

Cedar Valley Iris and Daylily Society

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From the President

The 9th Annual Hybridizers Roundup was held October 12th and we were impressed with the work of our members to hybridize new and beautiful daylilies. Each presenter showed us something unique and we all learned about the magic of hybridizing daylilies. Thanks to Jonathan for organizing the program and the presenters. Many thanks to the presenters and the tech crew.

Our mission is to promote daylilies and iris and our purpose is to educate others about all aspects of growing daylilies and iris. As if on cue, the question was asked, "How late can daylilies be planted?" Members volunteered, "It depends" and "Not after September 15." And we learned that late planted daylilies need to be anchored down with a brick to prevent heaving (from the freeze/thaw cycle).

We also saw some great fencing ideas to keep deer out of the daylily bed complete with aluminum pie tins hung to fly in the wind and create noise and the addition of bags of Lysol to deter deer with the "offensive smell" technique.

It was a great exchange of ideas and information. 36 Members attended.

The CVIDS mission can be found at [http://www.cvids.org/CVIDS%20Handbook%20\(Final%20revised%204-1-16\).pdf](http://www.cvids.org/CVIDS%20Handbook%20(Final%20revised%204-1-16).pdf) in the Members Handbook.

Nancy Rash
CVIDS President

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Nancy Rash, Newsletter Co-Editor (Serious)
Lyle Moen, Newsletter Co-Editor (Fun Stuff)

THE 2019 CVIDS FALL BANQUET

November 9, 2019 is the celebration of our 2019 CVIDS year. We will again hold the CVIDS Fall Banquet at the Radisson Hotel and Conference Center, Coralville, IA, exit 242 off I-80. We will host a social time with coffee beginning at 11 AM so members may view and vote for the entries in the Betty Miller Photo Contest. See page 2 for entry details from Mary Jo Duffy.

Keith Riewerts has secured our speaker for 2019, Phil Korth of Pinewood Gardens. Read more about Phil and Pinewood Gardens at:

<http://www.pinewooddaylilies.com/about/>.

Phil's wife Luella will be attending with Phil.

Keith invites members to join a group dining experience on Friday the 8th in Iowa City to have a personal time with Phil. Please contact Jonathan to learn more about the planned dinner and to make a reservation. Jonathan: jonathan-poulton@uiowa.edu or 319-354-1735.

CVIDS FALL BANQUET BUFFET:

Roast Beef Jardinière & Pecan Crusted Pork Loin; Honey Glazed Carrots & Steamed Broccoli
Twice Baked Potatoes; Fresh Fruit Display & Caesar Salad; Chocolate Mousse; Water, Iced Tea, Coffee

If you have not made reservations for the fall banquet, please contact Sherry Moffit at 319.664.3585 or smoffit@netins.net. The deadline to make your reservation is 5 PM on November 4. If you sign up and later need to cancel, please let Sherry know. As a courtesy and to avoid reminder messages, you can let Sherry know if you will NOT be attending. The meal is provided at no cost to paid-up members. **Guests are also welcome but are asked to pay \$25 for their meal. Reservations are required.** A brief business meeting is held at which club officers are (re) elected. CVIDS has a tradition of inviting renowned hybridizers to be the banquet speaker.

MEMBER UPDATES

Many members have challenges and we want to keep you posted of member related concerns and health issues. This is not a complete list but has the members I am aware of today: Larry Rettig, Lynne Kirkman and her husband, Jan Rogers, Sam and Mary McCord, Loren and Myrna Hass.

Looking ahead to 2020

We are ready with our leadership team for the 2020 CVIDS year. Keith Riewerts is the chair for the 2020 Region One Meeting to be held July 10 to 12 at the Hotel Kirkwood. Check with Keith for ways that you can be involved in event.

CVIDS Officers for 2020

President: Nancy Rash

Vice President: Joyce Parsons

Secretary: Susie Poulton

Treasurer: Shelly Lett

Web Master: Mary Jo Duffy

Newsletter Editors: Lyle Moen and Nancy Rash

Thank you to the leadership team for serving during the 2019 program year. I appreciate the willingness of members to continue their role and want to congratulate Mary Jo Duffy for being the new CVIDS Web Master. At the January 2020 meeting we will start the sign up process for events and programs to be part of our CVIDS year 2020.

2020 Meeting Dates

January 11, 2020

February 8, 2020 Program: Susie and Jonathan Poulton

As a follow up to the August 24th club meeting and the CVIDS Board meeting, please note that meetings will be scheduled for the second Saturday of the month in the months that we hold a regular meeting. The 2020 Board Members will be working on the programs and schedule for the year sometime after the CVIDS Fall Banquet. If you would like to be a program speaker or have a suggestion for a program, please let me know so I can add it to the list of ideas. We also need free or low-cost meeting spaces. Let me know if you have a location.

OCT 12, 2019 HYBRIDIZERS ROUNDUP

Please acknowledge their presentations:

Dave Appelquist; Heather Harroun; Gary Oster
Barb Papenhausen; Jonathan Poulton;
Keith Riewerts; Jackie Westhoff



WELCOME

The membership gave a warm welcome to new member Lyn Hafner, who joined at the August meeting. Lyn is from Iowa City and has a beautiful garden. Please greet Lyn at the next opportunity.

WELCOME BACK

The members were happy to greet Myrna and Loren Hass at the October meeting. It is great to see them again at a meeting.

BETTY MILLER PHOTO CONTEST

Please label photos with: Name, Category and Direction (arrow up) for display orientation.

Photo Categories:

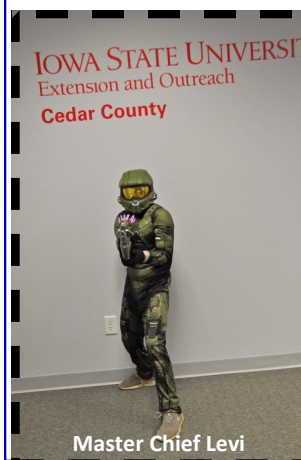
- (1) "Red" daylily, in honor of Verne Moore
- (2) Iris category
- (3) Large flowers
- (4) Doubles
- (5) Unusual forms and spiders
- (6) Clumps
- (7) Landscapes (photo must include daylilies or irises)
- (8) Hybridizers' 2017 seedlings
- (9) Novelties (e.g. garden sculptures, birdhouses, animals, etc., but the photo must include daylilies or irises).
- (10) "Gerald's Large Ruffles"

Send Photos to:

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Iowa City, IA 52240

Postmarked by October 30th.

Questions can be directed to Mary Jo at
mjduffy.ia@gmail.com or
319-330-3442.



Hybridizers RoundAbout October 12, 2019, Tipton, Iowa

10 Minute Introductions to Their Hybridizing Styles

Colorado Jonathan



Barb



Keith



Gary

Jackie



Dave



Heather

