

May 2013

Long Island Dahlia Society



Working in the Garden

Above: Master dahlia growers *from the left*- Joe Lysik, Joe Laundrie, Al Ortiz and Jim Micheels tend to the beds in preparation for planting. Congratulations to Joe Lysik who has just retired! Joe is now back in action helping out in the garden. Joe generously shares his deep knowledge of dahlias, whether it is through hands-on teaching in the garden or in a Dahlia 101 class. *Congratulations Joe!*

Above photo credit – Ann Jacobson, see her work at <http://www.flickr.com/photos/annabelleny/8668689284/in/photostream/lightbox/>

Upcoming Events, Tuber Sales and Meeting Notices

Membership Meeting

Thursday, May 16, 2013

Dahlia 101 - 7:00 PM - 7:30PM

Tuber Sale 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Meeting 8:30 – 9:00 PM

The next tuber sale on Thursday, May 16th, please come on down, our Garden Directors will be on hand to answer questions you may have.

This meeting will be held in the Upper Level of the Carriage House at the Bayard Cutting Arboretum in Great River. Directions on last page.

Upcoming Events

May 12, 2013 - Mother's Day Plant Sale
Held under the gazebo at the Arboretum,
10:00 AM – 4:00PM

June 20, 2013 - Membership Meeting

Save the Date! - Saturday, August 3 Picnic
Wolkoff Dahlia Garden – 1PM
[Rain date Sunday August 4]

New Members

A big welcome to these new members!

- Richard Tepper, Wantagh
- Thomas Keegan, St James

We are eager to share our dahlia knowledge with you.

Fundraising News

First "Thank You All" for your time Volunteering for our Dahlia club. It was a pleasure and everyone who helped in our mission deserves applause. Happy Planting! Happy Spring! I would like everyone to start looking for small picture frames. Please brake for garage sales, thrift shops etc,...I would prefer small wooded frames, however, they can have trim. They can also be gold, but the idea most of all is small 6x6 5x5 3x6. Trying to stay away from plastic, we need to start collecting these. *Kindly, Kelly Abercrombie, Fundraising Chair*

A Special Thank You!

I wanted to say a big thank you to Ted Gollatz who went above and beyond with his help in the garden and at our recent sales, thank you Ted. – *Joe Laundrie*

Bayard Cutting Arboretum

Located at: 440 Montauk Highway
Great River, NY 11739
Set GPS to these either address:
Great River Rd & NY-27A (Montauk Hwy), or
NY-27A & Union Blvd, East Islip NY 11730
www.bayardcuttingarboretum.com

Helpful Links

Long Island Dahlia Society
www.longislanddahlia.com/
American Dahlia Society
www.dahlia.org/
Mid-Island Dahlia Society
www.midislanddahlia.com/

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