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US Route 17
14276 Ocean Highway
Litchfield Beach, South Carolina 29585

Convention Rates

DATE	COST
Entire Convention	\$90
Friday, Sept. 17	\$25
Saturday, Sept. 18	\$65
ACCS Dues	\$15

**SATURDAY NIGHT BANQUET, PLEASE CHOOSE PRIME RIB OR
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Registration by check only.

Registration must be received no later than September 9, 2010

No Refunds after September 9, 2010.

Send Filled-out Form and Check to:

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Option # 1 - Summer House - 2 queen beds & small kitchen & balcony with pool or lake view - \$97.00 + 15% tax per day

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President's Message

Glenn Capps

It's difficult to believe that almost two years have passed since I was elected President of the Atlantic Coast Camellia Society and this is the final message for the Journal as your President. How time flies when one is having fun. First I want to thank each and every one of you for the honor and privilege of serving as your President. Success was easy with the great team work from all members called upon. To Mack McKinnon, Jim Dickson, Christine Smith, Bonnie Serpas and all the board members, a sincere thank you for helping me through my tenure. The past two years have been good ones with present financial stability and a great group of officers to assure success in the future. I ask that the team effort still go forward and we continue the successes of ACCS through working together as a team.

We will return to Litchfield Beach, South Carolina this year. Mack has made the arrangements and scheduling and everything seems to be fitting in place. Let us all meet at Litchfield in September and have a weekend of fun and business.

The Atlantic Coast Camellia Society is grateful to our host for the last two years, Magnolia Gardens. Their great cooperation and hospitality contributed to very successful conventions and a great time was enjoyed by all who attended. Maybe one day when traffic and commuting problems are solved we can again enjoy the good times at Magnolia.

We will elect new officers and a few directors at the fall board meeting. Directors will be elected or reelected if two-year terms are up or if someone has resigned. Start thinking about nominees who want to help ACCS advance and be very helpful to camellia enthusiasts. Should you chose to nominate someone, ask them if elected would they serve and to please attend the meeting, last minute decisions are not always the best ones and I ask you to plan ahead.

Please bring items for our Saturday morning auction; we want this to be as successful and equal or better than those in the past. Two fine items have been donated for the raffle but we need nice plants and some of

those great homemade treasures for the always enjoyable and sometimes downright funny "Buck & Bill show."

My time as your president has really been fun. If each came-

liaphytes member determines that the September Convention swill be the best convention ever, it will be! and we will go out with a bang.



Join NOW!

(Membership is a great gift for friends & family!!!)

The Atlantic Coast Camellia Society

We are a society that wants more members to help us promote the science of Camellia culture by exchanging knowledge & ideas with Camellia specialists, provide information about shows & social events & join us at our annual meeting in September or October each year. Annual dues are \$15.00 per year for singles or couples. A membership entitles you to a journal published in January, May, & September. To join, send your check & personal information for receiving communications & journals to:

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A Heart to Heart Conversation With My Camellias

Richard Mims

Listen! I am just fed up with you. I have had it up to my neck and it is almost going into my brain! You know I love you and would do anything within my power to keep each one of you happy and growing vigorously. Every time I come out here to enjoy your magnificence, some of you unappreciative cads have shriveled up, lost leaves and even died. You don't care a wit about all the attention you have received and the money I have spent on medicine and food to keep you healthy. With the expensive fuels, how in the world can you expect me to keep you sheltered and warm in winter--the very least you could do would be to put on one good flower that will wow the judges and win me twenty-five dollars. No, you just want to die and go to dust. You don't really care that I have spent hundreds and thousands of dollars for such things as YOU, your house, your container, your soil, your water, your Safari, Key Plex, NSure. And whatever--sometimes I think instead of being a camellia,

you are an unappreciative BAT. Don't you know that your having lice places you in the lower echelon of society? Why in the world will you not quit being a SAP and exude some sap to keep yourself clean so you don't get lice, and scales and--even more terrible--that *Sclerotinia camelliae*. I would just suggest to you, right now, that you start acting normal and just get acne. At least we have a cure for those brown spots and speckles. I have never heard of something as stupid as growing your roots out and stopping up the holes in your container which cuts off drainage and causes you to soak in your own stale filth. Are you so stupid as not to know that this causes root rot and even death? It even encourages those little fungus gnats to brazenly have sex around your feet and let larvae gnaw into your flesh. Hey! Get a life! Shame on you! Think! Help me keep you alive. I am just so fed up with you after all the attention you get and my time that you use. If, you don't stop dying on me, I am just going to

see to it that you are CREMATED. I am going to give you a great opportunity to show your very best and even be a Best Flower in Show. People will look at you and go, "Ooooh," and "Ahhhh," and even write down your name to obtain a beauty just like you. You can listen to me and kick the limb-dying habit, the flower-blighting habit, the stopping-up-your-container habit and other attention-getting notices you want to flaunt. If you don't behave like a good camellia, I assure that you will be ashes to ashes and not dust to dust. I am sick and tired of walking out to the greenhouse and seeing you, sickly plant, surrounded by healthy ones in magnificent shiny, green, glory. This tells me you are spoiled rotten

and just want my personal attention. I'm telling you right now that my greenhouse is not a hospital; it is a happy place for happy plants. You live good here or you can go back where you came from. I urge you to pay close attention to what I'm going to say next. You can take me seriously and enjoy a good life, OR suffer the consequences—the burn pile. Please remember that I love you and will try to care for you; BUT, DO SOMETHING FOR YOURSELF. BE A HEALTHY PLANT AND, WITH MY HELP, THROW OFF THINGS THAT MIGHT HARM YOU. You get the same attention as the healthy plant beside you and should behave accordingly. WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU???



ACCS member Andy Cross, outgoing President of Mid-Carolina Camellia Society prepares to hand over the gavel to new MCCA President, Cary Chamblee.

Aiken County Camellia Cultivars Book

By W. Lee Poe, Jr.

Lee Poe, Pam Kolb, Anna Sheets, and Nancy Ballew recently authored a book documenting the camellia seedling cultivars originating in Aiken County, South Carolina. The book, completed in May, 2010, documents a history of 56 camellia cultivars originating and named in Aiken County that are registered with the American Camellia Society. The intent of this book was to document the Aiken County camellias as a base for recognition of the originators and promotion of the cultivation of this outstanding and long-lived decorative bush. Camellias dot the countryside and provide winter color throughout Aiken County, a prominent camellia-growing area of the United States. Publication of the book was planned to coincide with the celebration of the 60th-year anniversary of the Aiken Camellia Society.

Content planning began in September 2009 when the authors decided the book should include a photograph of each camellia, the name of the person who registered the camellia with the

American Camellia Society, a description of the bloom, and the growth habit of the bush. Also noted in most cases are the thoughts of the originators in choosing the cultivar names. This latter intent required the book authors to locate living members of many seedling originators to obtain assistance with accurate documentation. After publication, copies of *Aiken County Camellia Cultivars* were placed in museums, libraries, and other public locations throughout Aiken County. The public now has documentation in one book of these Aiken Camellia seedlings and their originators which evidences the significance of the Aiken area and the Society's aims and goals in joining camellia groups throughout the world in promoting the genus *Camellia japonica*. Copies were made available to living family members of the camellia originators and the persons who aided in this significant project.

The first seedling in Aiken County, *Claudia Lea*, was registered in 1939 by Dr. R. H. Wilds, a "GP" physician who practiced

in Aiken between 1920 and 1940. Dr. Wilds found a love for Camellias from his second wife, Miss Eleanor Sheffield Phelps, whom he married in 1923. Mrs. Wilds was a charter member of the Aiken Camellia Society and was the daughter of Mrs. Claudia Lea Phelps who founded the Garden Club of South Carolina from her winter home ("Rose Hill") in Aiken.

Upon not locating a picture of this first cultivar for the book, a camellia bloom that fits the description of *Claudia Lea* was photographed in "Rose Hill" Gardens. The photograph was fuzzy and another attempt for a photograph was made but the last bloom had deteriorated. For timeliness, the fuzzy picture had to be used in the book. Dr. Wilds named *Claudia Lea* after his and Eleanor Sheffield Phelps third child. Dr. Wilds continued growing and showing camellias and named one other for his wife, *Eleanor Wilds*, during his lifetime which ended in 1949.

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Scott (Lib Scott) registered nineteen seedlings between 1978 and 2001. Mrs. Scott and her husband (H.C.) moved to California in 2005 to be near their children.

The last Aiken County seed-

ling registered was *Melanie Ann Poe* registered by W. Lee Poe, Jr. in 2009. *Melanie Ann Poe* (named for Lee's youngest daughter) is white with several red petals or red splotches. The seedling sports wildly. Photographs of two of the sports are pictured in the book.

North Augusta is the second largest city in Aiken County and in 1946 its first seedling registered was *Buddy Boy* originated by Dr. H. G. Mealing and named for his son. Dr. Mealing registered eighteen more seedlings between 1946 and 1980. Dr. Mealing's medical degree was in Internal Medicine, and he specialized in cardiology. In addition to growing camellias, he loved photography and treasured a large collection of camellia photographs.

The most recent North Augusta seedling was *Lucile Dickson*, registered in 2005 by James Dickson and named for his mother. Jim also registered a second seedling in 1999 that is named for his wife, *Carolyn Dickson*.

Mentioned in this article was of the first, last and most prolific hybridizer registrations in Aiken and North Augusta. Aiken County can brag on seven more outstanding camellia growers and

seedling originators. The stories of these significant growers and hybridizers are equally important to all County cultivar contributions. Please read their stories in the copies placed at strategic places throughout the county or, if desired, purchase a copy of the book for \$29.00 from Lee Poe (803 642 7297). These cultivar contributors were: Mrs. William K. Laughlin, Mrs. Julia Leisinger, Mr. Clarence Owens, Mr. George A. Owens, and Mr. Frank Watters. Also, two nurseries, The Pines Nursery located in Bath, SC and McDonald Camellia Nursery located in Beach Island, SC., have introduced cultivars.

The authors believe the documentation in one place of information on these cultivars offers a

significant addition to camellia history of Aiken County, South Carolina. It is our hope that other counties and communities will put together similar information on these early camellias to combine scattered historical data and make it available in the pertinent local area. A significant thing was evident as a result of our research for the book--camellias outlive their originators. Because of this fact, it is recommended that each person who registers a cultivar write the story behind the name along with other information about the seedling and leave records for future reference and safe keeping with society secretaries.



Purchasing Camellias

Richard Mims

My first go at growing show camellias was back in the sixties and seventies. As a young man with a wife and four children to support, going out and purchasing many camellias was really out of the question. Money was just not available for that purpose. Instead, I read just about everything available that concerned propagation. Fortunately, cameliaphytes were not selfish; they wanted to share scion wood with a young person to get him involved in the hobby. I rooted plants, planted seeds and learned cleft grafting. I searched the South Carolina Agricultural Department weekly "Market Bulletin" for locals who would sell Sasanqua and seedling under stock at almost give-away prices. My efforts were very rewarding and I put many blooms on the head table. I was so hooked on camellias I even built a camellia house (18' X 36') which held almost a hundred nice camellias in containers. My first "Best in Show" was in Macon, Georgia. I had the best *Tomorrow Park Hill* that had that fluffy shell-pink to white, ice-cream middle. At the same show I also had the runner

up—a beautiful *Elegans Supreme*. I remember adding a packet of sugar to each cup to keep them looking their best through the judging. At that time no one had told me about other flower preservatives.

During the sixties and seventies there was no shortage of nurseries that specialized in growing the very popular camellia. In Columbia alone there were a half dozen camellia nurseries, over thirty camellia houses and actually hundreds of members of the American Camellia Society. At that time many new coveted varieties were being named and recent introductions, mostly chance seedlings, sold at a premium. An enthusiast with the money could go to a nursery in his own city and get all the information they might need from the owner who would probably be a person very knowledgeable about camellia culture, the varieties, their growth habits, etc., and would gladly help customers with healthy plant selection. That is seldom the case at the present time. Nursery owners who can talk the talk about camellias are few and far between. A per-

son who doesn't know propagation or who is in a hurry for nice blooming bushes many times must travel to several states to build a collection. After a hiatus from the show circuit for 2½ decades, near the turn of this century I wanted to begin again. Because I was up in my sixties and had experience with the time it takes to propagate your own collection, I decided that if I were going to live to enjoy camellia growing again I had better buy plants that might have a good bloom the year of purchase.

I really had a rude awakening when I tried to purchase new show-quality camellia plants with specific names. Armed with the list of a hundred or so camellias that had through history won the most shows (from ACS Yearbooks), I began my collection. Anywhere I would travel and saw a flower nursery by the roadside I would stop. I quickly found that the owners of the nurseries who had a few camellias really didn't know much about them and really only had one or two names: 1. Camellia, and 2. Japonica. When asked about color they would say: "Oh yes, that bed is pink, that one red, and that one white. Sometimes the ones in that bed over there have white

polka dots." Some nurseries did have possibly 20 or thirty named varieties. I quickly found out that if I were going to have any camellia blooms for the coming show season that I should disregard my list of winners and just buy one of any named variety the nursery might have. (Shows require that each entry have a name.)

I'm sorry I got away from my subject somewhat but will leave in the above for you to know what you face when trying to locate great camellias. I recommend you look in the ACS publications for reputable nurseries and put them on your visiting lists as you travel to other states for meetings or to enjoy camellia shows.

Yes, reliable nurserymen are still out there and possibly you might know one who is among your camellia friends. You can ask for advice on what will grow well in your area; what will bloom at the time of year you prefer to have blooms; what varieties will grow into the landscaping shapes you want; what you need to condition the soil you have for camellias; what are good varieties for having cut-flowers in the home; what are good cold hardy varieties; the

varieties that will win blue ribbons in shows; --any number of questions that will help you with your camellia education. If you are a show person, ask where the particular strain of the variety came from. Show people make notes of who grows the best strains but usually can get them only by asking for the scion and grafting it themselves. I have found that mortality rate is lower when I find camellias grown in my section of the country and acclimated to my weather.

The real secret is choosing a healthy camellia. Before you chose the plant you are going to take home, look for any dead limbs or cankers (dieback or some other fungus infection). Look for scale or spider mite infestations that you don't want to take home with you. Actually tap the camellia from the pot and look at the roots. Unless you see healthy feeder roots in spring-time, the plant could actually be dead from a winter freeze. Don't buy from nurseries in zones that have had freezing temperatures unless the pots were well protected against freezing. (I always ask if the pots had frozen during the winter and how long they stayed frozen. A frozen plant will dehydrate because it cannot

take up water.) A plant infrequently repotted has roots growing in circles around the pot. If you happen to take one of these home because you want that particular variety, be certain to spread out the roots and get them growing in different directions.

New introductions sometimes have a high cost and are not yet proven as good varieties. If you are not the grower who has to have the newest plant at the earliest possible date for a show, it might be best to wait until prices are lowered and you know it will grow and bloom well in your area. I have learned that it is best to grow the varieties that are tried and true or else I must be ready to throw their skeletons on the cremating pile. (See article on page 6)

Join all the camellia groups you can, especially your local club, The Atlantic Coast Camellia Society, and the American Camellia Society. Save your publications because they never get old. One can pick up the oldest Journals and usually find something interesting and useful.

Remember, you can buy the very best, healthiest camellia but when you bring it home, it is yours. Spend more on preparing the soil for the new plant than

you spent on the plant.

Keep it fertilized, watered, and in good health. The biggest deterrent to disease on any plant is keeping it a healthy, well-growing specimen. Once the loamy, porous, well-draining soil is prepared, keep the plants top roots on top of the ground. Most people do this by planting the camellia an inch or two higher above ground than it was in its pot. This allows for soil settling. Good two inch mulch on top of the high roots will keep them moist. Anytime someone wants me to tell them what is wrong with a camellia that sets buds but drops them without blooming,

doesn't grow well, or the leaves look sickly, I immediately surmise that the plant has soil over the feeder roots or that it gets too much sun.

Finally, I have had better luck with starting with small plants rather than large ones. Nurserymen do not want to hear this because of monetary reasons. I know from experience, however, if you purchase a large specimen and a small one of the same variety; within just a couple years the small one seems to acclimate to your soil, bond better with your attention and will soon be prettier than the large specimen.



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ACCS Convention Schedule

Friday, September 17, 2010

1:30 - 4:30 p.m.	Hobcaw Barony—(Bellefield Plantation) Tour. \$20 per person. Please call (843) 546-4623 to make Reservations. Reservations must be made by September 9, 2010 Allow 15-20 Minutes
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	ACCS Board meeting, Alston Room
5:00 - 9:00 p.m.	Welcome Party and Bar-B-Que Dinner Litchfield-by-the-Sea Club House

Saturday, September 18, 2010

7:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast on your Own. Webster Restaurant or Starbucks on Site or Applewood across the highway
9:00 - 10:00 a.m.	Bloody Mary's, Screwdrivers and Coffee Bar Tara Ballroom Lobby
10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.	General Meeting with Auction Following Tara Ballroom
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own
2:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Education Program: George Wyeth, V. P. of Horticulture at Brookgreen Gardens: "Behind the Scenes at the Gardens" - Resort Theater
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Judges' Re-accreditation Symposium Elaine Smelley & Geary Serpas Alston Room
3:00 - 4:00 p.m.	Education Program: Mark Crawford: "Bark Grafting and Fertilizing Camellias" - Resort Theater
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.	Refreshments/Open Bar Tara Ball Room / Patio
7:00 - 9:00 p.m.	Dinner & Guest Speaker Tara Ball Room

