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## **AMERICAN DAHLIA SOCIETY**

**announces the seedling bench recipients of the**

**Lynn B Dudley Medal**

**and**

**Evie Gullikson Medal**

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JS Jenny



Bloomquist Mary



Bloomquist Bethany



Bloomquist Paul Jr.



Narrows Patti



Kelsey Valentine

The American Dahlia Society announces the 2017 dahlia seedling winners of the Lynn B. Dudley Medal and Evie Gullikson Medal. Dahlia seedling blooms are exhibited and evaluated in the Seedling Bench Section of ADS dahlia shows. Cultivars receiving the highest average scores across the United States and Canada will receive medals. These dahlias will be introduced as new varieties for 2018 with the added designation of being medal winners.

**Lynn B. Dudley Medal seedling winners:**

JS Jenny, Large, Informal Decorative, Orange, hybridized by Schoenauer.

Bloomquist Mary, Medium, Semi Cactus, White, hybridized by Bloomquist.

Dr. Carl, Small, Semi Cactus, Pink, hybridized by Masurat.

Bloomquist Bethany, Miniature, Cactus, Dark Blend, hybridized by Bloomquist.

Bloomquist Paul Jr, Miniature Ball, Dark Red, hybridized by Bloomquist.

Narrows Patti, Stellar, Red, hybridized by Walton.

**Evie Gullikson Medal seedling winner:**

Kelsey Valentine, Collarette, Dark Red, hybridized by Walker.