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December 2017 Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

December has arrived and it is time to plan for our annual Holiday Social event (all family members included). This year's event will take place on December 10 at our usual location (1024 Carrington Place, our normal venue across Rio road from the Church of Our Savior). Since we will be sharing a meal, the starting time will be 3:30 (setup begins) instead of our normal time (2:30). I would like, however, for all members of our Board to arrive at 2:30 for a Board meeting (2:30-3:30). I will share the board meeting agenda items with the board members in a separate email.

This is a pot luck event so please bring a dish or two to share. Eating will commence around 4:00 and be followed by judging and Show Table awards presentations. Instead of our normal show table, members are asked to engage their artistic talents to create orchid/holiday themed table arrangements and orchid corsages that will be judged in lieu of orchid plants. The arrangements will be used to decorate our dining tables and the points awarded will be credited towards next year's show table entries.

Since there is no speaker for our December meeting, members may bring plants to sell. As usual, 20% of any plant sales will be credited to the CHAOS operating budget. Please include a tag on your sale plants with your name and the sale price of the plant as well as the normal plant label. People purchasing plants should remove the tag with the price and place it along with the payment (checks made out to CHAOS or cash) in the envelope that will be provided on the plant sales table. Pam will collect the payments and issue checks to the sellers in the appropriate amounts. Everyone should bring their check books or ample cash.

Hope to see you and your family there next Sunday.

Dudley





SPEAKER INFORMATION:

There is no speaker for the December meeting. However, Eleanor received the following note from our November speaker:

Thanks again for having me down to speak to your society last weekend. I thoroughly enjoyed meeting your members and sharing my experiences from Australia.

Here are the websites on Western Australian orchids that I had listed in my presentation, and which your members had requested I provide for your newsletter: http://chookman.id.au/wp_orchids<<u>http://chookman.id.au/wp_orchids/</u>>/<<u>http://chookman.id.au/wp_orchids/</u>> -http://orchidswa.com.au<<u>http://orchidswa.com.au/</u>>/<<u>http://orchidswa.com.au/</u>> -http://caladenia.fr.free<<u>http://caladenia.fr.free/</u>>

Enjoy!

Roddy

Also, remember to pre-order orchids from our January speaker, Art Chadwick, from his website: www.chadwickorchids.com





SHOW TABLE RESULTS:

1Hobby Maria Shank Prosthechea cochleata "Seibels" 1rst		
1Hobby	Maria Shank Den Emma White 2nd	
1Hobby	C J Bresanson Onc Sharry Baby 2nd	
1Hobby	Frank Hince Max variabilis 3rd	
2Hobby	George & Fay Tyler Max picta 1rst	
2Hobby George & Fay Tyler SI Caprice Taxonomists Delight 2nd		
2Hobby George & Fay Tyler C perciviliana 3rd		
3Hobby	Pam Van Brunt Masd Ximena Neira 1rst	
3Hobby Alba Shank Den Unknown 2nd		
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4Super Hobb	by Dudley Miller Onc planilabre 1rst	
4Super Hobb	by Brenda Steigman V. Pachara Delight FCC/JOGA 2nd	
4Super Hobby Brenda Steigman Bc Donald Prince "Ladysmith" 3rd		
5Professiona	l Jeff Morris Lc Chyong Guu Swan "White Jade" 1rst	
5Professional Jeff Morris Pot Memorial Gold 2nd		
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Show Table Reminder

For all show entries, complete a show table form (plant identification on front, your name on back). After the meeting, leave forms on the table so that results may be tabulated.



Charlottesville Orchid Society

Join us for a CHAOS meeting!!!

Be our guest at a meeting because you enjoy orchids!

What's in it for you:

- Speakers who address multiple topics of interest about orchids and growing them
- A show table that allows you to see...and smell!...blooming orchids grown by our members, AND discussion by experienced orchid growers about how those orchids grow and thrive
- Networking with friendly and welcoming people who enjoy orchids and plants, and grow them in their own greenhouses or homes
- Frequent options to purchase beautiful orchids to grow yourself
- Raffles in which you may win an orchid plant for as little as \$1.00
- The option of joining our organization as a member

When: Usually the second Sunday of each month, September through June, from 2:30 to 4:30 PM, with program from 3:00-4:30 PM. Check our website (<u>http://cvilleorchidsociety.com/</u>) to confirm a date.

Where: 1024 Carrington Place, off of Rio Road East, Charlottesville. Go to the third floor, "Accounting Solutions".

Hope to see you at our next meeting!