



Lily Talk

A newsletter of the Central Missouri Hemerocallis Society

January, 2015

CMHS 2015 Calendar

February 8
Members Slide Show

February 13-15
Winter Gathering, Independence, MO

April 12
Meeting, TBD

June 14
Flower Show Preparation

June 10-13
AHS National Convention, Atlanta, GA

June 27
CMHS Flower Show, DBR Library, Columbia

July 10-12
Region 11 Convention, Manhattan, KS

August
MO State Fair – Daylily Show

August 21-22
Picnic and Sale

October 11
Michael Grossmann, Northern Lights, MN

December 6 Holiday Party

All meetings this year begin with a potluck meal at 1:30 p.m.

Directions to the Extension Center, 1012 Route UU, Columbia, MO – Take the Midway exit off of I-70 (just West of Columbia). Route UU is Southeast of the exit. The Extension Center is the first Building on the left on UU.

President's Message

The upcoming growing season is approaching, but for now we settle for enjoying plant catalogs. The new varieties of flowers and vegetables certainly catch our attention. We feel safe to try a few because we know the old faithfuls such as our daylilies will emerge from the ground and provide a wealth of beauty this summer. Not only do the catalogs provide us with plant knowledge, but also coming together as a club to share information is an excellent resource.

On a personal note, thank you for providing support to our family the last couple of months. In Nov. Bob and I planted a tulip bed, which we hadn't done in many years. Seeing them bloom this spring will be extra special.

Sue

Member Slide Show

Our meeting in February will be a member slide show. If you have seedlings that you would like to show us, please let Clarice know at clariceb@centurytel.net. We would love to see them and we enjoy seeing what everyone is working on.

Looking forward to seeing you in February.

Clarice

"A weed is a plant that has mastered every survival skill except for learning how to grow in rows."

- Doug Larson

Minutes from CMHS Meeting October 8, 2014

Vice President Sue McConnell led the meeting. The treasurer's report and previous meeting minutes were accepted as published.

Envelopes were available for renewing memberships. Dues should be submitted before Dec 31.

December party will be Dec. 7, a planning committee was sought but there were no volunteers from the floor.

Nominating Committee (Patti Waterman, Susan Kitchen and Rita Gerke) reported that all current officers are willing to serve again in the coming year. There were no nominations from the floor. Wayne Merrill moved that we accept the nominated slate. Lois Calvin seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Daylily Drawings for October \$100 – Lloyd Calvin \$50 – Karen Blackmore

Bring Backs:

Apple Blossom White – from Dan Judy to Alice Havard

Anam Cara – from Yvonne Calvin to Rita Gerke

Red Blooded – from Lloyd Calvin to Mike Delacy

Next meeting: Feb 8, 2015

Notes from a December Board Meeting

Leslie Rule is moving and stepping down as 2015 President. By club by-laws, Sue McConnell will move from Vice President to President. Clarice Brown offered and Sue appointed her to take on an additional role as Vice President.

Daylily Drawings at December party \$100 – Duane Nix \$50 – Rita Gerke

Respectfully submitted, Nancy Rold, Secretary

Botany I - Some Wrong Answers:

Dew is formed on leaves when the sun shines down on them and makes them perspire.

Mushrooms always grow in damp places and so they look like umbrellas.

The pistol of a flower is its only protection against insects.