

The Connecticut Dahlia Society

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April 2026 Newsletter

Date: April 18, 2026
Time: 10:00AM
Place: Prospect Library Community Room
17 Center Street, Prospect, CT

President's Message:

Greetings Members,

Spring feels more like winter these past few days. Just letting us know that planting is still too early. Working the soil is also a no go. Too wet and cold.

A big Thank You to all for your help in organizing the beautiful dahlia root donations from Kathleen at the March meeting. We were able to get them all labeled and inventoried for the May root sale Thanks goes to Marilyn for taking on the task of cataloging all the donations on a spreadsheet. A list of the donations so far is included in this newsletter.

Our April meeting will be a continuation of organizing more root donations for the May 2nd sale. Please go through your dahlia root stock and donate extras that you may have. Make sure that they have at least one eye and are labeled with the variety's name. We will accept 'no id 'good quality roots as well for set-priced bags.

Please come and join us in helping with this important fund-raising event.

Let's make this sale a success!
Hope to see you all on Saturday!!

Sincerely,
Kevin
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Upcoming Meeting Dates

Root Sale May 2

May 16

June 20

July 11

August 8

Show date is August **29**

No September meeting – Show Month

October 17

November 21

December TBD

Please make note of these dates.

Time for all meetings will be at 10:00

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CDS 2026 Root Sale Inventory

Name	Size	Form	Color
Appleblossom		CO	LB
Blackberry Ice	BB	FD	LB
Blizzard	M	FD	W
Bloomquist Paul, Jr.		MB	DR
Bohemian Spartacus	A	ID	V
Bracken Sarah	B	FD	LB
Break Out	A	ID	LB
Café au Lait	B	ID	PK
Camano Buz	M	FD	OR
Camano Zoe		MB	PK
Canby Centennial	B	FD	DP
Castle Drive	BB	FD	LB
Coral Mystery	B	ID	OR
Cornel		BA	DR
Cornel Bronze		BA	BR
Creamy		MB	Y
Day Dreamer		WL	Y
Diva	BB	FD	PR
Ferncliff Copper	BB	FD	PR
Hollyhill Black Beauty	BB	ID	DR
Hollyhill Black Widow		WL	DR
Ivanetti		BA	PR
Jabberbox	M	FD	BR
Jitterbug	M	FD	p
Jomanda	BB	FD	OR
Jowey Nicky		BA	OR
Karma Choc		WL	DR
Kasasagi		P	FL
Labyrinth	B	ID	LB
Le Baron	M	ID	PR
Maarn	BB	FD	OR
Nicholas	BB	FD	OR
Penhill Dark Monarch	AA	ID	DB
Penhill Watermelon	AA	ID	LB
Prince Valiant	B	ID	PR
Ringo	BB	FD	BI
Rip City	BB	ID	DR

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Rock Run Ashley	M	FD	PK
Shiloh Noel	AA	ID	LB
Sierra Glow	A	ID	BR
Silver Years		WL	LB
Small World		P	W
Snoho Doris		BA	DB
Sonic Bloom	BB	ID	DB
Terracotta	BB	SC	BR
Valley Rust Bucket		MB	BR
White Aster	MC	FD	W



Pease note:
Both ADS and CDS membership renewals are due May 1st.

CDS renewal forms are on our website.
ADS prefers online renewal at
<https://www.dahlia.org>