



Hudson Valley Iris & Daylily Society
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March 7 Meeting, Marlboro Library.

Have you been thinking about using composting techniques in your garden? Now is a great time of year for you to start thinking about setting up a composting system. Come to our first meeting of the new year with Frank Alquist from Kingston as our guest speaker.

NOTICE:

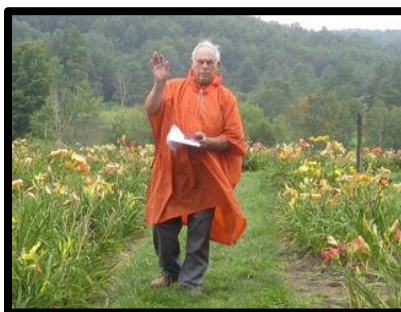
**April Meeting Date and location changed to
APRIL 11 (2nd Sunday)
Community Room, Poughkeepsie Galleria**



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HVIDS EVENTS CALENDAR 2010

- March 7** **HVIDS Meeting “Composting”** Our first meeting of 2010 will feature Mr. Frank Alquist, Kingston who will provide the group with information on composting.
- April 11** **HVIDS Meeting** Guest speaker Janet Hong, member of the Tidewater Daylily Society and owner of Pine Ridge Perennials in Chesapeake, VA, will speak to the group about daylilies. Community Room, Poughkeepsie Galleria
NOTE DATE AND LOCATION CHANGE
- May 2** **HVIDS Meeting “Preparing Irises for Show”** Bruce Baird and John Heimke, master iris growers and members of CHIS, have graciously agreed to walk us through the process of preparing our irises for the annual Iris Show, including selecting irises from your garden, transporting them to the show site, cleaning and tending them, and insuring they look their best when the judges come around and peer so intently at them.
- May 22** **HVIDS OPEN GARDENS**
- May 23** **14th Annual AIS Affiliated HVIDS Judged Iris Show and Public Exhibition**
Center Court, Poughkeepsie Galleria, Poughkeepsie, NY
- July 16-18** **“Daylilies, a Capital Affair”** AHS Regional 4 Meeting, hosted by the Hudson-Adirondack Daylily Society, at the Sovereign Best Western, 1228 Western Ave., Albany, NY. There will be tours of the gardens of John and Avis Randall, Marge Moon, Carol Volungus, Audreh Zeh, and the Cornell Cooperative Extension Gardens of Albany.
- July 25** **10th Annual HVIDS Daylily Show & Public Exhibition**
Center Court, Poughkeepsie Galleria
- July 31** Iris Rhizome and Daylily Fan Sale, Adams Fairacre Farm
Route 44, Poughkeepsie, NY
- Aug 14/15** Iris Rhizome and Daylily Fan Sale
Center Court, Poughkeepsie Galleria

