

# SEATTLE DAHLIA SOCIETY (SDS)

60th Annual Show

September 16th & 17th, 2017

Lake City Community Center

12531 - 28th Avenue NE

Seattle, Washington

## Saturday September 16th

Entries Accepted	6:30 am - 9:30 am
Judges Meeting	10:00 am
Judging Begins	10:15 am
Show Open to Public	12:30 pm - 5:00 pm

## Sunday September 17th

Show Open to Public	11:00 am - 4:00 pm
Awards Presentation	3:00 pm
Removal of Entries	4:00 pm

### ***We welcome all exhibitors:***

See <http://nwdahlia.org/showschedule> (Federation of NW Dahlia Growers) for horticultural information and show rules. Seattle Dahlia Society Special Entries and the Arrangement Schedule will also be posted at <http://seattledahliasociety.org>

### **DIRECTIONS TO THE SHOW**

**Northbound I-5: Take Exit 174.** After exiting, turn right onto **NE 130th** Street (driving East). Proceed approximately 2 miles (NE 130th becomes NE 125th Street) to 28th Avenue NE and turn left. The Lake City Community Center is on your immediate left.

**Southbound I-5: Take Exit 175.** Turn left at the light, driving East on **NE 145h** Street. Turn right at **15th Ave NE** and drive south to 125th Ave NE. Turn left on 125th Ave NE and proceed approximately 2 miles to 28th Ave NE and turn left. The Lake City Community Center is on your immediate left.

There is limited parking on the north side of the building where you may temporarily park and unload your flowers.

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*<http://seattledahliasociety.org>*

**SDS Officers - 2017**

President:	Fred Hammargren
Vice-President:	Erin Thompson
Recording Secretary:	Becky Prokop
Corresponding Secretary:	Richard Russo
Treasurer:	Kathy Ryan
Trustees:	Dave Blackmer Marc Norman Harvey Tatel

**Show Committee**

Show Chairpersons:	Diana Blackmer Dave Blackmer Gary Williamson Craig & Eva Weaver
Classification:	Dick Williams Tom Ball Marc Norman
Registration:	Information Counter
Judges Chairpersons:	Richard Russo Erin Thompson
Clerks:	Tom Ball
Placement:	Assigned Judges
Decorative Schedule:	Diana Blackmer
Floral Sales:	Ida Bonneywell Jeff Hamm Rosalie Biteman
Information:	Doris Hanson Becky Prokop Kathy Ryan Nancy Spangler
Publicity:	Karen Lorentzen
Master of Ceremonies:	Fred Hammargren
Awards:	Dave Blackmer

**SEATTLE DAHLIA SOCIETY  
SPECIAL ENTRIES**

*Novice- Pink Tags, Amateur- Yellow Tags, Open - White Tags*

**DAHLIA OF THE YEAR "*Chimacum Troy*"**

Single Entry

Novice  
Amateur  
Open

Class 261A  
Class 261B  
Class 261C

**OPEN TO ALL**

*Open - White Tags*

**25 YEARS OR OLDER DAHLIA (*single entry*)** Class 262

**25 YEARS OR OLDER DAHLIA (*triple entry*)** Class 263

**WA STATE ORIGINATION (*single entry*)** Class 264

**WA STATE ORIGINATION (*triple entry*)** Class 265

**FOREIGN ORIGINATION (*single entry*)** Class 266

**2016 or 2017 ORIGINATION (*single entry*)** Class 267

**VARIEGATED - any size, any type (*single entry*)** Class 268

**BI-COLOR DAHLIA - any size any type (*single entry*)** Class 269

**COLLECTIONS**

*One bloom of three different varieties staged in one container*

**GIANT (AA) or Large (A) Dahlias** Class 270

**MEDIUM (B) Dahlias** Class 271

**SMALL (BB) Dahlias** Class 272

**OLD FASHIONED DAHLIA BOUQUET** Class 273

*Water only! No filler or staging material in container. This is not a flower arrangement. The bouquet should utilize a container such as a jug, urn, bottle, old pot, etc. Foliage and any other inconspicuous natural plant materials are allowed.*

**PEOPLE'S CHOICE** Class 274

*Twyla Ball Memorial Award. One entry per exhibitor. Only the first entry of any variety is eligible. Only the PUBLIC is eligible to vote.*

**GARDEN VASE** Class 275

*A mixed vase of dahlias and any other types of flowers or vegetation growing in your garden. Dahlias should predominate; a minimum of 5 dahlias per vase. There is no judging and the winners will be chosen by random drawing from all entries completing a white tag AND ticket for the drawing. No limit on the number of entries.*

**FLOATING WATERLILY DAHLIA** Class 276

*A waterlily bloom with less than a 2-inch stem. Bloom must be free floating in clear water in a container which is wider than tall. No attachments or frogs of any type are allowed*

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ARRANGEMENTS**

***“OUR AMERICAN HERITAGE”***

*Novice - Pink Tags, Amateur - Yellow Tags, Open - White Tags*

<b>“GEORGE WASHINGTON’S CHERRY TREE”</b> A design including fruit and/or a red container	Class 301
<b>“THE BOSTON TEA PARTY”</b> An arrangement using a tea cup or tea pot under 8 inches overall	Class 302
<b>“THE LIBERTY BELL”</b> A design using a bronze or pewter container	Class 303
<b>“BETSY ROSS &amp; THE FLAG”</b> An arrangement using 13 dahlias	Class 304
<b>“PAUL REVERE’S MIDNIGHT RIDE”</b> A design that indicates motion	Class 305
<b>“VALLEY FORGE”</b> An all white design except for natural foliage	Class 306
<b>“HONEST ABE”</b> A vertical arrangement; designer’s choice	Class 307
<b>“APPOMATTOX”</b> An arrangement using two containers	Class 308

Be sure to compose the arrangement according to the individual Class Description chosen. Focal points should be the blooms and other plant material, particularly in relation to one another and the spacing between elements of the design. Accessories must not dominate, should be kept to a minimum, and not remove the focus from the overall display of plant material.

Please refer to Federation Arrangement Guidelines  
and Scorecard in this Show Schedule