



Daylily Talk

A newsletter of the Central Missouri Daylily Club

June 2025

Central Missouri Daylily Club 2025 Upcoming Events Calendar

CMDC Meetings:

June 8	1:30 p.m.	Garden Judging Overview
October 12	1:30 p.m.	The Rich History of Hybridizing in our Club
December 7	1:30 p.m.	Holiday Party at the Extension Center

CMDC Events:

July 5	Daylily Flower Show CANCELLED
July 4	Rold Open Garden – practice evaluating best clumps
July 6	Cernohlavek/Schultz Open Garden – bring cut flowers for display
August 8	Members Picnic, Cosmo Park, Columbia
August 9	Fall Plant Sale, Farmer's Market, Columbia

Regional and National Events:

June 26-29	Region 11 Summer Meeting, St Louis, MO
July 9-12	American Daylily Society National Convention, Seattle, WA

Any in-person club 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 Report

Hi everyone,

Hopefully everyone is surviving the storms. It certainly seems like all areas are having a little bit of something! The Region 11 meeting in St. Louis is coming up soon. You can still get registered! We will be making up a basket to be auctioned off so look around and see what you might find to add to it.

The challenge is still on to work out our plant sale. Please bring any thoughts or ideas to the meeting.

Hope to see all of you at the June 8th meeting.

Debbie Nix
CMDC President

From our VP – June 8 Program – Garden Judging Overview

Join us June 8 for our next meeting. We were unable to book the library for our annual exhibition this year, so instead of show prep, June's meeting will focus on Garden Judging. Get a glimpse into the work of a garden judge and learn why officially becoming an ADS Garden Judge could benefit your region and your garden.

Carol Schultz will lead the discussion. What makes a good daylily? Everyone has their own opinions. Do you want a great blossom for the daylily show or a splash of color to stand out in the garden? Let's find out what your opinion is. Think about what daylilies in your garden you will still be growing 10 years from now and your reasons for keeping those particular flowers. The ballot for the annual Stout Award, the highest honor a daylily can receive, has just been sent to all the garden judges. Carol will lead a discussion on the standards set out for AHS Garden Judges and we can discuss the pros and cons on the Stout nominees. You can follow-up by attending club member open gardens on July 4 and 6 to try your hand at daylily evaluation.

This will be followed by a presentation by Alice Havard on using daylilies in flower arrangements - for pleasure and for show.

John Wieland (with Carol Schultz)
CMDC Vice President

Members Offer Open Garden Dates

July 4 (Friday)– 9am to noon

Glory Be Garden (Nancy & Ron's), 12151 N. Nicole Dr. Hallsville, 573-881-5390. See daylily blooms on several thousand plants in a hybridizers garden. Some will be blooming for the first time ever! Practice what you learned about garden judging by voting on your favorite. Bring along family and friends! No pets, please. Bring a lawn chair if you want to linger and visit in the shade. Refreshments provided. Just 15 min north of Home Depot on paved roads.

July 6 (Sunday) 9:00 am – 6:00 pm

Red Bird Hill Daylily Garden (Leemer and Carol's), 1670 Welsh Lane, Fulton (Millersburg area). 573-220-1504. A GPS will guide you to the address, but be aware that the Millersburg exit off of I-70 is currently closed and we aren't sure when it will re-open. Currently, exit at Rt. Z and follow the access road to Rt. J - or come via Hwy WW (the extension of East Broadway).

Red Bird Hill Daylily Garden features an eclectic collection of daylilies interspersed with other landscape features. You will see cultivars hybridized in 1949 to some just introduced in 2025 as well as many of Region 11's hybridizers. Will the southern daylilies we got at the AHS National last year make it and be blooming? There may be some surprises! You will have the opportunity to vote on the best clump and your favorite flower in the garden. Lemonade and ice tea (maybe some other snacks) will be available and we have plenty of places to sit under trees, the gazebo, and our tent (if the weather ever warms

up). We will also have tables and bottles for display of any cut scapes that you want to bring for everyone to view.

Minutes CMDS Meeting, April 13 2025

The business meeting was called to order by President Debbie Nix.

Old Business:

Because the library was not available, we had to cancel the July 5 daylily exhibition. This will change the topic of the June meeting. Open Gardens on July 4 and 6 will substitute as a way to see a variety of flowers. Leemer and Carol will offer tables at their garden for members to bring cut scape specimens for display.

As mentioned previously, there will not be a spring sale this year to give our members a break. Debbie reported that the farmers market at the ARC has an increasing number of regulations, including proof of insurance. The market at the mall has a fee for the stall alone. It was mentioned that the Iris club uses this one as well as a market in Jefferson City. John Weiland offered that Rolla has a farmer's market and that he might sell for us there in the future. Debbie wondered if we might recruit more members in the future by participating in some of the markets hosted by local small towns.

New Business:

The Greater St. Louis Daylily Society is hosting the regional meeting this summer June 26-29. Our club agree to host/staff their Hospitality Room as a way to play our part in regional activities.

Program

Club hybridizers John Weiland and Nancy Rold presented slides of their seedlings and registrations. John also showed some of Patti Waterman's seedlings grown from seed that she gifted to him.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Rold
CMDC Secretary

Treasurer's Report

Our current checking balance of \$1,083.50 reflects \$30 of dues deposited.

CMDC's Edward Jones investments and holdings total \$10,810.83 as of May 27, 2025. We have \$5,810.73 in a cash position earning 0.45% and one CD: \$5,000 earning 4.5% maturing June 2nd. A second CD will be invested shortly.

Currently we have 36 members of which 25 are also AHS members.

Respectfully submitted,
John and Linda Poehlmann
CMDC Treasurers