

THE COASTAL NC DAYLILY SOCIETY **NEWSLETTER**

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PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Hello everyone!!

As you can see our Newsletter Magic Man is feeling better!!

Colder weather has arrived and our gardens are going dormant. I am really missing bloom season, but this time of year is great for planning new flower beds and finding new daylilies to plant in them. For those of us who are interested in hybridizing; researching and planning what crosses you want to make next year is another great way to fill the extra hours of darkness the season brings.

Our plant sale in October was a great success! Pat Mansfield invited the club to hold the event in her spacious front yard surrounded by her beautiful personal flower beds. Because the club grows our plants at her farm, we were saved the time and labor of digging and transporting auction plants to another location and replanting any unsold plants. Thank you so much Bill and Pat Mansfield!!! Local gardeners and members of other clubs were invited to participate. Those who could not attend in person were encouraged to provide write in bids for the plants they hoped to win.

The entry deadline for the Region 15 Photo Contest has been extended to the end of December. Entries should be emailed to Kathy Tinius at <u>ktinius@yahoo.com</u>. If you missed the earlier deadline there's still time!!

Our next **MEETING** will be held at the South Mills Fire Department, 127 Keeter Barn Rd in South Mills on **DECEMBER 18th at 2PM**.

Hope to see you there!!

HE'S BACK...



First and foremost, a heartfelt THANK YOU for all of your thoughts and prayers! Three months ago I never would have imagined taking a helicopter ride in an air ambulance to Norfolk, spending three weeks in three different Sentara Hospitals, getting transported by a terrestrial rescue squad vehicle in the middle of a hurricane, and then spending a week in a Rehab center. But there you go. I am feeling much better now, but I still have some post-operative issues that don't involve my fingers, so I can still type. Please afford me some time to get back into the full swing of things.

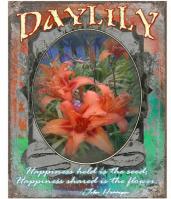
WHILE ON THE SUBJECT OF THINGS TO DO...

The holiday season is upon us big time. Here are some last minute gift ideas I found in my search for presents for family and friends. With the exception of one item, they all can be found on ESTY.



Today is your day to bloom orange daylily flower, ... LastingDreamsDesigns

 \star \star \star \star \star (11) \$19.99



WillowAndReedDecor

★★★★★ (103) \$25.00



Daylily Wall Decor Metal Print 8x12 Inches DI Sterling Silver Daylily or Lily Charm Garden Flowe... Jewelbecharmed ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ (16,271)

\$16.95

AND FOR THAT REALLY SPECIAL SOMEONE...



dried daylily stems ScratchHouseTX *****(1) \$16.00

Pat would probably pay you to deadhead the plants in her garden.



20 wild Orange Day Lily ('Tawny 'Ditch Lily') Pond... WetNWildGardens ★★★★★ (3,826) \$55.99 FREE shipping

Ditch Lilies for \$2.70 a fan. What a deal.



About \$25.00 at your NC ABC Store. (Camden has it in stock at both locations.)

AND FOR THAT REALLY, REALLY, REALLY SPECIAL SOMEONE ...



Daylily ShowcaseMosaics

Hernalin

\$3,100.00 FREE shipping



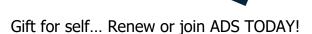
THIS MONTH'S CHUCKLE...

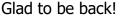
Glad they threw in FREE shipping.

THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE HEMALINA IS ONLINE

The Region 15 *Hemalina* is the newsletter for you and the current edition is online now FREE: <u>http://www.region15daylily.org/newsletters.html</u> Okay, "newsletter" is a colloquialism - this is a full-color, 36 page magazine stuffed with articles, photos, information, contacts, club news, and much

more. Combined with the national newsletter you'll receive with your **ADS membership**, *The Daylily Journal*, you'll have local, regional, and national daylily news and information.





Ken

