



# CHAOS

## *Charlottesville Orchid Society*

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May 2017 Newsletter

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### **2016 BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

**President:** Dudley Miller

**1<sup>st</sup> Vice President:** Jeffrey Morris

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**Program Director:** Eleanor Matano

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### ***NEXT MEETING:***



**Sunday 5/21/2017**

Set-up 2:30 PM; program begins at 3:00 PM

1024 Carrington Place, off Rio Road across from Church of Our Savior

***PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:***

Our next meeting will be 21 May, at the regular time (2:30-5:00) and place ( 1024 Carrington Place, across Rio Road from The Church of Our Saviour). May is the month for most of our orchids to move outside for the warm weather growing season. Most of the showy flowers of Winter and Spring have faded and we enter what I like to call the season of botanicals. This is also the time when we begin to find our native woodlands orchids in flower (Showy Orchis and Pink Lady Slipper, for example), so get out for a hike in the woods if you are able,

I am sad to report that Jeff's mother's health has taken a turn for the worse. This means that we need someone to step up to host our picnic next month (11 June) as Jeff and Linda already have their hands full. Please give some consideration to the possibility of hosting our picnic (we will hopefully resolve this issue at our meeting on Sunday)..

Feel free to bring snacks to share and hope to see you next Sunday.

Dudley



***SPEAKER INFORMATION:***

Our speaker for the meeting is Sarah Hurdel from Maryland. She grows in the home and is a student judge in the AOS Judging program.

She will be bringing plants for sale.



A beauty from Jeff Morris from our April show table, with the memorable name of CX188 or somesuch!

## ***SHOW TABLE RESULTS:***

1Hobby	Leon Blumreich	Sarco sceptraodes "2"	1rst
1Hobby	Leon Blumreich	Phrag Don Wimber	2nd
1Hobby	Daria Kiselica	Phal Surf Song (trade name)	3rd
2Hobby	George & Fay Tyler	Den loddigesii	1rst
2Hobby	George & Fay Tyler	C skinnerii	2nd
3Hobby	Pam Van Brunt	Lepanthopsis astrophora "Stalky"	1rst
3Hobby	Frank Grau	Blc Sea Swirl "Whirlpool" HCC/AOS	2nd
3Hobby	Pam Van Brunt	Cym Bo Peep	3rd
3Hobby	Pam Van Brunt	Lepanthes dalessandroi	HM
4Super Hobby	Dudley Miller	Cym Green Stream x Alvanie	1rst
4Super Hobby	Dudley Miller	C aurantica	2nd
4Super Hobby	Brenda Steigman	Den Himezakura "Sanokku"	3rd
4Super Hobby	Dudley Miller	Cym Jungfrau "Dos Pueblos" AM/AOS	HM
5Professional	Jeff Morris	Phal Chian Xen Piano "CX339" FCC/AOS	1rst
5Professional	Jeff Morris	C Jose Marti "Mother's Favorite"	2nd
5Professional	Lee & Neale Merriman	Blc Irene Finney "Ingrid"	3rd

### *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.



Two views of the Superhobby category of our show table at the April meeting.



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# 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 (<http://cvilleorchidsociety.com/>) 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!**