

“Daffodils - A Work of Art”



2017 Daffodil Show Report

On April 9 - 5, 2015, the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society's annual daffodil show, “**Daffodils – A Work of Art**” was held at the Missouri Botanical Garden in St. Louis, MO. The horticulture, photography, and design displays were all shown in the Beaumont Room.

I would like to thank everyone who entered the Design Division of the 2017 Daffodil Show. Also, thanks to Pam Hardy for serving as the design clerk. There was wonderful participation in the Design Section of this year's show. We had a total of 10 different participants entering our seven Design Classes, for a total of 26 designs in the show.

In Class One, **Artistic Dining**, *Jean Morris* was awarded first place for her lovely design staged on a functional table for two staged on a bridge table. The blue ribbon in Class Two, **Frame It**, went to *Lynn Slackman* for her appealing design incorporating a frame. Class Three, **Pop Art**, called for a creative design, and was won by *Jean Morris* for her colorful design. The winner of Class Four, **Shapely Sculptures**, was a creative sculptural form design produced by *Pam Hardy*. In Class Five, **Little Jewels**, entries were miniature in size, but was generous in impact when a creation by *Jim Morris* caught the eye of the judges and received first place. Class Six, **Love Your Mummy (Youth Entry Only)**, featured creative designs that featured a mummy in the design. The Blue ribbon were awarded to *Grace R.* and second place to *Elizabeth C.*. Class Seven, **DIY(Youth Entry Only)**, showcased the creative minds of the youth by challenging them to decorate their own container for this design. First place ribbons were awarded to *Grace R.* and *Elizabeth C.*. Great job everyone!

Best Design in Show was awarded to *Pam Hardy* for her first place design in Class Four, Shapely Sculptures. Jean Morris was awarded the **Design Sweepstakes** for earning two blue ribbons and two red ribbons. The **Best Youth Design** was awarded to *Grace R.* for her blue ribbon entry in Class Seven, DIY. The **Youth Design Sweepstakes award** was awarded to *Grace R.* for two youth blue ribbons in the Design Section.

Design Classes and Winning Exhibitors:

Class 1 “Artistic Dining”	
1st Place: Jean Morris	2nd Place: Beth Holbrooke
3rd Place: Suzanne Raymond	Honorable Mention: Jim Morris
Class 2 “Frame It”	
1st Place: Lynn Slackman	2nd Place: Jim Morris
3rd Place: Jean Morris	Honorable Mention: Dianne Carty
Class 3 “Pop Art”	
1st Place: Jean Morris	2nd Place: Vaughn Meister
3rd Place: Grace Raymond	Honorable Mention: Suzanne Raymond
Class 4 “Shapely Sculptures”	
1st Place: Pam Hardy **	2nd Place: Jean Morris
3rd Place: Jim Morris	Honorable Mention: Suzanne Raymond
Class 5 “Little Jewels”	
1st Place: Jim Morris	2nd Place: Jean Morris
3rd Place: Lynn Slackman	Honorable Mention: Beth Holbrooke, Grace Raymond, Dianne Carty
Class 6 “Love Your Mummy”	
1st Place: Grace R.	2nd Place: Elizabeth C.
3rd Place:	Honorable Mention:
Class 7 “DIY”	
1st Place: Elizabeth C. & Grace R. **	2nd Place:

**Youth designs are judged by age

I appreciate the extra effort made by our designers this year and also thank everyone who shared extra daffodils and other materials. We are grateful to those people who brought in miniature daffodils to share for the small design -- THANKS!!! Thanks also, to Lynn Slackman who always does a great job with the design cover each year. Lynn, you find a picture each year that is perfect.

Jean Morris
Design Chair

There were 18 photographic entries displayed at this year's show and three participants. *Cindy Haeffner* won the best photograph in the show and the **ADS Wells Knierin Ribbon** for her Class P-3 "**Daffodils in their Native or Natural Habitat**" entry named "**Daffs by the Barn**".

Photography Classes and Winning Exhibitors:

Class P-1 Portraits of Daffodils:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-2 Daffodils in the Landscape:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-3 Daffodils in their Native or Natural Habitat:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-4 Daffodils and People:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-5 Daffodils and Animals:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-6 An arranged still life incorporating daffodils:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

Class P-7 Abstract or special effect incorporating daffodils or daffodil elements:

1st Place: Cindy Haeffner

The photography section of the show received a **great** response from the general public. We really appreciate everyone who participated.

The Horticulture portion of the show had 15 participants with 233 exhibits that contained 524 blooms. Even with the early warm-up coupled with subsequent cool and extreme weather this spring, plenty of wonderful flowers were staged in the Beaumont Room at the Missouri Botanical Garden.

Winning Exhibitors and Winning Cultivars:

Gold Ribbon: Suzanne Raymond	'Nowra'
Rose Ribbon: Gerard Knehans	'#9-03 (Corbiere X (Sweet Prince X Stand Fast))
Mini Gold Ribbon: Suzy Wert	'Little Kibler'
Mini Rose Ribbon: Suzy Wert	'#19 Seedling'
White Ribbon: Gerard Knehans	'Dimple'
Mini White Ribbon: Lynn Slackman	'Segovia'
Youth Best Bloom: Eileen Swofford	'Cinnamon Ring'
Youth Best Vase of 3: No Entry	
Small Grower Award: Mary Greenwalt	'Twin Towers'
Historic Award: Lynn Slackman	'Dreamlight' 1934
Historic Vase of 3: Peter McAdams	'Elegance' 1908
Classic Best Bloom: Gerard Knehans	'Shining Light'
Classic Best Single Stem: Pam Hardy	'Sunset Serenade'
Classic 3 Stems Award: Pam Hardy	'Tahiti' 1956
Intermediate Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Reed 95-67'
Intermediate 3 Stem Award: Gerard Knehans	'Brooke Ager'
Container Standard Award: Gerard Knehans	'Ziva'
Container Mini Award: No Entry	
Container Species Award: No Entry	
Silver Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	(26 Blue Ribbons)
Club Challenge Cup: Cindy Haeffner	'Killearnan'
SNR Challenge Cup: Peter McAdams	Green-eyed Poet

Collection Classes

Historic Collection of 5 : Cindy Haeffner Collection of 5 Historic Daffodils

Beryl	6W-YYO	1907
Avalanche	1W-Y	1906
Dreamlight	3W-GWR	1934
Picador	3W-GOO	1910
Ruby	3W-O	1907

Intermediate Collection of 5 : Lynn Slackman Collection of 5 Intermediate Daffodils

Brooke Ager	2W-P
Bantam	2Y-YOO
Warm Day	2O-O
Problem Child	2Y-GYP
Pocket Change	1Y-Y

Maroon Ribbon : Gerard Knehans

Collection of 5 Reverse Bi-Color Daffodils

#Rev. 12	2YYW-WWY
Intrigue	7Y-W
#DD-CAM 5E	2YYW-W
Wishing Well	2Y-W
Halstock	2Y-W

Red-White-Blue Ribbon : Lynn Slackman

Collection of 5 Daffodils Bred in the USA

Pink Flush	2P-PPY	Reed 2002
Peggy Macneale	2W-GWW	Reed 2002
Edie	2W-P	Reed 2011
Tristan's Memory	2Y-Y	Reed 2005
Weber's Electric	2Y-R	Reed 2003

Purple Ribbon: Lynn Slackman

Best Standard Collection

Pink Flush	2P-PPY
Peggy Macneale	2W-GWW
Edie	2W-P
Tristan's Memory	2Y-Y
Weber's Electric	2Y-R

Miniature Red-White-Blue Ribbon : Lynn Slackman

Collection of 5 Miniature Daffodils Bred in the USA

Fairy Chimes	5Y-Y	Mitsch, 1976
Little Rusky	7Y-GYO	Watrous, 1989
Itsy Bitsy Splitsy	11aY-O	Koopowitz, 2007
Curlylocks	7Y-Y	Watrous, 1964
Oxford Gold	10Y-Y	Blom, 2007

Lavender Ribbon: Lynn Slackman

Best Mini Collection of 5 w/o RWB

Segovia	3W-Y
Oxford Gold	10Y-Y
Minnow	8W-Y
Little Rusky	7Y-GYO
Xit	3W-W

Marie Bozievich Ribbon: Gerard Knehans

12 standard stems from at least FOUR divisions

Windy City	1W-Y
Spindletop	3W-Y
Rossferry	2W-GYR
Heamoor	4Y-Y
Bramcote	1Y-Y
Corby Candle	2Y-YOO
Sharon's Champagne	3Y-Y
Oregon Pioneer	2Y-P
Hawley Gift	2Y-R
Ice Emerald	3W-GWW
Greenadd	3W-YYW
Treasure Hunt	2Y-GYY

Elise Havens Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

12 standard stems from at least THREE divisions 5 through 10

Panchali	8Y-O
World Class	5Y-Y
Beryl	6W-YYO
Thalia	5W-W
Vienna Woods	9W-R
Fencourt Jewel	8W-P
Pearly Queen	5W-Y
Dan du Plessis	8Y-O
American Peace	5Y-Y
Tanager Lane	8W-O
Tender Moment	7W-GYP
Shanach	9W-YYR

Tom Throckmorton Ribbon: Suzy Wert

15 standard stems from 15 different RHS classifications

Mockingbird	7Y-W
April Peach	7W-GPP
Kaiwaka	7Y-O
Work of Art	7W-P
Fertile Plains	7YYW-W
Indian Maid	7O-R
Roberta Watrous	7Y-GYR
Explosion	7Y-Y
Gazelle	7Y-Y
Penstraze	7Y-GRR
Tinhay	7W-W
Blushing Lady	7Y-YYP
Hillstar	7YYW-YWW
Mowser	7Y-R
Peach Delight	7W-WWP

Roberta Watrous Award: Suzy Wert
Miniature collection of 12 stems from at least THREE divisions

Bells Island	5Y-Y
Tiny Bubbles	12Y-Y
Sabrosa	7Y-Y
Pakotai	12Y-Y
N. jonquilla var. henriquesii	13Y-Y
Oxford Gold	10Y-Y
Angel's Breath	5Y-Y
Little Rusky	7Y-GYO
Segovia	3W-Y
Kokopelli	7Y-Y
Little Kibler	9W-GYR
#19 Seedling	9W-GYR