



Lest We Forget

**RAMBLING RHIZOMES**  
**September 2010**

**Newsletter of the Tucson Area Iris Society**

**[tucsoniris.org](http://tucsoniris.org)**



Teenybopper

- TAIS CALENDAR
- Sept 11 Potluck and auction
- September Sale - at Harlow's Nursery Sept 18th.
- October 16 meeting choose officers for 2011.

**September 11**

**6:00 P.M.**

**Potluck and Auction**

**At Paul Bessey's**

**2602 E ARROYO CHICO**

**From intersection of Broadway & Tucson Blvd., go South to ARROYO CHICO. Turn Left and go east to 2602 Arroyo Chico (SE corner Stratford & Arroyo Chico).**

The Tucson auction will be at Paul Bessey's house. Potluck at 6:00pm., auction to follow. Bring a dish to share, plates and utensils & we will need a few extra chairs. TAIS will provide water and soft drinks.

The auction will feature lots of gorgeous iris rhizomes, which will go VERY CHEAP because our guest garden owners already got one of everything! Bargains galore for all our members!! Come and enjoy the potluck and have fun bidding on the irises. These are newer intros, locally grown and already adapted to our climate.





**RHIZOME SALE AT HARLOW GARDENS**

5620 E. Pima, Sat., Sept. 18<sup>th</sup>, 9-4 pm  
Sale Chair Maxine Fifer (743-7993, [wetypefast@aol.com](mailto:wetypefast@aol.com))

**Members special information:**

Members who plan to bring rhizomes **NEED TO GET AN ID #** from Maxine to mark on each rhizome

Members will receive \$2 for rhizomes 2005 and older, \$4 for rhizomes 2006 and newer

Members shall provide a list of the names, descriptions and indicate if a photo will also be brought.

**DEADLINE** for the list, to be emailed or mailed to Maxine, is **MONDAY, SEPT. 13<sup>th</sup>**. Bring a copy of the list with you, indicating the number of each and whether you are donating or will pick up the leftovers.

Pickup of leftovers must be done at 4 pm same day, after which the remainders will be potted for a spring sale.

How can TAIS members make this sale successful? Please contact Maxine (743-7993 or [wetypefast@aol.com](mailto:wetypefast@aol.com)) **NO LATER THAN MONDAY, SEPT. 13<sup>th</sup>** and let her know when you can help. Volunteers are needed for the following time slots: 8:30-12:30 OR 12:30-4:30 pm.

**Why are sales held?**

Recruitment of new members

Public exposure about TAIS

Revitalization of TAIS members' gardens

Education/information for sale browsers

Cash benefits to TAIS members who sell as well as TAIS members who buy

Cash benefits to TAIS coffers

**THIS SALE IS PUBLICIZED BY AN ARTICLE IN THE SEPT. 5<sup>TH</sup> AZ DAILY STAR!!!**



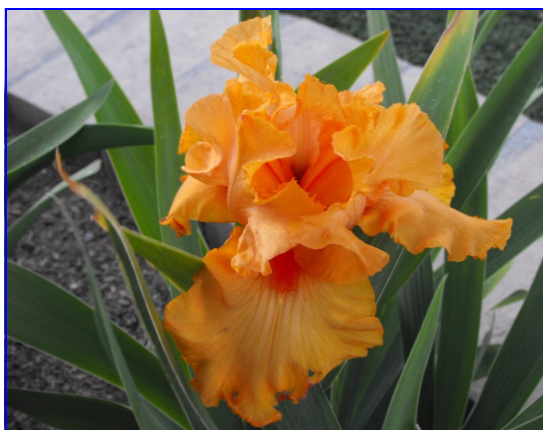




Black Magic Woman



Dakota Smoke



Orange King



Like a Rainbow

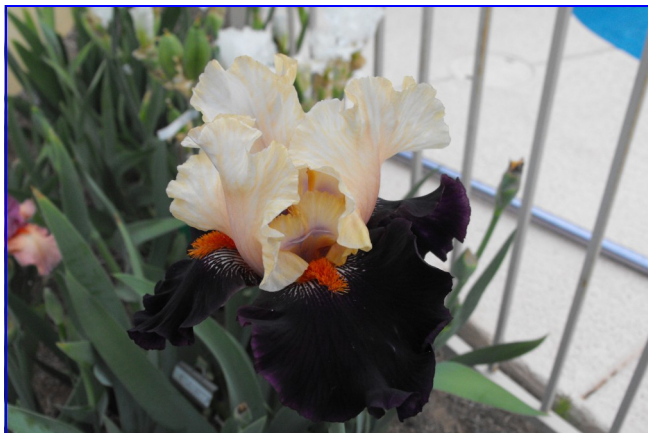


Calabash



Double Ringer





Main Street



Arctic Burst



Birthday Magic



Grand Classic

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