

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

THANK YOU. THANK YOU.

I want to thank the following persons for helping on August 21, 2021

Plant Sale: Sam McCord and Barb McCreight and Joy Adams

An extra thank you to Sam McCord for donating \$47.30, 50% of the sales of BIOMARKERS plant stakes. Folks were happy to have new stakes to identify their new daylilies.

Club Plant Return: Diane Derganz, Heather Harroun, Pat and Pete Connolly, Shelly Lett, Keith Riewerts, Rex Raub, Dick Palmer

Advertising/Media/Photos: Lyle Moen, Diann Pavelka, Nancy Rash, Ellen Jones, Lynn and Sherry Moffit

Attendance: Joyce Parsons

AUGUST 21, 2021 IN REVIEW

The plant sales and auction held on August 21, 2021 are to raise money to fund our club activities and events. Congratulations on a record year! Here is the report from the treasurer, Shelly Lett:

Silent auction = \$1839.72

Plant sale = \$1431.00

Live auction = \$4620.00

Total = \$7890.72

DIANE DERGANZ REPORT:

Diane Derganz does more than just organize the club plant return and silent auction. She does a complete analysis of the sales. Here is a partial version of her report following the sales on August 21, 2021:

“This year our club plant returns were higher as instead of only having two years to grow, we had three and sometimes even more. Our number of cultivars was up to 50 with those plants producing 92 double fans. Thirty-three members submitted 101 bids on 41 different cultivars with the average price per plant of \$34.07.

We had 33 members bidding on the plants but their number of bids more than doubled from two years ago. That was especially nice as several members really stepped up and sent in lots of bids.

DIANE DERGANZ REPORT:

A few other facts about our live auction are as follows: Snowflakes & Cashmere (grown by Jill Gardner) had the most bids with nine; Emerald Starburst (Mary Jo Duffy) had seven; Blackberry Merry (Mary Moore); Graphic Art (Suzanne Moffit) and Spyro the Dragon (Bob Papenhausen) all received six bids each.

The most paid for a cultivar was \$105.25 for Razorclaw grown by Darrin Lett and the least amount for a double paid was \$17.25 for both Called to Freedom (Nancy Rash, grower) and Redheaded Hussy (Jim Seamans Jr.)

Our committee was happy with the condition of all our plants coming back. They were very nicely prepared doubles. Also, the evaluations have been getting more detailed and several members submitted their own photos which I was able to include on the bid sheets.

In conclusion, thanks to all the members who grew, evaluated and returned their club plants in such good shape; members who bid and purchased those plants and those who bought plants in the live auction and public sale.

An extra special thank you to Heather Harroun who had the extremely important but very labor intensive job of planting, caring for and then potting up the forty club plants which were not able to be auctioned in the spring of 2020.

And of course we could not have had such a successful day without every person who helped with all the different jobs associated with each aspect of sale. We have such a wonderful group of people!

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Derganz, Silent Auction chairperson

PS. I hope I didn't forget anyone!”

Several years ago we had a presentation by Diane about preparing our Club Plants for the return sale. Thank you members for using that information. Nancy Rash, President

"Plant Sale" for CVIDS Monticello August 21, 2021



And Then There Were Plants



And Then There Were Shoppers



And Then There Were Buyers



And Then There Were More Plants



And Then There Were More Shoppers
(5 Guests invited by Nancy showed up)



While the Board of Trustees



Speculated on the Raindrops as seen in the photo to the left taken from drips off the roof of the Shelter and how they may effect the transmission of more Shoppers to the Plant Sale.

Note: Everyone Did A Great Job at The Sale & It Would Not Happen Without YOU!

“Plant Return Auction” for CVIDS Monticello August 21, 2021



“Now It’s Time to Get Serious” Bidders !!!



“I’ve Just About Got My Bid Ready”



President Nancy conducts Business of the Business Meeting



You’ve Got to Get Up Pretty Early In the Morning to Out-Bid This Girl !!!



“No More Bidding, Everett! I’ve Got To Find Room In The Garden For Everything I Bought Already !”



With Rapt Attention, Bidders Raise Their Hands Eagerly To Purchase Favorite Daylilies and Support The Club At The Same Time

