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Heartland Hosta & Shade Plant Society

President's Message

Summer 2017

Over 80 club members and visitors joined us at our new location on March 25th for our Spring Meeting and a presentation by Mary Ann Metz on the topic of landscaping design with shade plants. While we had some challenges with our first meeting at our new location, everyone had a good time learning about landscape design from Mary Ann and socializing over a BBQ potluck. After lunch, Janmarie Hornack gave an informative talk on natural solutions to plant care.

Board Members and volunteers planted a large number of Hostas and perineal shade plants on April 1st in preparation for our Annual Plant Sale on Saturday, May 13th. You will find a list of plants we are planning to have available in this issue. Remember this year's plant sale will be at First Lutheran Church at 6400 State Line Rd in Mission Hills, KS.

This year's Members Garden Party on Sunday, June 4th offers an afternoon of drinks and hors d'oeuvres in the woodland gardens of hosts Greg and Eileen Pforr. Heartland Hosta & Shade Plant Society is partnering with Gardeners Connect for this party, so come out and meet some new people with a passion for plants.

Our club garden in Loose Park recently received some TLC and the plants are already popping out for what will be a beautiful display. Thanks to Pam Hoelzel and Tom Hand for all of their hard work maintaining the garden for us! Why not check it out for yourself on the NE corner of the Loose Park Garden Center and maybe have a picnic while you enjoy the gardens, Civil War markers, and water park?



Also join us for our Fall Meeting on Saturday, September 9th. Matt Evans, ISA Board Certified Master Arborist, will be presenting on the symbiotic relationship between small trees and shrubs with perennial garden plants. So join us for an informative meeting and stay for a chicken potluck lunch.

Please remember to check the expiration date of your membership next to your name on the address label. You can renew at the Plant Sale or send to Stephanie Hamil (Stephanie Hamil – 9630 State Line Rd – Leawood, KS 66206).

Looking forward to a great year of gardening!
Riley

Annual Plant Sale May 13, 2017

Heartland Hosta & Shade Plant Society
Saturday, May 13th, 2017
9:30AM - 2:30PM

New Location

First Lutheran Church
6400 State Line, Mission Hills KS

Join us at our new location for the HHSPS Annual Plant Sale. There will be a great collection of newer hostas and other shade perennials, including, Bergenia, Heucheras, Heucherellas and Cimicifuga (Actaea). Plus, mini-hostas, so wonderful for your troughs and fairy gardens. Children older than 4 years, accompanied by a Parent or Guardian, will receive their very own hosta, free! You won't want to miss this sale!

Some quantities are limited, so you will want to arrive early.

The public is welcome! Bring a friend. For info - Gwen 816-213-0598

2017 Annual Hosta and Shade Plant Sale



1st and Ten



Amalia



Angel Falls



Beach Boy



Brother Stefan
Hosta of the Year



Captains Adventure



Dream Weaver



Faith

Name	Size	Foliage Discription
Ist and Ten	V/L	Tall Blu Grn Shovel Shaped Leaf
Amalia	M	Ruffled Chartreuses-Yellow, Drk Grn Mgn
Ambrosia	L	Ruffled Chartreuses-Yellow, Drk Grn Mgn
Angel Falls	M	Cascading Grn, Feathering To Wht Ctr
Astral Bliss	M	Pointed Blue Grn, Wavy Leaves
Bachelor Party	S	Twisted Upright Green Leaf, Pure White Mgn
Bashful	MINI-S	Leaf Creamy In Spring, Becomes Grn In Summer
Beach Boy	M	Creamy-Yellow Ctr, Drk Grn Mgn
Beet Salad	M	Long Rippled Grn Leaf, Red Petioles
Blue Angel	VL	Large Th'k Blue Grn Leaf
Blue Mouse Ears	MINI-S	Thick Round Blue Leaf
Brother Stefan	L	Hosta Of The Year
Captain Kirk	L	Th'k Drk Grn Leaf, Gold Ctr
Captain's Adventure	M	Greenish-Yellow, White Mgn
Chief Sitting Bull	L	Lg Heart Shape Puckered, Grn Wavy Mgn
Colored Hulk	M	Th'k Heart Shape, Lite Grn Ctr, Wide Dk Grn Mgn
Cracker Crumbs	MINI	Bright Yellow Leaf, Dark Grn Mgn
Cranberry Wine	M	Bright Yellow Pointed Wavy Thick Leaf
Curly Fries	S	Very Narrow Rippled Arching Yellow Leaf
Dream Weaver	M	Lg Wide Blue Green Mgn, Creamy Ctr
El Nino	M	Very Dark Blue Leaf, Tidy White Mgn
Emerald Charger	L	Shiny Yellow, Drk Grn Mgn
Faith	M	Lg Rd Puckered Cupped Brassy Yellow Leaf
Firn Line	M	Th'k Blue Leaf, Wide Yellow To White Mgn
First Blush	M	Green Leaf, Red Petioles & Red Mgn
Foxfire Night Skye	M	Th'k Dark Grn, Wide Creamy Mgn
Funny Mouse	MINI-S	Blue Grn Ctr, Clear White Mgn
Gemstone	M	Small Blue Grn, Fast Grower
Glacial Towers	L	Grn Leaf, Wide Creamy-Yellow Mgn
Glad Rags	S/M	Th'k Gold Irregular Grn Ctr
Goldbrook Glory	M/L	Rd Dark Grn, Bright Creamy Mgn
Half & Half	M	Dark Grn Leaf, White Ctr
Hans	L	Blue Grn Puckered Leaf, White Ctr
Happy Valley	M	Wavy Drk Grn, Creamy Yellow Border
Her Eyes Were Blue	S/M	Hvy Rippled Silver-Blue Grey Leaf
High Voltage	M	Th'k Yellow Leaf Wide Grn Border
Holy Mouse Ears	S	Th'k Yellow-White Ctr, Drk Grn Mgn
Hovercraft	M	Very Blue Rd Leaf, Spreading Clump
Hudson Bay	M	Wide Drk Blue Mgn, White Ctr
Icy Halo	V/L	Lg Rounded Grn Leaf, White Mgn
Island Breeze	M	Wide Grn Mgn, Bright Yellow Ctr
Ivory Queen	M	Blue Grn Mgn, White Ctr

2017 Calendar of Events



May 13, 2017
Plant Sale
First Lutheran Church
6400 State Line Rd

June 4, 2017, Sunday,
Members Garden Party

September 9, 2017
Fall Meeting
Speaker: Matt Evans,
ISA Board Certified
MasterArborist
First Lutheran Church
6400 State Line Rd

June 7-10, 2017
AHS National
Convention
Indianapolis, IN
americanhostasociety.org

June 22-24, 2017
Midwest Region
Convention
Leawood, KS
midwesthostasociety.org

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Hostas for
members
with dues
up to date!
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Firn Line



Great Escape



Hovercraft



Leather & Lace



London Bridge



Mini Skirt



Morning Star



Prairie Sky

Name	Size	Foliage Discription
Kenzie	S	Medium Grn, Yellow-White Border
Key West	L	Intense Gold, Heart Shape
Kiwi Blue Baby	S	Compact Clump, Blue Leaf
Lakeside Color Blue	M	Rnd Corrgt'd Cupped Blue Leaf
Lakeside Dimpled Darling	MINI-S	Sm Oval Corrugated Grn Leaf, Creamy Mgn
Lakeside Meter Maid	M	Heart Shape, Drk Grn Mgn, Creamy Ctr
Lakeside Prophecy Fulfilled	M	Hvy Corrgt'd Grn Rippled, Yellow Mgn
Leather and Lace	S	Pointed Blue Leaf, Highly Ruffled White Mgn
Lemon Love Note	MINI-S	Lg Narrow Wavy Yellow Grn Leaf
Little Red Rooster	MINI-S	Wavy Satin Grn Leaf, Red Petioles
London Bridge	S	Unruly Twisted White Leaf, Grn Mgn
Mata Hari	M	White Th'k Grn Border, Yellow Ctr
Midnight At The Oasis	M	Th'k White Ctr, Dark Grn Mgn
Mini Skirt	MINI	Th'k Wide Ruffled Mgn, Drk Grn Ctr
Minnesota Wild	M/L	Lg Grn Heart-Shape, Wide Creamy White Mgn
Mirage	M	Ruffled Grn Edges, Deep Veins
Morning Star	M	Dark Grn Mgn, Lite Yellow Ctr
Paradigm	L	Shiny Puckered Golden, Grn Mgn
Paradise Backstage	M	Long Grn Leaf, Narrow Yellow Mgn
Party Popper	M	Long Creamy-White Ctr, Blue Grn Mgn
Popcorn	M	Creamy-White Ctr, Wide Blue Grn Mgn
Prairie's Edge	M	Bright Yellow Leaf, Dark Grn Ctr
Proud Dragon	M	Th'k Grn Shiny Leaf, Creamy White Mgn
Pure Heart	MINI	Blue Grn Mgn, Creamy Yellow Ctr
Rebel Heart	M	Heart Shape Grey-Grn Leaf, Creamy Mgn
Red Bull	M	Red Petioles, Wavy Medium Grn Leaf
Rhino Hide	L	Cupped Puckered Blue Mgn, Grn Ctr
Roberta	M	Rd Blue-Green Leaf, Yellow Edge
School Mouse	MINI	Grn Wavy Leaf, Wide Yellow Border
Secret Ambition	M	Blue Grn, Wide Yellow Border
Secret Treasure	M	Shiny Dark Leaf, Thin White Mgn
Silver Bay	M	Round, Cupped, Corrugated Silverblue Leaf
Sleeping Beauty	M	Frosty Blue Grn, Creamy White Mgn
Snow Boy	S/M	Gray-Grn Leaf, Wide Dark Yellow Mgn
Stan the Man	M	Blue Leaf, Bicolor Cream Mgn W Puckering
Stand by Me	S/M	Yellowish Grn Leaf, Irregular Blue Mgn
Stand Corrected	M	Grn Leaf, Lg Veins, Ruffled Yellow Mgn
Sun Mouse	MINI	Rd Thick Gold Leaf
Tattle Tails	MINI	Long Wavy Grn Ctr, Yellow Mgn
Tea at Bettys'	M	Medium Grn Rippled Leaf, Yellow Mgn
Tootie Mae	M	Blue Leaf Wide Yellow Mgn
Urchin	S	Narrow Upright Wavy Dark Grn Leaf
Wishing Well	L	Lg Thick Blue Cupped Rippled Leaf
Wrinkle in Time	S/M	Dark Grn, Creamy Yellow Ctr



Proud Dragon



Rhino Hide



Stand By Me



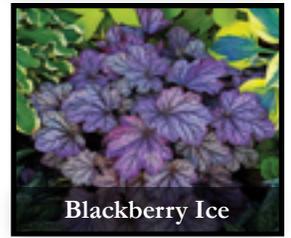
Tootie Mae

Perennials

Bergen- Sakura
Cimicifuga -Chocoholic
Heuchera- Blackberry Ice
Heucherella- Pink Fizz



Chocoholic



Blackberry Ice



Pink Fizz



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Save the Date!

Garden Party ~ Sunday, June 4th

Heartland Hosta and Shade Plant Society Garden Party,
together with Gardeners Connect

Hosted by Greg and Eileen Pforr.

Sunday, June 4th, 2017

10:30 AM to 2:00 PM

5729 North Pointe Terrace,
Parkville, MO 64152 (Riss Lake)



You won't want to miss the opportunity to see this lovely garden!!
In this 20-year labor of love, the Phorrs have transformed a patch of
steep, rocky incline, with bad soil and a mix of sun and shade into a
virtual laboratory of possibilities. You will find lots of pleasant surprises!

This garden is not handicapped friendly. Wear your sturdy shoes.
If in doubt, there is a lovely view from the deck!
Greg and Eileen Phorr are eager to welcome you to their garden!
Light refreshments will be served. This is a members only event.