## The

## Daffodil Rave

Newsletter of the Greater St. Louis Daffodil Society



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### 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Show of Daffodils March 30<sup>th</sup> to April 1, 2023

Details at out our websitehttps://stldaffodilclub.org/

#### Calendar of events

Find all the upcoming event through September

### **Meeting notes**

Brief summary of Cindy Haeffner's presentation

### Editor's Note

AS they say: "better late than never"!

So here is it is, my first Newsletter that I have had trouble producing because of computer/program annoying difficulties, then forgetfulness on my part. I had wanted to send out this issue before our Show of Daffodils at the end of March, worked on it, and neglected to send it out.

There are no excuses that I could come up with to explain my lack of follow though. So here it is, and I can only promise to do better with next issue and have it out earlier.

Sonja

### **Laden Auction Table**







## 2022 Bulb Exchange



Humm... the delicious contributions from our members! Great Food to be enjoyed.





Bob Skaggs auctioning irises!





Cindy and Pam getting ready for the bulb auction!



Checking the list twice and making our choices!



### THE DAFFODIL RAVE SPRING 2023

## Niswonger Daffodils

O.D.

42 <sup>nd</sup> Street	2 W-R	2013
Amber Waves	2 W-YYP	2010
Bold Pink	2 W-P	1998
Circle of Pink	2 W-P	1998
Clouds of Pink	2 W-P	1993
Crown of Gold	2 W WWY	2002
Dangerous Dentures	2 W-Y	2011
Early to Rise	2 W-Y	1995
Eyeful	2 W-Y	2005
Flamingo Fantasy	2 W-P	2002
Golden Ecstasy	2 WWY-Y	2002
Hot Pink	2 W-P	1993
Lost in Flora	2 W-WPP	2011
Mighty Mo	2 Y-Y	2014
Milk and Apricots	2 W-YYO	1996
Missouri Waltz	2 W-YYO	2000
New Twist	2 W-WYY	2005

Orange Dreamland	2 W-O	2002
Panned Gold	2 WWY-Y	2002
Pink Bracelet	2 W-P	1999
Pink Elegance	2 W-P	2002
Pink Fantasy	2 YYW-Y	2002
Pink Tutu	2 W-P	1993
Pink Up	2 W-P	2018
St Louis Convention	2 YYW-YYO	2006
Sophisticated Lady	2 W-WYY	2011
Swirling Baton	2 W-P	2005
Think Pink	2 W-PPO	2005
Traveling On	2 YWW-WYO	2000
Upbeat	2 W-WWO	2010

To all our members,

If you have any of
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your coction
please contact Bob
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# Calendar of Events

### **Daffodil Show**

Friday March 31, 2023, 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Saturday April 1, 2023 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

### July Meeting July 23, 2023

CBEC Building, 4651 Shaw Blvd.,

Room no. 125, St. Louis, MO

Speaker: Kathleen Simpson

### **Bulb Cleaning Party**

August 19 at 10:00 a.m.

At Cindy and Joy Haeffner's residence, in Hermann, MO.
This is an outdoor event that will begin around 10:00 am, and a lunch break around 1:00 pm. Bring fruits, salads, side dishes or deserts to share.
We will resume tagging until we are done. RSVP to Cindy by August 16, at: chaeffner@haeffnerfamily.net

### **Bag and Tag Meeting**

August 27, 2023 at 1:30 p.m.

CBEC Building, 4651 Shaw Blvd., Room no. 125, St. Louis, MO

#### Fall Bulb Sale

September 15, 16, 17, 2023

Greentree Festival, Kirkwood, MO





Friday 5:00 – 10:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am to 7:00 pm Sunday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm

This is our key fund-raiser and member support during this event would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions concerning this event, please email Lynn at <a href="mailto:dlslackman@aol.com">dlslackman@aol.com</a>.

## Spring Meeting Notes

At our last meeting, our guest speaker Cindy Haeffner, talked about her garden and the companion plants for her daffodil bulbs.

With daffodil bulbs it is important to use plants that are shallow rooted such has Sedums, or other bulbs (tulips, muscari) but growing those is wire baskets to avoid loosing them to the critters who love to feast on them.



Sedum 'Autumn Fire'



Sedum 'Angelina'



Sedum 'Pure Joy' -- white flowers



Lone survivor (Tulip) from the previous year. Late blooming *N. triandrus* 'Thalia'