

July 30, 2014

CWIS 2014 Rhizome Sale

Hello everyone,

The Can-West Iris Society's annual rhizome sale is now under way.

Last year the focus was medians. This year it is tall bearded, both the newest and the tried and true. Feedback from previous sales indicated that members wanted more TBs, more Canadian introductions and more historic TBs, too. I hope you will be pleased with the package we have put together for you!

This year we are featuring John McMillen's most recent introductions. John is a Canadian hybridizer from Norwich ON. Our other focus is historic tall bearded. Don McQueen, a serious collector of historic iris and Chuck Chapman have put together quite a collection of historic and heritage iris for us including several Canadian introductions from years past. And to round out the listing, we have the generous donations from CWIS members.

So get ready to be amazed by the newest of the new and astounded by the historic beauty we offer to you this year!

The rules and guidelines are basically the same as previous years, but there have been some changes so please read everything through carefully before you start looking at the sale listing and photos (see below for instructions on accessing the photos).

1. **REQUIREMENT TO PARTICIPATE:** Paid membership in the Society is required. The membership fee remains at just \$5.00 per year. The membership fee is to be included with your order. The only exception to this rule is for people who joined up between August of last year and July of this year or those who have paid for multiple years in advance. You and I know who you are. If you have any questions regarding your membership status, please ask before ordering.
2. **SALE PERIOD:** The sale will run from Wednesday, July 30 to Monday, August 2, 2014 or until the iris are sold out, whichever comes first.
3. **ORDERS:** DO NOT SEND THE ENTIRE LISTING BACK TO ME! Create a new e-mail with your order to B. J. Jackson at jacksonb@mts.net with "Rhizome Sale Order 2014" in the subject line. This is important! In past years a few orders have been missed because they did not have the correct subject line to alert me to an order's arrival.

Be sure to include a list of alternates just in case your first choices are not available. Indicate your selections, the price of each variety, shipping cost and membership status. Also include your full mailing address, method of payment and telephone number in case we need to contact you about your order.

4. ACCEPTED PAYMENT METHODS: If you wish to pay by cheque, please let me know when you place your order and wait for your confirmation before sending. NSF cheques will be charged a service fee at current bank rates plus \$5. Money Orders are also accepted as are PayPal payments to jacksonb@mts.net (instant bank transfer payments). We are not set up for credit card payments. Administration charge of 10 per cent of your order will be added to cover PayPal fees. The PayPal website is located at www.paypal.com. It will take a few days to set up for instant bank transfers if you aren't already a PayPal member. Another option new this year is electronic bank transfer through Interac. If you wish to use this service, check your online banking site for information and the instructions on how to use it. Depending on your bank and your account type, there may be a charge to you for using it.

5. RHIZOME AVAILABILITY: Some of the varieties are in very limited numbers. Confirmations will be sent out as soon as possible following receipt of your order. Please remember the Rhizome Sale Committee volunteer their time and labour to us every year and we do have lives outside of iris, so it may take a day or two to get back to you. If you don't receive an acknowledgement within 48 hours, please write again to confirm your order has been received. Your patience is appreciated.

6. PRICING: Prices are shown either beside the classification or beside the individual variety. Please check both before writing or calling me! The prices may seem high for some but keep in mind that those are new or newer introductions that have already been deeply discounted just for CWIS members! We guarantee you will not see them anywhere at a lower price!

7. PHOTOGRAPHS: Most of the varieties listed have a link to the American Iris Society's iris encyclopedia (aka the iris wiki). Just click on the link and you will go to the particular variety. If clicking on the link doesn't work, just copy and paste the link into your browser and you can view them that way.

8. SHIPPING CHARGES: Postage charges are not included. Postage charges will be:

Manitoba delivery: \$12

Saskatchewan: \$13

Alberta, British Columbia and all other provinces: \$15.

Large orders may incur additional postage costs.

Combined order shipping is available for out-of-province orders. The way this works is if you are in close proximity to another member(s) who also places an order, your orders may be sent in one box to one address for a single shipping charge. Please discuss this with the people you wish to include in this single mailing ahead of time and indicate so in your order email. The shipping charges may be more than the flat rate indicated above for a single order so wait for your confirmation. It is up to the addressee to distribute the other individuals' orders.

Local Winnipeg delivery is available for \$3. Please indicate this in your order email. Those who elect this option will be given specific instructions as to how to make arrangements to pick up orders in the city when the iris have arrived at the pickup point.

In return for following these guidelines you will acquire some healthy and strong iris rhizomes at a reasonable cost. We cannot guarantee replacement should you happen to get a misnamed iris. Both we and the suppliers have taken every precaution to ensure this doesn't happen, but sometimes mistakes are made. We hope you understand.

Have fun and enjoy the process.

We have tried to make it as simple as possible but if there is any problems, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at

jacksonb@mts.net.

Here is this year's listing. Remember, the varieties are in limited supply so don't think about it for too long! And, have some fun. That's what it is all about after all is said and done.

2014 Sale Listing

SDB - \$3

Be Dazzled, (Jack Boushay, Registered 1975). Seedling 71 -E-1., R. SDB, height 1 4" (36 cm), Mid bloom season. Standards bright yellow; Falls same with bright, dark red-brown thumbprint; yellow beard.

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Sdb/SdbBeDazzled>

Devoted, (Paul Black, Registered 2005). SDB, Height 13" (33 cm), Mid Late bloom season. Standards and style arms medium violet; Falls wine red, medium violet rim, short white rays on each side of beard; beards white at end, light yellow in throat, large; ruffled; slight spicy fragrance.

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Sdb/SdbDevoted>

Indigo Crown, (A. & D. Willott, R. 1976). SDB, 10 1/2" (27 cm). Midseason bloom. Standards medium violet-blue; Falls olive-green; deep violet-blue beard.

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Sdb/SdbIndigoCrown>

Pippi Longstockings, (S. Innerst, R. 1984). SDB, 12" (30 cm), E-M. Full lemon yellow, large burgundy red spot on F.; white beard.

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Sdb/SdbPippiLongstockings>

MTB

Freckle's Sister, (Chuck Chapman, R. 2009). MTB, 20" (51 cm), Mid bloom season. Standards light tan, lightly freckled with small violet dots; style arms light tan; falls cream ground heavily dotted violet, heavier near edge; beards yellow, white at end. **\$4**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Mtb/MtbFrecklesSister>

Fernie Bridge ([Stephanie Markham](#), R. 2009). Seedling 02-03A. MTB, 25" (64 cm), Mid bloom season. Standards and style arms bright yellow; falls raspberry red veined white, bright yellow edges; beards bright yellow; leaf bases heavily washed purple; slight fragrance. 'Cyber Net' X 'Razzleberry Dressing'. Aitken 2009. **\$6**

<http://wiki.irises.org/pub/Mtb/MtbFernieBridge/ferniebridge2.jpg>

Kaleidoscope, (Katkamier, 1929) MTB-S (originally registered TB). Broken color variegata. This was a bud sport of 'Honorable' and no two flowers are ever identical even on the same plant. **\$5**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Mtb/MtbKaleidoscope>

BB - \$12

Shout To The World, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 077209. BB, 27 (69 cm), Early to midseason bloom. Standards medium grape-purple; style arms purple; Falls deep purple, medium grape-purple edge, white haft markings, ruffled; beards bright orange.

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/Bb/BbShoutToTheWorld>

TB (as marked) * indicates Canadian historic variety

Ballet In Blue, (Miles, R. 1951). TB, 40" (102 cm), M. Color Class-B1L, Pale-blue self. **\$7**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbBalletInBlue>

Blue Shimmer, (Jacob Sass, 1941). **\$5**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbBlueShimmer>

Chaz's Choice, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 075310. TB, 35 (89 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards and style arms blue-violet; Falls. same, white patch around beard; beards yellow in throat, light blue end. **\$14**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbChazsChoice>

* **City Of Stratford**, (William Miles, R. 1946) TB. Midseason bloom. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbCityOfStratford>

Dearest Di, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 082110. TB, 36 (91 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards medium blue; style arms blue; Falls medium blue with a slightly lighter area around beards; beards yellow in throat and middle, white end; very wide and ruffled. \$18

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbDearestDi>

* **Dorothy Gee**, (R. Little, R. 1964). Sdlg. L-61-18. TB, 37" (94 cm), M. Color Class-O3P, F darker pink than S; tangerine beard. \$7

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbDorothyGee>

Elizabeth Of England, (William Miles, R. 1949) TB. Late bloom season. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbElizabethOfEngland>

English Cottage, (L. Zurbrigg, R. 1976). Sdlg. H 90 PPPP. TB, 34" (87 cm), E & RE (Aug/Sept in VA). S. white with some very pale plicating of violet; F. white, light violet plicata markings at haft only; near white beard. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbAthruE/TbEnglishCottage>

Fern Fraser, (Zurbrigg, registered 1959). Seedling 52-132-B. TB, height 36" (91 cm), mid season bloom. Color Class-Y4, standards yellow; falls white, gold shoulders at haft; gold beard. \$8

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbFthruJ/TbFernFraser>

Hold And Behold, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 062310. TB, 35 (89 cm), Midseason late bloom. Standards white, light mauve cast, deeper midrib; style arms white, purple stigmatic lip; Falls deep red-purple, 1/4" white edge; beards orange in throat and middle, white end. \$15

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbFthruJ/TbHoldAndBehold>

Hope For Peace, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 0711210. TB, 33 (84 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards white, slight blue cast, heavily ruffled; style arms white, blue overlay; Falls white; beards pale orange in throat, white at end. \$15

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbFthruJ/TbHopeForPeace>

In Prayer, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 0711109. TB, 35 (89 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards near white tips darkening to deep blue base, lighter blue veining; style arms near white, deep blue stigmatic lip; Falls near-white, slight blue cast; beards orange in throat, white end. **\$15**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbFthruJ/TbInPrayer>

Jenna's Joy, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 078109. TB, 33 (84 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards medium to deep lilac-blue; style arms medium lilac; Falls same with slight red blending; beards gold in throat, white at middle and end. Very well branched -10 to 12 buds. Introduced in 2014! **\$16**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbFthruJ/TbJennasJoy>

Left Over, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 0710110. TB, 40 (102 cm), Very late bloom. Standards mauve, slight tan overlay; style arms gold; Falls lilac, edged as standards; beards orange. **\$15**

no photo

* **Lemon Chiffon**, (Eva Bartlett, R. 1944) TB. Early bloom season. **\$6**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbLemonChiffon>

Mares Tails, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 074109. TB, 39 (99 cm), Early midseason bloom. Standards medium sky-blue, deeper blue midrib; style arms near-white, very light lavender center; Falls medium sky-blue, white streaking; beards gold in throat and middle, white end. **\$12**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbMaresTails>

Minnie Colquitt, (Hans Peter Sass, R. 1941, 42). TB, Midseason to late bloom. Height 36" (91 cm), Color Class W8D. A massive white plicata, slightly ruffled, with combed standards and broad flaring falls. The petals have a wide edging of purple. Stems 36 inches with wide branching. **\$5**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbMinnieColquitt>

Mount Royal, (F. Cleveland Morgan, 1929). 36", Midseason bloom. Color Class B9D. Standards deep blue-violet; Falls velvety red pansy violet, broad, flaring. **\$5**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbMountRoyal>

Northern Sunshine, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 061309. TB, 34 (86 cm), Midseason bloom. Bright golden yellow self; beards golden-orange. **\$14**

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbNorthernSunshine>

* **Opalesque**, (R. White, R. 1952). TB, 44" (112 cm), EM. Color Class-Y5, Yellow blend, of buffy lemon-citrine and light Hortense violet margined dull citrine; golden-brown striations. \$7

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbKthruO/TbOpalesque>

Picador, (Benjamin Yoe Morrison, 1930) TB. Midseason bloom. \$8

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbPicador>

Rameses, (Hans Peter Sass, R. 1928). Midseason to late bloom. Color Class S9L. "Standards deep olive buff to avellaneous; Falls deeply flushed argyle purple, the conspicuous haft strontian yellow; beard also conspicuous, orange; 40 inches. Widely branched,; Standards arching, a bit floppy; falls drooping; styles, broad, over-arching. Dykes Medal 1932. \$5

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbRameses>

Red Revival, (F. Preston, R. 1975). Sdlg. 16-66-7. TB, 30" (76 cm), EM & RE. S. pinkish bronze, ruffled; F. rosy red, sometimes lighter toward margin, slightly ruffled; pinkish bronze beard. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbRedRevival>

Ribbon Round, ([Chet Tompkins](#), R. 1962) Sdlg. 60-2. TB, 40" (102 cm), E-ML. White ground edged sky blue. \$7

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbRibbonRound>

Rio Rojo, (Schreiner, R. 2009). TB, 38" (97 cm), EM. Standards, style arms and falls red (RHS 61A); beards blue purple, yellow in throat; ruffled. \$8

Rivers Of Gold,(John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 061209. TB, 29 (74 cm), Midseason bloom. Standards bright medium yellow; style arms yellow; Falls cream-white, fine yellow rim; beards orange; wide; ruffled. \$14

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbRiversOfGold>

So What, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 074410. TB, 40 (102 cm), Early bloom. Standards cream-yellow-white; style arms cream-yellow; Falls lavender-grey, tan-yellow edging; beards gold. \$14

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbSoWhat>

Surrender, (Chet Tompkins, R. 1951). TB 38" M-L. W4. White and yellow bicolor. \$5

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbSurrender>

Sweet Musette, (Schreiner, R. 1986). Seedling S 256-2. TB, height 37" (94 cm). Midseason late bloom. Standards light pink lavender; falls warm rose pink; tangerine beard; serrated and lightly laced. \$5

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbSweetMusette>

Twilight In Oxford, (John McMillen, R. 2013) Sdlg. 085111. TB, 31 (79 cm), Early midseason bloom. Standards medium mango-orange; style arms mango-orange; Falls same as standards; beards bright red. Introduced in 2014! \$18

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbPthruT/TbTwilightInOxford>

Victoria Falls, (Schreiners, R.1977). Seedling I 68-A. TB, height 40" (102 cm). Early to late bloom. Ruffled uniform light to medium blue with white spot on center of falls; white beard. Dykes Medal 1984. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbUthruZ/TbVictoriaFalls>

* **Wabashine**, (Zurbrigg, selector and introducer for originator, A. K. Edmison, R. 1952) TB, 42" (107 cm), E-M. White bicolor; S. white, F. white tinted heliotrope, which fades. \$6

<http://wiki.irises.org/bin/view/TbUthruZ/TbWabashine>