

Monterey Bay Dahlia Society

THE DAHLIA DIRT



June 2016

Next Meeting

Friday, June 10 at Simpkins Swim Center

7:00 Pot Luck Dinner

7:30 Meeting including guest speaker,
Virginia Walbot, Stanford Biology
Professor

FROM THE PREZ

I hope your dahlias are in and growing strong.

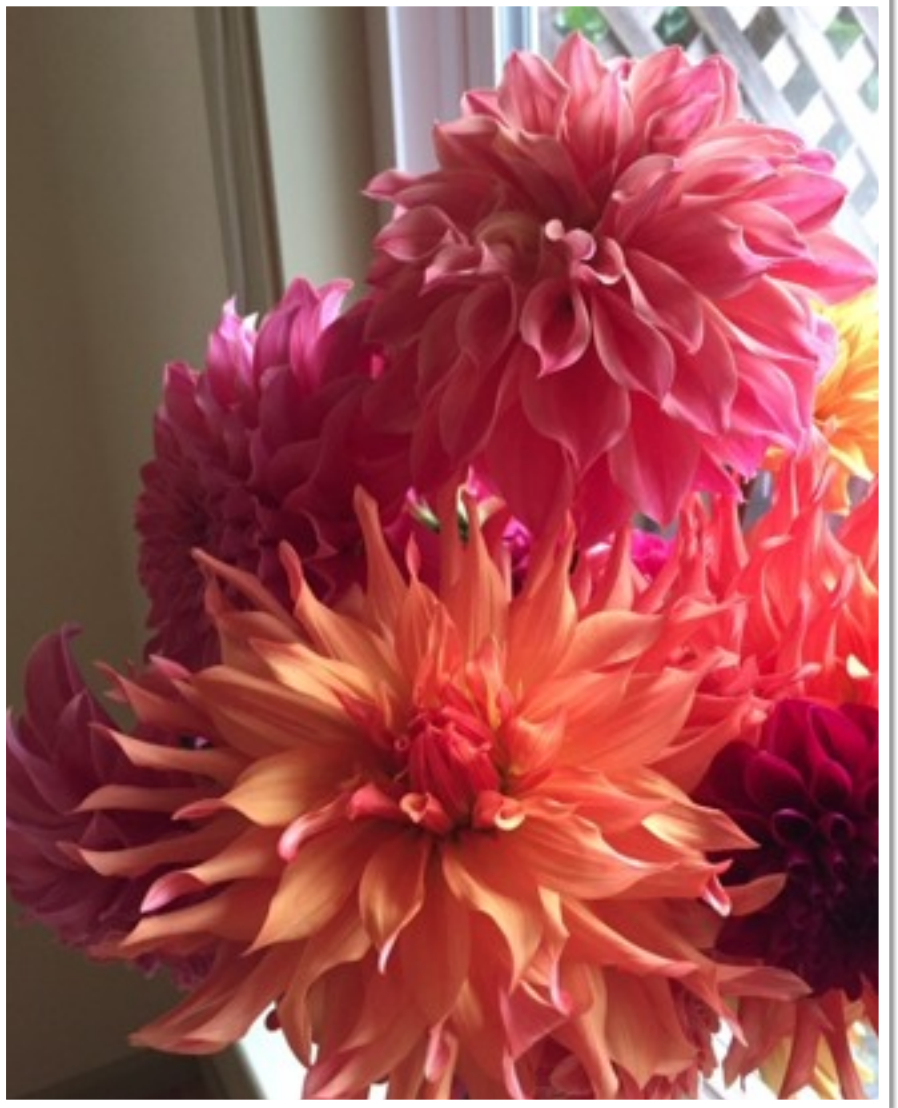
At Friday's meeting Stanford biology professor and native Californian Virginia Walbot will be speaking on color expression in dahlias. It's a don't miss event!

We have a busy next three months and here are a few upcoming dates that you should put on your calendars.

Sunday, July 17th we are hosting the Annual Dahlia Judging Seminar at Montessori School in Aptos. (8:30 am to 2:30 pm.) Email me at Kristinexxoo@gmail.com if you you will be attending.



Please put Sunday, July 24th on your calendars as well for the Mini Show at Kevin and Karen's at 296 Browns Valley Rd., 12 noon to 4pm. We will stage blooms from 12-1. Judging will begin at 2pm. The mini show is a once-a-year casual event where new members can learn how to stage blooms for a real show. The society will have blooms there, so you don't even have to bring your own blooms if they aren't blooming yet! It's a potluck so bring something to grill and something to share. It's a relaxed and fun event and I hope you all can make it.



If you have blooms in your garden now, please bring a few to Friday's meeting. Please label them so all can enjoy and learn their names.

Happy Gardening,
Kristine

SUMMER CALENDAR 2016



July

Friday, July 8	MBDS Meeting	7:00-9:00
Sunday, July 17	Judging Seminar Montessori School Winston Campus	8:30-2:30
Sunday, July 24	Mini Show at Kevin and Karen's 296 Brown's Valley Rd. Corralitos	Noon- 4pm

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	

MINUTES

There will be copies of the minutes from the May meeting at our June meeting this Friday, June 10.



THE CREW



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