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Greetings fellow Rosarians,

I have so enjoyed the spring blooms as fleeting as they were this year. And I am glad to see that some rose shows have returned this spring. I have so missed going to the shows to see everyone's best gardening efforts.

There is simply nothing like it.

The SCD will have a convention after a nearly three-year hiatus. The Dallas Rose Society gallantly offered to host the 2022 SCD Convention and Rose Show to celebrate their 70th (platinum) anniversary. I use the word gallantly because it takes a year to plan the Rose Show and Convention. When planning began several months ago, no one knew which way things would go. There was still talk about social distancing, vaccinated/unvaccinated, and strongly worded cautions about large gatherings. It's hard to plan for anything when one doesn't know which way the wind is blowing. To that effect, the SCD sent out a survey last January to all newsletter receivers regarding the convention and rose show. The survey asked about in-person attendance and feelings about current pricing for hotels and meals. We received only eleven responses and most were not in favor of a multiday event or in-person attendance. The Dallas Rose Society, took the survey results (and lack of participation in the survey) as

sign that this should be a different type of event that would minimize risk.

Now, the situation has changed quite a bit since planning began. But please note that the Dallas Rose Society decided to go ahead with the Convention and Rose Show in an adverse situation. For this alone, the Dallas Rose Society should be commended and rewarded with your attendance. The registration is very attractively priced so all who wish to attend may do so while not impacting the household budget drastically. I do hope that you will attend and participate fully. Information about the Convention and Rose Show is found in this newsletter. I ask that you share it with other members of your society, support, and promote it fully. Getting together with your rose friends as a group is important for all of us. And it should be fun!

There is talk of trying to put together an ARS National Convention at the American Rose Center in Shreveport, Louisiana. It would be an "unhosted" Convention and Rose Show that would take place entirely on the American Rose Center grounds that would take place next May. If you are interested in helping with this effort, please contact me. It will take an army of volunteers to make it successful.

Many of you have asked about the Modern Roses database. According to the chair of the Modern Roses, it appears sometime during the next six to eight weeks, the database will go live on Rose.org. You should also watch for an updated and improved American Rose Society website.

Meg Ware, Director of Horticultural Judges, is actively planning a Horticultural Judging school for current judges and potential new judges. If you missed the ARS webinars as a method to maintain your Horticultural Judge status (four credits) this is a way to recertify. If you are interested in becoming a Horticultural Judge, GREAT! Please contact Meg Ware who information can be found at the end of this newsletter.

Kathy Harris, Director of Arrangement Judges, executed an Arrangement Judges workshop in March at the American Rose Center allowing all current Arrangement Judges to recertify. If you are interested in becoming an Arrangement Judge, please contact Kathy whose information is also at last page of the newsletter.

As always, if you have a question or comment, please feel free to contact me.

Yours in Roses,

Debra

Houston Rose Society Virtual Spring Show 1st Place
Eddie Edwards
Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen



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2022 SOUTH CENTRAL ROSE SHOW AND CONVENTION

October 14 -15, 2022



Hosted by the Dallas Rose Society



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Demonstrations, Award and Recognition
Luncheon

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2022 South Central District Rose Show and Convention

October 14-15, 2022

The Dallas Rose Society is honored to host the 2022 SCD Convention during our Platinum Anniversary (70th) Year. We hope you will be able to join us and help us celebrate this significant milestone. The convention this year will be condensed, but still full of fun activities.

Friday evening will feature a casual dinner at Pam Smith's home which is located near the convention site. It is a wonderful opportunity to socialize and reconnect with our rose friends.

Saturday morning the doors open at 6:00 am for The South Central District Rose Show located at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church. It will contain a full slate of different horticulture and arrangement classes plus, new this year, a photography section.

Dallas area garden clubs and groups will display concurrently with the rose show.

A selection of crafts and demonstrations will be available for those interested while the SCD show is being judged.

The Awards and Recognition Banquet will be a catered buffet luncheon adjacent to the rose shows and it will be an occasion to recoup from a full morning of activities. This event resumes recognizing outstanding rosarians within the SCD.

The rose show will be open for viewing after the luncheon and we will cap off the day with a cake cutting ceremony for everyone present.

Convention and Show Location:

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
4000 Midway Rd
Carrollton, TX

Follow the signage to the Fellowship Hall.

Hotel: Because there is not a Saturday evening banquet for this event, we have not reserved a block of rooms at any hotel. However, should you wish to spend the night and attend the dinner Friday night, may we suggest a hotel near either Prince of Peace Lutheran Church or near Pam Smith's home (2317 Greenmeadow, Carrollton).

Luncheon Menu Options:

Anniversary Chicken: grilled chicken breast, topped with creamy, tangy sauce, shredded cheese, crumbled bacon and green onions then baked.

Mediterranean: grilled portobello mushroom cap topped with artichokes and sun dried tomatoes sauteed with herbs and white wine (Vegetarian/Gluten Free Option)

Both options include Iced Tea, Caesar Salad, garlic toast and home-made strawberry shortcake.

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Please use this form to register for the SCD Rose Show and Convention. Make checks payable to the Dallas Rose Society and mail to Janet Gustafson, 2911 Winterberry Drive, Carrollton, TX 75007

Name (s) to appear on Name Tag _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

email Address _____

Will be showing roses _____ Will help with show _____ Will Clerk _____

Registration includes Luncheon Awards Banquet and Friday Night Dinner. Registrations will not be accepted after October 10. You must register to participate in the Convention Rose Show. To participate in the Awards Luncheon, registration must be received by October 10!

Registration **prior to October 1** \$35 X -- _____ = \$ _____

Please select Luncheon Menu

Anniversary Chicken _____

Vegetarian/Gluten Free _____

Registration **after October 1** \$40 X _____ = \$ _____

Please select Luncheon Menu

Anniversary Chicken _____

Vegetarian/Gluten Free _____

Please indicate which events that you will attend so that we can prepare enough food.

Friday Dinner _____

Saturday Luncheon _____

Total Amount enclosed \$ _____



SCD Patron Program

The Patron Program is an integral part of the South Central District. The money generated from local members and local rose societies allows activities all over the district to happen. The yearly South Central District Convention and Rose Show receives seed money from the Patron fund as well as Horticultural and Arrangement Judging Schools and the SCD Consulting Rosarian School. These funds help with furnishing the trophies for the district show each year. With a contribution to the Patron program you also receive a quarterly district newsletter. With your initial payment, you will receive a beautiful Patron pin. Your contribution is tax deductible.

I would like to strongly encourage you to become a contributing Patron to help the South Central District to continue to be the leader in the ARS.

Individual Patron \$25

Family Patrons \$40

Society Patron \$50

We need you!

Mail dues to the District Treasurer, JoAnn Bradley, 8108 Quebec Drive, San Antonio, TX, 78239.

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SCD Arrangement Workshop

Kathy Harris planned an arrangement workshop on March 25, to recertify existing arrangement judges and to have some fun. And we did have lots of fun!

The Dallas Rose Society hosted the workshop, which was held in Shreveport, Louisiana, at the Klima Center located on the grounds of the American Rose Center. The Klima Building was a perfect location to conduct the workshop! Seventeen members of the SCD and the Gulf District attended. Several were first time arrangers along with the five SCD judges and one Gulf judge. It was a nice mix of experience which enabled those new to arranging to receive one on one help.

Don and Brenda Johnson, SCD expert arrangers, took the time to travel to Shreveport and conduct the workshop. Don and Brenda focused the 4-hour workshop on Modern and East Asian designs. Don and Brenda brought a large number of varied containers, accessories, and colored backgrounds. Along with basic design principles, the duo suggested a variety of fixation techniques beyond floral foam.

Participants created arrangements and then tried different colored backgrounds to see the effect of background color on their arrangement. In many cases, what was suggested as the obvious choice of a background color to complement the arrangement, did not turn out to be true.

We liked the arrangements so much that we decided to leave them in place for the next day's Gulf Spring Workshop which over one hundred people attended. The arrangements were so appreciated by attendees that local workshop participants were asked to provide arrangements in the Klima Center for the Great Garden Rose dedication!

When all was said and done, it was a good blend of instruction, hands-on application of lessons, and round table participant feedback.

Thank you Don and Brenda for sharing your time and expertise!

Arrangement's Workshop

Shreveport, LA

March 25, 2022





American Rose Society

Mary Johnston Award

On May 7, 2022, Marilyn Wellan and Claude Graves were honored as the 2022 recipients of the Mary Johnston for their contributions to the American Rose Society and specifically highlighting their achievements and contributions to the Great Garden Restoration.

The award was presented by American Rose Society President, Diane Sommers, at the Evening of Wine and Roses event held at Klima Hall at the American Rose Center.

Congratulations to Marilyn and Claude!

About the Award:

In 1997, Shreveport Resident Mary Johnston, wife of Louisiana Senator Bennett Johnston, was recognized by the American Rose Society for her significant role in the naming of the rose as America's National Floral Emblem. Since then, others who have made important contributions to America's Rose Garden have been honored with the Mary Johnston Award.

Previous Winners

Mary Johnston – 1997

W.C. Rasberry, Jr. – 1998

Dr. Charles T. Beaird – 1999

Virginia Kilpatrick Shehee – 2000

Quintin T. Hardtner Family – 2001

O. Delton Harrison – 2002

Dayna Sawyer – 2003

Dr. Harold & Mrs. Ida Hayden—2004

Shreveport-Bossier Convention & Tourism Bureau-2006

Margaret “Maggie” Martin—2019

Robert B. MartinJr.—2021



ARS NEWS



American Rose Center Great Gardens Dedication

On a what could be called a “chamber of commerce day”, on May 7th, The Great Garden third and fourth circles were dedicated at the American Rose Center in Shreveport, Louisiana. This massive undertaking to renovate the fifty year old ARC gardens begun in 2017, took hundreds of determined ARS members to complete the project through the donations and contributions by the members.

On hand were Marilyn Wellan, Chair of the Great Garden Restoration, Claude Graves, Chair of the American Rose Center Garden Committee, Diane Sommers, President of ARS, Craig Dorschel, Vice President of ARS, along with many other ARS Board Committee members. From the SCD, the aforementioned Claude and Pam Graves, Pam Smith, representing the Heritage Rose Foundation, Debra Bagley, SCD Director, Andy Black and Raymond Glenn from the Dallas Rose Society attended the event.

The Garden design is themed around the history of the rose and the design itself is presented as four circles represents the gears of an antique Rolex watch. The garden entrance begins with the McFarlane Plaza which feature the McFarlane roses, and four gorgeous ramblers, Dr. Van Fleet and Breezy Hill (the name of the Horace McFarlane home).

The garden circle designs move back in time in the history of the rose. That being the case, the first circle features the most modern roses. The second circle is 20th Century roses,.

The third circle features shrub roses. Bill Radler, hybridizer of the Knockout series of roses, donated the third circle in its entirety. Bill was on hand to cut the ribbon during the garden restoration. Fittingly, Tahitian Treasure was in full bloom flaunting its disease resistance and many bold colored blooms.

The fourth circle, donated by the Alta and John Frank Foundation, show cases old garden roses. Recently planted, it is the largest of the four circles. Pam Smith was recognized by giving the dedication speech. Pam was instrumental in the creation of this circle. This particular circle garden contains the what is known as the grand staircase, a perfect location for potential weddings or other events.

The Donor Wall was unveiled as well. Should you visit the garden (and you should!) please note the Wall featured all donor through 2020 and will be updated to reflect 2021 donors. There are still opportunities to make a contribution to the Great Garden Restoration.

The previously planted gardens were in full and glorious bloom! It will only get better with time. A visit in the fall or next spring is a must.



Third circle ribbon cutting by William Radler with president Diane Sommers, and Marilyn Wellan



The grand staircase located in the fourth circle.



Fourth circle ribbon cutting. Pam Smith center in green dress, President Diane Sommers, Craig Dorschel, Vice President, Marilyn Welan with scissors.



Tahitian Treasure rose



2022 HRS Virtual Spring Show Results

The Houston rose Society held a Virtual Spring Rose Show . Photos were submitted during March and April, 2022.. A PowerPoint of the winning photos can be found at www.hrs.org and at www.scdrose.org.

Many thanks to all of our participating exhibitors, Judge James Laperouse, and Donald Burger, Elisabeth Eickhoff, and Gaye Hammond for making this show a success! We had 7 exhibitors, 80 horticultural entries, , and 17 landscape entries.

Horticulture:

Class	Description	Rose Variety	Exhibitor Name
1	Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora -1 Bloom	Eddie Edwards	Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen
2	Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora –Fully Open	Lauren Leigh	Deanna & Earl Krause
3	Single Specimen Roses – 4 to 8 Petals	Lemon Fizz	Connie Reeve
4	Hybrid Tea or Grandiflora Spray	Perfume Factory	Deanna & Earl Krause
5	Climbing Roses	Sombreuil	Deanna & Earl Krause
6	Floribunda – 1 Bloom per Stem	Nicole	Connie Reeve
7	Floribunda Spray	Lavaglut	Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen
8	Polyantha Single Bloom or Spray	Mlle. Cecile Brunner	Frank & Patsy Pavlick
9	Shrub Roses	Flower Girl	Deanna & Earl Krause
10	Old Garden Roses (Prior to 1867)	Cramoisi Superieur	Deanna & Earl Krause
11	Old Garden Roses (After 1867)	Francis Dubreuil	Connie Reeve
12	Miniature Roses – 1 Bloom per Stem	Magic Show	Deanna & Earl Krause
13	Miniature Rose Sprays	Joy	Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen
14	MiniFlora Roses – 1 Bloom per Stem	Tammy Clemons	Deanna & Earl Krause
15	MiniFlora Rose Sprays	Nancy Mae	Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen
16	Seedling	Midnight Blue X {(VeldfireXTimeless) X Veterans' Honor}	Mary Fulgham & Randy Keen
17	Novice	Medallion	Frank & Patsy Pavlick

Landscape:

Rose Variety	Exhibitor Name
Peggy Martin, Limoncello	Richard Bowles

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It's not too late! Deadline is June 15

2023 Roses Wall Calendar

PLEASE BE SURE TO READ THROUGH THE CONTEST RULES AS THERE HAVE BEEN CHANGES.

Guidelines for 2022 Calendar entries:

- Photos must be 13 inches by 11 inches AND at least 300 dpi. (Tip: Set your camera options to the highest resolution and picture size possible.)
- Please identify all roses in photo.
- The roses must be commercially available. We suggest searching HelpMeFind.com to see if there is a nursery that sells this rose.
- If a rose has been featured in a major photo in the last five years, it will most likely not be considered for a major position, but will not be excluded in consideration for a minor position. [Here is alpha order list of roses published from 2015 through 2022.](#)
- Limited of 5 (five) submissions per member.
- Digital photography ONLY.

Tips:

Camera Users: Set your camera options to the highest resolution and picture size possible.)

Phone camera users: Photos from any 12 megapixel phone sent at largest size should render a photo sufficient to reach the 10x13 and 300 dpi size requirements. iPhones 6s and forward and Samsungs S4 and forward should be able to send in photos that can be considered for the calendar.

Deadline is June 15, 2022

Send Submissions:

Email submissions One photo per email to Beth Smiley at beth@rose.org or request a Dropbox invitation **or Mail Submissions** You may mail a CD or flash drive to American Rose Society, ATTN: Editorial, P.O. Box 30000, Shreveport, LA 71130.

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FROM YOUR EDITOR...

**ARTICLES OR PHOTOS SUBMISSION DEADLINE FOR THE SUMMER ISSUE
IS JULY 30, 2022**

**PLEASE CONSIDER SENDING ME ARTICLES, IDEAS, PHOTOS (ESPECIALLY PHOTOS!) AND
ANY SUGGESTIONS YOU HAVE TO MAKE THE NEWSLETTER BETTER. I WOULD LOVE TO
HEAR FROM THE ROSE SOCIETIES AND YOU!**

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South Central District Patron Program

We are very fortunate to have a program of this nature to assist local societies within our district to host events. Rosarians and Societies joining the patron program allow the District to provide startup money to local Societies to host a District Convention and rose show, district judging schools, consulting rosarian schools and assisting with the purchase of trophies for the District rose show.

I would like to say a big THANK YOU for the individuals, families and societies that have joined the patron program

I encourage you to become a patron if you have not done so. You will receive a very nice pin and your contribution is eligible for a tax deduction.

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Benefits of being an SCD Patron are:

- * Assist the SCD in carrying out important programs
- * Includes electronic subscription to the *SCD Rosarian* newsletter
- * With your initial payment, you will receive a beautiful Patron pin
- * Your contribution is tax deductible
- * You will be recognized as an SCD Patron in the *SCD Rosarian*

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