

Piedmont Daylily Club

Club Meeting

March 21, 2015

Welcome

John Smethurst

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Welcome to visitors and to new members Mike and Sandra Weeks
- Bill Gluck will be starting chemo and radiation treatments the week of March 23rd. It was good to see Tom Moore, at his last checkup he was cancer free. Good to see the Looneys and Garrens.
- Food was provided by Jennifer Prowe and Anne Smethurst

Church Garden

Letters have been sent to ten Region 15 Hybridizers asking for donations to update the church garden with more current Region 15 and Piedmont Daylily Club cultivars. The sign will be replaced and include an invitation to Piedmont Daylily Club Meetings. Tom Foster is the chairman and will be receiving the plants. Mitchell Hagler is kindly donating the plant markers. We will be calling for volunteers to help redo the garden.

John Smethurst will provide a list of the current chairmans of the club.

Website & Miscellaneous

John Smethurst commented on the work that Ralph Marmion has done to update and improve <http://piedmontdaylilyclub.com>. The contact us had no e-mail address attached. An e-mail is now attached. Suggested we all take a look at the site.

June Show

Connie Moffett was absent. John Smethurst reported that the judges were lined up; access to the church would be at 5:00pm the Friday before the show June 26th; Linda Gluck was asked to contact Laura LaFleur to provide show classification.

Speaker

Michael Luther introduced Ed Zahler of Conway, SC. Duane Therrien was unable to be with us today. The founders of "I Can't Believe It's a Dip" Ed began hybridizing in 1972 but was interested in daylilies and other plants at the age of 6. Duane began his interest in daylilies eight years ago but has a love for other plants. Both love to travel and collect a variety of plants and art to complement their daylily garden(s). Their hybridizing goals produce ruffles and teeth on diploid daylilies that consistently re-bloom.

Auction

Ed Zahler presented three daylilies for auction.

Cultivar	High Bid
Can't Fault Ya (Zahler, 2014)	Liz Quinn
Conway Red Light (Zahler, 2014)	Ann Mozingo
Edith Marie (Therrien, 2014)	Val Levesque

Door Prize Recipients

Guest: Sandra Weeks

Members: Michael Luther, J. D. Stadler, Val Levesque, and Linda Gluck.

Several guests signed in as members.

There were 26 members and 2 guests in attendance today.

Next Meeting April 18, 2015, Ann Mozingo's Garden, 10:00am

Respectfully Submitted,

Elizabeth M. Quinn
Secretary