

Monterey Bay Dahlia Society

THE DAHLIA DIRT



August 2016

Next Meeting

Friday, August 12 at Simpkins Swim Center

7:00 Pot Luck Dinner

7:30 Meeting

FROM THE PREZ



Congratulations to our MBDS members who participated in the San Leandro show last weekend. MBDS received the three top awards of the whole show. Kevin and Karen received the best bloom in the show. Lena and Randy received the best large and open centered blooms. MBDS rocked it!

At our meeting this Friday we will be planning for our Annual

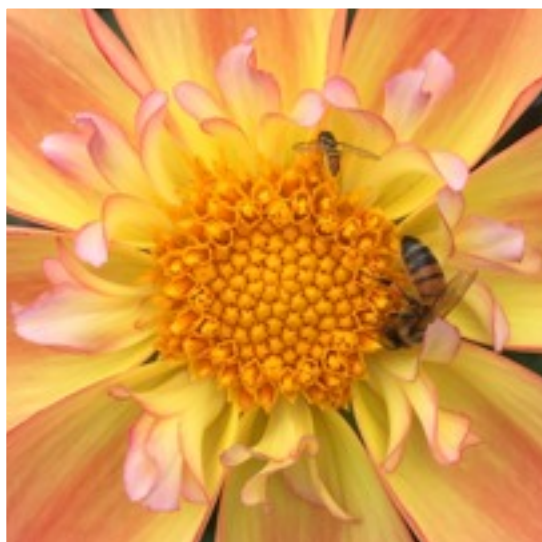
Bloom Show, August 27th and 28th. Please consider volunteering eight plus hours to help make our show successful. We are expecting a larger than normal turnout and will need all hands on deck. There will be volunteer signup sheets at our meeting. If you can't make the meeting on Friday, please email me at krstinexxoo@gmail.com and let me know how you would like to help out. Also, if you need containers for any upcoming shows let me know. I have some loaner MBDS vases.

Please bring a bloom or two to Friday's meeting with it's name attached. We will be discussing any issues you may be having in your garden this time of year.

The San Francisco Bloom Show is August 20th and 21st. Mark your calendars! Hope to see you there.... Kristine

MINI SHOW





SAN LEANDRO SHOW



MBDS exhibitors: Kristine, Iris, Ed Rosser, Becky Adams, Randy & Lena Marsden, Kevin & Karen, Mary Bannister

Best Large Bloom - Randy and Lena - Hamari Accord;

Best Small Bloom - Kevin & Karen - 2015 Seedling;

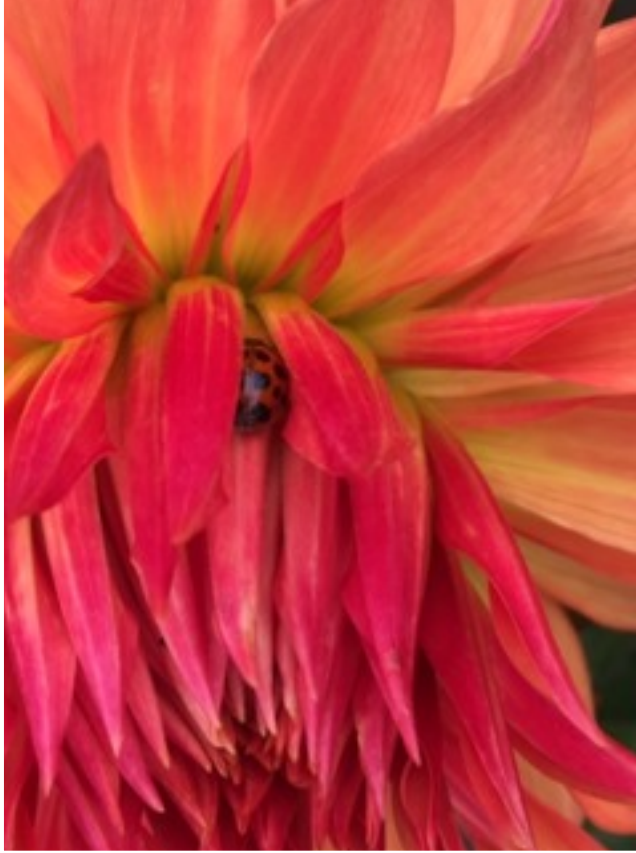
Best Open Centered Bloom - Randy & Lena - NTAC Eliza

Best in Show - Kevin & Karen - 2015 Seedling.





SUMMER CALENDAR 2016



August

Saturday, August 6-7	San Leandro Show	
Friday, August 12	MBDS Meeting	7:00-9:00
Saturday, August 20-21	San Francisco Show	
Saturday, August 27-28	MBDS Show Museum of Art & History Downtown Santa Cruz	

September

September 14-September 18	Santa Cruz County Fair
Saturday, September 24	Dine Around

MINUTES

MBDS Meeting Minutes

July 8th 2016

Meeting called to order at 7:40 by Kristine.

Minutes: All in favor approved

Treasurers Report: Account in good standing, one outstanding check.

Membership Report: No new members. All name tags have been ordered, so if one is needed let Jean know.



Judging Seminar: July 17th, sign-up sheet for volunteer tasks passed around the room. Verify you are registered if attending.

Mini-Show: Sunday July 24th, 11am for set-up and staging, judging at 12, followed by potluck lunch, with an arrangement demonstration at 1:30.

Minutes respectfully submitted,
Maia Pedemonte

THE CREW



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