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Photo by: Jeffrey Scroggins

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Genus Datura

Brugmansia Growers International is in the process of setting up a new database for the Genus Datura. We would like to thank Jeffrey Scroggins for the following amazing photographs, as well as our cover picture and the pictures at the top of page 8.



New Brugmansia Cultivar Names

Brugmansia Growers International would like to announce the following new cultivar names in the genus Brugmansia.

New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Adieu'

Pod Parent: 'Musketeer'  
Pollen Parent: 'Fernando'  
Hybridizer: Allan Little  
Seedling Parent: Wayne Carter  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: White/Cream  
Flower Position: Pendant  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Mite free, healthy grower, nice flushes. 16" in length, lovely long petal tips. Opens cream then turns pure white. Pleasant but not strong fragrance. This is being named as Wayne Carter bids farewell to his much loved home and moves away to begin a new garden.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Angels Above'

Pod Parent: 'Pink Perfektion'  
Pollen Parent: Unknown  
Hybridizer: Volker Sanders  
Seedling Parent: Edna Murphree  
Flower Form: Double or more  
Flower Color: Very Dark Pink/Red/Burgundy  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Candida?  
Comments: Double blossoms; very nice floral scent; blossoms in the heat; blossoms are not effected by the heat as with pod parent. Leaves smooth; medium size plant; easily rooted. Good pod and pollen parent.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Appalachian Danse'

Pod Parent: 'Tootsie'  
Pollen Parent: 'Shooting Star'  
Hybridizer: Seed Sprout Nursery/Brenda Delph  
Seedling Parent: Brenda Bautista  
Flower Form: Double or more  
Flower Color: Apricot/Melon/Peach  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Triple peachy pink; flowers 6" long, 3" petal tip to petal tip; no noticeable fragrance. Compact plant; blossoms 3+ times per season; leaves serrated. In cultivation since 2008.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Caribbean Queen'

Pod Parent: 'Lizzy'  
Pollen Parent: 'Painted Lady'  
Hybridizer: Elizabeth Fichtl  
Seedling Parent: Elizabeth Fichtl  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: Very Dark Pink/Red/Burgundy  
Flower Position: Pendant  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Very nice, bell shaped for with medium length tendrils that recurve. Color varies from light pink, through medium pink/melon - to dusky medium pink. Color is changeable according to temperature and humidity.





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New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Fifi’

Pod Parent: ‘Super Spot’  
Pollen Parent: ‘Phänomenal’  
Hybridizer: Paul Hicks  
Seedling Parent: Mya Couchman  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: Pink  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Healthy. Strikes easily and sets pods well. The single bloom opens pink and deepens to a rich raspberry pink over the next 24 hours. The bloom lasts well and is waxy.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Fireworks'

Pod Parent: ‘Shooting Star’  
Pollen Parent: ‘Miss October’  
Hybridizer: Margo Barker  
Seedling Parent: Margo Barker  
Flower Form: Double or more  
Flower Color: Orange  
Flower Position: Pendant  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Takes on 'Miss October's beauty, but is a very strong grower and very easily roots, versus the problems 'Miss October' has.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Meroo Gold’

Pod Parent: (‘Clementine’ X ‘White Elephant’)  
Pollen Parent: ‘White Elephant’  
Hybridizer: Alistair Hay  
Seedling Parent: Alistair Hay  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: Yellow  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Dense flushes; strong but light scent; "seersucker" texture of corolla tube; long petal tips; so far quite resistant to Broad Mite.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Monika’s Meroo Blütenraum’

Pod Parent: ‘Bolero’  
Pollen Parent: ‘De Moi ut Ostfreesland’  
Hybridizer: Monika Gottschalk  
Seedling Parent: Alistair Hay  
Flower Form: Double or more  
Flower Color: Pink  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Long-lasting, waxy-textured double to triple flowers which hold up well in sun and wind. Compact growth.



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New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Monika’s Meroo Rubin’

Pod Parent: ‘Fascination’  
Pollen Parent: ‘De Moi ut Ostfreesland’  
Hybridizer: Monika Gottschalk  
Seedling Parent: Alistair Hay  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: Pink  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Candida  
Comments: Compact growth; very large ruffled flowers with the colour extending well up the corolla tube.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia 'Moonlight Serenade'

Pod Parent: ‘Earth Angel’  
Pollen Parent: ‘Pink Smitty’  
Hybridizer: Brenda Delph  
Seedling Parent: Christine Tonitto  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: Pink  
Flower Position: Pendant  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Sets fertile pods freely, no mite problems. Does not require as much water as other Brugmansia, nice perfume. Lovely heavy Autumn flushes.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Papa's Girls'

Pod Parent: ‘Painted Lady’  
Pollen Parent: ‘New Orleans Lady’  
Hybridizer: S. B. Jarrett  
Seedling Parent: S. B. Jarrett  
Flower Form: Double or more  
Flower Color: White/Cream  
Flower Position: Pendant  
Flower Shape: Trumpet  
Foliage: Solid  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: N/A  
Species/Breeding History Set: Cubensis  
Comments: Triple flowers with citrus scent. Very tall - 10-12 feet. This cultivar was previously established in the January 2014 issue of The Herald.



New Cultivar Name: Brugmansia ‘Shimmerer’

Pod Parent: ‘Culebra’  
Pollen Parent: (‘Culebra' X 'Knightii')  
Hybridizer: Des Tramacchi  
Seedling Parent: Des Tramacchi  
Flower Form: Single  
Flower Color: White/Cream  
Flower Position: Nodding  
Flower Shape: Intermediate Trumpet Funnel  
Foliage: Variegated  
If Variegated, Type of Variegation: Green on Green  
Species/Breeding History Set: Candida  
Comments: Leaves quilted glossy dark green, variegated mid-green when young (less visible as the leaf matures). Calyx resembles 'Culebra' in being widest near the tip.





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**New Cultivar Name:** *Brugmansia* ‘Sugartime’

**Pod Parent:** ‘Angels Swingtime’  
**Pollen Parent:** ‘New Orleans Lady’  
**Hybridizer:** Eddie Stiltner  
**Seedling Parent:** Dianne Wilson  
**Flower Form:** Single  
**Flower Color:** Pink  
**Flower Position:** Nodding  
**Flower Shape:** Trumpet  
**Foliage:** Solid  
**If Variegated, Type of Variegation:** N/A  
**Species/Breeding History Set:** Cubensis  
**Comments:** This pretty, pink single has the sweetest perfume of any in my collection, it has been trouble free, grows quickly from cuttings and sets pods very easily.



**New Cultivar Name:** *Brugmansia* ‘Sunset Dreaming’

**Pod Parent:** ‘Angels Sunbeam’  
**Pollen Parent:** (‘Bergfeuer’ x ‘Super Spot’)  
**Hybridizer:** Volker Sanders  
**Seedling Parent:** Dianne Wilson  
**Flower Form:** Double or more  
**Flower Color:** Pink  
**Flower Position:** Nodding  
**Flower Shape:** Trumpet  
**Foliage:** Solid  
**If Variegated, Type of Variegation:** N/A  
**Species/Breeding History Set:** Cubensis  
**Comments:** Flowers consistent in colour and shape; pleasantly sweet perfume; easy to propagate and grow.



**New Cultivar Name:** *Brugmansia* ‘Teenangel’

**Pod Parent:** ‘Joli’  
**Pollen Parent:** ‘Friemersheim’  
**Hybridizer:** Unknown  
**Seedling Parent:** Carol Robinson  
**Flower Form:** Single  
**Flower Color:** Pink  
**Flower Position:** Nodding  
**Flower Shape:** Trumpet  
**Foliage:** Solid  
**If Variegated, Type of Variegation:** N/A  
**Species/Breeding History Set:** Candida  
**Comments:** Fast strong growth, grows naturally as a standard. Abundant flushes, single blooms, but does throw doubles. medium sized leaves. Pest resistant.



**New Cultivar Name:** *Brugmansia* ‘The Showgirl’

**Pod Parent:** ‘Rosalla’  
**Pollen Parent:** ‘Sam’  
**Hybridizer:** Eddie Stiltner  
**Seedling Parent:** Dianne Wilson  
**Flower Form:** Double or more  
**Flower Color:** Pink  
**Flower Position:** Pendant  
**Flower Shape:** Trumpet  
**Foliage:** Solid  
**If Variegated, Type of Variegation:** N/A  
**Species/Breeding History Set:** Cubensis  
**Comments:** Very wide calyx and corolla tube. The 2nd and 3rd corollas stay stuffed inside the first, only dropping very occasionally. Very attractive in full flush.



## And It Begins!

**By: Donna Slaga (dj77)**

It is May 4th. Hopefully I'm not starting too early, but the 10 day forecast has our nights no lower than 40 degrees, so I pulled out the barrel composter and got to work mixing some soil. If anyone uses pine bark fines in their soil mix, this mulch at Home Depot and Lowes is perfect. It is already partially composted and nice and fine. The first couple of pallets of it is great, but then the newer stuff will start flooding the stores, and it's lousy. It's not composted, too large, and many times it has pine wood and not bark mixed in. I usually flip the bags over and try to peek through the plastic to see what I'm getting. You want it more like soil than mulch.



I don't recall how many trees I planted in big tubs last year mixing the soil by hand. I'd say it was at least a dozen before I got smart and used the composter. Talk about a back saver, and it sure speeds up the transplanting process. I mixed soil and potted up 6 trees in about an hour today. That glow you see on the top of it in the picture isn't the sun. That's God's glow on it - at least that's what I see when I look at it. I'm pretty sure I hear angels singing too!



Hopefully this year will go as well as last year did. I've heard people say their first year trees do far better than their older ones. I'm kind of worried about that, but I guess there is only one way to find out.

I decided to stick my Xena in the ground to see how she does. She's in her bucket with holes to save me a little work in the fall.

Lots more to go, but it's a start! Good to be playing in the dirt again.





## Genus *Datura*



### ICRA Business

A number of new *Brugmansia* cultivar names have been placed in the public domain on-line or in electronic publications which do not meet the conditions of publication set out in the 2009 ICNCP — specifically that they should appear in dated hard copy (Art. 25.1). Such names are open to establishment for other cultivars, and their cultivars are open to having other names established for them. Therefore, in the interests of nomenclatural stability, we establish them here. If it transpires that any of these have in fact already been established, then those names of course date from the earlier publication. It is to be understood that the epithets listed here are preceded by the name of the denomination class *Brugmansia*.

Epithet	Flower Colour	Petal Tips	Flower Form	Pod Parent	Pollen Parent	BHS	Hybridizer	Origin	Year	Grower
'Bella di Pesco'	apricot	medium	double				Green Chapel Farms	USA	2014	
'Brisingamen'	pink	medium	double					Austria	2012?	intr. by Green Chapel Farms
'Catherine Elks'	pink	long	double				Green Chapel Farms	USA	2014	
'Dienie Gommer'	bright pink	medium	single			Rubella	Ludger Schneider	Germany	2014	
'Eunice'	yellow	short	single			Suarea	Geo. Hilder	USA	pre 2011	
'Gesprekelt Rosen'	pink	long	single					USA?	2013	intr. by Green Chapel Farms
'Glass House Angel'	yellow/orange	medium	single			Aurea		USA?	pre 2000	
'Lady Ophelia'	yellow	medium	single				Andy Nuytten	Belgium	2013?	
'Miss March'	white	medium	double	'Charleston'		Candida	Alice Harris	USA	2014	
'Miss June'	yellow	medium	double				Alice Harris	USA	2014	
'Miss September'	orange	medium	double				Alice Harris	USA	2014	
'Orange Julius'	orange	medium	double				Fred Sommer	USA	2013	
'Pretty Pink'	pink	medium	single			sua +?	Anita Schaumann	Germany		
'Vivienne'	pink	medium	single				Elke Duback	France		