

Hopefully spring has finally arrived!?! The grass keeps growing, as do the weeds in our garden. With all of the rain this spring, the hostas are sure looking gorgeous this year. Great year to be having our hosta show!

Probably do not need to remind you, but don't forget our perennial plant sale this Saturday, May 18th, at Churchill's Market parking lot in Perrysburg! We will set up the sale beginning at 6:30 AM. The sale will open at 8 AM. and run until noon – or until sold out!?!? Look forward to seeing you there!

Welcome to our new members: Nancy Gladioux from Toledo, friends of Eileen and Harold Hoffman, joined us to work in the hosta garden last month, and joined that day too! And rejoining us is Dani Swary from Hamilton, Indiana, who attended our April meeting.

Thanks to Linda and Rich Nagy who represented our society at the Wood County Plant Exchange last month, Carie Cufur, from Perrysburg and coordinator of the exhibitors at the plant exchange, has joined our society!!

Thanks go out to Eileen and Harold who represented our society at the Public National Garden Day last week-end at Toledo Botanical Garden Metropark. It was a cold spring day but they got to meet a lot of folks that day, and passed out information about our society and upcoming events-photo attached.

Our hosta show "Rivers of Leaves" will be Sunday, June 23rd, in the Terrace Room of the Conference Center at Toledo Botanical Garden. Look for more information and the show schedule which will be coming soon. If you would like to get entry tags before the show, we will have them at the Plant Sale on Saturday, or call Charlene at 419-874-8964 to arrange to pick them up.

Have you been keeping your journal on our tissue culture plant H. "Etched Glass" that you received at our April meeting??? Phil Parsons selected a wonderful hosta for our Tissue Culture Program again this year, didn't he?? Thanks, Phil!! Don't forget to bring your potted hosta and journal back to our August 17th daylily auction, September 21st or October 12th meeting to be eligible to participate in the tissue culture program next year.

This email was sent out from Charlotte Chamitoff to all members of the ADS and was brought to our attention by our VP, Charlie Harper:

"Few days ago I was checking out the Daylily Diary's club page. I feel there are many updates. I will find time to check each more closely but spring chores are on the horizon I do appreciate help to keep this page current. I did notice that Region 15 had many beautiful new club page presentations. A new webmaster perhaps. They looked super and want to review them more closely when time permits. I do thank many of the club sites who link to the Daylily Diary. I created the club page (url below) to highlight "newsletters" especially. One terrific new update redesign was done for the Black Swamp Hosta and Daylily Society in Ohio. It's a wonderful site to visit - it's welcoming and displays umpteen photos that all enlarge. The photo gallery shows group photos of activities - a super looking group. Their newsletter E-Flash publishes monthly to keep member abreast of happenings. A super club site. The url to browse is: http://www.daylilydiary.com/garden_ahs.htmand just scroll to Region 2

Best to you all, Charlotte"

Thank you, Eileen and Charlie, for everything you post to our website!! Sounds like everyone enjoys your efforts! You are the best!!

Live life to its fullest!!!!

Frank and Charlene Patz