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Best Novice Award at the Coastal Carolina Camellia Society Show
in Charleston, SC, January 23, 2016
Mary Kay Hall's *Black Magic*.

The interesting part of this story is that this was the first bloom on one of Mary Kay's first and only two camellia plants. Both plants are *Black Magic*, and both plants were purchased in Charleston at the 2014 Coastal Carolina Camellia Society Show. Photo by Frank Mims

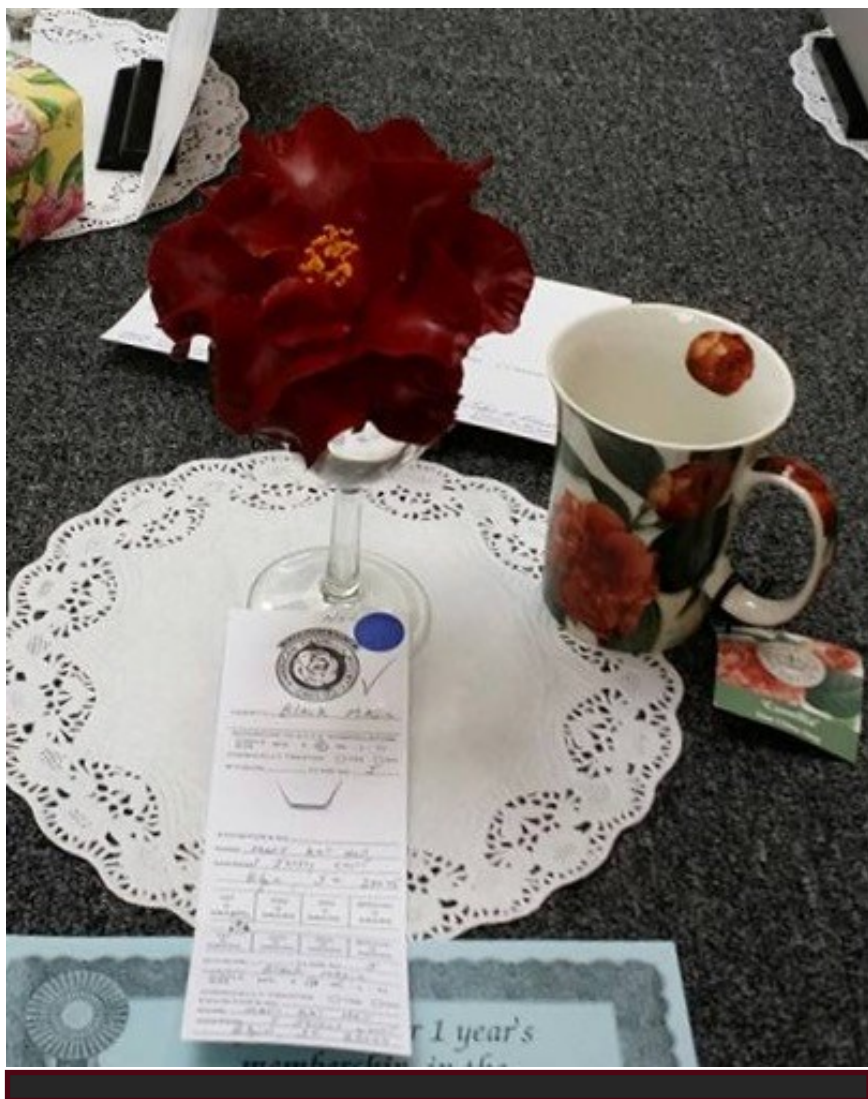


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President's Message

By Clayton Mathis



Another camellia show season has ended and we've seen so many outstanding blooms.

Thanks to the growers who brought their blooms and worked at the shows. A big thanks to all of you who gave your time and skill as show judges.

The ACS convention in Charleston was well attended and the committee planned many interesting tours of nearby gardens. It was good to see ACS President, Jim Campbell, there and again at the show at Masee Lane.

The Wiregrass Camellia Society sponsored show held in Thomasville, GA was the first ACS accredited show there in many years. It was well organized, well attended and more than 1200 blooms were displayed.

I have emptied my rooting tents and count last years cuttings, air layers, and grafting session as some of my very best. I have grafted 45 new varieties and air layered 86 new plants. I'm looking forward to taking new cuttings in July and August from our camellia plants.

Save the date, September 16-17, 2016, for the ACCS convention to be held in Litchfield Beach. Please bring items for the auction, our primary fundraiser.

Remember it is no politics, no egos, just flowers, fellowship, and good food!

Camellia Growers of Prominence: Jim and Elaine Smelley

By John and Dinh Swanson

This article is the third of a series drawing attention to Camellia Growers of prominence and features Jim Smelley, and his late wife, Elaine. The Smelleys, from Moss Point, Mississippi began growing camellias when they were married in the late 1950s and moved into a new home on land just above but leading down to a bayou with access to the Gulf of Mexico. They continually expanded their cultivation of camellias, began showing and breeding camellias, and Jim continues what was a joint effort for many years before Elaine passed away in January, 2013. Jim and Elaine received the A.C.S. Tablet of Honor Award in 2014. Pic #1 shows Jim and Elaine at the 2011 ACCS Banquet.



Jim Smelley spent his first 15 years going to school and working on the

family row-crop farm near Tuscaloosa, Alabama. At that point in his life his family moved to the Pascagoula, MS area where his father worked in the shipyards. At 17 Jim entered the armed services for a two year stint. When asked what he did after he completed military service, his response was, "I had a real good time." He goes on to say, "Then I met Elaine, a Moss Point girl, and she put a stop to that." Jim and Elaine were married in 1954 and bought and moved into the home Jim continues to live in today and to which he welcomed us during our visit. Before their marriage Jim was not into camellias. His first encounter with camellias was when, shortly after the wedding, Elaine asked Jim to go to her family

home and dig up seven camellia plants and bring them to their new residence and plant them.



(Pic #2) Here is a picture of Jim beside one of the original plants Jim dug up, moved, and replanted at their new home, a Japonica called *Colletii* (*Red Book*) that continues to thrive. From those seven original plants that also included *Drama Girl* and *Duchess of Sutherland*, the Smelley's inventory gradually expanded in Moss Point to about 50 and then when the greenhouses were added, to over 800 camellias, primarily japonicas and reticulatas and a few sasanquas.

(Pic #3) In the back yard Jim stands in front of a *Drama Girl* and a circular *Betty Sheffield* and its sports garden, and in the background is a live oak that was the size of Jim's leg when they moved into the house. It was here that Elaine first discovered the sport *Elaine's Betty* and successive sports *Elaine's Betty Pink*, and *Elaine's Betty Red*.



(Pic. #4 shows an example) It is also from where Jim and Elaine watched as Hurricane Katrina brought a super Tidal surge of water to within a few feet of the house. The hurricane also deposited a huge debris load that included



parts of homes, boats, and other buildings that had been destroyed. It took over a year and much labor and expense to clean up.

Jim showed us the inside of his home that is still heavily stocked with trophies won over more than 50 years from showing camellias. Jim has given away many trophies and plans to share more. Yet, seeing the number

of trophies still present it was easy to see that Jim and Elaine were big winners. Jim is now in the process of remodeling his home, a room at a time. It is a work in progress and keeps him busy when he is not at the greenhouses.

In the 60's the Smelleys gradually added camellias to their landscape from local nurseries and other sources. In the 70's they joined the Moss Point Camellia Club that was active at the time, but when it faded away in the 80's they then joined the Mobile Camellia Club and Jim continues his membership. Jim developed solid skills as a camellia grafter. Both the Smelleys received good mentoring and guidance from club members in Moss Point and Mobile, and of course became mentors to others in the process. The Smelley's involvement in camellia growing and showing was early-on recognized when a prominent Camellia Nursery in Belle Fontaine named and registered the Japonica *Elaine Smelley* in 1978. In the 80s the Smelleys continued to expand their outdoor grown camellia collection and were very active in the show circuit. Jim is recognized as one of the top three growers in the world.

Jim spoke of how in the early years it was a big deal to become judges, and how in those days the contests were much more formal events. Judges wore coats and ties, and often there was a Camellia Queen and her

court, and camellia flower arrangements were also an important part of the show. Elaine became known as the Judge's Judge and taught judging schools and recertification throughout the Atlantic and Gulf Coast Regions.

You are probably thinking that caring for all their camellias would be a full time job. Not so. Both Jim and Elaine had successful and lengthy careers, Jim with a local paper mill for 45 years, and Elaine with AT&T for 38 years. In the early years Jim was also a shrimper having more than one boat and he actively went shrimping and fishing and, depending on the level of success with the catch, was for home consumption and sharing of any surplus with friends, neighbors and those in need.

During the early 1990's The Smelley's purchased a recently repossessed 15 acre plot near Agricola, MS, about 30 miles North and a little East of Moss Point. The land was held by a bank in Lucedale. When Jim inquired about the price, he learned that bank board member Vernon Howell (Famous for Howell's Camellia Nursery) was soon going to post the land for sale, so the purchase and transfer of property to Jim and Elaine moved rapidly forward. Camellia connections are often helpful. On that property, the first priority was to build a double-wide greenhouse. (See Picture #5). They began growing reticulatas and selected japonicas, crossing different varieties, raising seedlings, variegating, and, of course winning shows. Gradually, over the years they added two more greenhouses giving them 12,000 sq. ft. of protected growing space, and a house to accommodate longer stays on the land, and to help entertain visitors who continue to arrive in numbers. Jim continues to welcome guests from far and wide.



One of the early seedlings Jim and Elaine raised was a Very Large Retic that Jim called *Reward* because it seemed to be a great result after so much work. But he was in no rush to register *Reward*. content to enjoy it without registering it. Over time friends and colleagues got wind that there was this monster size Retic in the Smelley greenhouse. One colleague suggested that the plant should be named and registered as *Jim Smelley*. Now, Jim is not the kind of fellow that likes to draw attention to himself, so initially he just pooh-poohed the idea. But then his friend persisted and indicated that if Jim did not register it as *Jim Smelley*, he was going to register a small non-descript camellia Japonica and name it *Jim Smelley*. That was enough to persuade Jim to register the *Jim Smelley* we have all come to appreciate. It is interesting that sometimes it takes a gentle push from a

different direction to achieve the desired result. (Pic #6 shows Jim and Reward"that later became *Jim Smelley*)



On the land they also propagated day lilies and numerous amaryllis cultivars and seedlings. Their interest in gardening also extended to growing food for the table. Potatoes, greens and other vegetables are regularly grown and consumed.

The Smelleys quickly adopted the camellia lovers tradition of sharing plants, scions, rootstocks, and knowledge with any and all with an interest in learning or trying something new. Jim and Elaine were founding members of the ACCS and Jim continues to share his knowledge as a Board Member. Notice in picture #7 a long double row of large white Styrofoam cups inverted over rootstocks that have recently been grafted. The grafts were made by three different camellia associations. The two rows of plants



on the left in the picture are rootstocks to be used in the future for similar grafts and sharing the wealth of varietal diversity existing in the Smelley camellia collection. There are numerous other similar sites scattered around the grounds with grafting done or still planted by associations and/or individuals from as far away as Tallahassee, FL and Valdosta, GA, so don't be surprised to see varieties with the origin on the Smelley's properties showing up wherever camellias are grown in the U.S. and world-wide. Jim has also gifted many plants to regional and local fund raising events.

Varieties the Smelleys registered are both Japonicas and Reticulatas, and include: *Elaine's Betty* and subsequently *Elaine's Betty, Pink, and Elaine's Betty, Red, Angel Marie, Elizabeth Dowd Mystique, Red Mountain, Summer Pearl, and Burgandy Rose*. Retics include: *Linda Griffin, Skip's Choice*, and , of course, *Elaine, and Jim Smelley*. (Pic. #8 for an un-gibbed bloom of *Elaine*)



When asked his personal favorite camellia varieties, here is his reply.

Favorite Japonicas are: *Carter's Sunburst, Various Tomorrows, Edna Bass,*

Paul Haskee, Mrs. D.W. Davis, and various sports.

Favorite Reticulatas are: *Hall's Pride, Pleasant Memories, Frank Houser* (regular and variegated), *Ray Gentry*, and *Curtain Call* as a seed setting parent.

Some of the cultural practices Jim uses are:

After danger of hard freezes has passed the plastic covering on the greenhouses is removed. Fresh plastic is put back in place in October. Greenhouse plants in the ground are watered once a week, and those plants in pots, twice a week.

Fertilizer (8-9 month slow release Harrell's 16-4-10 with micro nutrients) is applied in October, by hand. Quantities are determined by plant size. Some processed poultry manure from Graco is also used as a supplement.

Gibbing. Gibbing is done starting about 45 days prior to the first show dates, and continues as long as shows are going to be attended and blooms entered. Elaine did much of the gibbing.

Prepping blooms for show. Jim spends about 8 hours during the week of the show getting blooms ready. He noted that he is less meticulous than Elaine was in that regard. She was very careful to display blooms in perfect condition and properly placed.

Pruning. Primary pruning is done in the Spring after blooming is over, and year around pruning as needed to touch up.

Disbudding. Jim disbuds heavily leaving about 15 buds on a mature plant.

Preferred Grafting stock. Jim likes to use *Kumagai Nagoya, Winter's Joy*, and *Maiden's Blush*.

Grafting. Jim was an early adopter of grafting and that served him well over the years. He obtained many of their plants from obtaining scions from colleagues and other camellia growers and thus expanded their collection.

Breeding. Both Jim and Elaine pollinated and cross-bred desired plants, collected the seeds produced and grew seedlings from those pollinations.

Potting soil mix. Jim uses a potting soil mixture of six parts ground pine bark with one part sand. To that mix he adds some trace elements and some processed poultry manure he obtains from Graco, locally.

Advice for Club success: Have good mentoring, good programs, and good refreshments at meetings.

Advice for new camellia growers:

Get good plants, good mentoring and talk to club members for guidance.

Learn how to graft . Grow seedlings.

Jim had a few health issues over the past few years, but after a hip replacement, and installation of a pace-maker we can say he is a hip fellow that paces himself well for the future. We wish him well with these modern technologies.

We choose to draw this brief narrative to a close with two pictures that will motivate us well into the future, and we thank The Smelleys for serving as outstanding role models for the advancement of the camellias we all enjoy. First (pic #9) a pic of Jim gently couching *Elaine* in his hand, and second, (pic #10) Jim Smelley standing beside *Jim Smelley*



So You Want To Show Camellias Part 3

By Bonnie Serpas

It's a new year and the camellia people are off and running. With the holidays behind us, January came in with cold weather, rain and the beginning of an abundance of camellias. I am so looking forward to the first meeting of the New Year. I learn a lot from the programs and the room chatter. I found two shows I would like to attend (Myrtle Beach area and Charleston).

I didn't take any blooms to the Grand Strand Show. I just wanted to study what goes on and to look for the ocean and beach. Someone at the show told me about a place to eat She Crab Soup. Is there a He Crab Stew? I was not disappointed one bit.

Don't laugh, but I made my debut at a National Convention! Early on the cold day of the show, my four flowers (in a plastic box with fluff and a lid) and I made our way to Charleston. This Yankee Peacock strutted into the prep area like I knew what I was doing, took a tray, cups and water and proceeded to display my trophies. I said to myself, "Remember, one leaf but not more than two, shinny side up". Leaves do not need to stay attached to the stem.

A lady I did not know came over to me as I was walking with my tray. Good morning! Can I give you a suggestion? Sure! Don't drown your blooms in those cups. Bigger is not always better---see---use a smaller cup to support the bloom and make the bloom say "look I'm here" Always present your blooms as you would present yourself to the public. Wow! I never thought of that before. I didn't make it to the Head Table with the big boys but one of my blooms was awarded a second place. I'm off and running.

February was our show where I won a first place in the Local Category. A blue sticker to me is like "Gib" to a flower bud. I'm bitten by the bug now.

In March, after the plants stop blooming but before they begin to put out new growth, prune, prune, prune but not more than a third of the live growth. Always cut back as close as possible to a lateral bud or branch. If large cuts are made, it is advisable to paint the open cut with pruning paint. Good sanitation of the pruning tools are important. Wash or dip the tools in a mixture of Chlorox water or rubbing alcohol.

Drastic pruning may be necessary to restore an old camellia to vigorous growth or to reduce it to a size that can be managed. To prune an old camellia, cut back each branch to a healthy shoot, leaving it to grow. If no healthy shoots can be found, remove a large portion of the poor branch and wait to see which part will put out new growth. Pruning should be an annual practice to help you grow show quality blooms.

Don't give the camellia a flat cut, as with hedge trimmers. Don't prune one plant and move on to another plant without disinfecting the pruning tools.

Dirty tools help spread dieback.

I am enclosing two handouts that I am using in my progress. I hope they will help.

March

Spray with fungicide.

Spray with Ultra fine oil, Volck for Scale or spread Safari or Bayer Shrub and Tree Insect Control (controls scale, spider mites).

Fertilize. Use good fertilizer w/micro-nutrients (Holly Tone or other quality fertilizers Vertigro, etc.)

Pickup spent blooms

Prune heavily. Camellias do best when plants are open to air.

April

- Spray with fungicide
- Mulch plants (pine straw or pine bark)
- Continue pruning to reduce number of terminal ends where later buds will form.
- Begin air layering to obtain new plants or understock for grafting.

May

- Spray for chewing insects, aphids and spider mites.

June

- Keep plants watered
- Spray for chewing insects and aphids

July

- Keep plants watered
- Fertilize plants. Good quality 10-10-10 or similar is fine
- Control chewing insects
- Start rooting cuttings. First year hard wood

Spider Mites

Kelthane	Neem Oil
TetraSan	Ultiflora
Akari	Forbid 4F
Talstar & Orthene	

Insecticide

Malathion	Volck Oil Spray
Bifen	Cygon
Ultra Pure Oil	

Fungicide

Liquid Copper	Kocide
Daconil	Bravo
Junction	Mancozeb
Cleary 3333	Pristine or Pagent

Editor' Note: All of a sudden, our neophyte, prissy, "Miss Charlotte-learning-about-camellia-shows," has turned into an expert! I'll bet she got her expert advice from her old man, Geary.

Winter/Spring Show Reports

The Gainesville Camellia Society, January 9-10 2016
Show Chairman - Itma Valez

716 Blooms Exhibited, 711 Attendees, 41 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	45 Blue Ribbons	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	35 Blue Ribbons	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
Gold Cert. (prot.):	181 Blue Ribbons	Jerry & Carol Selph
Silver Cert. (prot.):	3 Blue Ribbons	Jay & Debbie Ellis
BB unprot.:	<i>Cherries Jubilee</i>	Neil Nevin
BB prot.:	<i>Pat Pinkerton</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. japonica unprot., untreated:	VLg: <i>Show Time</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>Lauren Tudor</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Lg:	<i>Granada</i>	J. A. Hogsette, Jr.
RU:	<i>Leila Gibson</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Elaine's Betty</i>	Bob & Gail Reese
RU:	<i>Grand Marshal</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Sm:	<i>Ruby Mathews</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Miss Lillian</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
C. japonica unprot., treated:	VLg: <i>Show Time</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Edna Bass Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Lg:	<i>Melissa Anne</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>Camille</i>	Eileen Hart
Md:	<i>Midnight Magic Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Florence Stratton Pink Var.</i>	Eileen Hart
Sm:	<i>Kay Berridge</i>	Bob & Gail Reese
RU:	<i>Ruby Mathews</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. japonica prot.:	VLg: <i>Edna Bass Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Paul Haskee Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg:	<i>Happy Birthday</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Cleve James Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Lady Laura Red</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm:	<i>Red Hots</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Brooke</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:	VLg: <i>Pearl Terry</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Lg:	<i>Nita McRae</i>	Ben George
RU:	<i>Jack Mandarich</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Sm/Md:	<i>Jeannie Ruth</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Mary O'Donnell</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:	VLg: <i>Victoria Whiddon</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg:	<i>Larry Piet</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Myra Price</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm/Md:	<i>TitleTown USA</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Lady Ruth Ritter</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot., untreated:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Rose Bouquet</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Cile Mitchell</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter

Md:	<i>Waltz Time Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Brian Dick
Sm:	<i>Sweet Emily Kate</i>	Bob & Gail Reese
RU:	<i>Tom Perkins</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot., treated :		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Tom Perkins</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Tom Perkins Var.</i>	Bob & Gail Reese
Md:	<i>Betty Ridley Var.</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>Julie Var.</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Sm:	<i>Punkin</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Tom Perkins</i> Jerry & Carol Selph		
RU:	<i>Rose Bouquet Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Debbie</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Kagirohi</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm:	<i>Freedom Bell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Min. unprot.:	BB: <i>Fircone Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	David & Sandra Williams
Min. prot.:	BB: <i>Fircone</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Men's Mini</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Snowman</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Ruffian</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Sasanqua, Vernalis or Hiemalis grown prot. or unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Shibori-Egao</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Star Above Star</i>	Ben George
Best Seedling:	<i>Seedling</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Best Sport (Mutant) Bloom	<i>Sport of Star Above Star</i>	Bev Connor
Tray of 3-same variety unprot.:	BB: <i>Cherie Shirah</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>M. L. Spencer</i>	Brian Dick
Tray of 3-same variety prot.:	BB: <i>Sweet Emily Kate</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Little Babe Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot.:	BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry Connor
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot.:	BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Novice Bloom:	BB: <i>Pink Perfection</i>	Nancy Loper
BB:	<i>Blue Danube</i>	Nancy Loper
GAINESVILLE CAMELLIA SOCIETY AWARDS		
Founder's Trophy – Best unprot. bloom by GCS Member:		
	<i>Doris Ellis</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Sweepstakes Award:		Jay & Debbie Ellis

Grand Strand Camellia Society, January 9-10, 2015

Show Chairman - Mack McKinnon

954 Blooms Exhibited, 1227 Attendees, 44 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	26 Blue Ribbons	Tony & Christine Smith
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	16 Blue Ribbons	Jack & Patsy Cundiff
Gold Cert. (prot.):	24 Blue Ribbons	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Silver Cert. (prot.):	14 Blue Ribbons	Richard Mims
Best Japonica Bloom in Show unprot. - Neal Cox Memorial Award:		
	<i>Lundy's Legacy</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas

Best Japonica Bloom in Show prot. - Lucille Vanderbilt Pate Award:

	<i>Mary Fischer</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. japonica unprot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Rena Swick Var.</i>	Miles & Brenda Beach
RU:	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Md:	<i>Grand Marshal Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
RU:	<i>Dawn's Early Light</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Sm:	<i>Maroon & Gold</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
RU:	<i>Man Size</i>	Jim & Carolyn Dickson
C. japonica prot.:	Lg/VLg <i>Clark Hubbs Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Helen Bower</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Md:	<i>Ville de Nantes</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Black Magic</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
Sm:	<i>Buddy Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Pink Perfection</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
RU:	<i>Miss Sally</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:	BB: <i>Linda Carol</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:	<i>Julia</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:	<i>Charlean Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best Min. unprot.:	<i>Fircone</i>	David & Anna Sheets
Best Min. prot.:	<i>Little Slam</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Melissa Anne</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Ivory Tower</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Species:	<i>Shibori-Egao</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Novice Bloom:	<i>Lemon Glow</i>	Michael Gabay
Best Seedling/Sport:	<i>Seedling</i>	Randy & Anita Lampley
Best Local Bloom - Horry or Georgetown Counties -	Johnnie L. Walker Award:	
	<i>Kuro Delight</i>	Jack & Patsy Cundiff

COURT OF HONOR

C. japonica:		
1	<i>Carter's Sunburst</i>	Randy & Anita Lampley
2	<i>Mary Alice Cox</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
3	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
4	<i>Lauren Tudor</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
5	<i>Helen Beach</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
6	<i>Tudor Baby</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. reticulata or C. hybrid		
1	<i>Ruta Hagmann</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
2	<i>Pleasant Memories</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
3	<i>Charlean Var.</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher
4	<i>Delores Edwards</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell

The Tallahassee Camellia Society, January 9-10, 2016

Show Chairman - Stewart Tomlinson, Show Co-chairman - Alex Hinson

1,537 Blooms Exhibited, 350 Attendees, 47 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	72 blue ribbons, 9 red ribbons	Fred & Sandra Jones
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	72 blue ribbons, 5 red ribbons	William & Linda Nichols
Gold Cert. (prot.):	56 blue ribbons	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Silver Cert. (prot.):	25 blue ribbons	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
BB unprot. - Sara P. Paul Award:	<i>Holy Pure</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
BB prot. - L. H. Paul Award:	<i>Ray Gentry Var.</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden

C. japonica unprot.: Lg: <i>Helen Bower Var.</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Md: <i>Black Magic</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Sm: <i>Red Hots</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
C. japonica prot.: VLg: <i>Paul Haskee Var.</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
Lg: <i>Tomorrow's Sweet Image</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Md: <i>Grand Marshal</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm: <i>Bon Bon</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:	
VLg: <i>Frank Houser Var.</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
Lg: <i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Md: <i>TitleTown USA</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:	
VLg: <i>Ruta Haggmann</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden
Lg: <i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Md: <i>Mary O'Donnell</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Tom Perkins</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Md: <i>First Blush</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
Sm: <i>Punkin</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:	
Lg/VLg: <i>Mona Jury Var.</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
Md: <i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm: <i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best Min. unprot.: <i>Tootsie</i>	Kyle Purvis
Best Min. prot.: <i>Fircone Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best White Bloom unprot.: <i>Melissa Anne</i>	Les Williams
Best White Bloom prot.: <i>Melissa Anne</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Best Seedling or Sport Bloom, prot. or unprot.: <i>GS-989</i>	Mark Crawford
Tray of 3-same variety unprot.: <i>Lundy's Legacy</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot.: <i>Show Time, Paul Haskee, Frank Houser Var., Elaine's Betty Var., Dick Hardison</i>	Stewart Tomlinson
Tray of 3-same variety prot.: <i>Mona Jury Var.</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot.: <i>Mona Jury Var., Grand Marshal Var., Frank Houser, Frank Houser Var., Valentine Day Var.</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
COURT OF HONOR	
unprot.	
1 <i>W. P. Gilley</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
2 <i>Julia</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
3 <i>Mini Pink</i>	William & Linda Nichols
4 <i>Miss Lillian</i>	William & Linda Nichols
5 <i>Night Rider</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
6 <i>In the Pink Var.</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
7 <i>Brian</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
prot.	
1 <i>Bill Goertz</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
2 <i>Julie</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
3 <i>Midnight Magic Var.</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
4 <i>Linda Carol</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden
5 <i>Waltz Time Supreme</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
6 <i>Sweet Jane</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
NOVICE BB: <i>Pink Swirl</i>	Stacy Slavichak
RU: <i>Red Blossom</i>	Darlene Long
Best White Bloom: <i>Sea Foam</i>	Darlene Long

Best Hulyn Smith or Cultivar Originated by Hulyn Smith

Ray Gentry

William & Linda Nichols

Aiken Camellia Society, January 16-17, 2016

Show Chairmen - Lee Poe & Jim Dickson

958 Blooms Exhibited

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	Tony & Christine Smith
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	Fred & Sandra Jones
Gold Cert. (prot.):	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Silver Cert. (prot.):	Richard Mims
BB - The Tom & Dottie Evans Award: <i>Lady Laura</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. japonica unprot.: Lg/VLg - The Jim Stutts Award: <i>Al Ewan</i>	Gary & Bonnie Serpas
Md: <i>Grand Marshal Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Sm: <i>Red Hots</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
C. japonica prot.:	
Lg/VLg - The Paul & Marie Dahlen Award: <i>Clark Hubbs</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Md: <i>Ville de Nantes</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Sm: <i>Little Babe Var.</i>	Richard Mims
Best White japonica: <i>Melissa Anne</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.: <i>Harold L. Paige</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.: <i>Frank Houser</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.: <i>Blue Danube</i>	Warren & Cheryl Thompson
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.: <i>Taylor's Perfection</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Min. unprot.: <i>Fircone Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Best Min. prot.: <i>Spring Festival</i>	Richard Mims
COURT OF HONOR	
1 <i>Rose Dawn</i>	Richard Mims
2 <i>Shikibu</i>	James & Janet Pruckler
3 <i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
4 <i>Elaine's Betty</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
5 <i>Purple Swirl</i>	Julia Leisenring
6 <i>Sweet Jane</i>	David & Sandra Williams
7 <i>Frank Houser</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
8 <i>Spring Daze</i>	Richard Mims
9 <i>Royal Velvet</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
10 <i>Helen Bower</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
11 <i>Man Size</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
12 <i>Big Dipper Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Tray of 3-same variety: <i>Charlie Bettes</i>	Julia Leisenring
Tray of 5-diff. varieties: <i>Edna Bass, Show Time, Tomorrow's Dawn, Lady Laura, Carter's Sunburst Blush</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best Seedling - The W. Lee Poe Award: <i>K-Mi</i>	Richard Mims
Best Bloom by Novice Exhibitor - Grown unprot.: <i>Jury's Yellow</i>	Beth Riesenberger
Best Local Bloom - Grown within 25 miles of Aiken: <i>Jury's Yellow</i>	Beth Riesenberger

The Camellia Society of Central Florida, January 16, 2016

Show Chairwoman - Katie Wollam

949 Blooms Exhibited, 600 Attendees, 40 Exhibitors

Gold Certificate:	Jerry & Carol Selph
Silver Certificate:	Chuck & Bev Ritter
BB unprot. & untreated: <i>Brooke</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
BB unprot. & treated: <i>Mathotiana</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter

BB prot.:	<i>Mackenzie Green</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. japonica unprot., untreated:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Mrs. D. W. Davis Descanso</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
RU:	<i>Lauren Tudor</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Betty Sheffield Silver</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>Firefalls Var.</i>	Brian Dick
Sm:	<i>Les Marbury</i>	Becky & Micheal Andrews
RU:	<i>Les Marbury Blush</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. japonica unprot., treated: Lg/VLg: <i>Tomorrow Var.</i>		
RU:	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Elaine's Betty</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Clown</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Sm:	<i>Kay Berridge</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Whoopee</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
C. japonica prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Lucy Stewart</i>		
RU:	<i>Clark Hubbs</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Midnight Magic</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Candy Apple</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm:	<i>Ellen Daniel Red</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Les Marbury</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Nita McRae</i>		
RU:	<i>Jack Mandarich</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Sm/Md:	<i>Mary O'Donnell</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Black Lace Peony</i>	(no name)
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Big Apple Var.</i>		
RU:	<i>Mandalay Queen</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm/Md:	<i>Mary O'Donnell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Lady Ruth Ritter</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Tom Perkins</i>		
RU:	<i>Taylor's Perfection</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
Sm/Md:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Punkin</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Anticipation</i>		
RU:	<i>Charlean Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm/Md:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Debbie Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Min. unprot.:	BB: <i>Fragrant Joy</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Just Darling</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Best Min. prot.:	BB: <i>Baby Rhodo</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Men's Mini</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Sasanqua (and related species): BB: <i>Chansonette</i>		
RU:	<i>Shooting Star</i>	Eileen Hart
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Mary Alice Cox</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Ruffian</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
Tray of 3-same variety unprot., untreated:	BB: <i>Dr. John Vaughn</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Satsuma Kurenai</i>	Bev Connor
Tray of 3-same variety unprot., treated:	BB: <i>Pink Perfection</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
RU:	<i>Mary Dillard</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
Tray of 3-same variety prot.:	BB: <i>Ellen Daniel Red Var.</i>	Eileen Hart
RU:	<i>Little Babe Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot., untreated:	BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
		Eileen Hart

RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Bev Connor
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot., treated: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i> Chuck & Bev Ritter		
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot.: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i> Jerry & Carol Selph		
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Seedling: BB <i>Seedling</i> Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman		
RU:	<i>Seedling</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Best Sport (Mutant) Bloom: BB: <i>Sport</i> Becky & Micheal Andrews		
RU:	<i>Sport</i>	Eileen Hart
Novice BB: <i>Nuccio's Bella Rossa</i> Rogers & Pam Kirven		
RU:	<i>Kramer's Supreme</i>	Rogers & Pam Kirven
Local Bloom: BB: <i>Prince Eugene Napoleon</i> Eugene Carpenter		
RU:	<i>Mrs. Charles Cobb</i>	Denise McKinney
Jerry Conrad Heritage Bloom Award: BB: <i>Pink Perfection</i> Bev Connor		
RU:	<i>Mathotiana</i>	Ben George

Coastal Carolina Camellia Society, January 23, 2016
 Show Chairman - Darren Sheriff
 831 Blooms Exhibited, 500 Attendees, 40 Exhibitors

AMERICAN CAMELLIA SOCIETY AWARDS

Best Japonica – Aminta C. Cawood Award:		
	<i>Lady Laura Red</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best Formal Double C. Japonica – Frances Shannon Racoff Award:		
	<i>Dick Hardison</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Best Australian Origin Bloom – Australian Camellia Research Society Award:		
	<i>Margaret Davis</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Gold Cert. (unprot.):	56 Blue Ribbons	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	28 Blue Ribbons	Tony & Christine Smith
Gold Cert. (prot.):	40 Blue Ribbons	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Silver Cert. (prot.):	32 Blue Ribbons	Richard Mims
Best Unprot. Japonica Bloom in Show - Magnolia Award:		
	<i>Tudor Baby Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. japonica unprot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Royal Velvet Var.</i> Geary & Bonnie Serpas		
RU:	<i>Edna Bass Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Cherries Jubilee</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>Deep Secret</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
Sm:	<i>Brooke Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Purple Swirl</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. japonica prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Clark Hubbs Var.</i> Buck & Tyler Mizzell		
RU:	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Md:	<i>Lady Laura</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
RU:	<i>Mary Edna Curlee</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Sm:	<i>Black Gold Var.</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
RU:	<i>Buddy Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.: VLg: <i>Pearl Terry</i> Chuck & Bev Ritter		
RU:	<i>Dora Lee</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
Sm-Lg:	<i>W. P. Gilley</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>Larry Piet</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.: VLg: <i>Pleasant Memories</i> Buck & Tyler Mizzell		
RU:	<i>Ray Gentry Var.</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden

Sm-Lg:	<i>Big Apple</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:	<i>Punkin</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Best C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:	<i>Taylor's Perfection</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Min. unprot.:	<i>Just Darling</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Best Min. prot.:	<i>Pearl's Pet</i>	Julia Leisenring
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Melissa Anne</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Melissa Anne</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best Species:	<i>Hanami Gasa</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
Best Seedling/Sport:	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill Fimbriated</i>	Richard Mims
Best Novice Bloom:	<i>Black Magic</i>	Mary Kay Hall

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unprot.:

1	<i>Black Magic</i>	Roger Vinson
2	<i>Les Marbury</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
3	<i>Camille</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
4	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill Var.</i>	Tony & Christine Smith
5	<i>Elaine's Betty Red</i>	Susan Walker
6	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Jimmy Williams

prot.:

1	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
2	<i>Dixie Knight Supreme</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
3	<i>Pirate's Gold</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
4	<i>Purple Swirl</i>	Julia Leisenring
5	<i>Little Slam</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
6	<i>Tomorrow Park Hill Blush</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell

LOCAL AWARDS

Best Local Bloom in Show:	<i>Fashionata</i>	Sam Lybrand
Lg/VLg:	<i>Bob Hope</i>	C. Stephen Handzo
Md:	<i>Blood of China</i>	C. Stephen Handzo
RU:	<i>Professor Charles S. Sargent</i>	Sam Lybrand
Sm:	<i>Grace Albritton</i>	Mike Denson
Best Miss Charleston unprot.:	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Bonnie & Geary Serpas
Best Miss Charleston prot.:	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Antique Bloom (Pre 1900):	<i>Pink Perfection</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher

Ocala Camellia Society, January 30, 2016

Show Chairman - Patrick Andrews

1418 Blooms Exhibited, 180 Attendees, 35 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	58 Blue Ribbons	William & Linda Nichols
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	57 Blue Ribbons	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Gold Cert. (prot.):	139 Blue Ribbons	Jerry & Carol Selph
Silver Cert. (prot.):	59 Blue Ribbons	Howard & Mary Rhodes
BB unprot.:	<i>TitleTown USA</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
BB prot.:	<i>Susie O'Neill</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. japonica unprot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Mrs. D. W. Davis Descanso</i>	Charles & Donna Nichols
RU:	<i>Nuccio's Bella Rossa</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Ville de Nantes</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
RU:	<i>Cherries Jubilee</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Sm:	<i>Ruby Mathews</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
RU:	<i>Les Marbury Blush</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter

C. japonica prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Mary Ann Lawrence</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU: <i>Elegans Champagne</i>	Richard Mims
Md: <i>Dixie Knight Supreme</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm: <i>Ellen Daniel Red Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Red Hots</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:	
VLg: <i>Ray Gentry</i>	William & Linda Nichols
RU: <i>Hall's Pride Var.</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Lg: <i>Larry Piet</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU: <i>Ali Hunt</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Sm/Md: <i>Professor John L. Spencer</i>	Charles & Donna Nichols
RU: <i>Black Lace</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.: VLg: <i>Pete Galli Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Pat Pinkerton</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg: <i>Redwood City Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Larry Piet</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm/Md: <i>TitleTown USA</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Mary O'Donnell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Sun Song</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU: <i>James S. Reeve</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md: <i>Debbie Var.</i>	William & Linda Nichols
RU: <i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Charles & Donna Nichols
Sm: <i>Spring Daze</i>	Charles & Donna Nichols
RU: <i>Coral Delight</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Betts Supreme</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Black Knight Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md: <i>First Blush</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm: <i>Adorable</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Freedom Bell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Min. unprot.: BB: <i>Just Darling</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU: <i>Fragrant Joy Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Min. prot.: BB: <i>Sugar Babe</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU: <i>Fircone Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best White Bloom unprot.: <i>White Empress</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Best White Bloom prot.: <i>Melissa Anne</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sasanqua, Vernalis or Hiemalis grown Prot. or Unprot.:	
BB: <i>Star Above Star</i>	Richard Mims
RU: <i>Shishi-Gashira</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Other Species grown Prot. or Unprot.: BB: <i>C. nitidissima</i>	Louis & Joanne Raska
RU: <i>C. chekiangoleosa</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Tray of 3-same variety unprot.: BB: <i>Black Magic</i>	Skip Vogelsang
RU: <i>Nuccio's Bella Rossa</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Tray of 3-same variety prot.: BB: <i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU: <i>Sara Oliver</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot.: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Flowers</i>	Skip Vogelsang
RU: <i>5 Beautiful Flowers</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot.: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Flowers</i>	Richard Mims
RU: <i>5 Beautiful Flowers</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Plate of Three Dif. Blooms - one each - Large, Medium & Small:	

	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	Ben George
Best Seedling:	<i>Ellen</i>	William & Linda Nichols
Novice Bloom: BB:	<i>Rena Swick</i>	Judy Vaughn
RU:	<i>Julia France</i>	John Edwards
CLUB MEMBERS & MARION COUNTY RESIDENTS		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
Md:	<i>Dick Hardison</i>	Joseph & Zlata Sabo
Sm:	<i>Brooke Var.</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
Best Bloom Registered by Clarence & Lillian Gordy:		
	<i>Snow Swirl</i>	William & Linda Nichols
RU	<i>Miss Lillian</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman

Quitman Garden Club, February 6-7, 2016

Show Chairperson - Nancibeth Shealy

1577 Blooms Exhibited, 407 Attendees, 49 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):		Chuck & Bev Ritter
Silver Cert. (unprot.):		Fred & Sandra Jones
Gold Cert. (prot.):		Jerry & Carol Selph
Silver Cert. (prot.):		Howard & Mary Rhodes
BB, unprot.:	<i>Linda Carol</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
BB, prot.:	<i>Holy Pure</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
C. japonica unprot.:	VLg: <i>Paul Haskee</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
RU:	<i>Lauren Tudor</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Lg:	<i>Camille</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>Marie Mackall</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Md:	<i>Midnight Magic Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Black Magic</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden
Sm:	<i>Les Marbury Blush</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Tudor Baby Var.</i>	Eileen Hart
C. japonica prot.:	VLg: <i>Easter Morn</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Paul Haskee</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg:	<i>Clark Hubbs</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Elegans Splendor</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Md:	<i>Mary Alice Cox</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Grand Marshal Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm:	<i>Black Gold</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Maroon & Gold</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:	VLg: <i>Big Apple Var.</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Queen Bee</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
Lg:	<i>Valley Knudsen</i>	Patrick Andrews & Bob Weidman
RU:	<i>George Firth</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Md:	<i>TitleTown USA</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>June Norman</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:	VLg: <i>Anne Hightower</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Ray Gentry Var.</i>	Tommy & Brenda Alden
Lg:	<i>Massee Lane Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Terrell Weaver</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Lady Ruth Ritter</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Lady Ruth Ritter Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Cile Mitchell</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Taylor's Perfection</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones

Md:	<i>First Blush</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Debbie</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Sm:	<i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
RU:	<i>Charsy</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.: Lg/VLg: <i>Charlean</i> Jerry & Carol Selph		
RU:	<i>James S. Reeve</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Debbie Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Glenn's Orbit</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm:	<i>Senritsu-Ko</i>	Richard Mims
RU:	<i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Min. unprot.:	BB: <i>Fircone Var.</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
RU:	<i>Hopkin's Pink</i>	Iris Shealy
Min. prot.:	BB: <i>Sweet Jane</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU:	<i>Fircone Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best White Bloom unprot. <i>Mary Alice Cox</i>		Chuck & Bev Ritter
Best White Bloom prot.: <i>Ruffian</i>		Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Sasanqua (and related species): <i>Ruby Davidson</i>		Tommy & Brenda Alden
Best Seedling: Lg/VLg: <i>El Diablo Rojo</i>		Fred & Sandra Jones
Best Sport (Mutant) Bloom: <i>Tomorrow Park Hill Fimbriated</i>		Richard Mims
Tray of 3-same variety unprot.: BB: <i>Royal Velvet</i>		David & Sandra Williams
RU:	<i>Debbie</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
Tray of 3-same variety prot.: BB: <i>Lady Pamela</i>		Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Betty Sheffield Supreme</i>	Richard Mims
Tray of 3 Including one of each: Large or Very Large; Medium, Small or Min. Unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	Stewart Tomlinson
Tray of 3 Including one of each: Large or Very Large; Medium, Small or Min. Prot.:		
BB:	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	David & Anna Sheets
Tray of 5-diff. varieties unprot.: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>		Chuck & Bev Ritter
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Stewart Tomlinson
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot.: BB: <i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>		Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Collection of Three Originated by Hulyn Smith—diff. varieties		
BB:	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Three Beautiful Blooms</i>	J. D. Thomerson
Betty Sheffield: BB: <i>Betty Sheffield</i>		Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Betty Sheffield</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Betty Sheffield Sport: BB: <i>Betty Sheffield Sport</i>		Richard Mims
RU:	<i>Betty Sheffield Sport</i>	Stewart Tomlinson
BEST LOCALLY GROWN AWARDS		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Daikagura</i>	Larry Adams
Md:	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Larry Adams
Sm:	<i>Pink Perfection</i>	Seth Welch

Mid-Carolina Camellia Society, February 13, 2015

Show Chairman - Richard Mims

890 Blooms Exhibited, ~250 Attendees, 40 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. (unprot.):	29 Blue Ribbons	Ed & Lou Powers
Silver Cert. (unprot.):	24 Blue Ribbons	Darren Sheriff
Gold Cert. (prot.):	38 Blue Ribbons	Buck & Tyler Mizzell

Silver Cert. (prot.):	20 Blue Ribbons	Richard Mims
C. japonica unprot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Al Ewan</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
RU:	<i>Veiled Beauty Var.</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher
Md:	<i>Miss Charleston Var.</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
RU:	<i>Sawada's Dream</i>	Ed & Lou Powers
Sm:	<i>Little Susie</i>	Darren Sheriff
RU:	<i>Red Hots</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
C. japonica prot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Rena Swick Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Al Ewan</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Md:	<i>Donckelarii</i>	Lee Poe
RU:	<i>Ville de Nantes</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Sm:	<i>Kay Berridge</i>	Richard Mims
RU:	<i>Little Babe Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:		
VLg.:	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher
RU:	<i>Miss Sally</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Sm/Lg:	<i>Valentine Day</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
RU:	<i>Francie L.</i>	Ed & Lou Powers
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:		
VLg:	<i>Frank Houser Var.</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
RU:	<i>Linda Carol</i>	Richard Mims
Sm/Lg:	<i>Big Dipper</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Big Apple Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Best Overall Retic Bloom—Jim Pinkerton Trophy:		
	<i>Hall's Pride Var.</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Dr. Zhivago</i>	Bob & Jean Williams
RU:	<i>Anticipation</i>	Bob & Jean Williams
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:	Lg/VLg: <i>Mona Jury</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
RU:	<i>Anticipation Var.</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Sm/Md:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Richard Mims
Best Min. unprot.:	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Ed & Lou Powers
Best Min. prot.:	<i>Pearl's Pet</i>	Nancy Ballew
Best Overall Min. Bloom - Elliott P. Brogden Memorial Trophy:		
	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Ed & Lou Powers
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Sea Foam</i>	Bob & Jean Williams
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Ivory Tower</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon
Best Sasanqua / Species: <i>C. nitidissima</i> ,		Nancy Ballew
Best Formal Double – prot. or unprot. Dr. Herbert Racoff & Frances Shannon Racoff Memorial Trophy:	<i>Middle Georgia</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Tray of 3, same variety (Japonicas or NRH), unprot.:		
Md/Lg-VLg:	<i>Al Ewan</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
Mn/Sm:	<i>Buddy</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher
Tray of 3, same or diff. varieties (Retic), unprot.:		
	<i>Frank Houser Var.</i>	Bob & Jean Williams
Tray of 3, same variety (Japonicas or NRH), prot.:		
Md/Lg-VLg:	<i>Lady Laura</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Mn/Sm:	<i>Man Size</i>	David & Anna Sheets
Tray of 3, same or diff. varieties (Retic), prot.:	<i>Phyllis Hunt</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
Tray of 5, diff. varieties (Japonicas or NRH), unprot.:	<i>Georgia National Fair, Cherries Jubilee, Gulio Nuccio, Masterpiece, Madge Rouse</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
Tray of 5, diff. varieties (Japonicas or NRH), prot.:	<i>Black Velvet, Sawada's Dream, Kit-</i>	

ty, *Sea Foam*, Glen 40

David & Anna Sheets

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C. japonica unprot.:

1	<i>Shikibu</i>	Marty & Diane Clark
2	<i>Paul Haskee</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
3	<i>Les Marbury Red</i>	Darren Sheriff
4	<i>Dixie Knight Supreme</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas

C. japonica prot.:

1	<i>Little Slam</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
2	<i>Tomorrow's Dawn</i>	Julia Leisenring
3	<i>Little Susie</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell
4	<i>Lady Laura</i>	Buck & Tyler Mizzell

C. reticulata (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent):

1	<i>Frank Houser</i>	Jim & Sharon Brogden
2	<i>Harold L. Paige</i>	Geary & Bonnie Serpas
3	<i>Victoria Whiddon</i>	Mack & Ann McKinnon

C. hybrid (w/no retic parent):

1	<i>Cinnamon Cindy</i>	Wesley & Martha Fisher
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Best Seedling: *Seedling*

Lee Poe

Best Sport (Mutant) Bloom: *Faith Sport*

Lee Poe

Best Novice Bloom: *Magnoliaeflora*

Sandy Dillard

Mizzell Award for Best Valentine Day: *Valentine Day Var.*

Buck & Tyler Mizzell

Denton Award for Best Antique Bloom—Pre 1900 prot. or unprot. Bloom Donated by

Pete & Donna Denton: *Monjisu*

Nancy Ballew

LOCAL AWARDS - Blooms Grown in Midland South Carolina Counties

Best Local Bloom in Show—Richard & Katherine Mims Trophy

Lady Kay

Ralph & Pat Owings

Lg/VLg: *Carter's Sunburst*

Ralph & Pat Owings

RU: *Elegans Chandler*

Leland & Cornelia Williams

Md: *Alba Plena*

Ralph & Pat Owings

RU: *Rev. John Bennett*

Alexandra Dickerson

Sm: *Thumbelina*

Alexandra Dickerson

RU: *Maroon & Gold*

Tom & Peggy Camp

Wiregrass Camellia Society. February 13-14, 2016

Show Chairperson - Annelle Lauder & Nancibeth Shealy

1263 Blooms Exhibited, 332 Attendees, 45 Exhibitors

Gold Certificate (unprot.):

Fred & Sandra Jones

Silver Certificate (unprot.):

Iris Shealy

Gold Certificate (prot.):

Jerry & Carol Selph

Silver Certificate (prot.):

Steve & Gayle Lawrence

Best Bloom in Show unprot.: *Kagirohi*

Fred & Sandra Jones

Best Bloom in Show prot.: *Redwood City*

Jerry & Carol Selph

C. japonica unprot.:

VLg: *Show Time*

Esther Lawrence

RU: *Grand Prix*

Alex & Jane Hinson

Lg: *Wendy*

Clayton & Nedra Mathis

RU: *Royal Velvet*

David & Sandra Williams

Md: *Ville de Nantes*

Iris Shealy

RU:	<i>Grand Marshal Var.</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
Sm:	<i>Red Hots</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
RU:	<i>Pink Perfection</i>	Fred & Marie Binder
C. japonica prot.:		
VLg:	<i>Show Time</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Lauren Tudor Pink Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg:	<i>Kirsti Leigh</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Mary Ann Lawrence</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Md:	<i>Dixie Knight Supreme</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Midnight Magic Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Sm:	<i>Little Babe Var.</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU:	<i>Tudor Baby</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
C. reticulata (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:		
VLg:	<i>John Hunt</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>Hall's Pride</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Lg:	<i>Adrienne Boueres</i>	J. D. Thomerson
RU:	<i>Valentine Day</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
Md:	<i>Mary Catherine Cape</i>	J. D. Thomerson
C. reticulata (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:		
VLg:	<i>John Hunt</i>	J. D. Thomerson
RU:	<i>Nancy Reagan</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Lg:	<i>Valentine Day Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Phyllis Hunt</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Professor John L. Spencer</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Black Lace Peony Var.</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Anticipation</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Md:	<i>Nicky Crisp</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>Island Sunset</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Sm:	<i>Buttons 'n Bows</i>	Iris Shealy
RU:	<i>Night Rider</i>	Kyle Purvis
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Tom Perkins</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Super Star</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Md:	<i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>Julie Var.</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Sm:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU:	<i>Freedom Bell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Miniature unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
RU:	<i>Helen B.</i>	Kyle Purvis
Miniature prot.:		
BB:	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU:	<i>Fircone Var.</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
Best White Bloom unprot.: <i>Mary Alice Cox</i>		
Best White Bloom prot.: <i>Ruffian</i>		

Sasanqua (and related species):		
BB:	<i>Star Above Star</i>	Alex & Jane Hinson
RU:	<i>Shibori-Egao</i>	Jay & Debbie Ellis
Best Seedling:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>2005-01</i>	J. D. Thomerson
Best Sport (Mutant) Bloom: <i>Mrs. R. L. Wheeler Sport</i> Iris Shealy		
Tray of 3-same variety unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Maroon and Gold</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
RU:	<i>Royal Velvet</i>	J. D. Thomerson
Tray of 3-same variety prot.:		
BB:	<i>Mary Ann Lawrence</i>	Steve & Gayle Lawrence
RU:	<i>Freedom Bell</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Tray of 5-dif. varieties unprot.:		
BB:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Iris Shealy
Tray of 5-dif. varieties prot.:		
BB:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
RU:	<i>5 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Tray of 3 Including one of each: Lg/VL; Md., Sm. or Min. unprot.:		
	<i>3 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Best Tray of 3 Including one of each: Lg/VL; Md., Sm. or Min. prot.:		
	<i>3 Beautiful Blooms</i>	Jerry & Carol Selph
Best Collection of 3 Dif. Thomasville varieties		
	<i>Tar Baby, Tick Tock Red, Tomorrow's Dawn</i>	Fred & Sandra Jones
Best Tomorrow Sport: <i>Tomorrow Sport</i> Jerry & Carol Selph		
BEST LOCALLY GROWN AWARDS		
VLg:	<i>Frank Houser Var.</i>	Leon Blair
Lg:	<i>Royal Velvet</i>	Jeane Jinright
Md:	<i>Elaine's Betty</i>	Jeane Jinright
Sm:	<i>Pink Perfection</i>	Susannah Borg
Best White: <i>Imura</i> David & Linda Ward		

North Georgia Camellia Society, February 20-21, 2015

Show Chairman - Jim Pruckler

592 Blooms Exhibited, 300 Attendees, 40 Exhibitors

Gold Cert. unprot.:	33 Blue Ribbons	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
Silver Cert. unprot.:	20 Blue Ribbons	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Gold Cert. prot.:	32 Blue Ribbons	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Silver Cert. prot.:	17 Blue Ribbons	John Newsome
BB unprot.:	<i>Les Marbury</i>	Skip Vogelsang
BB prot.:	<i>Hall's Pride</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
C. japonica unprot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Clark Hubbs Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Md:	<i>Pink Frost</i>	James Stutts
Sm:	<i>Grace Albritton</i>	Warren & Cheryl Thompson
C. japonica prot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Dusty</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Md:	<i>Ville de Nantes</i>	John Newsome

Sm:	<i>Miss Lillian</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) unprot.:		
VLg:	<i>Curtain Call</i>	Tommy & Wendy Martin
Md/Lg:	<i>Miss Tulare Var.</i>	Skip Vogelsang
C. retic (Inc. hybrids w/retic parent) prot.:		
VLg:	<i>Brooke Maphis</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
Md/Lg:	<i>Valley Knudsen</i>	John Newsome
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) unprot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Charlean Var.</i>	Sam Wellborn
Md:	<i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
C. hybrid (w/no retic parent) prot.:		
Lg/VLg:	<i>Cile Mitchell</i>	John Newsome
Md:	<i>Raspberry Flambé</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best Min. prot. or unprot.:	<i>Sweet Jane</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
Best Novice Bloom:	<i>Betty Sheffield Pink Heart</i>	Alan Loper
Tray of 3-same variety prot.:	<i>Sultana</i>	John Newsome
Tray of 3-same variety unprot. - Retics:	<i>Frank Houser Var.</i>	Sam Wellborn
Tray of 3-same variety prot. - Retics:	<i>Spring Daze</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Tray of 5-diff. varieties prot. or unprot. - any species:		
	<i>Theme of Pink</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best Seedling:	<i>Rio Riyo</i>	David & Anna Sheets
Best White Bloom unprot.:	<i>Martha Israel</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
Best White Bloom prot.:	<i>Melissa Anne</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
COURT OF HONOR:		
1	<i>TitleTown USA</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
2	<i>Anticipation Var.</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
3	<i>Maroon and Gold</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
4	<i>Little Babe Var.</i>	John Newsome
5	<i>Bessie Battle</i>	Annelle Lauder
6	<i>Miss Charleston</i>	Randolph & Marilyn Maphis
7	<i>Pearl Terry</i>	Howard & Mary Rhodes
8	<i>Leila Gibson</i>	Clayton & Nedra Mathis
9	<i>Fircone Var.</i>	James Stutts
LOCAL - METRO ATLANTA		
C. japonica unprot.:		
BB:	<i>Elizabeth Weaver</i>	Bonnie Supplee
RU:	<i>Ville de Nantes</i>	Bonnie Supplee

We are saddened to hear of the passing of
 Julius “Nono” Nuccio
 at the age of 98. He was the father of
 Tom and Jim Nuccio of
 Nuccio’s Nurseries, Inc., in Altadena, California.

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