

“A Forecast of Daffodils”



2022 Daffodil Show Report

On April 8 – 9, 2022, the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society’s annual daffodil show, “**A Forecast of Daffodils**” was held at the First Free Church in Manchester, MO. The horticulture and design displays were all shown in Room 341 and in the adjoining hallway/reception area.

We had a fantastic design schedule for the 2022 daffodil show. Thank you, Kim Peterson for writing it. Thanks also, to Lynn Slackman for the cover photo depicting the weather aspects for the design theme.

Major Awards:

Best of Show, Adult Division: *Kim Peterson* “Storms Ahead”

Best of Show, Youth division: *Avery McCloskey* “Things Come Alive...”

Sweepstakes winner, Adult division: *Jean Morris*

Sweepstakes Winner, Youth Division: tie between *Avery McCloskey and Gloria Martin*

Participants:

7 people entered the adult division. 4 people entered the Youth division.

A total of 11 people entered exhibits in the Design Division.

Exhibits:

A total of 22 exhibits were entered in this show.

Adult exhibits: 14

Youth exhibits: 8

Exhibits were judged by three National Garden Club judges.

Thanks very much to all of our designers! We heard many positive comments from show visitors about the beauty and uniqueness of the designs.

Design Classes and Winning Exhibitors:

Class 1 "Storms Ahead"

1st Place: Kim Peterson ** **2nd Place: Marti Gibson**
3rd Place: Jean Morris **Honorable Mention: Rebecca Hertwig**

Class 2 "After the Store"

1st Place: Jean Morris **2nd Place: Marti Gibson**
3rd Place: Kim Peterson **Honorable Mention: Mary Ann Campbell**

Class 3 "Droplets of Rain"

1st Place: Jean Morris **2nd Place: Kim Peterson**
3rd Place: Suzanne Raymond **Honorable Mention: Lynn Slackman**

Other exhibitors: Mary Ann Campbell, Rebecca Hertwig

Class 4 "Things Come Alive on an Early Spring Day"

12 years old: 1st Place: Avery M. **
11 years old: 1st Gloria M. **2nd Place: Gigi S.**
6 years old: 1st Place: Greta M.

Class 5 "Rainbows in the Clouds"

12 years old: 1st Place: Avery M.
11 years old: 1st Gloria M. **2nd Place: Gigi S.**
6 years old: 1st Place: Greta M.

Despite having an early weekend daffodil show, the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society show this year was another record setter. It set a record for the most stems entered into competition in a GSLDS show, 880 stems, which included our special GSLDS classes, and the usual ADS show classes. We only had 11 exhibitors take part this year, but each brought and exhibited a large number of exquisite blooms.

This was our first daffodil show since 2019, and this was our first daffodil show at the First Free Church location. Although no official count of visitors was taken, most members agree that we had a steady flow of people who came in to view the daffodils this year.

And a record was set for the most blue ribbons won by an exhibitor for the Silver Ribbon. Cindy Haeffner received 56 blue ribbons, leaving everyone else in her blue dust. However, Kam Fok, assisted by Su-Li Cheng, came in second with 21 blue ribbon exhibits, a very good performance.

Please review the following winning Show Exhibitors and Cultivars from the Horticulture Division of the daffodil show:

Winning Exhibitors and Winning Cultivars:

Gold Ribbon: Lynn Slackman	'Rockin' Goose'
Rose Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	'HFC 2012-1' [Louise Randall X Geometrics]
Mini Gold Ribbon: Gerard Knehans	'Pequenita'
Mini Rose Ribbon: No Entries	
White Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	'Tom Terrific'
Mini White Ribbon: Lynn Slackman	'Medway Gold'
Youth Best Bloom: No Entries	
Youth Best Vase of 3: No Entries	
Small Grower Award: No Entries	
Historic Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Beryl' 1907
Historic Vase of 3: Lynn Slackman	'Content' 1927
Classic Best Bloom: Cindy Haeffner	'Camelot' 1962
Classic Best Single Stem: Cindy Haeffner	'Bridal Crown' 1949
Classic 3 Stems Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Camelot' 1962
Intermediate Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Tom Terrific'
Intermediate 3 Stem Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Tom Terrific'
Container Standard Award: No Entries	
Container Mini Award: No Entries	
Container Species Award: No Entries	
Silver Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	(56 Blue Ribbons)
Club Challenge Cup: Cindy Haeffner	'POPS Legacy'
SNR Challenge Cup: Peter McAdams	'3Y-YO'
Best Bloom by Central Region Hybridizer	'Orpha'

Collection Classes

Red-White-Blue Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

Collection of 5 Daffodils Bred in the USA

Great Joy	2W-P	John Reed
Smooth Trumpet	1W-Y	Charles Wheatley
MB00701-8	1Y-YOO	Michael Berrigan
HFC 2015-TDMO	2W-Y	Cindy Haeffner
Rose Lake	2W-P	Grant Mitsch

Purple Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

Best Standard Collection

Great Joy	2W-P	
Smooth Trumpet	1W-Y	
MB00701-8	1Y-YOO	Berrigan
HFC 2015-TDMO	2W-Y	Tudor Dance X Millenium Orange
Rose Lake	2W-P	

Intermediate Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

Collection of 5 Intermediate Daffodils

Oh Cindy!	2Y-P
Butterfly Kiss	2W-Y
HFC 2015-TDMO	1W-Y
HFC 2012-1	2W-W
Little York	2Y-P

Maroon Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

Collection of 5 Reverse Bi-Color Daffodils

Halogen	2Y-W
Desert Orchid	2Y-W
Rambunctious	2YYW-WWY
Reed RE 7	2YYW-W
Half Moon Caye	2YYW-WWY

Marie Bozievich Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

12 standard stems from at least FOUR divisions

Little Alice	4Y-O
Misty Mountain	11aW-W
Brooke Ager	2W-P
Arrowhead	6Y-R
Reed 2000-32-5	2YYP-P
David Adams	2W-GWW
Dresden	3W-YYR
Reed 97-129	2Y-Y
Colin's Joy	2W-GWR
Corbiere	1Y-YOO
Luna Lyeanthrope	2Y-W
HFC 8	1W-O

Elise Havens Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

12 standard stems from at least THREE divisions 5 through 10

Petite	7Y-YOO
HFC-3	6Y-Y
Beryl	6W-YYO
Katrina Rea	6W-WOO
Flint Arrow	6Y-O
Sugar Rose	6W-GWP
Panchali	8Y-O
White Pearl	8W-W
HFC-2	9W-YYR
Trevithian	7Y-Y
Arrowhead	6Y-R
Avalanche	8W-Y

Tom Throckmorton Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner

15 standard stems from 15 different RHS classifications

Panchali	8Y-O
Twilight Zone	2YYW-WWY
Pueblo	7W-W
Pinhook Lagoon	1W-Y
HFC 2009 PREL	7WWY-YPP
Rippling Water	5W-W
Macilynn	3W-YYR
HFC 2014 GMSHC	11a W-POP
Little Alice	4Y-O
Reed 2001-18	11aY-P
Camelot	2Y-Y
Mongo	1Y-P
Blazing Saddles	11a Y-O

American Idol	2W-P
Hanky Panky	11a Y-Y

Carey Quinn Award: Cindy Haeffner
24 standard stems from at least FIVE divisions

Magic Lantern	1Y-O
Tom Terrific	11aY-O
Lemon Desire	1Y-W
Bramcote Gem	1W-Y
Milemcro	2Y-O
National Treasure	2Y-Y
Rose Lake	2W-P
Little York	2Y-Y
KNO ₃	2Y-Y
American Gold	2Y-Y
Coral Jungle	2W-P
Mot Mot	8Y-R
Rippling Waters	5W-W
Bonnie's Jewel	2Y-YOO
Pink Silk	1W-P
Rapid Stride	6Y-Y
Duncan 2880	7Y-O
Buchanan	6W-W
White Tea	2W-GWW
Prodigious	11aY-Y
Synapse	2YYW-P
Yellow Ivory	2Y-Y
Colin's Joy	2W-GWR
Katrina Rea	6W-WOO

Lavender Ribbon: Lynn Slackman
Best Mini Collection of 5 w/o RWB

Tête-à-Tête	12Y-Y
Minnow	8W-Y
Medway Gold	7Y-Y
Itsy Bitsy Splitzy	11aY-O
Jumble	12Y-O

Bankhead Award: Gerard Knehans
Miniature collection of 9 stems from at least THREE divisions

Gipsy Queen	1YYW-WWY
Pequenita	7Y-Y
Gipsy Vale	1W-W
Gambas	1Y-Y
Alec Gray	1W-W
Minnow	8W-Y
Mite	6Y-Y
Tête Bouclé	4Y-Y
Englander	6Y-Y