



# Daylily Society of Greater Atlanta Newsletter

Spring Issue – April 2016



## PRESIDENT'S NOTE

By Cynthia Rigsby

Happy Spring to Everyone!

April is a busy month for the Greater Atlanta club. Last weekend we had a tremendous plant sale at the Forsyth Master Gardener's Plant Sale in Cumming. We made \$1,849.50 on our beautiful flowers. Thanks to everyone who participated; it was great teamwork. On Saturday, April 16 we are excited to have our daylily friend, Heather Herrington, as our guest speaker. She has been involved with daylilies since she was 9 years old. I hope you have looked up the flowers that she is bringing for auction and have decided which ones you want. On April 30, we will participate in another plant sale. This one is to be held at Bulloch Hall in Roswell by the North Fulton Master Gardener's. Don't miss out on the fun of meeting people and selling our lovely plants. Let Larry know that you want to help.

May should be rather quite as far as club activities, but we will all be busy working in our gardens so that we can show off our very best at our show in June. The end of May, some of our members will be attending the Region 5 Spring Meeting in Statesboro. I am looking forward to visiting the gardens and taking part in classes. It's always fun to visit with our friends from other parts of Georgia.

Finally, I am getting so excited about our show. I hope to see all of you at the meeting Saturday; we have a lot to talk about.

- Cynthia

## COMING UP

**April 16th, 2016**

General Membership Meeting w/ Lunch

Bellmere Garden House  
10777 Bell Road, Duluth

**10:00 am**

**Guest Speaker – Heather Herrington, Herrington Daylily Garden, Dublin, GA**



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### DSGA Treasurer's Report

Cash Receipts/Disbursements 2/07/15 – 3/31/16

By Jack Rigsby

<b>Opening Balance</b>	<b>\$15,813.81</b>
<b>Additions:</b>	
Deposit - Plant Sales - Mark Carpenter	\$1,365.00
Deposit - 2016 Memberships (2)	\$40.00
Deposit - 2016 Memberships (3)	\$65.00
Deposit - Doubles Book Sales	\$105.00
Deposit - 2016 Membership (1)	\$20.00
Deposit - Bank Fee	\$5.00
<b>Total Additions</b>	<b>\$1,600.00</b>
<b>Disbursements:</b>	
CK#1010 - DSGA AHS Membership (3 yrs.)	\$70.00
CK#1013 - Mark Carpenter - Plant Sales	\$950.00
CK#1012 - 2016 Show Apron Material	\$41.33
CK#1014 -Travel Expenses	\$227.00
CK#1015 - Printing 2016 DSGA Directory	\$118.57
<b>Total Disbursements</b>	<b>\$1,406.90</b>
<b>Total Cash</b>	<b>\$16,006.91</b>

Respectfully Submitted: Jack Rigsby, Treasurer



## DSGA Board Meeting Minutes

April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016

By Martha Carpenter

Attendees: Jack and Cynthia Rigsby, Mark and Patty Franklin, Larry Sherrill, Pam Haffner, Pat and Bruce Kovach, Martha and Claude Carpenter, Jessie Worsham, and Mike and Dorothy Warren

Vice President Mark Franklin called the meeting to order (Cynthia Rigsby was delayed because of traffic accident on Georgia 400). The previous minutes were accepted by unanimous vote.

Pam Haffner discussed potential Education Corner topics for the April 16 meeting. It was decided that there would be a presentation on companion plants plus a short overview of the duties of show clerks.

Mark stated that our speaker for the April 16 meeting would be Heather Herrington. Mark will drive to Macon that morning to pick up Heather. Heather will bring 10 of her daylily introductions for auction at the meeting.

Larry Sherrill discussed the upcoming plant sales:

April 8-9 Forsyth County Master Gardener's Sale in Cumming. People will be needed to help dig, divide and label at the following location: Wednesday April 6 at the home of Barbara and Herb Metz, Thursday April 6 at the home of Bruce and Pat Kovach, and Thursday April 6 at the home of Patty and Mark Franklin. We will need at least 300 double fans for the sale.

April 30 North Fulton Master Gardener's Sale in Roswell. Volunteers for digging, dividing and labeling will be obtained during our April 16 meeting.

We will need flyers at the plant sales advertising our show on June 11.

Patty Franklin gave an overview of our upcoming Daylily Show on June 11 at the Old Atlanta Recreation facility. Setup will be from 3-5 pm on Friday June 10. Volunteers will be needed to help setup the tables and arrange the room. There is a shortage of approximately 10 tables at the Old Atlanta Recreation facility. The facility is looking for additional tables from other Forsyth County facilities. It was noted that anyone can enter daylilies in the show; however, you must be a member of the AHS to win a Rosette. Jack and Cynthia Rigsby picked up approximately 300 wine bottles from Bill Waldrop and these will be used in our show.

Mark Franklin will call hybridizer Pete Harry to have him ship our 2016 MAPS plants. Mark will grow the daylilies in his garden and they will be available during our MAPS auction in September.

At this point President Cynthia Rigsby arrived and took over as moderator of the meeting. She then asked for the treasurer's report. Jack presented the report and there is a balance of \$16,006.91 in our bank account. The report was approved by a unanimous vote.

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***Board Meeting Minutes continued .....***

Cynthia gave the following report from March 5th Region 5 Meeting in Macon, Georgia:

“Scott Elliott, Region 5 President, is asking members to suggest what kind of programs and topics for speakers they would like to see in future meetings. He also said they would like for 2 or 3 clubs to sell bargain plants at the October meeting. The region would get 50% of the profits.”

There was a general discussion on Scott’s suggestions. The general consensus was that we would like to have at least a year’s notice to enable us to grow plants for the sale and that we would not be able to do it this year.

There was also a discussion about our club hosting the 2018 Region 5 Spring Meeting. Cynthia will present it to the club for a vote during our April 16 general meeting.

Cynthia reported that the 2016 Region 5 Spring Meeting is May 27-28 in Statesboro, Georgia. The 95 attendee limit is still not met. Cynthia also reported that there are only a few slots still available for the AHS National Convention in Louisville.

Based on previous commitment to send \$5 to the region for each DSGA member, Jack will send \$105 to Region 5 to support the Georgia Daylily.

We discussed the club taking a bus trip to Ohio in 2017. Bruce is the chairman of the bus trip and will report trip details at a future Board Meeting.

The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Martha Carpenter, DSGA Secretary

**70th Annual AHS National Convention**

Save the Dates



June 29 - July 2, 2016  
Crown Plaza Louisville

Additional information and registration forms are available on the convention website:

<http://ahs2016convention.org/>

## 2016 DSGA Meetings and Activities

January 30	9:00 am	2016 Daylily Show Planning Mtg. – Franklin's
February 7	2:00 pm	Board Meeting – Haffner's
February 27	10:00 am	General Meeting w/Lunch – Bellmere Program – Mark Carpenter, The Lily Farm, Center, TX
March 5	9:00 am	Region 5 Meeting – Macon, GA
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April 3	2:00 pm	Board Meeting – Kovach's
April 8-9	Fri/Sat	Forsyth Master Gardeners Plant Sale – Cumming
April 16	10:00 am	General Meeting w/Lunch – Bellmere Program – Heather Herrington, Herrington Daylily Garden, Dublin, GA
April 30	Saturday	N. Fulton Master Gardeners Plant Sale – Roswell
May 21	9:00 am	Grooming Clinic – location to be determined
May 27-28	Fri/Sat	Region 5 Spring Meeting - Statesboro
June 11	Saturday	2016 Daylily Show
June 30-July 2	Thurs-Sat	2016 AHS National Convention, Louisville, KY
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August 6	2:00 pm	Pop Poll Party/Plant Swap – Metz's
August 28	2:00 pm	Board Meeting – Franklin's
September 17	10:00 am	General Meeting w/Lunch – Bellmere MAP Auction and Plant Sale
September 24-25	Sat./Sun.	Duluth Days Plant Sale – Duluth
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October 8	9:00 am	Region 5 Fall Meeting – Macon, GA
October 30	2:00 pm	Board Meeting – Carpenter's
November 12	10:00 am	General Meeting w/Lunch – Bellmere Program – Mark Singletary, Jammin's Daylily Garden, Lakeland, GA
December 10	Noon	Christmas Party – Bellmere



## Forms & Fliers

Please see page 8-10 for upcoming gardening events, and registration forms for AHS National and the Spring Regional.

Send your suggestions or contributions for the next newsletter to [jessie.worsham@gmail.com](mailto:jessie.worsham@gmail.com).

## DSGA EXECUTIVE BOARD

### OFFICERS

President	Cynthia Rigsby
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Mark Franklin
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Larry Sherrill
Secretary	Martha Carpenter
Treasurer	Jack Rigsby
Parliamentarian	Jessie Worsham
Newsletter Editor	Jessie Worsham
Youth Coordinator	Bobbie Evans
Website Administrator	Claude Carpenter

### BOARD MEMBERS

Pam Haffner  
 Pat Kovach  
 Barbara Metz  
 Mike Warren  
 Virgil Herndon  
 Carolyn Herndon

### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

2016 Show Chair – Patty Franklin  
 2016 Show Co-Chair – Claude Carpenter  
 Hospitality Chair – Dorothy Warren  
 Plant Sale Co-Chair – Larry Sherrill  
 Publicity Chair – Pam & Palmer Haffner  
 Sunshine Chair – Barbara Metz  
 MAP Program Chair – Pam Haffner  
 Education Chair – Pam Haffner



Visit the DSGA Website

[www.atlantadaylily.org](http://www.atlantadaylily.org)



Welcome New Members

Royce and Glenda  
 Stanford

# DAYLILY SOCIETY OF GREATER ATLANTA

## Membership Renewal 2016

**Membership in the Daylily Society of Greater Atlanta is on an annual basis.  
January 1 – December 31<sup>st</sup> 2016**

**Family \$20.00** (two persons same address), **Single \$15.00**, **Youth (under 18) \$10.00**

Please Print:

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Membership:      **Family (\$20)** \_\_\_\_  
   **Single (\$15)** \_\_\_\_  
   **Youth (\$10)** \_\_\_\_

**I (we) would like to make an additional voluntary donation toward AHS Region 5 newsletter of \$5**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**American Hemerocallis Society Member?** Circle one.      **Yes**      **No**

**Are you willing to receive the DSGA Newsletter by email?**      **Yes**      **No**

This is a New Member \_\_\_\_, Renewal \_\_\_\_, or Information Update Only \_\_\_\_.

Members who joined after June 1, 2015 and Honorary Members are paid through 2016.  
Please send in updated info if any changes in your contact information since your last renewal.

We would really love to have your email address to enable us to send out announcements and updates throughout the year. We will not use your email address for any other reason.

Please complete this form, enclose your check made payable to DSGA, and mail to:

Jack Rigsby  
3180 West Somerset Court, SE  
Marietta, GA 30067  
770-951-2539  
Email: [rigsby\\_j@bellsouth.net](mailto:rigsby_j@bellsouth.net)

# The Georgia Hosta Society

Presents

## “Hostas in the Round”

Hosta Show and Plant Sale

May 14, 2016

Show Open to the Public 10:00am-3:00pm



First Baptist Church of Tucker

Fellowship Hall

2367 Main Street

Tucker , Georgia 30084

(Enter from 4<sup>th</sup> Street )



**AHS Region 5 Spring Meeting**  
**May 27-28, 2016, Statesboro, Georgia**

Sponsored by Ogeechee Daylily Society

Registration fee: \$99 adult per person and \$74 youth per person (before April 27, 2016)  
\$124 and \$99 (April 28-May 10)

Registrations must be postmarked by May 10, 2016

No Registrations accepted after May 10, 2016.

Strict limit of 96

Please make personal checks payable to: Ogeechee Daylily Society

Mail to Registrar: Donna Long, 245 Schley Lane, Ellabell, GA 31308

Phone: 912-858-3139 E-mail: LarryNBob2@hotmail.com

Name 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 2: \_\_\_\_\_

Name 3: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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City	State	Zip
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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Registration does not include lodging. See below for hotel information)

Comfort Inn & Suites, 1870 Hwy 67, Statesboro, GA 30458, 912-681-2400.

For a discount rate of \$85 per night/per room mention code "AHS Region 5"

Clinics: Please indicate how many will be attending each class. Registration is \$5 per person, or \$3 to audit each clinic. Fees will be collected at each clinic.

Garden Judges 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Garden Judges 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibition Judges 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibition Judges 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibition Refresher \_\_\_\_\_

# 70th Annual AHS National Convention, June 29 - July 2, 2016

Hosted by Daylily Society of Louisville, Inc. and Louisville Area Daylily Society  
 Convention Website: <http://www.daylilies.org/AHSconv.html>

Convention Location: **Crowne Plaza Louisville Airport Expo Center; 830 Phillips Lane; Louisville, KY 40209; Phone 1-888-233-9527**



**Convention Chairs:**

Chris Schardein  
 (home: 502-239-8963; Cell: 502-759-8851)  
 Michael Stephens  
 (home: 502-762-0452; Cell: 502-417-0854)



**Registration Information:** Registration includes two days of motor coach tours (eight gardens), two breakfasts (in the gardens), two lunches, and two dinners. **PLEASE PRINT** names as you wish them to appear on your nametags. Indicate youth reservations with a "Y" following the name.

**Deadline for all registrations is April 30, 2016**

Attendee # 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Attendee # 2 \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Attendees \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

AHS Region \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If you are a Regional or National officer, please list your title \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*If you have special *medical dietary* or *mobility* needs, please provide names and specific details on the bottom of the registration form.

**Convention Registration Fees:**

**AHS Member, Adult Registration** (\$249 postmarked by 4-30-16) Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Non-AHS Member, Adult Registration** (\$274 postmarked by 4-30-16) Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

**AHS Member, Youth Registration** (\$159 postmarked by 4-30-16) Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Non-AHS Member Youth Registration** (\$184 postmarked by 4-30-16) Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

(Youth will be given a \$10 voucher to use during the Youth Auction)

**Companion Dinner** Friday **\$50.00** Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday **\$50.00** Number \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

Auxiliary Tour to **Churchill Downs and the Louisville Slugger Museum** on Thursday, June 30th. Motor Coach, Docent guided tour, lunch, and all fees included. Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cost **\$85.00** Total \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to purchase a 2016 AHS Louisville Convention shirt? We are offering a collared pique polo shirt made of a poly/cotton blend, both men and women's styles will be available. **Please specify.** Colors: Strong Blue, Bright Lavender, Light Pink, Gold. **Please specify** You will receive your shirt when you register at the convention.

Sizes available (pricing is per shirt) - XS, S, M, Lg, XL - **\$35** 2XL - **\$37** 3XL - **\$39** 4XL - **\$41** 5XL - **\$43** 6XL - **\$45**

Men/Women \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Color \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

Men/Women \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Color \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt Size \_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration Total:** \_\_\_\_\_

**There will be a maximum registration of 600. A waiting list will begin as soon as the 600 cap is reached.**

Pre-registration/payment is required and may be made by check or credit card. Registration forms received without payment or credit card information will be returned.

Make checks payable to: 2016 National Convention

Paid by check # \_\_\_\_\_

To charge your convention registration to a credit card, please complete the following information:

**Credit card** - Visa, MasterCard, American Express #: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing zip code: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ 3 or 4 Digit Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Once credit card charges have been processed, this part of the registration form will be "blacked out" for security purposes.

**Convention Cancellation Policy:** Cancellations received **before** 4-30-16 will receive a full refund; those received between 5-1-16 and 5-31-16 will receive a 50% refund. No refunds will be granted after 5-31-16. If the Registrar is able to sell a registration to someone on the waiting list, a full refund will be made. **PLEASE NOTIFY THE REGISTRAR OF ALL CHANGES.**

**Hotel Reservations:** Make hotel reservations by phone directly with Crowne Plaza Louisville Airport Expo Center (1-888-233-9527) before the cutoff date of **June 10, 2016** and mention **AHS National Convention** to receive the discounted rates. (**\$105.00** excludes state and local taxes). The Crowne Plaza Louisville Airport Expo Center will honor these rates **3 DAYS PRIOR TO AND 3 DAYS AFTER THE CONVENTION.**

**The hotel offers free shuttle service to and from Louisville International Airport as well as restaurants/activities within a three mile radius of the hotel. Free parking is available at the Crowne Plaza.**

**Judges Clinic and Workshop Registration:** Please list name(s) of person(s) who plan to attend. A \$5.00 clinic/workshop fee will be collected at each session. Audit fee for the clinics and workshops is \$3.00. Attendees must bring the newest revision of the Garden Judges and Exhibition Judges Handbooks (available on the AHS website). **Do not send these fees in advance.**

Exhibition Judges Clinic I \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibition Judges Clinic II \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibition Judges Clinic III \_\_\_\_\_

Garden Judges Workshop 1 \_\_\_\_\_

Garden Judges Workshop 2 \_\_\_\_\_

For other things to do in Louisville, check the 2016 Convention website, <http://www.daylilies.org/AHSconv.html> and click on "Area Attractions". Or visit the Kentucky Tourism website, <http://www.kentuckytourism.com> for entertaining and interesting things to do during your visit to Kentucky.

Any special **medical dietary** or **mobility** needs? (Please specify how we may support you)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Mail Registration to:**

**Bev Crittenden, 2016 AHS Convention Registrar**

**10005 Plum Hollow Court; Louisville, Kentucky 40291**

**(phone: 502-231-8687; email: bevcrittenden@gmail.com)**