

The Orchid Enthusiast

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Next meeting: Sunday February 6th Gary Stensland of our CNYOS will be doing a presentation on Creating Orchid Miniature Displays

Hello everyone,

This month we will be having one of our own Members showing us how he makes those amazing miniature orchid displays that he's had in our shows for the last few years. For those of you who haven't seen his creations, Gary makes miniature scale models of gardens, greenhouses and living areas that have miniature orchids among many other things, made out of clay and other craft material. He has won several AOS awards for his work. This is a definite must-see event! We will be having an open Beginner's Session at 1:30pm as well. If there is a topic you would like to talk about, please let one of the club officers know.

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2008

Meeting/Event Calendar

February 3rd Gary Stensland and Creating Orchid Miniatures
March 2nd Annual Orchid Mounting Clinic
March 16th Possible Bloomfield Orchids visit
April 6th tbd
May 4th Annual Orchid Auction
June Spring Picnic

Fall Show and Sale October?
Beaver Lake Nature Center,
Baldwinsville, NY

A trip to Bloomfield Orchids near Rochester, NY is in the works for March 16th. There are only three or four people who have committed to going, and there needs to be at least 6 or more for our hosts to hold the event. Please sign up if you would like to go or the event will need to be canceled.

Misc. Business

2008 CNYOS Dues will be due at our January Meeting and should be paid to our Treasurer Carol Haskell at 102 Wynthrop Rd. Syracuse, NY 13209 315/468-0811 chaskell33@earthlink.net. If any of your contact info has changed, then please let Carol know asap. Please keep your membership up-to-date! We don't want anyone to miss out on all of the activities happening this year. Yearly dues are \$15.00 per individual, or \$17.00 per family.

Club Vice-President Kim Boronczyk has orchid supplies for sale. Please contact Kim at 315-455-7587 before regular meetings to discuss what she has available and can bring to the next meeting.

The club has an orchid book library at our meeting location. Please contact Judi or Tom to find out what is available and to sign out a book. Anyone who has ideas for Beginner's Session topics please feel free to contact Tom D. by phone at 315-687-3449

Volunteer Schedules

Meeting Refreshments

Feb 3rd Dorothy Brock and Lori Hoffman
March 2nd Nancy Loveland and Barb Bessette
April 6th Maxine Weibel and Dolores Capella
May 4th Barbara Wheeler and John Bradley
June meeting Spring picnic details tbd

January 6th Meeting Minutes

Monica Kot, our new co-president, opened the meeting at 2:17PM by welcoming several visitors to our meeting and wishing all a Happy New Year.

1. Monica reminded all that the 2008 club dues are now due. She noted that Carol Haskell, our Treasurer, would be glad to accept everyone's check.
 2. January 19 will be Jim Marlow's Open House. Charles will send out a notice to all club members online as a reminder.
 3. Charles Ufford announced that there were two proposed dates for a club field trip to Bloomfield Orchids in Rochester. One is either March 15 or 16 and the second is either March 22 or 23. After a club member pointed out that March 22 and 23 are the Easter weekend, he changed the dates to just March 15 or 16 and put out a sign-up sheet for members to use to show their preferred date for the trip.
 4. We are still looking for a member to serve as co-vice president with Charles. Please contact Monica or Charles if you are interested. Charles will cover the scheduling portion of this position but he lives outside the Syracuse area. He would like a volunteer who lives in Syracuse and can help with localized tasks such as picking up plants for our auction.
 5. Our show dates for the 2008 CNYOS Show are October 4 and 5, at Beaver Lake Nature Center. Mark your calendar!
 6. Carol Haskell presented a quick summary of her show report for the CNYOS 2007 Show. She is still waiting on the commission check from Bloomfield's Orchids but she believes the club will be in the red for our show. She will present the show report as soon as she receives this final commission check. At this point the club's balance as of January 6, 2008, is \$2,987.18
 7. Monica closed the meeting by welcoming our guest speaker, Dr. Tom Nassar, and asking everyone to check out our Silent Auction table.
- Pat Cotter, Secretary, 1-23-08

JANUARY SHOW TABLE

Please note especially all names and abbreviations in **boldface**, and **correct** or **complete** your records, including parentage and new registrations. Next time you present the plant, include name and parents.

Cypripedium Alliance

Phrag. Andean Fire (lindleyanum x besseae)	Lloyd
Phrag. Ecu-Bess (besseae x pearcei "var. ecuadorensis")*	"
Phrag. Sedenii (longifolium x schlimii)	Coleman
Phrag. Memoria Dick Clements (lindleyanum "var. sargentianum" x besseae)*	"
Paph. charlesworthii	Witkin
Paph. Leanum (insigne x spicerianum) (also a natural hybrid)	"
Paph. concolor	Cohen
Paph. barbatum	"
Paph. Houghtoniae (haynaldianum x rothschildianum)	Ditz
Paph. haynaldianum	Capella
Paph. Merce-Lou Audino (Greenvale x Lambert Day)	"
Paph. fairrieianum	"

Cattleya Alliance

B. "bahiensis"†	Lloyd
S. cernua	Daily
Epi. ciliare	Cohen

Vandaceous

Phal. equestris	Coleman
Phal. pallens	Ufford
Phal. equestris	“

Oncidium Alliance

Mtssa. Dennis Kleinbach (Cartagena x Milt. Goodale Moir)	Coleman
Incdm. Misty (Inps. utricularioides x Onc. flexuosum) 2 plants	“
Onc. ornithorhynchum	Ufford
Chyt. aurata	Daily
Odm. tenue	Capella

Pleurothallid Alliance

Spe. grobyi	Witkin
Rstp. muscifera	Daily
Rstp. elegans	“
Masd. floribunda	“

Dendrobium Alliance

Den. Nora Tokunaga (atroviolaceum x rhodostictum)	Coleman
Den. aberrans	Daily

Miscellaneous

Cyc. chlorochilon	Bradley
Galeopetalum (Gptm.) Giant (Z. Artur Elle x Galeottia grandiflora)‡“	
Jum. comorensis	Woodworth
Sinningia ‘Razzmatazz’ (Gesneriaceae)	Cohen

*It often happens, not only in the orchid family, that advanced research reveals that a plant form of horticultural importance has no taxonomic significance, and the name is no longer accepted. Due to the overwhelming complexity of hybrid orchid registration, there is often a delay between taxonomic changes and adjustments in the RHS Orchid Register. Sometimes the Register maintains an unaccepted species name for horticultural reasons.

†Plant is known by this name in the trade, but it has never been published.

‡‘Rhein Moonlight’ is a clone name.

Iris Cohen

Please remember to bring your flowering orchids to the meeting for the Show Table!!!

Orchid Trading Post

Phragmipedium richteri x Sorcerer’s Apprentice ‘4N’ I-C green-brown-maroon,

I am open to offers...

Barbara Bessette

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The Central New York Orchid Society meets at St. Augustine's Church, 7333 O'Brien Rd., Baldwinsville, at 2:00^{pm} on the first Sunday of each month from September through June, with Beginner's Sessions at 1:30p.m. right before the regular meetings. Yearly dues are \$15.00 per individual, or \$17.00 per family. Dues should be paid to the CNYOS Treasurer, Carol Haskell

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Speaker Gary Stensland Creating Orchid Miniatures**