

2024 Daffodil Show Report

On April 5 - 6, 2024, the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society's annual daffodil show, "*Daffodil Games of Skill & Chance*" was held at the First Free Church in Manchester, MO. The design displays were shown in the Foyer on the North side of the church and horticulture in the Recreation Room.

We had an outstanding design schedule for the 2024 daffodil show. Thank you, Kim Peterson, for writing it. Thanks also to Lynn Slackman for the cover photo depicting the design theme.

Major Awards:

Best of Show, Adult Division: *Jean Morris*, Class 2 - "A Deck of Cards" Best of Show, Best of Show, Youth division: *Mallory Modray*, age 10, Class 4 - "Video Games"

Sweepstakes award was given to *Jean Morris* for her first-place entries in Class 1 - "The Game of Clue' and Class 2 - "A Deck of Cards".

Exhibits:

A total of 12 exhibitors participated in 5 Design classes.

Adult exhibits: 8 entered 3 classes.

Youth exhibits: 4 Youth entered 2 classes.

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 "The Game of Clue"

1st Place: Jean Morris 2nd Place: Kim Peterson

3rd Place: Suzanne Raymond **Honorable Mention:** Sabrina Cambell

Creativity Award: Sabrina Campbell

Class 2 "A Deck of Cards"

1st Place: Jean Morris, Best in Show 2nd Place: Kim Peterson

3rd Place: Jim Morris, **Honorable Mention:** Lynn Slackman

Class 3 "Yahtzee"

1st Place: Suzanne Raymond 2nd Place: Jason Schaeffer

3rd Place: Jean Morris Honorable Mention: Lynn Slackman, Sabrina Campbell, JoAnne Bradford, Kim Peterson

Class 4 "Video Games"

13 years old: 1st Place: Gigi S. 13 years old: 2nd Place: Amanda D.

11 years old: 1st Place: Erika D. 10 years old: 1st Place: Mallory M.

Class 5 "Board Games"

13 years old: 1st Place: Amanda D. 13 years old: 2nd Place: Gigi S.

11 years old: 1st Place: Erika D. 10 years old: 1st Place: Mallory M.

Creativity Awards: Gigi S. and Erika D.

Despite the ravages of severe storms a few days earlier that produced tornadoes, straight line winds, hail, and heavy rain, seventeen hearty souls placed a record 928 stems in this year's show.

The exhibits were judged by seven experienced ADS accredited judges which included Mike Berrigan from Minnesota and Rose Bradley from Illinois. Mike Berrigan was appointed to lead the judging effort.

The ADS Silver Ribbon was awarded to Cindy Haeffner for 33 blue ribbons received in the show.

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

Winning Exhibitors and Winning Cultivars:

Gold Ribbon: Gerard Knehans	' #2W024'
Rose Ribbon: Gerard Knehans	'#2W024'
	[2W-YYO seedling]
Mini Gold Ribbon: Lynn Slackman	'Segovia'
Mini Rose Ribbon: No Entries	
White Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	'Crackington'
Mini White Ribbon: Lynn Slackman	'Segovia'
Youth Best Bloom: No Entries	
Youth Best Vase of 3: No Entries	
Small Grower Award: Brad Griffith	'Happy Smiles'
Historic Award: Lynn Slackman	'Milan' 1932

Historic Vase of 3: Jim and Jean Morris	'Milan' 1932
Classic Best Bloom: Peter McAdams	'Perconger' 1941
Classic Best Single Stem: Vaughn Meister	'Tahiti' 1956
Classic 3 Stems Award: Peter McAdams	'Perconger' 1941
Intermediate Award: Gerard Knehans	'Pink Sunday'
Intermediate 3 Stem Award: Cindy Haeffner	'Reg Nicholl'
Container Standard Award: No Entries	
Container Mini Award: Lynn Slackman	'More and More'
Container Species Award: No Entries	
Silver Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner	(33 Blue Ribbons)
Club Challenge Cup: Lynn Slackman	'Jamestown'
SNR Challenge Cup: Peter McAdams	'3W-W'

Collection Classes

Historic Collection of 5 Ribbon: Lynn Slackman Collection of 5 Daffodils Pre-1940 standard cultivars

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse	2W-P	before 1921
Milan	9W-GYR	before 1932
Laurens Koster	8W-Y	before 1906
Dreamlight	3W-GWR	before 1934
Mount Hood	1W-W	before 1938

Intermediate Ribbon: Gerard Knehans Collection of 5 Intermediate Daffodils

Sdlg #402	3W-WWP
Amy Susan	2Y-W
Reed Seedling	2W-YYO
Pink Sunday	2W-P
Ka-Ching!	2Y-YYO

Maroon Ribbon: Gerard Knehans Collection of 5 Daffodils Bred in the USA

Sdlg #401	2Y-W
Amy Susan	2Y-W
Lemon Desire	1Y-W
Hillstar	7YYW-YWW
Luminosity	2YYW-W

Red-White-Blue Ribbon: Cindy Haeffner Collection of 5 Daffodils Bred in the USA

Sdlg #2013 1-1	3W-GYR	Haeffner
Sdlg #2011 -2	2Y-Y	Haeffner
Sdlg #2014-1	2W-YYR	Haeffner
Sdlg #2011-1	2W-GWW	Haeffner
Sdlg #2009-2	2Y-O	Haeffner

Purple Ribbon: Gerard Knehans Best Standard Collection

Sdlg #402	3W-WWP
Amy Susan	2Y-W
Reed Seedling	2W-YYO
Pink Sunday	2W-P
Ka-Ching!	2Y-YYO

Marie Bozievich Ribbon: Lynn Slackman 12 standard stems from at least FOUR divisions

American Affair	2W-Y
Ноорое	8Y-O
Ice Wings	5W-W
Triple Crown	3Y-GYR
Crackington	4Y-O
Port Noo	3W-Y
Grebe	4Y-O
Cinnamon Ring	3W-WWO
Mississippi Traveler	2W-Y
Janet's Gold	2Y-Y
Amadeus	2W-R
Highpoint	2Y-Y

Elise Havens Ribbon: Lynn Slackman 12 standard stems from at least THREE divisions 5 through 10

Lemon Drops	5Y-Y
Sugar Rose	6W-GWP
Dream Weaver	7W-YWW
Ice Wings	5W-W
Webster	9W-GYR
Beautiful Eyes	7W-O
Merthan	9W-YYR
Hoopoe	8Y-O
Bettina's Favorite	8Y-Y
Geranium	8W-O
Golden Dawn	8Y-O
Nickelodean	8W-W

Bankhead Ribbon: Lynn Slackman Best Mini Collection of 9 stems from at least THREE divisions

Itsy Bitsy Splitsy	11aY-O
Segovia	3W-Y
Twinkling Yellow	7Y-Y
Rikki	7W-Y
Shaw Legacy	9W-GYO
Golden Quince	12Y-Y
Little Rusky	7W-GYO
Angel's Whisper	5Y-Y
Cyclataz	12Y-O