

Charlottesville Orchid Society

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NEXT MEETING:



Sunday 11/12/2017

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:

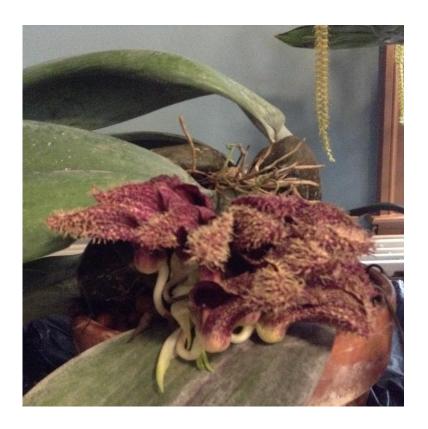
Most of us have now had our first frost and all of our orchids should be tucked into their winter habitats. It is time to start withholding water for the cool growing deciduous dendrobiums as well as all orchids that go dormant during the winter. We have all probably seen spikes in various stages as we brought our plants inside. This is a good time to check for slugs and other critters that may have found homes in the orchid pots while they were outside. Soon the glorious winter blooming season will be underway.

The November 2017 meeting of the Charlottesville Orchid Society wiil be held on Sunday, 12 November. The meeting will take place at 1024 Carrington Place (our normal venue across Rio road from the Church of Our Saviour). Setup will begin at 2:30 with the formal meeting beginning at 3:00. Member are encouraged to bring snacks to share. Our meeting should be ending around 5:00. If you are not one of those members bringing large numbers of plants for the display table (and hence busy carting them back out after the meeting), please consider staying a little later and helping to restore the room to its regular state.

We will be electing officers for 2018 at the November meeting. You may view the slate of officers elsewhere in this Bulletin since there are no contested seats this year and all the officers for 2017 have agreed to stand for reelection. Hope to see you on the 12th.

Dudley



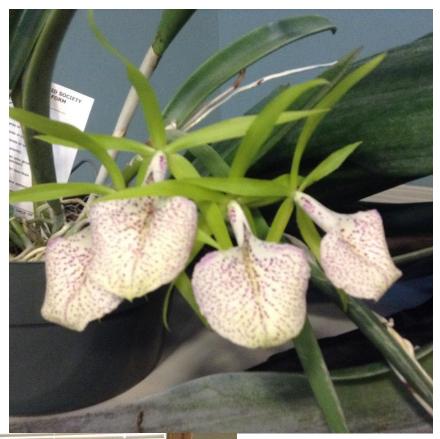


SPEAKER INFORMATION:

Our speaker for November is Roddy Gabel, who will be talking with us about the native orchids of southwest Australia. He has invited CHAOS members to bring plants to sell.

Our January speaker, Art Chadwick, will be bringing plants for sale, but has suggested that CHAOS members pre-order plants from his website: www.chadwickorchids.com Take a look at the website and make your wish list!

For the upcoming year, do you have any suggestions for speakers or topics for our meetings? There are so many topics that could be covered, from types of orchids, growing strategies, history, etc. etc. Please pass on your suggestions to Program Director Eleanor Matano, who coordinates our speakers. And thanks to Eleanor for a wonderful speaker list for 2017!







SHOW TABLE RESULTS:

1Hobby Daria Kiselica Epi Sunset Valley "Sweet Cherry" 1rst

1Hobby Daria Kiselica Isochilus linearis 2nd

2Hobby George & Fay Tyler Bl Fay Tyler 1rst

3Hobby Pam Van Brunt Masd Angel Frost x Margurite 1rst

3Hobby Pam Van Brunt Pleuro mathildae 2nd

3Hobby Pam Van Brunt Habenaria regnieri 3rd

3Hobby Frank Grau Blc Gladys Oumae "Roy" HCC/AOS HM

4Super Hobby Brenda Steigman V Fuchs Fortune x V. Piyarat 1rst

4Super Hobby Brenda Steigman Bc Star Ruby "Xandu" 2nd

4Super Hobby Dudley Miller Pleuro restrepioides "Dragonstone" 3rd

5Professional Jeff Morris Bulb medusae 1rst

5Professional Jeff Morris Bc Nakornpathome Silver "Joy Black" AM/AOS 2nd

5Professional Jeff Morris C Sans Souci 2nd

5Professional Jeff Morris Ddc magnum 2nd

5Professional Lee & Neale Merriman Bulb phalaenopsis 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.



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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!