

CVIDS Meeting Minutes, August 25, 2018

Jones County Fairgrounds, Monticello

President Keith called the meeting to order at 12:45 p.m., following the plant sale and potluck lunch.

Keith acknowledged 5 charter members present today: Gerald Hobbs, Barry Stoll, Mary Moore, Joy Adams, and Donna Helgens.

Keith introduced new member, Cari, who just joined today.

Treasurer's Report - Sue Kramer gave the Treasurer's Report, "we had money, we spent money, we still have money coming in"! The Spring plant sale raised approximately \$1,500, and the Auction raised approximately \$4,000. We spent \$5,500 on daylilies and \$500 on irises for club plants. Our current account balance is healthy.

Old Business – Our first **Daylily Exposition** on July 7 at the Rock Island Botanical Center was successful with over 400 flowers on display. The Botanical Center promoted the event on social network, and there was an article in the Quad City Times prior to the event. Ten people volunteered their time working at the Botanical Center in exchange for free room rental, saving the club \$600.

Keith thanked the hosts of this year's **Garden Tour**, Diane Derganz, Pete & Pat Connolly, and Sara Hankemeier.

Announcements - Cathy Moore is giving away plants, downsizing after her husband's death.

Nancy Carlisle announced that Sylvia and Mel are getting married on Sept. 1 at 4:00 p.m., and all are invited. Sylvia is downsizing her garden as well.

Regional Meeting - Nancy Rash reported on the Regional meeting in North Dakota at the end of July. She said there were nice gardens on tour and open gardens, art show, and Heritage Museum trip. Nancy discussed the importance of Regional meetings (we are in Region I), which were started in Shenandoah IA. CVIDS will host the Regional meeting in 2020, with the theme **Daylilies 2020 - A Perfect Vision**. Next year, the 2019 Regional meeting will be in Omaha, NE. The AHS National Convention 2019 will be held in Madison, WI.

Hybridizers' Roundup October 6 – Jonathan requested any members who might be interested in presenting at this year's Hybridizers' Roundup meeting to contact him. Presentations will be limited to 10 minutes.

Banquet, November 10 - Barb McCreight requested that the Banquet committee is looking for raffle and door prizes. Contact Barb or Nancy Rash if you have anything to donate. Sherry Moffit will be collecting RSVPs for the banquet. The speaker will be Bob Selman (Blue Ridge Daylilies).

Caroline Jones motioned to adjourn the meeting, Barry Stoll seconded the motion. All present were in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 1:15 pm., followed by the plant auction.

Submitted by Susie Poulton