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PLAY A ROLE IN THE ANNUAL SALE!!!

The 13th Annual Daylily Plant Sale is only a few weeks away --- 10 Sept. in the Lusthaus at the Green Bay Botanical Garden. Cultivars from the GBBG/BAD Buds repository beds will again be on sale. The sale is, by far, our largest fund raiser of the year. Hence participation by all members is greatly needed. Funds will be used for purchasing adopt-a-daylily cultivars, bringing in regional and national speakers, supporting student scholarships, buying newer cultivars to replace older cultivars in the GBBG/B.A.D. Buds repository beds, etc.

FIRST, THE CLUB REALLY NEEDS YOUR DOUBLE FANS!!!! Last year rainy and cool weather coupled with the Packers being out of town contributed to a significant decline in sales. This year the Packers will be playing at Lambeau on sale weekend!!! Hence we are hoping for a considerable bounce-back in sales. But that cannot occur unless we have lots of double fans to sell. Hence your donations of fans are critical for a successful sale.

You can rejuvenate large clumps by dividing them and donating the excess fans to the sale. Also you can remove older cultivars and donate them to the sale where you can purchase newer ones.

DONATIONS OF DOUBLE FANS ARE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE. Record the name and number of double fans for each cultivar. Put your list with name and address into a plastic bag containing your double fans. The average Eureka price of each cultivar will be marked on your list. You may either pick up your list Friday evening, at the sale or it will be mailed to you

PROCEDURES FOR PREPARING FANS: Dig and divide plants no earlier than Wed. 8 Sept. Foliage should be cut back to 6 to 8". **Please** remove as much soil and dead leaves as possible. Separate plant into divisions of two fans each. Place double fans of each cultivar into a separate plastic bag and include the cultivar name. Drop plants off at Leo and Eileen's Rose-Hill Gardens (472 Rose-Hill Drive, Oneida) Wed. Sept 7th thru Fri. Sept 9th.

PHOTOS ABSOLUTELY INCREASE SALES!!!!!! Few people wish to buy daylilies without first seeing what the flowers look like. **Please** contact JoAnn Jankowski (660-3195 or jojomeow@aol.com) soon so that there will

and print photographs of the cultivars that you
take your own photographs and place them
with the appropriate double fans. Many members who donated fans last year
did a great job of including their own photos!!! Please continue to provide
photos.

EVERYONE'S HELP IS NEEDED!!!! Even if you don't have plants to
donate, the Club needs many workers for the following three components of
the sale.

SIGN UP TO WORK - CONTACT JOANN

660-3195 or jojomeow@aol.com

WHEN AND WHERE YOU CAN HELP!!!

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| WED. 7 SEPT | Digging and Dividing of GBBG/BAD Buds Cultivars
4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at GBBG beds - BRING YOUR TOOLS
PLEASE NOTE: the rain date is 8 Sept.
ALSO NOTE: a minimum of 10 to 12 volunteers are
required to process some 40 cultivars. |
| FRI. 9 SEPT. | Sorting, labeling, & bagging at Leo & Eileen's (472 Rose-
Hill Drive, Oneida. 869-2540) Noon to finish at 8:00 or
so. Please note that we are starting earlier so that
we can finish earlier. Some of you may be able to
arrive earlier while others will be unable to arrive
until later. We will need everyone's help. Thus arrive
and leave as your schedule allows! |
| SAT. 10 SEPT. | Set up and sale at GBBG 8:30 am to 12:30 pm
Sale and take down 12:30 pm to 4:00pm |

ALSO NEEDED: Please bring plastic and paper grocery bags for buyers.

WHY WORK?

- 1) Great opportunity to serve the Club and have a good time with fellow club members
- 2) Opportunity to purchase cultivars from GBBG/BAD Buds beds at a **20 or 50% discount before** sale opens to public. See next article.
- 3) Earn two BAD BUCKS per hour of service at the dig on Wed. and one BAD BUCK per hour on Fri. and Sat. BAD BUCKS can be used like cash to buy plants at the September sale or May auction.
- 4) Many hands make for light work

provided at Eileen and Leo's Friday evening and
provided at GBBG Saturday at shift change.

EXCITING DAYLILY SALE DISCOUNTS!!!!

All B. A. D. Buds' members in good standing and GBBG staff are eligible to qualify for **special presale discounts** on daylily cultivars from the GBBG/B.A.D. Buds repository beds. A **20% discount** applies to cultivars with a price of \$19 or less while cultivars priced at \$20 or more are **discounted 50%**. A listing of cultivars & prices is found on the next page.

To **qualify** for the discount, each eligible person **must work one of the three shifts** (approx. 3 to 4 hours each). The place and time of the three shifts are given on the previous page. In the interest of fairness and reducing chaos, you **must register for the cultivars before the sale**. When you call JoAnn Jankowski (660-3195) to volunteer for the sale, you can also sign up for your selected cultivars. You can collect your selected cultivars at the end of your work session. Please be prepared to pay for them at that time.

PLEASE NOTE: Although we will do our best to dig and divide all of the cultivars on the next page, the availability of a particular cultivar is not guaranteed if sufficient workers do not participate in the Wednesday dig.

PROBABLE 2011 GBBG/BAD BUDS DIVISIONS FOR ANNUAL SALE

Please note that 3 cultivars - 'Always Afternoon', 'Barbara Mitchell', and Moonlit Masquerade - have received the Stout Silver Medal - the highest AHS award. "Topguns Lola Scott has received an Ida Munson Award for Best Double and 7 cultivars have won an Award of Merit.

Thanks to our digital librarian Joan Tadisch and our webmaster Zannah Crowe, photos of many of these cultivars will soon be posted on the Club's website (badbuds.org). Near the upper right corner of the home page, click on the highlighted "HERE" under the Annual Sale entry.



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Cultivar	Price	AHS AWARD			
Always Afternoon	\$7	Stout	Navajo Curls	\$15	
Barbara Mitchell	\$6	Stout	No More Tears	\$19	
Blue Bird Sky	\$16		Notify Ground Crew	\$10	
Chance Encounter	\$8	AM	Odds and Ends	\$11	
Creature of the Night	\$13	AM	Orange Velvet	\$8	AM
Gertrude's Melody	\$12		Pat Newumann	\$9	
Gypsy Rose Lee	\$11		Peggy Jeffcoat	\$11	AM
Hale Bremer	\$18		Ravenous	\$15	
Hawaiian Dancer	\$12		Red Peacemaker	\$8	
Heavenly Curls	\$23		Rose Impact	\$5	
Heron's Cove	\$13		Rubies in July	\$5	
Indian Giver	\$10		Ruby Spider	\$10	AM
Indochine	\$12		Sears Tower	\$16	
Janet Benz	\$15		Smokey Mountain Autumn	\$6	AM
Key West	\$9		South Seas	\$9	
Kisses Like Wine	\$11		Spiderman	\$8	
Lake Norman Spider	\$11		Spider to the Fly	\$22	
Lilac Surprise	\$9		Stack the Deck	\$13	
Little Light of Mine	\$23		Tennyson	\$10	
Magic Amythest	\$15		Topguns Lola Scott	\$21	IM
Mary's Baby	\$23		Web of Intrigue	\$9	AM
Moonlight Masquerade	\$8	Stout	Wolf's Eyes	\$9	

CLUB ACTIVITIES

On 25 July, John and Marie Ankowski hosted and conducted the Club's second annual workshop on the growing and hybridizing of daylilies. Five Club members participated. Everyone made 3 pollen crosses. Mark and JoAnn covered a number of topics including the parts of a daylily plant, chromosomes and the differences between a diploid and tetraploid daylily, how to record data, and daylily sex. They also demonstrated how to dig and divide a clump of daylilies. Each person then went home with a piece of the daylily that was divided.

On 30 July, Pat and Bob Grathen and Zoe and Jim Fameree opened their gardens for the Club's annual garden walk. Between 25 and 30 Club members visited each of the gardens beneath sunny skies and comfortable temperatures. One noticeable difference between the Fameree's gardens in the city and the Grathen's in the country was the contrast in the progress of the bloom season. A number of Jim and Zoe's daylily cultivars had finished blooming whereas most of Pat and Bob's cultivars were at peak bloom. Never the less beautiful and striking daylilies were putting on a great show at both residences. Further the multiple gardens at each home were quite neat and tidy and all the cultivars were well-labeled. And, of course, Pat and Bob and Zoe and Jim served delicious snacks and refreshing beverages.

THIS BUD'S FOR YOU

A special This Bud's for you goes to Sharon Prochaska for organizing the Club's garden walk and making arrangements with the Fameree's and Grathen's. Sharon also put together the sheet containing addresses, descriptions, address and maps for the two tour gardens. This sheet was handed out to members at Club meetings last spring and also was incorporated into the July newsletter. Thank you so much, Sharon, for your continuing service to the Club as Chair of the Garden Walk Committee.

Further, a special This Bud's for You goes to Zoe and Jim Fameree and Pat and Bob Grathen for preparing and opening their beautiful and well-maintained gardens for the 2011 Garden Walk. Their cultivar label preparation, weeding, deadheading and other garden maintenance activities required considerable time, effort and dedication.

A special this Buds for You also goes to all club members who supported your fellow members by visiting their gardens during the Garden Walk.



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... goes to Mark and JoAnn Jankowski for
...ing the Club's second annual garden workshop
on the cultivation and hybridizing of daylilies. Thank you very much, JoAnn
and Mark your continuing efforts.

MARK THE ANNUAL MEETING!!!

The annual meeting will be held on 12 November at GBBG Visitor's Center.
Luncheon take place at 12:00 followed at 1:00 by the annual meeting. After
the completion of the meeting, we will be pleased to have Heidi and Charles
Douglas as our featured speakers.

SHORT NEWSLETTER CONTRIBUTIONS NEEDED

To liven up this newsletter, I would like a few sentences from many of you
describing what you particularly liked about your daylily cultivars this
summer. The next newsletter will go out on the last weekend of October.
Thus I would need your contributions by 25 October. Either write to 2449
Morning Star Trail, Green Bay WI 54302 or mmorgan7@new.rr.com.) Thank
you.



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