



June 7, 2018

Dear Region One Clubs and Societies:

It's that time of year to be thinking about getting the registration for Region One Summer Meeting sent in for the early bird rate of \$120 by June 15th. After that time the registration goes to \$140 and all registrations need to be in by July 14th. The registrations will be capped at 120.

The meeting will be held at Baymont Inn and Suites in Mandan at 2611 Old Red Trail NW, Mandan, ND. You need to book before July 11 to receive \$98 plus tax which includes a hot breakfast. Ask for Central ND Daylily Society Block of rooms which is capped at 65 rooms, so get those reservation made. Call Baymont Inn at (701) 663-7401.

We have a wonderful opportunity for those who want to come in early for some sightseeing of the area. On Thursday evening at 5:30, we are invited to the Awards Reception at the Bismarck Arts and Galleries Association at 422 E Front Ave, Bismarck. They are featuring the month of July, a daylily exhibit that either the painting or photo must have daylilies in it. A visit of the exhibit will also take place during the tours on Saturday.

Registration opens at noon on Friday along with the Bargain Table and Silent Auction. Please be advised to bring cash or check for purchases at the Bargain Table and Silent Auction. From 1:00 - 3:00 there will be the Judging 1 Workshop (\$5 to be paid at registration) or a Floral Photography class to attend. At 3:30, the hybridizers in the region will show what they are working on and introducing to the public. There will also be open gardens that day. From 5-6 is a social hour followed by the meal and auction. Also come prepared with cash or check for purchases at the auction. Unfortunately, we are not able to accept credit cards.

If any members are planning to donate daylilies for the Bargain Table or Auction, we would appreciate knowing ahead of time what you are bringing so we can prepare pictures. Please contact, Mary Bormann at dakota3@bis.midco.net to let her know what you are contributing to the Bargain Table. If you are unable to attend but would still like to contribute you can mail your daylilies to Mary at 2510 Clydesdale Dr., Bismarck, ND 58503. To make arrangements to donate to the auction, please contact Gwen Brady at mbrady@bis.midco.net.

Any hybridizers in your club are welcome to present from 5-8 minutes on the daylilies they are hybridizing. There will be a computer and laptop available for PowerPoint. Anyone that wants to make arrangements ahead of time may contact Janell Quinlan at 701-224-8244 or jjqnd@outlook.com.

On Saturday, there will be the tour gardens. Also the Judging 2 Workshop will be held as part of the tours. After the tours will be the last chance to bid on the Silent Auction and buy at the Bargain Tables. From 5-6 is a social hour followed by the meal, business meeting and hybridizer presentation which is Melanie Mason from North Country Daylilies.

Please share this information with your club members. If you have any questions, please contact chairperson, Janell Quinlan at jjqnd@outlook.com or 701-224-8244. We hope to see as many as possible of you in July in ND.

Sincerely,

Janell Quinlan, Chair