

NEW DAHLIAS IN MY 2010 GARDEN

These dahlias were new to me and to my garden during 2010. I grew others but these were the best.



NAME: JAZZ BB-ID-OR, 2010 RELEASE

COMMERCIAALLY AVAILABLE: CORRALITOS GARDENS, SEE THE BIG LIST FOR CATALOG, 3 1/2'

HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, EASY TO GROW

This dahlia loves the heat and really puts on a display of orange blooms with a reddish reverse all summer long. While not a show dahlia, I rate it as a wonderful garden flower. Stems are short for cutting many blooms but it grew more than the listed 2.5' in my garden so if you want to cut blooms you can. Center stays shut forever. It may stay shorter in a full sun garden.



NAME: FERNCLIFF LEMON AURA BB-C-Y 2007 RELEASE, 3'

COMM AVAIL: FERNCLIFF GARDENS,

HILLTOP GARDENS, HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, EASY TO GROW Another heat loving dahlia as it bloomed all summer keeping its center closed. It stayed short and had lots of blooms for you to enjoy. If you love yellow cactus dahlias this one is for you.

NAME: CRAZY 4 JESSEE BB-IC-DB DR/Y 2009 RELEASE



COMM AVAIL: DAHLIAS BY LES & VIV HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, EASY TO GROW 3 1/2' The color is a little

different but striking and what an incurved cactus form. Most perfect BB bloom in the 2010 National Show. Grown by Buddy Dean, Hilltop Gardens. Currently one of the hot dahlias in the dahlia world.



NAME: SKIPLEY BONANZA B-IC-R RELEASED IN 2010

COMM AVAIL: CLEARVIEW DAHLIAS, JS DAHLIAS, 4 1/2'

HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT Another incurved cactus that held it's center forever and is a great show flower. Didn't have many blooms but the ones I had were spectacular and a great shade of red.



NAME: FORMBY KAITLIN A-FD-PU RELEASED IN 2004 COMM AVAIL: SEE THE BIG LIST

HEAT RATING: VERY GOOD, EASY TO GROW, 4'

What a flower!!! As you can see from this picture it really is a great bloom. Grown in my garden it is not quite as big as in the picture and it did not hold its center during the heat but I have new blooms opening now in time for the Perry show next week.



NAME: TOTENTO AA-ID-R 2008 RELEASE

COMM AVAIL: JS DAHLIAS, 5 1/2'

HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, EASY TO GROW

I grew this dahlia in a five gallon pot to make sure I didn't lose it as it cost more than most. It grew easily and produced four 9"-10" blooms. They held their centers but they were earlier than the National Show so I couldn't take them as an entry.

NAME: HART'S LORA ANN BB-FD-DR, 2010 RELEASE. COMM AVAIL: BLUE RIDGE DAHLIAS, COWLITZ RIVER DAHLIAS, BIG LIST



HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, VERY EASY TO GROW, 4' A

beautiful dahlia in the garden, cut or show. Picture doesn't do it justice. You'll love it. Lots of blooms



NAME: HART'S DR. MCMURRAY, AA-ID-OR, 2010 RELEASE, DH AWARD

COMM AVAIL: BLUE RIDGE DAHLIAS, BIG LIST. HEAT RAT-

ING: GOOD, EASY TO GROW 4' This dahlia won the Derrill Hart award for AA dahlias for 2010. It is a lovely dahlia for your garden if you like bold orange and big. It would not hold it's center during the heat for very long but the bloom stayed good on the plant for a long time.



NAME: CAMANO CONCORD, B-IC-PR, RE-LEASED IN 2009

COMM AVAIL: JS DAHLIAS, AYERS

DAHLIAS, CLEARVIEW DAHLIAS. HEAT RATING: EXCELLERNT, VERY EASY TO GROW. 6' This dahlia is a beautiful dark purple (the picture does not capture it's color correctly) and outstanding incurved cactus form. It bloomed almost all summer and still is going today. The size is the only issue as it tends to be smaller than a "B" size in our heat so it may face reclassification to a "BB" in future years. A great dahlia for your garden



NAME: RYECROFT JAN, M-FD-W, 2001 RELEASE

COMM AVAIL: SEE BIG LIST, HEAT RATING: EXCELLENT, VERY EASY TO GROW, 4'

This dahlia wins big on the show table as it has perfect form and grows without really trying. Bloomed all summer with the blooms looking good in the heat. Wonderful as a cut flower and for arrangements. **NAME: SCOUR SWINTON, B-FD-DP RELEASED IN 1998, COMM AVAIL; SEE BIG LIST.**



HEAT RATING; GOOD, 5' SLOW TO GROW THIS SUMMER.

Beautiful bloom but fades so shading is needed.



NAME: AC BEN, AA-SC-LB OR/Y

COMM AVAIL: ACCENT DAHLIAS,

HEAT RATING: GOOD, GROWS WITHOUT

MUCH FUSS, BLOOMS LATE 6'. Here we are in October and my first blooms are just opening. Since it is new to our heat and we had such a hot summer it just took a long time to grow. It needs a lot of room as the leaves are very large. The picture is from the head table at the 2010 National Show where it won the best semi-cactus "AA" in show. It was grown by Don Warren from Michigan.



NAME: AMHURST KIM, B-IC-LB WH/LV (UNDISSEMINATED)

COMM AVAIL: NO

HEAT RATING: OUTSTANDING, VERY EASY TO GROW, 5' BY

THE END OF THE SEASON. This dahlia loves the heat, blooms early, and holds it's lavender color in the heat except for the hottest part of the summer. Hope to have cuttings available for the tuber sales next spring.

NAME: TROOPER DAN, A-SC-

Y 2009 RELEASE COMM AVAIL: CLEARVIEW DAHLIAS, BIG LIST, HEAT RATING: GOOD, WOULD NOT GROW WELL UNTIL COOLER WEATHER, EASY



TO GROW 3' Outstanding dahlia that stays short and has 10" blooms. Maybe in a cooler summer it will grow better here. Best "A" in 2010 Nat'l Show.



NAME: AC DARK HORSE, AA-SC-PR 2009 RELEASE

COMM AVAIL: ACCENT DAHLIAS, DAHLIAS BY LES & VIV, JS DAHLIAS. EASY TO GROW 4'. This is a beautiful dark purple and white dahlia.

Puts on lots of blooms that are very striking and pleasing. A good addition to your garden.