



Heartland Hosta & Shade Plant Society

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President's Message

Hello hosta lovers! The excitement of watching my plants wake up from their winter nap is like Christmas! The Spring weather is definitely better than last year. We are having more sun and warmer days so the plant growth is much better. I enjoy watching the potted hostas in my driveway grow taller and more full everyday.

We will offer giant hostas, medium and mini hostas for sale on May 8. 'Blue Mammoth', 'Beckoning', 'Millennium', 'Parhelion' and 'Viking Ship' are among the giants we will have. Mini hostas include: 'Baby Blue Eyes', 'Cookie Crumbs', 'Cracker Crumbs', 'Lakeside Down Sized', 'Little Treasure', 'Snow mouse' and others.

Also in the list for sale is the Hosta of the Year, First Frost, which is a newer sport of

'Halcyon'. It features intense blue-green leaves with irregular, jetting, yellow margins. The margins turn white in summer. A beautiful plant that looks great until the first frost.



First Frost

We will have several perennials for sale: 'Sugarberry Astilbe, Athyrium Ghost Fern, Hakonechloa Macra 'Nicolas' Grass, and Ligularia Osiris Noir. And, one sun perennial Leucanthemem 'Banana Cream' Shasta.

The Heartland Hosta garden party will be at Nancy Erwine's garden on June 5. Directions and additional information will be in the next Heartland Host Society mailing.

The plant sale opens at 9:00 a.m., Saturday May 8 at Faith Lutheran Church, 67th and Roe in Prairie Village. We will have other items for sale. Keith Wheeler will have his hypatufa pots and metal stands. I will have my stained leaves.

Penny

Hosta Sale, Saturday May 8, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**Location: Faith Lutheran Church,
67th & Roe, Prairie Village, Kansas**



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plant stands and hypatufa
pots for sale at the
sale*





2010 Events

May 8
Heartland Hosta Annual
Plant Sale
(Faith Lutheran Church)

June 23-26
AHS National Convention
Bloomington, MN

July 8-10
Midwest Regional
Convention
Des Moines, IA

September 11
Heartland Hosta Fall
Meeting
(Faith Lutheran Church)



Aristocrat



Beckoning



Captain Kirk



Climax



Dancing Queen



Ginko Craig



Guardian Angel



Liberty

Hosta Name	Size	Foliage color
Alligator Shoes	M	Blue green, cream mgn, pebbled
Amazing Grace	M/L	Cream-white mgn, dark green ctr
Aristocrat	M	Powder blue, jetting cream mgn
Baby Blue Eyes	Mini	Heart shaped blue
Beach Party	L	Blue
Beckoning	G	Grn turn gold ctr, grn mgn
Blue Baron	S	Blue narrow leaves
Blueberry Cobbler	S	Blue
Blue Hawaii	L	Intense blue
Blue Mammoth	G	Blue, moderately corrugated
Blue Mouse Ears	S	Blue
Captain Kirk	L	Wide grn mgn, bright gold ctr
Cherry Tart	S	Red stem, bright chartreuse to ylw
Clifford's Stingray	M	Wide dark green mgn, white ctr
Climax	L	Gold mgn, green ctr, corrugation
Cookie Crumbs	Mini	Green, white mgn
Cracker Crumbs	Mini	Yellow-gold ctr, dark green mgn
Dancing Queen	M	Yellow all season
Dorset Blue	S	Blue
El Nino	M	Blue ctr, cream-white mgn
Emerald Ruff Cut	S	Gold ctr, dark green mgn
Essence of Summer	M	Round green, fragrant
First Frost	M	Blue, yellow to white mgn
Frosted Dimples	M	Blue dimpled, cream mgn
Frosted Mouse Ears	S	Blue, creamy-white mgn
Ginko Craig	S	Nrw leaves, nrw white mgn
Golden Meadows	M	Lt grn ctr, dark mgn, med grn streaks
Great Arrival	L	Goldcream mgn, green ctr, corrugation
Guardian Angel	L	Blue, white ctr changes grn mist
Holy Mouse Ears	Mini	Blue green mgn, yellow ctr
Ice Follies	M	Dark grn, wide cream mgn
Indigo	S	Intense blue
Jubilee	M	Dark green ctr, yellow mgn
June	S	Yellow-green ctr, green mgn
Katie Q	M	dark green ctr, gold mgn
Kiwi Full Monty	M	Light grn ctr, blue mgn, white streaks
Lakeside Down Sized	Mini	White mgn, yellow/green ctr nrw leaf
Lakeside Dragonfly	M	Lance shape, white mgn, green ctr
Lakeside Old Smokey	M	Blue rippled edge

Hosta Name	Size	Foliage color
Lakeside Shore Master	L	Dark blue green mgn, blue green ctr
Liberty	L	Wide jetting yellow to cream mgn
Linda Sue	M/L	Blue-green ctr, gold mgn
Little Jay	Mini	Nrw leaves white ctr, nrw green mgn
Little Treasure	Mini	Wide blue green mgn, cream-white ctr
Love Pat	M	Blue puckered cupped leaves
Marrakech	S	Yellow lance, deep wavy edges
Maui Buttercups	S	Gold round leaves corrugated
Mighty Mouse	S	Cream white mgn, blue grey ctr
Millennium	G	Dark blue, puckered
Mohegan	M	Round intense blue, corrugated
Olive Bailey Langdon	L	Blue-green ctr, gold mgn, corrugated
Orange Marmalade	M/L	Gold ctr, 1/2 plus green mgn
Parhelion	G	Light green, nrw cream mgn
Pilgrim	M	Yellow white mgn, gray green ctr
Popcorn	M	Cream-ylw ctr, blue mgn, cupped
Powder Blue	L	Blue, corrugated
Praying Hands	M	Leaves fold, twisted dark green
Pure Heart	Mini	Yellow-cream ctr, blue green mgn
Queen of the Seas	L	Blue upright, wavy pie shaped
Sara's Sensation	L	Blue-green ctr, wide yellow gold mgn
Seducer	L	Dark green, ylw mgn, wavy edge
Sleeping Beauty	M	Frosted blue, nrw cream mgn
Stained Glass	M/L	Gold-yellow green ctr, green mgn
Sun Power	L	Solid yellow gold
Thunder Boomer	L	Blue green, mildly rippled
Tiny Bubbles	S	Bright yellow arrow shaped leaves
Touch of Class	M	Wide blue mgn, lighter yellow ctr
Viking Ship	G	Oval blue green, mild corrugated
Whirlwind	M	Twisted, wide green mgn, cream ctr
Winfield Blue	M	Nrw shiny, wavy blue leaves
Astilbe Sugarberry	S	10 inches, soft pink flowers
Athyrium Ghost	2 Ft	Fern, frosted green, fronds upright
Hakonechloa Macra 'Nicolas'	S	Shade grass, 8-10 inches tall
Ligularia Osiris Noir	M	Deep purple-black to bronze
Tricyrtis Golden Glory	M	Toad Lily, yellow flower
Leucanthemum 'Banana Cream'	M	Yellow Shasta Daisy



Love Pat



Maui Buttercups



Mighty Mouse



Parhelion



Queen of the Seas



Seducer



Sleeping Beauty



Touch of Class



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Heartland Hosta and Shade Plant Society Membership and Renewal Form

Your dues are currently paid up through the year noted next to your name on the mailing address label. We ask that all members prepay at least 2 years at a time to minimize the paperwork and bookkeeping. Dues are \$10.00 per year.

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