



Waco Iris Society News



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Spring at Last?

The Community Center of the Crestview Church of Christ, 7129 Delhi, in Waco, is where the Waco Iris Society holds its meetings on the third Saturday of January, March, September and November. The May meeting is generally a luncheon held at a local restaurant. The next meeting will be March 20th, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The main topic of this meeting will be focused on our Iris Show, scheduled

for April 10th. The low and extended freezing temperatures if February has had a huge affect on our irises. The membership must decide if we will have enough bloom to warrant a show. An accredited show must have 5 exhibitors and 20 entries.

Our program, presented by Peggy and Dan Cathey, will be all about using your mobile phone to take better pictures of your irises. Some things covered will be the different

settings available including manual settings and built-in editing tools. We will also cover basic photography rules and a few tips and tricks to improve color and improve your photos by "filling the frame".

If you haven't fertilized your irises yet, do it now. Clean up around your irises by removing weeds and old leaves. Check your rhizomes. If they feel soft and mushy, remove them from your garden.

January 16 , 2021 Meeting Minutes by Ken Anderson

The Waco Iris Society held its regular meeting at the Crest View Church of Christ in Waco, Texas on January 16, 2021. The meeting was called to order at 10:15 a.m. by the president, Mitch Whitley.

Roll Call: Members present were Ken Anderson, Ken Fuchs, Jerry Keeth, Mary Keeth, Jim Landers, Michael Lowe, Linda Roper, and Mitch Whitley.

Secretary's Report: The minutes of the previous meeting had been made available to all members in the January newsletter. There were no additions or corrections to the minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Mitch Whitley reported that as of December 14, 2020 the checking account balance was \$10,524.05. Checks in the amount of \$75.00 had been sent to the American Iris Society and to Region 17 of the American Iris Society in memory of Hazel Haik.

Old Business: No old business was discussed.

New Business: Jim Landers made a motion that the Waco Iris Society make a donation to the Reblooming Iris Society in honor of Hazel Haik for \$250.00. There was a second to the motion. All members voted for the motion.

Drawing for A.I.S. Member-

ship: The president stated that the drawing would be skipped because he did not have the materials used for the drawing.

Refreshments provided by various members were enjoyed prior to the program.

Program: Ken Fuchs presented the program. The first part of the program was a beautiful video tribute to Hazel Haik.

The second part of the program was a webinar video by Gary White, immediate past president of the American Iris Society. This was the second part of **Irises and The Early Years**.

Meeting adjourned at 11:20 a.m.



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Meetings held 3rd Saturday of January,
March, May,
September and November at 10 a.m.
Crestview Church of Christ
Community Center, 7129 Delhi, Waco

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Join WIS today!

Only \$10 per year. You may join at a meeting, download membership form from our website, or send a check with your name, address, phone number and e-mail address to:
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March 20, 2020
Crestview Church of Christ, Waco, TX, 10 a.m.



April 10 2020
Waco Iris Show-La Quinta Inn Woodway-Waco South
6003 Woodway Dr. (off of US-84 and
W Loop 340 (Hwy 6))
Hours-1-4 p.m.

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Help with Refreshments

Due to the current government restrictions placed on group meetings, all club refreshments must be in pre-packaged. Please help by bringing snacks and drinks for our

refreshment table. Anyone who would like to make cookies, brownies, or even sandwiches, this is OK as long as they are pre-packaged in sealed baggies. Nothing that would

require plasticware or plates.



Word Search—Iris names beginning with SHOW

Words may be across, backwards or diagonal.

- BABY
- BIZ
- CASE
- CIRCUIT
- DOWN
- DRESS
- FINALE
- GIRL
- GLOW
- MASTER
- MISS
- OFF
- PIECE
- QUEEN
- ROYALE
- STOPPER
- TIME



Show Must Go On, Karpenko, 2017

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