

Virtual Lily Teasers



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Condition, and it's Condition

- Condition - 30
- Vigor - 20
- Placement on Stem - 20
- Substance of Flowers - 10
(*Thickness of the Petals - Creppy or Papery*)
- Form of Flowers - 10
- Color of Flowers - 10

Scale of Points	
Condition (10 points)	
Open flowers - the more the better, no flowers past their prime, first tier should be open, at least one flower must be open, Siamese buds, anthers deteriorate first then the petals Anthers should be present Foliage - present, vigorous, free of spots, colour Stem - crooked Disease Deterioration - pollen, cold storage	Flowers past their prime - creped, fallen tepals, primary flowers gone, broken or damaged flower parts Aborted flower buds , browned buds Cleanliness - free of aphids, spiders, bugs, soil, spray stains, residue and pollen stains Stubs - evidence of pruning Pests - damage
Vigor (20 points)	
Stems - weak vs. sturdy (width and stiffness), length Flowers and buds - number in relation to cultivar, poor colouration, size in relation to cultivar	Leaves - good green colouration Fasciation - not awarded a ribbon when present but be sure the stem is fasciated and not natural width before pedicels branch out. Fasciation is on the lower part of the stem below the flower head.
Placement on Stem (20 points)	
Symmetry Balance - irregular placing One-sided buds	Crowded flowers - two pedicels too close, cramped inflorescence, uneven placement on pedicels Length of stem
Substance of Flowers (10 points)	
Flowers - evidence of cold storage <i>Thickness of the Petals</i>	Substance of the petals - Translucent, creppiness or papery
Form of Flowers (10 points)	
Wrong number of tepals e.g. 5 Semi-double when it should be a single Petaloid anthers	Twisted petals Form in relation to the class
Color of Flowers (10 points)	
Clear, not mottled Faded flowers Whitish or yellowish buds (unnatural)	Two different coloured flowers on the same stem Flowers with faint colouration due to cold storage Streaks in the flowers (can be evidence of virus)



Standard vs Not-up-to-Par





WINNERS



Class Act 'Jack-o-lantern'



Special Collections





A4 Collection





Unjudged GCV Collection A3



Special Collections Revisited

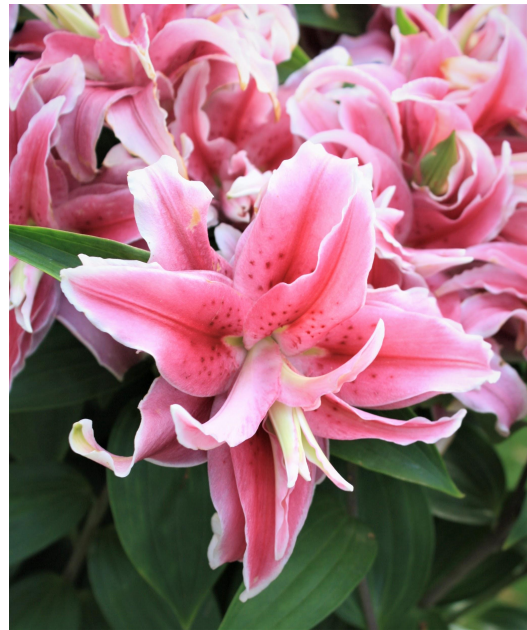




Potted Lilies



Doubles 'Distant Drums'



Preparing Lilies for the Show

- Buds closed or just open
- Slightly wilted
- One -third of the stem
- GROOMING
- Staging



The Mystery of Identifying Lilies

LABEL THEM!! In the garden, on a map, a tattoo

B&D Lilies (Where the GCV Collections are bought)

Johan Mak, Jr. Flamingo & Co

Lily Nook (reference library).....Gloeckner...

Google images for *Lilium* *****

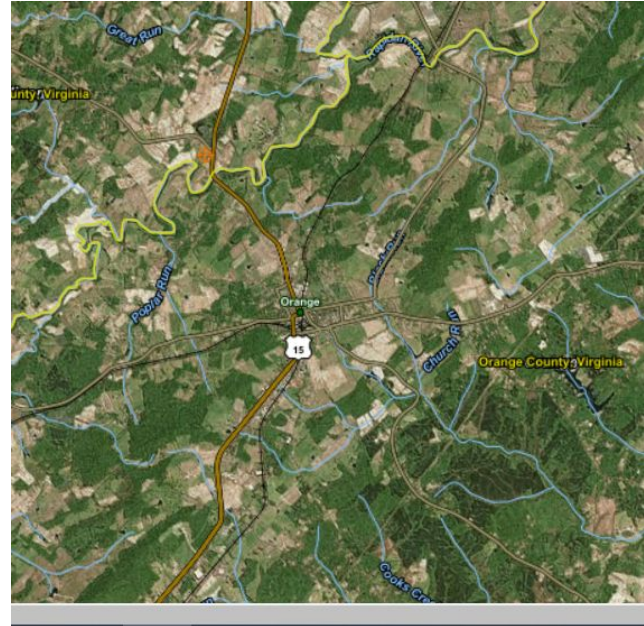


Growing Lilies in Madison and Orange Counties

USDA Soil Survey

No matter what type of soil you have, you want to amend it so that it is loose.

- Peat moss, Sand
- Garden soil, Mulch
- Fertilizer (another topic for another time)
- [Let's Grow Lilies](#)
- Raised Beds/Good Drainage
- Cool feet and Hot heads (Petunias and Heuchera)
- Rodents (get a cat)



Virtual Vs Reality (Patsy & DeLane)



Learn MORE!

- Go to Shows and CLERK
- NALS and GCA Judging School
- Share lilies with others (Wine and Lilies)
- Visit gardens



Q&A
Thank
You!



Thank you to all the Organizations Involved

