



HORTICULTURE HORIZONS

The Newsletter of the Oklahoma Horticultural Society WINTER 2003
Jan/Feb



"DANIEL J. HINKLEY OF HERONSWOOD NURSERY TO SPEAK AT ANNUAL MEETING"

This year the Oklahoma Horticultural Society has the privilege of hosting Mr. Daniel J. Hinkley of Heronswood Nursery for our annual meeting. Mr. Hinkley first studied horticulture in his home state of Michigan before moving west to Washington, where he earned his masters degree. In 1989 he opened Heronswood Nursery in partnership with Robert Jones. In the years since Heronswood has grown into an internationally known nursery and laboratory where the thousands of plants Hinkley has brought back from his expeditions are grown and studied.

THURSDAY, MARCH 6, 2003 - Tulsa:

Gardening in the Shade

7:00 PM @ Aranson Auditorium; Tulsa Central Library. This location can be reached either from East 6th Street or East 4th street; west of South Denver St. Parking is available underground or at ground level on the west side of the library & around the City Hall complex. Book Sale/Signing/Reception to follow lecture

FRIDAY, MARCH 7, 2003 - Stillwater

Plant Marriages, Exceptional Combinations of Flower, Foliage and Structure

7:00 PM @ OSU Noble Research Center Bldg.

Parking lot located at Hall of Fame and Washington Streets

Book Sale/Signing to follow

SATURDAY, MARCH 8, 2003 - Oklahoma City

Plant Collecting in Turkey & Other Countries

@ Oklahoma City Zoo & Botanical Gardens Educational Center. 2101 NE 50th Educational Building at east end of the parking lot.

*12:30 PM Short Board Meeting

*1:00 PM OHS Business Meeting for
Membership

Daniel Hinkley's quest for distinctive plants has led him on dozens of expeditions. He has found interesting plants from China, Korea and Nepal to Chile and closer to home, in remote areas of North America. He has become the true definition of a 'Plant Explorer'. He writes for numerous horticultural publications, is in high demand as a speaker throughout North America and Europe and has written two books.

The Explorer's Garden, Rare and Unusual Perennials and *Winter Ornaments*

Following is a complete listing of his three scheduled talks:

*2:00 PM Daniel Hinkley's Lecture

*Board Meeting following talk

*Book Sale/Signing to follow talk

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

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Fall is such a busy time for the board members of the Oklahoma Horticultural Society. With our bi-annual meeting in Stillwater September 21, and a board meeting and program in Ponca City October 27, board members might feel this is a full time job. It was a productive time, that's for sure and I'll try to summarize what we've been up to.

Dr. David Stahle gave a great program in Stillwater on the old growth forests of Oklahoma. Oklahoma is very fortunate to still have an abundance of cedars and different oaks in the Cross Timbers, some of which were here before Columbus. We also had a silent auction at this meeting that raised in the neighborhood of \$400. We then awarded our George Vaclavek Gold Medals to two horticultural icons in Oklahoma, Charles Shakelford of TLC Nurseries and Johnny Satterlee of Satterlee's Nursery. Congratulations to them both.

In October we held our board meeting in Ponca City and provided a program for local gardening enthusiasts in an effort to educate others about the rewards of joining our society. Steve Owens, host of the TV show, 'Oklahoma Gardening' and one of our board, gave a program entitled 'Perennials For Oklahoma'. In spite of lousy weather and a misprint in the local paper on the date, about twenty people turned out. Several indicated they'd like to join us so it was a good trip. In fact, if there are some out there that think their town might like a similar program, let us know and maybe we can work something out.

As for board business these past two meetings, we pledged \$2000 to the Oklahoma Garden Festival for education, awards, etc. We also pledged \$500 to the Children's Garden Project in Stillwater and \$3000 to become a sponsor of 'Oklahoma Gardening' on OETA.

In other business, we put Sharon Beasley in charge of our booth at the Oklahoma Garden Festival, turned over the reins of our 'Garden Tour for Connoisseurs' to Bob Corcoran, came up with a plan for board attendance requirements, and formed an ad hoc committee to create a Heritage Tree Committee.

Before I end, I just want to say how fortunate we have been to have chairpersons like John Fluitt and Sharon Beasley for our 'Garden Tour for Connoisseurs'. In four years this has grown into a nationally known event and by far our biggest moneymaker. We are indebted to them for their untiring efforts, which, by the way, have not ceased. They are both still very much a part of the process.

I'm confident with our new chairman, Bob Corcoran, our tour won't skip a beat. His experience organizing groups at work, water garden tours, neighborhood groups, and being on our tour himself, makes him a perfect fit. I'm sure our tours are only going to continue to gain in popularity. We thank Bob for taking on this challenge.

Hugh Stout Jr.

ADVERTISING INFORMATION

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Issue	Deadline
Spring	March 1
Summer	May 1
Fall	August 15
Winter	November 15

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HAVE YOU BEEN TO ARNOLD'S GREENHOUSE?

If your answer is no, plan on joining the OHS for a one-day trip to do just that! And if you have been there, you know you will want to return for this spring's selections.

Arnold's Greenhouse, located in LeRoy, Kansas, is farm land owned and cared for by the Arnold family since 1905. It has been twenty years since George and Rita Arnold built a 10 X 16 foot greenhouse in their backyard. Working in the greenhouse started as a hobby for the Arnolds, but soon became a growing business which occupies the Arnold's and their three daughters full time, as well as many knowledgeable and dedicated employees. One greenhouse with 160 square feet in 1977 has now become 21 greenhouses with 80,000 square feet, lush display gardens, and an amazing assortment of perennials, trees, shrubs, conifers, herbs, vegetables, annuals, aquatics and more.

The bus trip is scheduled for Saturday, March 15. We will be leaving early, stopping

for lunch and spend as much time as possible at Arnolds and returning the same day. Plan on purchasing some awesome plant material and get a jumpstart on spring. Check out their website at

www.arnoldsgreenhouse.com

Prices for a seat on the bus have been set at \$50.00 for members and \$55.00 for non-members. A registration form with further details will be mailed soon. But for now, put this one on your calendar.

Scholarships for College Students

The Oklahoma Horticultural Society awarded five scholarships to horticulture students for the Fall 2002 & Spring 2003 semesters.

Justin Moss, a McAlester High School graduate and now received the \$1000 scholarship in honor of Paul Mitchell.

Cheryl Boyer, a 4th year student from Stillwater's Landscape Architecture program, received the \$1000 scholarship honoring Dick Payne.

Brooke Winters of Tulsa received the \$500 scholarship honoring Hugh Hedger.

Jonathan Daniel, a sophomore from Ardmore in Landscape Architecture received the \$250 scholarship honoring MaryAnn Haliburton.

All of the above are students at OSU in Stillwater.

Edward Davis from Norman, majoring in Horticultural Technology at OSU-OKC, received a \$500 scholarship honoring Hugh Hedger.

Zoo Garden Gala

Volunteers

Kathleen Ryan

Leslie Tippet

Patricia Steffens

Wanda White

Denise Tillman

Madeline Baldwin

Judy Alston

Warren Filley

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Hugh & Jennifer Stout

A big thank you goes to these OHS members for manning our booth and or supplying plants to sell.

OHS WEBSITE:

www.okhort.org

TREASURER'S REPORT

SEPTEMBER 21, 2002

CHECKING ACCT. BALANCE:

\$1181.56

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\$21,825.98

A Star is Born in The Lawn

by Steve Owens Host of Oklahoma Gardening

An interesting fungi making an appearance in many lawns across Oklahoma this time of year are the Earth Stars. Their onion-shaped fruiting bodies can be seen right at or slightly above the soil surface. Earth Stars are also similar in appearance to their close relatives, the puff balls, but have a tougher outer skin, or peridium. When it rains, the outer two layers of the peridium split and uncurl, forming a "star" with 4 to 12 rays. After this unpeeling takes place the "stomach" of the earth star is exposed allowing the multitudes of tiny smoke-like spores to be released, either by wind blowing across the surface or by rain drops striking the mass, puffing the spores into the air. The splitting and uncurling of the outer layers has enough force to push away grass blades and fallen leaves to better expose the spore mass. Both earth stars and puff balls belong to a group of fungi called the Gasteromycetes, or "stomach" fungi, referring to their stomach-like sacs filled with spores.

We are more likely to see earth stars in the fall or spring when we are having our rainy weather. The moisture allows for the growth of the fruiting bodies that we see above ground. However, the bulk of the fungus is present throughout the year underground as a large mass of thread-like

tissue called hyphae, which makes up the body of the fungus, or the mycelium. The "Fairy Rings" of other fungi we sometimes see in lawns are a visible example of how the underground network of mycelium is connected.

These masses of mycelium of earth stars, Fairy Rings, and other fungi, are for the most part, not harmful to our lawns. They are actually helpful in nature as they are saprophytic, meaning that they feed on decaying organic matter. For instance, they help in the decomposition of roots left behind from fallen trees, or any other organic material that may be in the soil. The mycelium of some soil fungi form symbiotic relationships with plant roots and actually aid the plant in the uptake of moisture and nutrients from the soil.

The spores of earth stars are very small in size and extremely dry. This allows for their ease of being whisked away by the gentlest of breezes. Interestingly, some tribes of Native Americans would pack large wounds with these spores to slow bleeding and cause clotting.

Be sure to keep an eye out for these unique stellar fungi in your lawn after a fall or spring time rainy spell causes their fruiting bodies to start growing.

OSU NEWS

Specialty Cut Flowers Workshop

February 27, 2003
Holiday Inn, Stillwater
Contact Mike Schnelle at
mas@okstate.edu
or 405-744-7361

New Floriculture Faculty Member

Dr. Todd Cavins, recent graduate of North Carolina State University, has accepted a floriculture teaching/research position at OSU, Stillwater. Todd is scheduled to begin work January 5, 2003.

Horticultural Abroad: Mexican Floriculture

Mike Schnelle, OSU, is planning a trip to Durango, Mexico next summer. He would like to travel with any Oklahoma greenhouse growers that have interest in learning more about the greenhouse industry south of the border. Interested growers should contact Schnelle at mas@okstate.edu to discuss possible tour times and associated costs.

GARDEN FESTIVAL 2003

The garden design committee (for the Oklahoma Garden Festival) has put in a lot of time and thinking about the creation for this year. We hope all the OHS members will make it down to the Cox Convention Center to see what we came up with. Be prepared to become a child again as you view "contrary Mary" of nursery rhyme fame, holding court as host of a teaparty. Do you remember the four lines of the poem? If not, you will be reminded when you stop by the OHS booth.

There will also be an exploration table to show off the beauty/strangeness of some seeds and seed pods as well as the progression of a bean sprout. We hope our creation inspires viewers to make a kid friendly area in their garden if they have young children living with them or visiting often.

We have Teresa Hoehner to thank for the theme of "Gardening with Little Sprouts," Vicky Michalik for the creation of dear Mary, JoAnne Vervinck for having been inspired by the nursery rhyme, Nancy Fernandes for her artistic creation which will be kept a secret until you view the booth and me for wielding the whip.



Gardening with Little Sprouts

Hope to see many of you at the festival. — Sharon Beasley

OHS NOMINEES

During the Annual Meeting, OHS will hold elections to fill positions for officers and board members. Following is a list of nominees for consideration. Please take a moment to review this list before coming to the business meeting at 1 pm.

Officers:

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Will Rogers Park Horticultural Gardens and Arboretum Winners for 2002

Will Rogers Horticultural Gardens and Arboretum is home to many species of plants. Our list contains those plants which have grown the best during this summer season. These plants were grown with a minimum of care and water. The group consists of annuals, perennials and shrubs. Plant descriptions include common name, Latin name and brief information describing the attributes of that plant. Some of these plants may be more uncommon and may take some effort to acquire. They are marked with an *.

ANNUALS

1. *Wedelia trilobata* - this annual groundcover is perfect for full sun. Our cultivar is randomly variegated with yellow patches in the leaves. The small yellow daisy-like flowers are borne in abundance. Native to Southern US and Central and South America.*

2. *Cleome hassleriana* 'Linda Armstrong'/ Spider Flower - A very dwarf form of the popular Spider Flower. This form has showy pink flowers and purplish stems. Flowers continue even without regular deadheading.*

3. *Leonotis leonurus*/Lion's Ear - This annual has showy orange flowers carried in 'balls' around the stem. It performs well in extremely poor soils and drought conditions. If given too much care, the plant becomes weak and floppy. Native to Africa and now found throughout the tropics.*

4. *Asclepias curassavica*/Blood Flower - An annual Butterfly Weed. Great as both a butterfly nectar source and for caterpillars to feed upon. Grows to about three feet, plant look best when massed. Flower color is a mixture of red, orange and yellow. Seed for yellow flowers only is available. Native to South America.

5. *Ratibida columnifera* 'Red Midget'/Dwarf Mexican Hat - Similar to the usual Mexican Hat but much smaller coneflowers in shades of red, orange and yellow patterns. Native to Central North America.*

6. *Salvia* 'indigo Spires' - This purplish-blue flowering salvia grows to about three feet tall. Flowers are held in long panicles above the foliage. Another excellent butterfly attractant plant. This plant may be more winter hardy if located in a sheltered area with good winter drainage.

PERENNIALS

7. *Aster lateriflorus* 'Lady In Black' - A selection of native Oklahoma species, grows to three feet tall and five feet wide. The plant is smothered in small white-lavender flowers for many weeks during the late summer into fall. Heat, pest and drought tolerant.

8. *Salvia azurea* var. *grandiflora* - An Oklahoma native salvia with striking sky-blue flowers. Grows to four feet tall. Plant is somewhat 'leggy', but grows better if it receives less water and care. This perennial is very drought tolerant and pest resistant.*

9. *Eupatorium coelestinum*/Hardy Ageratum - A vigorous, spreading perennial with mauve-blue flowers. Can grow to three feet tall. An heirloom plant that was common in 'Grandma's garden'. A native Oklahoma perennial. Prefers average conditions, but will tolerate some drought once established.*

10. *Veronica peduncularis* 'George Blue'/Speedwell - These plants produce low mounds of evergreen foliage that changes to bronze during the winter. The small flowers bloom in early spring covering the plant in bright blue. Plant is tolerant of average garden conditions but needs good sun in order to flower best. Native to Russia.

11. *Coreopsis verticillata* 'Moonbeam'/Threadleaf Tickseed - This perennial coreopsis has pale yellow daisy-like flowers with soft 'ferny' foliage. Will spread and grows to 18 inches tall. Drought resistant when established. Flowers for a long period.

12. *Bouteloua curtipendula* Sideoats Gramma - A smaller Oklahoma native grass that is highly ornamental. Flower heads begin in July and last through fall. Growth habit is tight-mound with seed heads growing to two feet. Likes no extra water once established. Pest and disease resistant.

SHRUBS

13. *Lagerstroemia x 'Dynamite'* - Dynamite Crapemyrtle - A newer selection of developed by Dr. Carl Whitcomb of Stillwater, OK. This shrub has true vibrant red flowers. It is resistant to drought and powdery mildew. Growth can reach up to 20 feet. Fall foliage color is orange.

14. *Yucca filamentosa 'Color Guard'*/Variegated Yucca - This plant has evergreen leaves with a center of yellow variegation. These plants prefer full sun and good soil drainage. They are quite drought resistant when established. They have few pest or disease problems.

15. *Hibiscus syriacus 'Meehanii'*/Variegated Rose-of-Sharon - This shrub has the familiar mauve colored flowers most people recognize. However, the leaves are boldly margined with yellow variegation. As a shrub for both flower and foliage color, it can't be beat. Grows well in full sun and average soil conditions.

BOARD ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENT

For the Board consideration:

Should the Board elect to install a Board Attendance Requirement, here is a possible wording for such an amendment. These ideas were taken from a few other organizations and combined here.

Should a Director not attend 50% of duly called meetings of the Board, they shall be considered as not performing their elected duties and their office shall be considered vacated. Extenuating circumstances may be considered on the basis of written data furnished the Board or the attendance of the next meeting.

Existing Oklahoma Horticultural Society Bylaws has an amendment to provide replacements in Article 3, Section VI. As follows,

'If the office of any Director shall become vacant by reason of death, resignation or otherwise, then a majority of the remaining members of the Board of Directors may, by majority vote, choose his or her successor. Any person so chosen shall serve for the remainder of the term of the member whose place on the Board he/she is appointed to fill. The said remaining members of the Board have this right to fill such vacancies irrespective of whether they constitute a quorum.'

Hugh Stout Jr.

NORTH CENTRAL IRIS SOCIETY

North Central Iris Society is centered in Enid and serves the north central and north west areas of Oklahoma. There are nearly 50 members of whom about half are active in the various functions of the club. Besides the annual show and rhizome sale, NCIS has provided cultivars for plantings in downtown Enid, Government Springs Park in Enid, and Bullfoot Park in Hennessey. NCIS has been very supportive of youth activities and proud to have had the winner of the 2001 Clark-Cosgrove Award for youth achievement by one of its members. The show and sales are conducted at the Oakwood Mall in Enid. Regular meetings are held on the second Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. of the months of February, March, April, June, September, October, and November in the Union Hall, 1019 N. Washington in Enid. The new President for 2003 is Elizabeth McVicker.

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HERITAGE TREE COMMITTEE

by Hugh Stout Jr

Ad-Hoc Committee;

Steve Bieberich, Cathy Connell, Johnny Satterlee, Steve Sprehe,
Russell Studebaker, Brent Suttles, George Vaclavek

On October 27, 2002, the Oklahoma Horticultural Society established an ad-hoc committee to formulate plans for the formation of a Heritage Tree Committee. This committee will seek out, identify, catalog, and label trees (and possibly shrubs) across Oklahoma that have a special significance to our state.

Those plants recognized may be one of the largest of their kind, be a rare or unusual species or may have an historical importance. Ideas for recognizing these specimens include a plaque that states the name, age, significance, our society's name, date and possibly a request to be contacted in the event of damage, disease or a need to remove. It's possible these plaques could be donated through charitable gifts.

It is our hope that we can alert the public to these gems and possibly help in protecting them. If one has to be cut down we may at least be able to propagate it and have it live on in its seedlings. This program would highlight special plants that could create added value to the property it inhabits. This in turn may generate more care for the plant.

The committee have shown an interest in this project and have been asked to help make it a reality. They are some of the most knowledgeable on this subject and their expertise will be invaluable in such a program. However this will be a huge undertaking, one that could involve every member across the state. We ask that all take the time to look around and report those plants that could be a candidate or share any ideas you have on the organization of this committee.



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ATTENTION:

A camera was found at one of the gardens on last summer's garden tour. Hopefully, it belongs to a member who can reclaim it. The pictures were developed to determine an owner, but only pictures of the tour gardens were on the roll.

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*Introduction of
Helen Nash's Article*

by Dick Moesel

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Filling different tasks in a new organization can be discouraging without sufficient communication amongst members. We did not have computers, fax or email, so much communications between meetings was done by phone or mail. When I was president, I was having a difficult time filling positions on the board and particularly historian. Surely even young organizations need to begin a history! Most of the directors had a particular project which they were interested in and still, no historian. Mrs. Helen Nash volunteered from the general membership. Her husband, Ozzie had been in the diplomatic service and both of them had a tremendous repertoire of humorous happenings to lighten things up. Whenever they were present, there was joy and humor in the air.

Helen told about when they arrived in a foreign country to serve as diplomats and she saw some beautiful flowers which she proceeded to pick. The police almost jailed her and caused a tense moment in international diplomacy.

The following article is a reprint of Mrs. Nash's story about Charles Scales, who helped draw up the Constitution and by-laws for the Horticultural Society. This article appeared in the Summer 1976 issue of Horticulture Horizons.

Hugh Hedger and I reminisced recently that Charles had two palmetos (that he dug south of Idabel), arum italicum, leatherleaf viburnum and more. He was indeed a fine gardener!

CHARLES SCALES

by Helen C. Nash
Historian OHS

THE late Charles Scales was affectionately referred to as "Mr. Garden Clubber". He was the founder of the Men's Garden Club of Oklahoma City (which later became the Mr. & Mrs. Garden Flower Club of Oklahoma City). Mr. Scales originated the idea of the Oklahoma Horticultural Society, Inc. of which he was co-founder along with Hugh Hedger, Henry Walter, Dora Daiker and Dick Moesel.

A brilliant attorney, he had studied law at Edinburgh, Scotland, and used his expertise in the articles of incorporation, the Constitution, and by-laws of the Oklahoma Horticultural Society, Inc.

THIS writer first met Mr. Scales in 1949 when he helped in the organization of the Japonica Garden Club, as speaker, a mentor, friend and counselor. His wit, his dry humor and kindly disposition added greatly to any meeting; his advice on growing seeds, cuttings, grafting and raising exotic plants, shrubs and trees was know widely, in this city, state and nationally.

CHARLES was a "dirt gardener" whose hobby was caring and sharing with friends, neighbors, and strangers not only the plants, seeds and flowers from his garden but food and refreshment as well. Taxi drivers brought strangers to view his garden (which he said had been inspired by those in Scotland and England)... and the visiting strangers became friends. Many of the taxi drivers, when asked to be shown the sights of Oklahoma City in full flower of spring, would drive to 3200 N.W. 26th Street.

THIS writer recalls Japanese yews, rhododendrons, special varieties of Azaleas, rare trees, so many unusual plants and flowers that he grew successfully, because he was unaware that they could not be grown here in this climate (at that time and in his particular soil).

CHARLES always carried in his coat pocket striped peppermints wrapped in waxed paper, and tiny seeds that would one day become a White Redbud tree, both of which he dispensed with equal joy. One of his sayings was: "Buy it, try it, sow it, grow it". Another was to become his epitaph: "Those who create beauty in a garden .. truly know the Creator.

OKLAHOMA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY 2003 EVENTS

- >January 28 OHS Monthly Meeting: "The Landscape No-Nos and Some Solutions", by George Vaclavek, Will Rogers Garden Building; 7 PM *Bring Snacks Please*
- >February 25 OHS Monthly Meeting: "Hot New Shrubs, Sizzling Old Favorites", by JoAnne Vervinck, Will Rogers Garden Building; 7 PM *Bring Snacks Please*
- >Jan 30-Feb 2, 2003 OKLAHOMA GARDEN FESTIVAL ; Cox Convention Center/OKC www.okgardenfestival.org
- >March 6-8 OHS sponsored Lecture Series by Daniel Hinkley of Heronswood
.....see inside for details
- >March 8 OHS ANNUAL WINTER MEETING & BOARD MTG; 1PM business meeting; 2Pm Speaker; OKC Zoo ..more details inside
- >March 15 OHS ONE-DAY BUS TRIP - Arnold's Greenhouse - 348-0788- Details inside...
- >June 7 OHS Garden Tour for Connoisseurs

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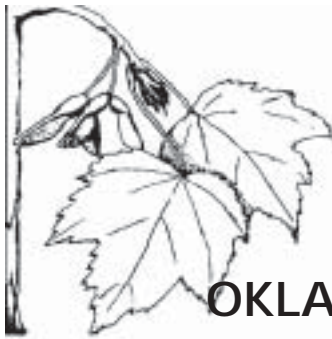
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**DANIEL J. HINKLEY
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**...in addition there will be an annual
membership business meeting,
book sale and signing by Mr. Hinkley.**

see front page for details of all 3 lectures