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Rosebuds

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Show Review &
Summer Rose Care
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L. & J. Gibson

BGRS Rose Show 2019 by Mary Ann Hext, CR

On Saturday, May 18, BGRS held its 56th rose show. In spite of weather issues and many gray days the preceding week, it was another beautiful rose show with several exhibitors from the Louisville and Nashville Rose Societies.

Our members worked hard getting everything set up on Friday afternoon and arrived early on Saturday morning with their

their entries. I believe that all BGRS members who entered the show won a ribbon and many of those were blues and some were "Best of Class."

The results of our show are posted on the Tenarky District website and photos are coming soon! Congratulations to Cindy and Dan Wernigk for winning "Best Of Show", Joyce Cox for winning "Novice Horticul-



ture", and Cynthia Dickinson for winning "Novice Arrangement".





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In Memory of Kent Campbell
In Memory of Sheila Payne's Parents
In Memory of Pauline Matus
by - Bob & Ann Jacobs
In Memory of Hext Dogs
In Memory of Linda McBride's Parents
In Memory of Ricky Lockhart's Mother
In Honor of Bill & Dorothy McMahon



I want to thank everyone that helped put on such a good rose show. Even though we didn't have lots of roses bloomed out, we still had a good show.

The roses are in full swing now. Make sure you water good, spray regularly and fertilize. Also, be spraying for thrips because mine are covered. The thrips are really bad this year. Spray with Orthene or something like it.

The June meeting on the 9th will be the last meeting we will have until August. Hope to see everyone on the 9th.



REMINDER OUR IN-CLUB COMPETITION BEGINS THIS MONTH MONTHLY IN-CLUB COMPETITION—JUNE - NOVEMBER

The competition shall consist of **ONE entry in each** of the following classes: One bloom per stem, except for sprays. Groom and fill in tags as if entering a regular rose show. Judges will comment on 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice. The top scorer in horticulture and arrangements will be recognized at the December meeting.

- Class 1—1 Single Bloom Hybrid Tea/Grandiflora
- Class 2—Single Bloom Miniature
- Class 3—1 Single Bloom Floribunda
- Class 4—1 Floribunda or Miniature Spray
- Class 5—Specimen, Any Other Type
- Class 6—Rose in a Bowl—exhibition or open—large or small roses—NEW CLASS!!
- Class 7—Arrangements—Any modern design using roses and only natural materials—large

Crown Gall by Sallie Blazer, Holston Rose Society, Newsletter Editor

While I was doing part of my spring fertilization on April 26, I found a mass at the base of one of the canes on my 'Hot Cocoa' rose bush. I immediately got my rose care book since I had never had a growth like this on any rose bush. I flipped to my diseases and pests section and learned that it was Crown Gall.

Crown Gall is a disease of the roots and crown caused by the bacterium *Agrobacterium tumefasciens*. Bacteria lives in the soil and enters plants through wounds, including the grafting/budding process. There is no therapy for infected plants. In order to control the disease, remove stems containing tumor formation and avoid wounding of the plant.

My 'Hot Cocoa' is healthy and showing no signs of a disease since I removed the one cane. I have already cut 19 blooms and there are at least 37 blooms/buds on the bush right now. (From the "Holston Rose" newsletter.)







June Rose Care by Noah Wilson, Master Rosarian, Holston Rose Society

Things I am doing to my roses in June:

- 1. Spray regularly with my favorite fungicide, per directions on the container, to prevent Black Spot.
- 2. Check for aphids and thrips and spray with an insecticide if any evidence is present.
- 3. Deadhead as blooms open and get past garden beauty. Seal end cuts with a water proof seal of carpenter's exterior glue.
- 4. Water regularly weekly an inch of water, if God does not send rain.
- 5. Feed roses with Mills Easy Feed as I water to supplement feeding of healthy, fast growing bushes.
- 6. Cut bouquets to share with shut-ins or prospective new rose growers.
- 7. Open my garden to others and share my knowledge to assist younger rose growers in improving their skills.

JACOBS OPEN GARDEN

Bob and Ann Jacobs invite everyone to visit their rose garden anytime. May and June are excellent opportunities for rose garden tours. They have over 250 roses bushes in bloom as well as an Herb garden and a Fairy garden. Call, e-mail or text a time to Ann to be sure they are home.







Rose Photography Winners: Queen: 'Dr. Huey' Sheila Payne (top left) King: 'Playboy' Mary Ann Hext (above) Princess: 'Crescendo' Bob Jacobs (bottom right)

Articles of Interest

BGRS Members Horticulture Winners Photos: Mary Ann Hext



















Large Challenge Classes

Rose in Frame 'Crescendo'—Bob Jacobs

Mixed Quartet 'Let Freedom Ring' 'Moonstone' 'Veterans' Honor' 'Sugar Moon'—Ricky Lockhart

Salute to WKU 'Sugar Moon' 'Let Freedom Ring'—Ricky Lockhart Mixed Trio 'Julia Child' 'Lavender Veranda' 'Summer Song'—Cindy Wernigk

Cycle of Bloom 'Veterans' Honor'—Bob & Ann Jacobs

English Box 'Veterans' Honor' 'Let Freedom Ring'—Ricky Lockhart

Three Knockout Roses — Mary Ann Hext

Basket of Shrub Roses 'Sally Holmes'—Cindy & Dan Wernigk Most Fragrant Rose 'Crescendo' — Bob & Ann Jacobs

Small Challenge Classes

Small Trio 'Bees Knees'—Larry Baird

M/MF English Box 'Irresistible'—Bob & Ann Jacobs

Royal Court

Queen of Show 'Moonstone'—Ricky Lockhart King of Show 'Garden Party' — Ricky Lockhart Princess of Show 'Let Freedom Ring'—Ricky Lockhart Royal Court 'Black Magic'—Mary Ann Hext Royal Court 'Gemini'—Ricky Lockhart

BGRS Members Winning Arrangements Photos: Mary Ann Hext

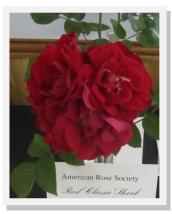




























Large Horticulture

HT Open Bloom 'Good as Gold'—Ricky Lockhart
Floribunda Bloom 'Playgirl'—Bob Jacobs
Floribunda Spray 'Life of the Party'—Ricky Lockhart
OGR Victorian 'Zephirine Drouhin'—Mary Ann Hext
Class Shrub Rose 'Linda Campbell'—Mary Ann Hext
Modern Shrub Rose Excluding D.A. 'Wise Portia'—Bob Jacobs
Modern Shrub Rose David Austin 'Graham Thomas'—Larry Baird
Ex. HT in Bowl 'Electron'—Bob & Ann Jacobs
Open HT in Bowl 'Good as Gold'—Osei Thomas

Miniature Court
King 'Arcanum'—Cindy Wernigk
Princess 'Renegade'—Larry Baird
Court 'Soroptimist International'—Larry Baird

Miniflora Court
Queen 'Whirlaway'—Bob & Ann Jacobs

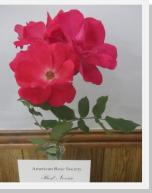
King 'Foolish Pleasure'—Larry Baird
Court 'Conundrum'—Larry Baird

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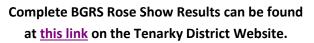
Small Horticulture
Miniature Ex. Bowl 'Joy'—Mary Ann Hext
Miniflora Ex. Bowl 'Michael'—Larry Baird

Special Classes
Novice' Double Knockout—Joyce Cox













BGRS Members Winning Arrangements













Top Row Left to Right:

- Oriental & Gold 'Darcey Bussell—Mary Ann Hext
- Royalty & Silver 'Ring of Fire'—Connie Baird
- Bronze 'Falling in Love' 'Pink Osiana' Connie Baird Middle Row Left to Right:
- Novice 'Gemini' Cynthia Dickinson
- Duke 'Fired Up' Mary Ann Hext
- Bottom Rose Left to Right
- Mini Artist & Mini Gold 'Irresistible Mary Ann Hext
- Oriental & Silver 'Bees Knees' Mary Ann Hext
- Royalty & Bronze 'Autumn Splendor' Connie Baird





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IMPORTANT DATES - 2019

- September 21: Louisville RS Rose Show at Sutherlands Hardware Store
- September 28-29: Nashville RS Rose Show at Belmont University
- October 4-6: ARS Mini National and Tenarky District Conventions and Rose Shows hosted by Tipton County RF in Franklin, TN



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BGRS does not meet in July. Our next regular meeting will be August 11.

Happy Summer!

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