

Fragrant, 30 buds, 3 branches, Medium red self with slightly lighter midribs and an apple green throat



Almira Buffalo Bone Jackson

Faulkner 2010 — 22" M 5" SEV DIP

18 buds, 4 branches, Light cream with a large soft purple veined eye and a thin double edge. ($sdlg \times sdlg$)

Awards: HM 2015

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New England Daylily Society (NEDS)

Saturday, January 13, 2018

NEDS Photo Contest, Members

Hybridizer Bob Sobek Presentation

NEDS Annual Business Meeting



ALL AMERICAN CHIEF – SELLERS (1994) PHOTO BY ELISABETH MURPHY

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