

2018 Calendar of Events

Long Island Dahlia Society



Alloway Candy

Photo by Joe Lysik

2018 LIDS Show Flower

Name: Alloway Candy

Form Stellar (ST)

Color: Pink (PK)

Year Introduced: 1970

Country of Origin: New Zealand


ADS Classification Code: 7004

Note that there is a special cash award for the best 2018 Show Flower "Alloway Candy". Only one Show Flower entry per person, additional details will be published in the Show Program in August.

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~ January 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Snow Cancels!</i></p> 	1 New Year's Day	2	3 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	4	5	6 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
7	8	9	10 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	11	12	13 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
14	15 Martin Luther King	16	17 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	18 Meeting at the East Islip Library - 6:30 PM Dahlia 101 "New Introductions"	19	20 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
21	22	23	24 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	25	26	27 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
28	29	30	31 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM			

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~ February 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Snow Cancels!</i></p> 				1	2 Groundhog Day	3 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
4 Super Bowl	5	6	7 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	8	9	10 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	15 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM New – “Dahlia Basics - Forms, Colors, & Codes” Dahlia 101 “How to make Cuttings”	16	17 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
18	19 President's Day	20	21 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	22	23	24 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
25	26	27	28 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM			

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~ March 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
4	5	6	7 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	8	9	10 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM <hr/> Executive Board Meeting #1 - 11:30
11 Daylight Saving Time Begins	12	13	14 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	15 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM New – “Dahlia Basics - Forms, Colors, & Codes” continues Dahlia 101 Planning Your Dahlia Garden” “Irish Soda Bread” Contest – our 3rd bake-off! Bring your best! Prize is “bragging rights”!	16	17 Saint Patrick's Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
18	19	20 Spring begins (Vernal Equinox)	21 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	22	23	24 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
25 Palm Sunday Mid Island Dahlia Society's Spring Luncheon	26	27	28 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	29	30 Good Friday / Passover	31



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~ April 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Easter Sunday	2	3	4 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	5	6	7 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
8	9	10	11 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	12	13	14 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
15	16	17	18 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	19 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM Tuber Sale	20	21 Earth Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
22 Earth Day	23	24	25 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	26	27 Arbor Day	28 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
29	30	<i>LIDS offers a wide variety of tubers at our first sale of the season, on Thursday, April 19, 2018 at the East Islip Library</i>				

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~ May 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>May is tuber and plant sale month!</i>		1	2 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	3	4	5 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Tuber Sale Gazebo I Love My Parks Day
		6	7	8 Tuber / Plant Sale, Farmingdale College Greenhouse 9-5	9 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Tuber / Plant Sale, Farmingdale College Greenhouse 9-5	10 Tuber / Plant Sale, Farmingdale College Greenhouse 9-5
13 Mother's Day	14	15	16 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	17 Membership Meeting BCA Lower Carriage House 6:30 PM Tuber and Plant Sale (No Dahlia 101)	18	19 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM LIDS Sale - Gazebo
20	21	22	23 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	24	25	26 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
27	28 Memorial Day	29	30 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	31		



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~ June 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Blowout tuber and plant sales this month!</i></p> <p><i>Note the montly meeting is on a Saturday in June, held in the Wolkoff Garden.</i></p>					1	2 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM <hr/> LIDS at BCAHS Plant Sale, Carriage House 10-4
3 LIDS at BCAHS Plant Sale, Carriage House 10-4	4	5	6 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	7	8	9 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM <hr/> Executive Board Meeting #2 Barn
10	11	12	13 Flag Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	14	15	16 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM <hr/> Membership Meeting - Wolkoff Garden 11:30 Blowout Tuber Sale!
17 Father's Day	18	19	20 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	21 Summer Solstice (Summer Begins)	22	23 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
24	25	26	27 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	28	29	30

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~ July 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4 Independence Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	5	6	7 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
8	9	10	11 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	12	13	14 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
15	16	17	18 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	19 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM New – “Dahlia Basics - Forms, Colors, & Codes” continues Dahlia 101 “Growing and Showing Dahlias” Sign-up Sheet for August Picnic	20	21 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
22	23	24	25 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	26	27	28 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
29	30	31	<i>Take photos to enter in the LIDS Photo Contest in October, check website for guidelines.</i>			

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~ August 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>All LIDS members & their families are invited to the pot luck Picnic!</i>			1 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	2	3	4 Summer Picnic held next to the Wolkoff Garden 12:00 Noon Bring a dish to share
5 Rain Date Summer Picnic Wolkoff Garden 12:00 Noon	6	7	8 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	9	10	11 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Executive Board Meeting #3 Barn 11:30 AM
12	13	14	15 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	16 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM New – “Dahlia Basics - Forms, Colors, & Codes” + Dahlia 101	17	18 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
19	20	21	22 Work detail plus - LIDS members are invited to an evening in the garden! We will also welcome the BCAHS for a Dahlia Garden Tour at 6:30 PM. Meet in the Wolkoff Garden.	23	24	25 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
26	27	28	29	30 Dahlia Show Setup Lower Carriage House 	31 Dahlia Show Setup Lower Carriage House 	

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~ September 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Everyone is encouraged to enter blooms in the Dahlia Show.</i></p> <p><i>Novice categories welcome newcomers.</i></p>						<p>1</p> <p>Dahlia Judging / Dahlia Show Lower Carriage House</p> 
<p>2</p> <p>Dahlia Show Lower Carriage House 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM</p> <p>Dahlia sale and show cleanup follows</p> 	<p>3 Labor Day</p>	<p>4</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>
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<p>16</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19 Rosh Hashanah Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM Dahlia 101 Showing Dahlias</p>	<p>21 First Day of Autumn</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 Yom Kippur Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM</p>
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~ October 2018 ~

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	4 LIDS Photo Show Registration Upper Carriage House LIDS Dahlia Show Setup Lower Carriage House Until 9PM  	5 LIDS Photo Show Registration Upper Carriage House LIDS Dahlia Show Setup Lower Carriage House Until 9PM  	6 LIDS Photo Judging / Photo Show Upper Carriage House LIDS Dahlia Judging / Dahlia Show Lower Carriage House  
7 LIDS Photo Show Upper Carriage House 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM <i>Photo Show breakdwon follows</i> LIDS Dahlia Show Lower Carriage House 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM <i>Dahlia sale and show cleanup follows</i>  	8 Columbus Day	9	10 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	11	12	13 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
14	15	16	17 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	18 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM Forms Continued & Dahlia 101 “Digging up Dahlias”	19 	20 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM Executive Board Meeting #4 BCA Barn 11:30
21	22	23	24 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	25 	26 <i>Bill Wolkoff, Garden Founder, birthday!</i>	27 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
28	29	30	31 Halloween Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM			

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~ November 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>Please note snow cancels work details and events. Saturday work outside in the will significantly taper down this month as we work in the barn to clean and prepare the tubers for winter storage.</i></p>				1	2	3 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
4 Daylight Saving Time Ends	5	6 Election Day	7 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	8	9	10 Veterans' Day Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
11 Veterans' Day	12	13	14 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	15 Membership Meeting East Islip Library 6:30 PM Dahlia 101 – “Storing Dahlias Over the Winter” <hr/> Sign-up for Holiday Party	16	17 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
18	19	20	21 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	22 Thanksgiving Day	23	24 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail Cancelled . Happy Thanksgiving!
25	26	27	28 Wolkoff Garden Work Detail 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	29	30	

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~ December 2018 ~						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p><i>All LIDS members and their families are invited to the pot luck Holiday Party, held in the Upper Carriage House</i></p>					2	1 <p>The Garden Director will advise if help is needed in the Barn in December, check the website for details.</p>
					2	3
9	10	11	12	13 <p>Holiday Party Upper Carriage House Pot Luck Dinner and Grab Bag!</p>	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					