

Cedar Valley Iris and Daylily Society

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MISSION OF CVIDS

“Founded in 1990, CVIDS is a scientific, educational, and social organization whose mission is to promote the genera *Hemerocallis* (daylily) and *Iris*. Its purpose is to educate our members and the general public about all aspects of growing daylilies and irises in eastern Iowa and surrounding regions. To further these goals, this organization provides lectures, garden tours, plant sales, and fellowship among its members and with members of other groups with similar goals.”

CVIDS Meetings 2024:

****May 11 = Spring Plant Sale** at the Discovery Park Large Pavilion, 3300 Cedar Street, Muscatine, IA.

****May 18 = Club Plant Distribution**—Floral Hall, West Liberty Fairgrounds, West Liberty —Starts 8:00 AM Setup, 8:30AM Breakfast, 9:00AM first ball pulled.

****June 12-15** 78th ADS National Convention in Oklahoma City, OK—**Daylilies Galore!! 2024**

****July 13 Weekend = Garden Tours:** Sarah Kelley, Dick and Jo Palmer, Red and Judy Raub, and Jackie Westhoff

****July 19-21 = ADS Region One Summer Meeting Daylilies Galore in 2024** in Minnetonka, MN

DUES ARE DUE

**CVIDS Dues are \$10 per person
for a one-year membership.**

Please send your check to: Jackie Westhoff, 6161 32nd Avenue, Shellsburg, IA 52332.

From the By-Laws: “Membership dues are for a calendar year and will fall due on January 1. Dues are considered delinquent after April 1.”

****August 24 = Club Plant Return, Iris Sale, and Auction** at the Monticello ISU Extension Expo Center. Starts 9-11AM with public plant sale; 11:15AM Potluck, followed by 12PM Auction

****October 12 = CVIDS Annual Hybridizer’s Roundup - TBD**

****November 9 = Annual CVIDS Fall Banquet** at the Radisson Hotel & Conference Center, Coralville

****Details subject to change and to be updated, as received.**

Inside This Issue - Old and New Stuff
Shelly Lett, Newsletter Editor
(Serious and Fun)



Reminders

If you will not be present at the May Club Plant Distribution meeting, remember to select a proxy and let Heather and Diane know.

Saturday, May 11 Spring Plant Sale

The Spring Plant Sale will take place on Saturday, May 11th, at the Discovery Park in Muscatine. Set-up begins at 7:30 AM. Please have your plants there by 8:45 AM. The sale is from 9:00-11:30 AM.

March Meeting Highlights

Vice President Diane Derganz gave an overview of the Club Plant Program included the history of this Program, how members receive their plants, advice about giving your plants the best shot in your garden, and how to evaluate your club plants.



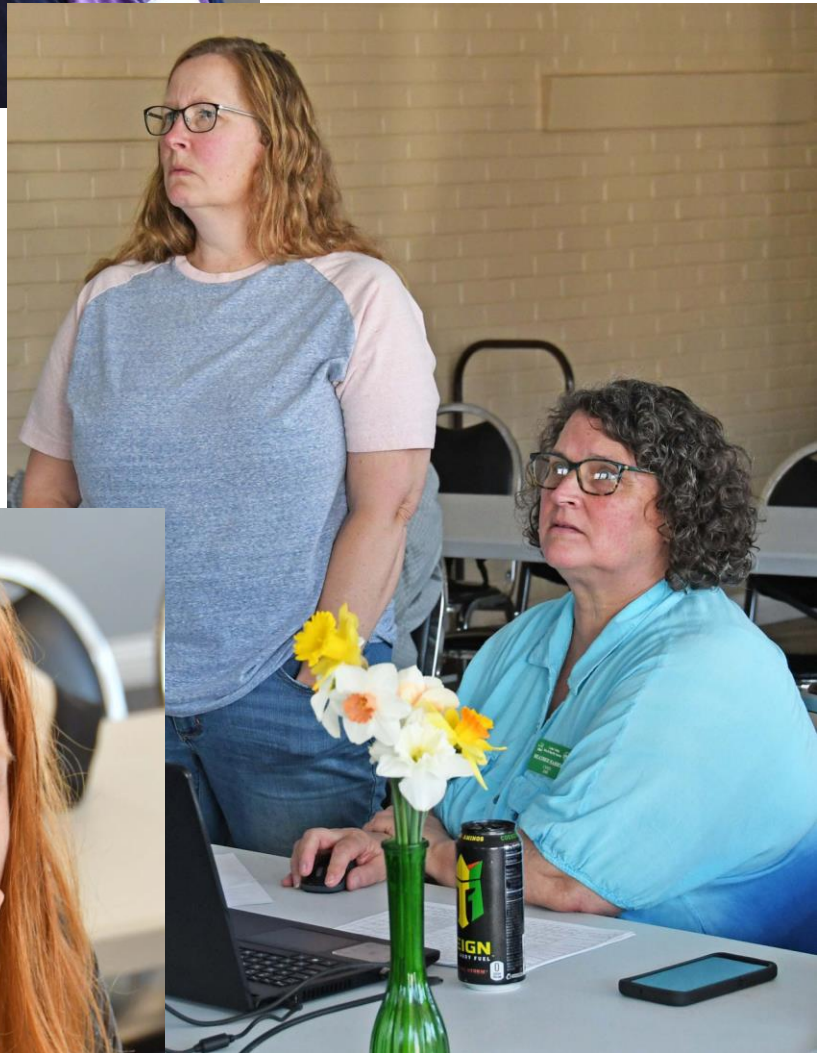
Jackie Westhoff gave a second presentation on growing Amaryllis and getting them to rebloom.





April Meeting Highlights—2024 daylily and iris Club Plant Preview







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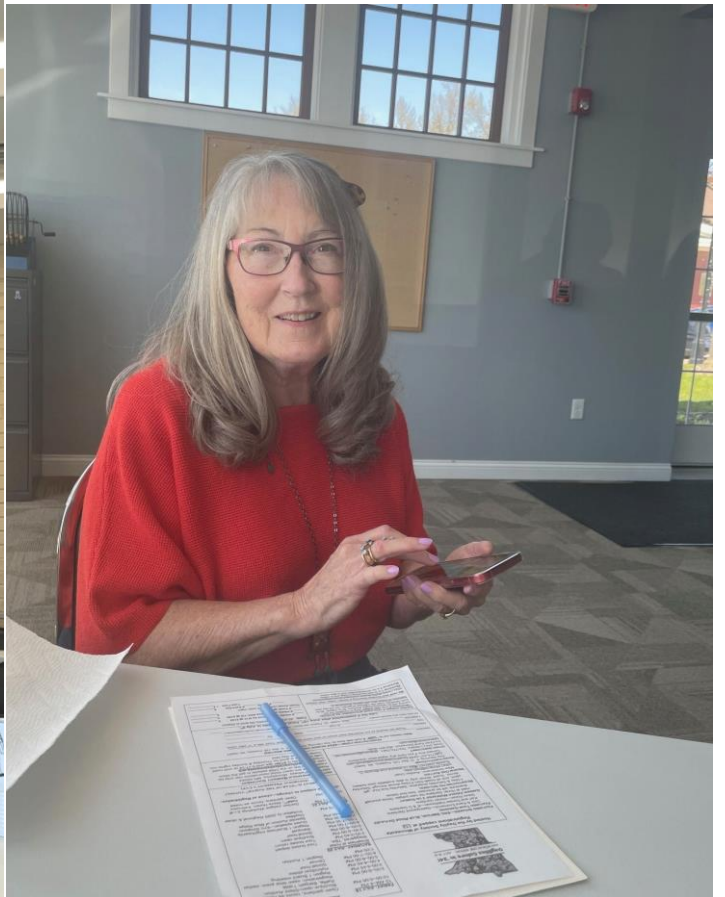
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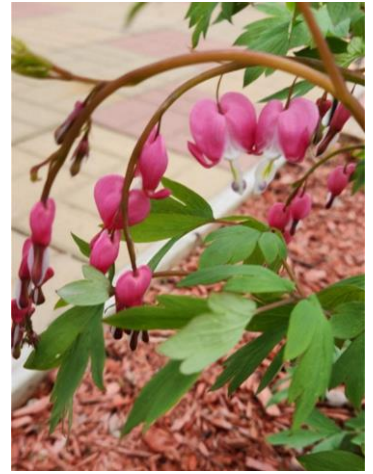
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 the garden. fragrant





From Heather's garden. How many can you name?





From Nancy Rash—Tiptoe through tulips and daffodils

