



South Saskatchewan Lily Society Inc

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Our Website: <http://www.sasklilysociety.org>

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President's Message:

Hi my people,

In case most of you are not aware as it has been a very long time since we had a newsletter, I am your new president, Pamela Nerenberg. After a couple years hiatus due to Covid 19, last year we started to have more events and are working on getting back to normal as a society. We haven't been collecting on memberships due to nothing taking place so everyone was getting a reprieve but now that we are back on track we have and will be contacting everyone to renew their memberships if they still wish to be a part of our society. Our new membership person is Susan Parks (former president) and she will be contacting all of you. We would like to thank Linda Hiibner, our past membership person for all her hard work and years of service. With that being said we will also be working on a speaker for our spring seminar/meeting which is still to be announced but will take place in mid to late April. I am hoping to see some members attend and participate at this gathering as we still have some vacant positions on our executive after a few people have stepped down. The current positions we are trying to fill are: Vice President, Newsletter, Lily Show and Social Committee. If anyone is interested please feel free to contact me. Other important dates for upcoming events can be seen on our website as well we will send out reminders about upcoming events.

I would also like to mention that after last fall's bulb sale we are still left with several bulbs due to the fact that our order did not arrive in time for Victoria Square Mall sale so that impacted our sales there and therefor the following weekend at Northgate Mall we ended up with plenty of extra bulbs. If anyone is interested in any bulbs which will be at a discount please contact us, either through myself or Ron Sitter. We also will be looking for volunteers to help out at the historical gardens this spring, date to be announced, to help weed and get it all cleaned up. Unfortunately our once beautiful gardens has suffered the past few years so this past fall the soil

was rototilled and replenished. All the old bulbs that could be found were dug out and are ready to be replanted. We are hoping to rejuvenate these gardens and are also open to suggestions on how to move forward. This is something that can be brought up at the spring meeting. So watch for a notice about needing volunteers for this upcoming spring and summer. Hopefully we will get a good turnout as it is hard to put all the responsibility on one person. Other than that I hope everyone is looking forward to spring and getting outdoors and back into your gardens and yards. As I sit here today looking outside and the frigid temperatures it's hard to imagine spring is around the corner. Yes we still have about a month and a half of winter left but we have been rather spoiled this winter with many weeks of above seasonal temperatures and spring like weather, so we had to know it wouldn't last forever. Hope you all stay warm and we look forward to warmer days. Bye for now and I hope to see you all at the spring seminar.

Pamela

SAVE THE DATE

Tri-City Horticultural Society &
The Saskatchewan Horticultural Association
present:

2023 Spring Workshop

Get excited for spring and learn from highly knowledgeable
speakers:

Murray Gray - High Tunnel Growing
Taylor & Cass Hazel - Common Ground Landscaping
Rose Lecuyer - Christmas, Easter, Thanksgiving Cactus

**and
MORE!**

Check the "Tri-City Horticultural Society" Facebook Page for more details!

April 14 - 15, 2023

Seniors Hall, Nipawin, SK

\$10 - Fri
\$65 - Sat
\$75 - Both

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I grow plants
for many
reasons: to
please my eye
or to please my
soul, to
challenge the
elements or to
challenge my
patience, for
novelty or for
nostalgia, but
mostly for the
joy in seeing
them grow.

- David Hobson



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Our web site is now fully functioning and we need input from the members with articles, stories, photos, or anything you would like to share with others.

Please include your name in your correspondence.

If you have a question or comment please use the web email to contact Issy.
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