



The Pensacola Camellia

The Pensacola Camellia Club January - 2010

Message from the President – Bill Lyford

Happy New Year to all! I hope your Holiday Season was as wonderful as mine. We had a great show last month. Now as we begin the New Year the first things I must do are to thank to John Davy for his organization for our very successful show and to offer a many, many thanks to all who helped make it a very successful show. I know we had several compliments made by out of town guests on what a great show we put on in Pensacola. Thanks again to all who helped with the show.

There are many events and activities coming with the New Year. Our program at this month's meeting will be on grafting. Bring you questions and comments to ask our experts on successful techniques. January is scion exchange month. We will have a sign up list of the scions you would like to graft at this month's meeting. Norm Vickers will e-mail the list to the membership. Members are asked to bring their scions to the workshop on January 23rd for the exchange. Norma English has asked us all to bring our 1 gal starter pots to the January meeting. Norma will trade the 1 gal pots for 3 gal pots. Sounds like we are getting the better end of the deal but when all are happy with a deal it's a win-win for every one. Thanks Norma! The annual Workshop and Plant Sale will be on Jan 23rd. Members are requested to arrive early (before 8:30) to help set up.

It is also time to mark you calendars now for the February 19th meeting, banquet and novice show at the Pensacola Yacht Club. Please be prepared to make your reservation at our Jan 19th meeting. It is \$25 per person. I am also requesting that you make your payment as you make your reservation as it greatly helps with the bookkeeping. If you are unable to make your reservation at the January meeting you may mail your reservation with your check (payable to the Pensacola Camellia Club) to Bill Lyford 3575 Tyler Ave. Pensacola, FL32503. Reservations must be made by February 16th to insure that the Yacht Club has sufficient time to prepare for our event.

You are requested to come early with your show blooms and extra blooms to be used to decorate the tables. All members are asked to bring their show blooms for all to enjoy. This year our mini show will focus on our novice growers. To that end only the novices' blooms will be judged. Table decorations and novice show bloom placement begins at 6:00; social time and show judging from 6:30 to 7:00. Dinner buffet will begin at 7:00. I hope you will come to this annual event as it has been really enjoyable in past years.

We have a new website - Check it out!

www.pensacolacamellioclub.com

Events and Notes

The Jan 19th meeting's program will be on Grafting. We meet at The Pensacola Garden Center.
Social 6:30 Meeting 7:00 pm

UWF Garden work day for Sat Jan 9th has been canceled. A new date will be announced later.

Workshop & Plant Sale
Jan. 23, 2010
Location: Northeast YMCA
3215 Langley Ave 9 AM until noon Members are requested to report by 8:30 AM

E- Newsletter recipients will receive postcard notification on their renewal date. Please send checks to:
"T" Morris
579 Man of War Circle
Cantonment, FL 32533

Please give Norma English all your 1 gal cans. She will exchange them for 3 gal cans for the club use.

2010 Show schedule
New Orleans- 1/9/2010
Tallahassee 1/9-10/2010
Mobile - 1/16/2010
Baton Rouge 1/30-31/2010
Brookhaven 2/6-7/2010
Birmingham 2/13-14/2010
Atlanta 2/20-21/2010

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PENSACOLA CAMELLIA CLUB DECEMBER MEETING MINUTES

Forty five persons gathered for the PCC membership meeting at the Café section of the Garden Center at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday December 8. Purpose of this meeting was last-minute instructions/preparation for our upcoming 71st annual Pensacola Camellia Show and Plant sale on weekend of Dec. 12-13. There were pleasant exchanges among the attendees while they set up tables and chairs for the meeting, obtained their entry cards and other activities related to the Camellia Show.

President Bill Lyford called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. First VP and Show Chair John Davy discussed activities related to the show and finalized his list of volunteers with their assigned tasks. Various committee reports were given including Treasurer T. Morris who reported current balance of \$4,629.87.

PCC Foundation chair Roger Vinson reported balance of \$44,658.78 and welcomed your donations and memorials. Dick Hooton made comments related to plant sales and volunteer sign-up for this activity.

Thom Birdwell passed out directions to his home, site of the Judges Dinner on Friday night 12/11. Carol Comber is local arrangements chair for the meeting of the Gulf Coast Camellia Society here Friday-Saturday, October 1-2, 2010. Among other things needed, members were encouraged to seek items for auction, value not over \$50 each.

Announcement was made about the activation of NCIS—Neighborhood Camellia Identification Service. Skip Vogelsang will chair this. Services include advice about identifying camellia varieties on site and other suggestions regarding camellia culture. Group will make “house-calls” by appointment. Call Vogelsang at 438-3790 or e-mail LBVIII@aol.com

Bring 1 gallon pots to next meeting, says Norma English. She has arranged to exchange these for 3 gal. pots which are needed for our work at the Shade House.

Concluding the meeting, the plant raffle was held. Among the happy winners were Barbara Angello (again) and Jack O'Donnell. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

-s/s F. Norman Vickers

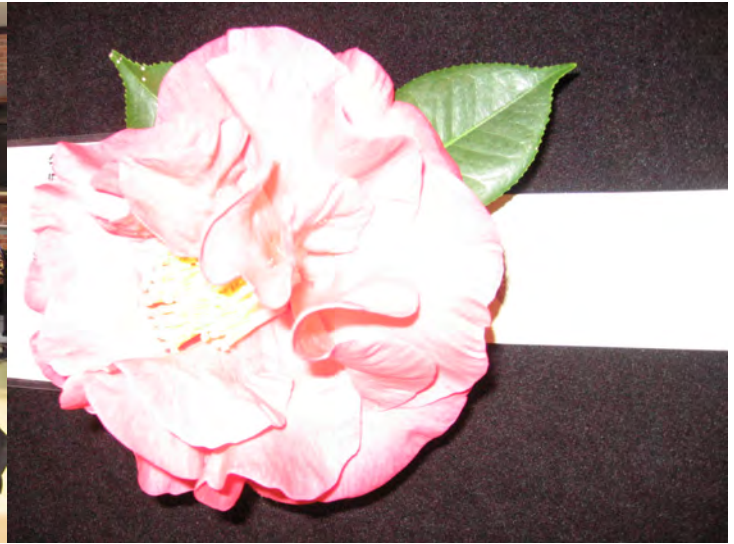
WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Ray Canevari; Jim & Jerri Smith; Daniel W. Bennett; Linda Winesett; Martha Samuels; Dolly Thompson (Darlene); Dorothy J. White; Rebecca & Quentin Black; Charles Anderson; David Baldwin; Bill Ray; Lois & Maurice Manuel; Diane Nash; Judy & Al Pruden; Huntley Johnson; Mary & Tom Sylte; Lynn Wixon; Lynn & Cal Clevenger; Linda Moody; DeAnna & Allen Thompson; Bonnie & Al Weeks; Frank Segal; Millie & Lyle Knapp

2009 Nomenclature Book:

Peggy's Blush was incorrectly list as a Medium size in the 2009 Nomenclature Book. It has been corrected by ACS to Small to Medium. New registrations, correcting and alterations can be found on ACS web-site. WWW.americancamellia.org go the publications section and click on nomenclature . Peggy's Blush was registered by Don Applegate in 1991. In 1998 it won ACS National Camellia award (Francis Racoff award) given at the annual Spring ACS show and convention for Best Formal Double.

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2009 Pensacola Camellia Show
Photos by Kenneth E. Manis

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PENSACOLA CAMELLIA CLUB (PCC)

• STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

- THE PURPOSE OF THE PCC IS:
- TO FOSTER AND MAINTAIN AN INTEREST IN CAMELLIAS AND THEIR CULTURE.
- TO PROMOTE THE STUDY OF CAMELLIAS.
- TO PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THEIR EXHIBITION AND APPRECIATION. NOMENCLATURE AND TO RECOGNIZE THOSE INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE ENHANCED THE CAMELLIA IN OUR SOCIETY.

• 2009 OFFICERS

- President— Bill Lyford
- First VP & Show Chairman—John Davy
- Second VP— Program Chairman— Larry Morris
- Third VP Membership Chair—Gordon Eade
- Treasurer—Thekla Morris
- Secretary—Norman Vickers

2009 BOARD MEMBERS

- Bill Bennett
- Carol Comber
- Dick Hooton
- Bruce Musselman
- Roger Vinson
- Skip Vogelsang

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