NAPLES Orchid SOCIETY since 1962

APRIL 2019 NEWSLETTER

Our April monthly meeting is Thursday,
NOTE DATE CHANGE:
April 11, 2019
at the Moorings Presbyterian Church, Baker Gym

Flower Registration
6:30 pm
Flower Judging
7:10 pm
Meeting
7:30 pm
Program
7:45 pm

Nick Ewy
Associate Director of Horticulture
Naples Botanical Garden
"Inside the Orchid World at Naples Botanical Garden'

Flower Awards
Raffle --- Refreshments

UPCOMING NOS EVENTS

Next Monthly Meeting
Thursday, May 2, 2019
Program to be announced

NOS BOD and Show Committee Meeting
Thursday, March 28, 2019 6:30 pm
Thursday, April 25, 2019 6:30 pm
All members are welcome to attend!
Conference room of AvAirPros
Toni Stabile Building
5551 Ridgewood Drive, Suite 300
Naples FL 34108

Contact: Dick Pippen Rpippen@comcast.net

Bus Trip to Redland Orchid Festival 2019
Saturday, May 18, 2019
Fruit and Spice Park, Homestead, FL
See more information on page 3

President: Richard Pippen
rpippen@comcast.net

Submit articles for the Newsletter by the 15th of each month to: NaplesOrchidSociety@gmail.com

***Newsletter Editors**: Kris Morton, Marilyn Moser, Veronica Catrombon*

The Naples Orchid Society is a non-profit organization, devoted to the promotion of, interest in, and the appreciation of orchids and the preservation of our native orchids. It is also our aim to disseminate information pertaining to their culture and hybridization.
www.NaplesOrchid Society.org

A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dick Pippen
Rpippen@comcast.net

Greetings Orchid Lovers—At our March meeting Francisco Miranda presented an excellent overview of Orchids of the Amazon, where and how they grow. It amazed me that not all of the Amazon forest is the "mysterious jungle" that we usually think about—lush tropical rainforests and trees loaded with orchids in their upper branches. Many do grow that way, but at the same time many others grow in unsuspected and somewhat inhospitable conditions like harsh, open sandy plains and even growing out of crevices in bare rock. Francisco and his wife Maria specialize in the Cattleya Alliance orchids and do a lot of hybridizing and growing in their own lab. They brought along quite a number of their own hybrids for sale. They have been speakers at our meetings before and hopefully will be again.

As all of you know we had our annual orchid show February 23 and 24 at the Naples Botanical Garden. All would agree that it was a very successful show. The floor displays, table tops containers, arrangements and individual exhibits were all beautiful and lots of people enjoyed looking at them (and they bought lots of orchids from the vendors—who almost ran out of orchids, but were very happy ☺). The details of the AOS awards and NOS awards and ribbons are on our website, but I will give you a brief summary here. There were **26 exhibitors (NOS Members)—that means that 26 people--Created 1 Large Table Top and 2 Small Table Tops; 5 Large Containers, 8 Small Containers, 9 Single Flower Arrangements, 24 Multiple flower Arrangements from a single plant, 11 Multiple flower Arrangements from multiple genera, 0 Education Exhibits, and entered 186 Individual Plants**

The AOS Judges (we had 16 judges, including a couple of apprentice judges) were very complimentary of the show and gave 9 AOS awards—an AM of 83 points to Kathryn Romine for her *Oncidesa* Sweet Sugar 'Million Dollars', an AM of 83 points to Ralph Brand for his *Phragmipedium* QF Maria 'Lydia Brand ', an AM of 80 points to Karen Davenport for her *Renanthera* Scarlet Yuka 'Karen's Delight,' a CCM of 80 points to Eunice Walker for her *Bc* Hawaii Stars 'Paradise', an AM of 88 points to Jim Roberts, Florida SunCoast Orchids for his *Cattleya* Plum Lulu 'Melania ' an AM of 82 to Odom's Orchids for an unnamed Cattleya, an AM and a HCC to Krull Smith for two of his plants: *Paphiopedilum* Lawless Sandchild 'Crystelle,' and *Rth*. Krull's Orange Glow 'Ponkan' respectively

Krull-Smith Orchids took the AOS Show Trophy for the best floor display but Mac's Orchids took the first place for the Vendor's floor displays.

Elaine Gates got the Award for the Exhibit Best Following The Show Theme, her Small Container called "Fortune Teller." This year this award was not made by the AOS judges (who rarely paid attention to the theme idea) but by a team composed of two members of the NBG and one NOS member.

Of course the show would not have been a success if not for all the excellent volunteer work from our members and I want to give a BIG THANK YOU to all the volunteers that did the labor intensive Set up and take down—especially David Orr who coordinated that effort; the hosts and hostesses, people counters, plant holding area workers and also most especially to Lanelle Bishop and Carolyn Booker and their "food crew" who took care of the judges and the appetites for all the rest of us. Lanelle outdid herself this year with delicious pulled pork!!!

I also want to thank Norm Dolder and David Junka for putting together the beautiful raffle baskets – And David Orr and Rae Jean Walker (and other helpers) for doing such an excellent job of selling raffle tickets. (which brought in over $3000 in raffle money).

And thanks to Jim Rawson for his excellent efforts at publicity including spots on NBC TV 2 and ABC TV 7; and Diane Glover for her excellent efforts in coordinating the Sponsors. We had more sponsors and more donations than last year—

I want to thank the Naples Botanical Garden for hosting us. The staff is always very helpful and friendly. Attendance at our show for the two days combined was over 4,100!! Not bad ☺, and there were 4,800 people who entered the Garden during the two days of the show

It will be hard to top this, but here's hoping for an equal, if not better, 2020 Show.

Special Note--Our April Meeting is the **SECOND THURSDAY, April 11,** not the usual first Thursday, April 4 because of a church function that takes priority. The speaker will be **Nick Ewy** of the Naples Botanical Garden. He will talk about What's Going on at The Naples Botanical Garden—Orchid Wise (some of the activity pretty ghostly—if you know what I mean ☺).

There will not be an Orchid Vignette this month, rather the space will be used for more photos and information about the show. Look for another Vignette next month, though. Until then—keep your orchids happy! *Dick*

MEMBERSHIP NEWS—Time to Renew!

Membership Chair Veronica Catrombon will be accepting membership renewals for 2019 at our April 2019 monthly meeting. You may also pay by check mailed to Naples Orchids Society, PO Box 7998, Naples, FL 34101, or by credit card (you do not need a Paypal account) at www.naplesorchidsociety.org Single membership $40, Family membership $50. Contact Veronica Catrombon naplesorchidsociety@gmail.com

Redland International Orchid Festival-2019

We are taking another Bus Trip!!!! This one is to Redland, Fruit and Spice Park,in Homestead, FL.

May 18,2019 on a Saturday....Cost is $30 which includes Bus and Entry Fee. We leave from Naples at 8:30 and arrive back home at 5:30. We are teaming with three other Orchid Societies so FIRST PAY, FIRST RIDE. Space is limited.

www.redlandorchidfest.org for Show details.

Contact Lanelle Bishop (lbishop52@gmail.com, 239-352-1860) or
Carolyn Booker (Cbrnwcc@gmail.com 239-777-4814)

Join the 2020 Show Committee!

If you are interested in volunteering to work on the 2020 Orchid Show Committee please feel free to attend our Show Committee meeting on March 28 or April 25.

Contact: Dick Pippen Rpippen@comcast.net

PLEASE NOTE—MEETING SCHEDULE for 2019

Our regular monthly meetings fall on the first Thursday of each month. **However for 2019 our April meeting and our July meeting will on the second Thursday of those months: April 11 and July 11.**

Upcoming Events

April 12-14: Pan American Orchid Society "Orchid Festival 2019," R. F. Orchids Inc., 28100 SW 182 Ave., Homestead, FL; Contact: Carlos Ochoa, 786-344-3318; ochoa@yahoo.com.

April 20-21: Flamingo Gardens Orchid Society Show, Flamingo Gardens, 3750 S. Flamingo Rd., Davie, FL; Contact: Jan Amador, 954-347-2738; jbamador@bellsouth.net.

April 27-28: Vero Beach Orchid Society Annual show "Aloha Orchids," Riverside Park, 3001 Riverside Park Dr., Vero Beach, FL; Contact: Carol Marvin, 772-778-7600; carolnmarv@aol.com.

May 17-19: 2019 Redland International Orchid Festival, Redland Fruit & Spice Park, 24801 S. W. 187th Ave., Homestead, FL. www.redlandorchidfest.org.

FROM AOS "GROWING ORCHIDS' MONTH-BY-MONTH CHECKLIST

By Robert M. Scully Jr.

- **Begin repotting this month by shifting and dividing (if necessary) those cattelyas that flowered earlier this year and are beginning to produce new growth. Repot only when the new growth is emerging to take advantage of the plant's tendency to make new roots when it is forming new pseudobulbs. Fertilize twice a month; with longer days and warmer temperatures the plants can use more food.**
- **Inspect the flower stems of *Phalaenopsis* for scale. Look for signs of a honey-like substance at the nodes and also on the back sides of the flowers; these are favorite haunts for armored and soft scale. If these pests are present you may spot- treat with an alcohol swab or wipe on a light application of an insecticidal soap; again it is not advisable to spray when the flowers are open or damage may result. Check the undersides of the leaves for scale or developing mite infestations near the mid-vein. The scale may be treated as suggested above. For mites application of a carefully directed miticide spray may be necessary to halt the increasing population.**
- **Maintain a monthly fertilizer schedule for flowering plants. Fertilize more often as new leaves emerge.**

AOS PLANT JUDGING

WPB Judging Center next judging date is

April 27, 2019

Flamingo Gardens
3750 S. Flamingo Rd.
Davie, FL 33330

https://www.wpbjc.org/

Do You *Smile* When You Order From Amazon?

If you order from Amazon, did you know that you could also support Naples Orchid Society with your purchase at no cost to you? Go to **smile.amazon.com,** it's the same company, same prices, same account and same everything, except Amazon will let you name a non-profit organization and donate 0.5% to it. NOS has already been registered and linked, but you will need to go to this website and name us as the organization you have chosen for the donation to go to. Remember to go to smile.amazon.com to order using your same account login and password for your Amazon account. Bookmark it so you will have a reminder. And THANKS for supporting your Society!

Minutes of the NOS Monthly Meeting
7 March 2019

Respectfully submitted by Cynthia Bock

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by President Dick Pippen. He reviewed the emergency procedures and thanked the refreshment providers and Mary Jo Shively for coordinating. And there were 3 cakes!!! Yum.

The Show was a big success. Weather was perfect. Lots of attendees, only 26 members displayed plants, but with many multiple entries. Very good turn out. 186 individual plants were entered. 16 AOS judges gave 9 AOS awards. Dick mentioned each of the awards, the grower and the plant that won. The award for best exhibit following the show theme went to Elaine Gates for her Fortune Teller display. Dick thanked all the volunteers, especially David Orr for coordinating set up, take down and raffles. He thanked the counters and the plant holders. And finally Lanelle Bishop and Carolyn Booker for the good food, especially Lanelle's pulled pork. Made over $3,000 on raffles. Thanks to the raffle ticket hawkers! Thanks to Jim Rawson for publicity. Thanks to Diane Glover for getting sponsorships. And thanks to Naples Botanical Gardens for hosting us. About 4,800 people entered the gardens on the days of the show and we had 4,100 come to our show. (500 more than last year).

Gulf Coast Orchid Alliance show is this weekend at North Collier Regional Park. NOS members get in free. Rae Jean will be at the show and help anyone without a card to get in.

April meeting is on Thursday, April 11 not April 4. Nick Ewy from Naples Botanical Gardens will be the speaker and will speak on native orchids.

Veronica Catrombon, membership chair, celebrated 414 followers on Facebook. Since January 2019, 22 new members have joined. Now have 167 members.

Treasurer, no report. $13,767 in checking. $23,509 in money market

Lanelle Bishop reported there is a bus trip to Redland International Orchid Festival on Saturday May 18. Please sign up with Lanelle.

Diane Glover reported the results of silent auction for the Clyde Butcher and the paphiopedulum print. Auction will close at raffle drawing tonight.

The speaker tonight was Francisco Miranda of Miranda Orchids who spoke about Orchids of the Amazon.

The Plant Table winners were announced, and Raffle winners were announced.

March 2019 Meeting Attendance, Raffle Proceeds and Our Volunteers

March monthly meeting attendance: 57
Raffle proceeds: $120.00
Kit's Orchid Rings proceeds: $30.00

Thank you to our plant table workers: Lanelle Bishop, Barbara Crist

Thank you to our raffle table workers: Sue Roehl and Rae Jean Walker

Refreshment Providers for March 2019 Meeting

Many thanks to our Refreshment Providers Joan Planta, Lorraine Buckley, Marija Rosenfeld, Cheryle Daniel, Alice Thorne, Nancy Kier.

Contact me if you can provide refreshments for one of our future meetings:
Mary Jo Shively, NOS Director and Refreshment Coordinator
maryjoshively@gmail.com

Welcome to Our New Members for March 2019

Siuling Zhang, Pamela Voss, Mara Letica Saad, Henry Saad, Michele Lenhard, Gigi Johnson, Mary Ellen Halloran, Barbara Fuscella, Herbert M. Blair, Jim Averill, Janet Averill

Jade Orchids of Collier, Inc.
285 Morgan Road
Naples, FL 34114
Tuesday to Saturday **Owners:**
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM **Dave & Judy White**

Email: JadeOrchids@embarqmail.com
Offering 10% discount on plants for NOS members.

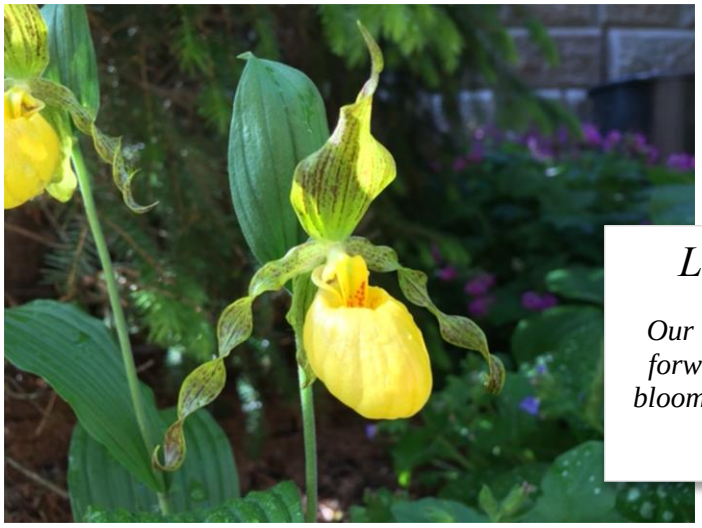
FROM YOUR AOS REP
Marilyn Moser
Mm3purple@aol.com

What a great show we had. And it was successful because of all your help in volunteering. So many beautiful plants were brought in and wonderful displays created. Our vendor's displays were so well done. And with so many AOS awards given, we should be very proud. We have established a great relationship with the Naples Botanical Garden. They are happy to have us and we are happy to be there. I enjoyed being outside promoting the American Orchid Society and explaining what it means to be a member. I handed out many, many Orchids magazines which is a good incentive to join along with all the other benefits of being a member. *Marilyn*

TASKS FOR APRIL

From Florida Orchid Growing Month by Month by Martin Motes, PhD

- Full speed ahead with re-potting.
- Water heavily and well.
- Don't forget to fertilize
- Spray for *Thrips.*
- Naturalize excess divisions in the garden



Look what's in my garden!

Our members Marlene and Art Johnston look forward to May when Cypripedium calceolus blooms for three weeks in their Ontario garden.
(Photo by Art Johnston)

2019 Silent Auction Winners

Cynthia Bock (Clyde Butcher Print)
Marija Rosenfeld (Paphiopedilum Paper Batik)

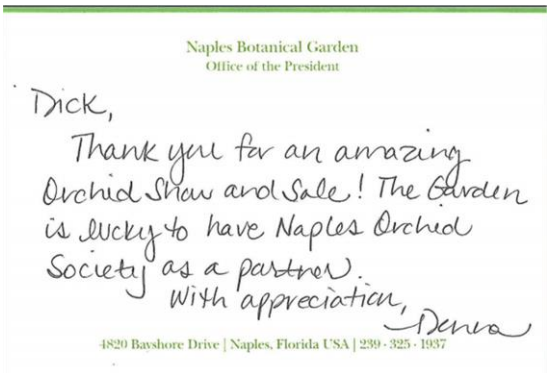
Diane Glover (left), 2019 Show Sponsor Chair with Marija Rosenfeld (right), Silent Auction Winner of Paphiopedilum Paper Batik.

Updated Orchid Show Numbers:

Admissions to Garden for two days: ***4815***

Show Visitors: ***4122***

A Note from Donna McGinnis, President and CEO of Naples Botanical Garden



Naples Botanical Garden
Office of the President

Dick,

Thank you for an amazing Orchid Show and Sale! The Garden is lucky to have Naples Orchid Society as a partner.

With appreciation,

Donna

4820 Bayshore Drive | Naples, Florida USA | 239 · 325 · 1937

Thank you Jade & Katie from Pet Supply Plus

in Kings Lake Square (Davis Blvd.) for donating pet goodies and for helping with dog sitting on Sunday morning at our Show.

Visit their website:
https://www.petsuppliesplus.com/Store/FL/Naples/Naples-Kings-Lake-Sq-/4124

Orchidists can Quilt, too!

Our member Laura Stacell exhibited three quilts in Naples Quilters Guild Annual Show for 2019, and was awarded two ribbons!

And the Best in Show at the NQG Annual Quilt Show was an hand appliqued orchid quilt!

Summary of AOS Awards Naples Orchid Show

February 22, 2019
AOS Judging Chair: Dorothy Bennett

Photo	Plant Name (parents)	Award & Points	Exhibitor
1	Commercial Floor Exhibit O-1 Nature's Precious Gems	ST 84	Krull-Smith
2	Phragmipedium QF Maria 'Lydia Brand' (lindleyanum x dalessandraoi)	AM 83	Ralph Brand
3	Oncidesa Sweet Sugar 'Million Dollars' (Oncidesa Aloha Iwanaga x Gomesa varicose)	AM 83	Kathryn Romine
4	Renanthera Scarlet Yuka 'Karen's Delight' (imschootiana x philippinensis)	AM 80	Karen Davenport
5	Bc. Hawaii Stars 'Paradise' (B. Little Stars x C. Mem. Robert Strait)	CCM 80	Eunice Walker
6	Cattleya _____ 'Odom's Orchids' (Rita Renee x Desert Jewel)	AM 82	Odom's Orchids
7	Cattleya Plum Lulu 'Melania' (Lulu x Maui Plum)	AM 88	Florida Suncoast
8	Rth. Krull's Orange Glow 'Ponkan' (Carolina Orange Glow x Orglade's Happy Face)	HCC 77	Krull-Smith
9	Paphiopedilum Lawless Sandchild 'Crystelle' (Sander's Pride x rothschildiana)	AM 87	Krull-Smith

1

5

4

8

6

7

9

2

3

Naples Botanical Garden's Orchid Fest

A week long orchid extravaganza immediately following our Orchid Show—new for 2019!

Dear Naples Orchid Society friends,

I just wanted to say a huge **THANK YOU** for contributing your beautiful exhibits to Orchid Fest today, after a busy and successful weekend in the NOS Show & Sale. I know you are all exhausted, but it meant a lot that you would take the time to participate in Orchid Fest in this way. We had many people throughout the day enjoy them, and the volunteers stationed in the room enjoyed sharing them with visitors.

We made a decision this morning to not keep the exhibits on Tuesday and Wednesday, which I wanted to expand upon. This decision was not made for lack of interest in the exhibit or lack of beauty on behalf of what was presented, but rather out of concern for the orchids.

I understand the air conditioning and lack of water is very damaging to the plants for one; additionally, we have two events in Kapnick Hall tomorrow: one in the morning, and one in the afternoon—one of which I did not know about until this morning. While we had "orchid security" lined up for today and Wednesday, unfortunately we did not have any volunteers signed up for tomorrow. The orchids would have either needed to have been moved out of the room or would be left unsupervised. Both options made me uneasy.

Due to concern for the wellbeing—and most of all, the safety—of the plants, I made the decision to not continue the exhibit through Wednesday. I hope this offers some clarity. Dave kindly collected the displays after his demonstration.

Speaking of Dave: he was *FANTASTIC* today with his "I Bought An Orchid—Now What?" demonstration. He had over 50 people participate! (See attached photos)

Thank you again for partnering with us on this new event, and for being a part of the Garden's mission to connect people with plants. We look forward to having Dick, Lanelle, Elaine, and Dave throughout this week!

Sincerely,

Taylor Burnham
Education Operations Manager
Naples Botanical Garden
Direct: (239) 325-1355
Main: (239) 643-7275

David Orr at Orchid Fest

Snapshots from The Magic of Orchids

Photos by Lanelle Bishop

Set up Day

Registration Day

Judges' Breakfast

Show Days

Nancy Ginocchio Grand Champion Award for First Place Flower

Eunice Walker with Rossioglossum ampliatum 'Eunice's Sunshine'
(photo by Lanelle Bishop)

Outside Vendors

(photo by Marilyn Moser)

Show Exhibits

(photo by Marilyn Moser)

Special Visit

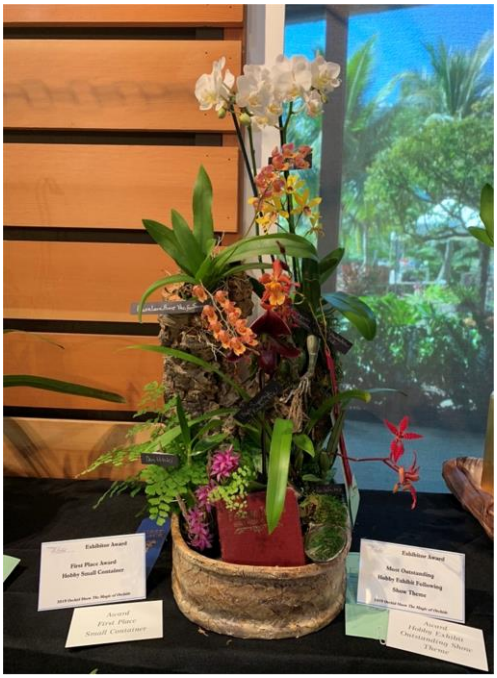
Dr. Richard Pippen and Mal Hitchcock (Dick's former student)
(photo by Kit Kitchen-Maran)

NBG Orchid Fest Lecture

Dick Pippen

Award for the Exhibit Best Following The Show Theme

Elaine Gates, Small Container "Fortune Teller"
(photo by Elaine Gates)



Show Theme Judging Team

Liz Chehayl, Nick Ewy, Brian Monk
(photo by Dick Pippen)

NBG Orchid Fest Lecture

Lanelle Bishop

Raffle Basket Winners

(Photos by David Orr)

Want to see more show photos? *Visit the Orchid Show page on our website, and click the link under the header.*

https://naplesorchidsociety.org/orchid-show/

WHY DO WE REPOT?

By Kris Morton

To keep your orchid healthy you need to follow the basic tenets of good air and ventilation, lots of sunlight, warmth, water and fertilization. Just as important is keeping your orchid in fresh media. Orchid media begins to decompose and breakdown every one to two years. (Aggregate mixes such as lava rock, hydroton, charcoal, etc. last much longer but your orchid will need more watering & additional nutritional supplements. Watch out for salt build up on any aggregate & be sure to wash off dust in mix before using to repot. Using sphagnum moss will require repotting every year.) The time to repot is determined by growing conditions, watering habits and personal preference. Check for these symptoms of orchids needing repotting:

- The potting media stays wet for more than seven days
- Yellowing of the foliage
- The roots appear rotten
- The plant outgrows its container

When you see new roots emerging that is a good sign that it is ready for repotting. Remove all old mix from roots (use hose to help wash off.) Chose a ***clean*** pot that is the size of the root ball. (Clean clay pots with scrubber & soap then soak in a 5 gal. bucket with 10% Clorox. You may also add a pool algaecide at 10%. Soak for several hours then soak in plain water for several hours & air dry. Plastic pots are cleaned with a Clorox product & scrubbed then rinsed & dried.) Remember that you are planting for the size of the root mass, not the top part of the orchid. You want the media to be able to dry out in between watering. It helps if you use the same type of potting mix for all of your potted orchids so they will all need watering at the same time. And potting should not be done with the orchid is in bloom unless absolutely necessary (i.e. broken pot.) Use clean Styrofoam peanuts, clean pottery chards or lava rock in the bottom of the pot for drainage and put a small amount of media in bottom of pot then place orchid in pot with the old growth against the side of the pot and the newer growth closer to the middle. Allow approx. 2" of room for growth in the next one to two years. Anchor with rhizome clip to prevent movement of the roots then add more media around all sides, pushing down to secure plant. Do not allow any air pockets. Be sure to insert name of plant back in pot & date when repotted. Add time release fertilizer (Nutracote, Dynamite, etc.)

There are different thoughts on whether you should use wet or dry mix when repotting. When I repot I trim off the dead roots with ***sterilized*** clippers then spray remaining roots with a mixture of SA 20 & Superthrive. I allow the plant to dry out for a day or so then repot. This time allows healing of whatever surface has been exposed & helps prevent black rot within the first month of repotting.

(Sue Bottom has an great article in the March 2019 AOS 'Orchids' magazine on "Repotting – Wet or Dry?" page 176. She is such a wonderful monthly contributor and has excellent advice for some

First Place Plant Table Winners

March 2019

Photos by Marilyn Moser and Susan Roehl

15 plants entered, 18 voters

LARGE CATTLEYA
Cattleya Oprah Winfrey

SMALL CATTLEYA
Lc. Fire Dance

DENDROBIUM
Den. Lucky Bird 'Memory'

SMALL SPECIES
Trichocentrum cebolleta

MEDIUM SPECIES
Den. aggregatum

LARGE SPECIES
Cattleya skinneri

ORPHAN

Gold Ribbon Plant Table Winners

March 2019

Photos by Susan Roehl

BEST SPECIES
Den. kingianum alba
Owner: Karen Davenport

BEST HYBRID
Lc. Fire Dance
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Naples Orchid Society
Monthly Plant Table Results
March 7, 2019

Large Cattleyas
First Place: Cattleya Oprah Winfrey
Owner: Sue Marquardt

Small Cattleyas
First Place: Lc. Fire Dance
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Dendrobiums
First Place: Den. Lucky Bird 'Memory'
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Large Species
First Place: Cattleya skinneri
Owner: Karen Davenport

Medium Species
First Place: Den. aggregatum
Owner: Sharron Abrams

Small Species
First Place: Trichocentrum cebolleta
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Best Species
Plant Name: Den. kingianum alba
Owner: Karen Davenport

Best Hybrid
Plant Name: Lc. Fire Dance
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Green Tag
Plant Name: Cattleya nobilor v. coerulea
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Descriptive Words in Orchid Names
Aggregatum- *Clustered in a dense mass*
Alba-*White or pale form*
Coerulea-*Blue*

2019 Orchid Show Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

Diamond $1000+

$1500

Top Coat 'N Tails

Molly Van Banschoten, owner
975 3rd Avenue North Naples, FL 34102
239-262-2956 (office) www.naplespetgroomers.com

Description: A full service grooming salon that caters to any size dog that also provides doggie daycare, pet sitting and offsite pet boarding. The boutique is stocked with dog supplies and unique products and gifts.

$1,000

Akerman LLP

9128 Strada Place, Suite 10205
Naples, FL 34108
239-449-5600
www.akerman.com

Cynthia Bock
239-449-5563
cynthia.bock@akerman.com

George W. Powell Jr., MAI, CRE, Managing partner
239-449-5562
george.powell@akerman.com

Description: A national law firm practicing in all areas of law, Akerman LLP serves the community of Naples with family-focused legal counsel and a commitment to philanthropic efforts.

Platinum $750-$999

None

2019 Orchid Show Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

Gold $500

$500

Diane Glover, Realtor/Broker Associate
Keller Williams Realty Naples
879 Vanderbilt Beach Road
Naples, FL 34108
239-877-4665
Diane@GulfHomeLifestyle.com
www.GulfHomeLifestyle.com

Realtor with more than 10 years of experience and fulltime resident of Naples. Serving homeowners and buyers with their single-family home, villa, condo, coach home, townhome and vacant land needs throughout Southwest Florida including Naples, Marco Island and Bonita Springs.

Diane Glover is also a franchise owner of Keller Williams Foothills Realty, LLC in Conifer & Evergreen, Colorado

KW Luxury International Member

Each Keller Williams office is independently owned & operated.

$500 Driftwood Garden Center
5051 Tamiami Trail North
Naples, FL 34103
239-261-0328
www.driftwoodgardencenter.com

Your one-stop-shop for a local botanical haven! We have a full-service nursery, water gardening center, landscape design, pottery and florist. Locally owned and operated for over 36 years. Come experience the difference at Driftwood.

$500

Hamilton Harbor Yacht Club
George Hunt, General Manager
7065 Hamilton Avenue
Naples, FL 34112
239-417-6707
ghunt@hamiltonharboryachtclub.com

Naples premier yacht club with a convenient location, clubhouse/restaurant, concierge
marina services and state-of-the-art boathouse that can withstand hurricane force winds of 150 miles per hour. The boathouse offers 315 spaces as well as 25 floating wet
slips with dockside pump-out, shore power and a private dock box.

$500 Alley Design to Build
Chris Alley
997 3rd Avenue N Naples, FL 34102
239-793-6800

chris@alleydesigntobuild.com

Bring your home to life with peace of mind with Chris Alley, a Licensed State Certified Building Contractor and Interior Decorator, providing remodeling and building services since 2006. CBC1250945

2019 Orchid Show Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

Silver $100-$499

$100
Wynn's Market
Tim Wynn
141 9th St N Naples, FL 34102
239-261-7157
www.wynnsonline.com
Description: Wynn's: a market of fine foods serving Naples since 1938

$100
The Paper Merchant
George Buonocore III
340 13th Avenue South
Naples, Florida 34102
239-261-5790

www.thepapermerchantnaples.com

Once Upon A Time, over forty years ago, The Paper Merchant was created by a family full of passion and a tradition that spans two generations. Whether your taste is from the classic lines of William Arthur or Crane, whimsical in style like Stevie Streck or Karen Adams, or that one-of-a-kind, over-the-top creation, we have it or will make it. The Paper Merchant is here for you and will exceed your wildest expectations. Our creative team and our two locations are just what you need to set the stage for your next function, event, moment or milestone!

Bronze $50-$99

$50 ($250 pledge)
R F Orchids
Dorothy Bennett
305-245-4570
28100 SW 182 Ave.
Homestead FL 33030
305-245-4570
sales@rforchids.com
www.rforchids.com

5 YEAR sponsor (2019-2023) for show category Best Vanda with Flowers over 3"

R.F. Orchids is South Florida's oldest and largest orchid nursery, in business at the same location since 1970. We specialize in warm-growing hybrids and species, especially Vandas and related orchids.

2019 Orchid Show Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

In-Kind Donors

$260 value
Clyde Butcher
Gliclee Print "Ghost Orchid Dancing" silent auction during monthly NOS meetings

Big Cypress Gallery
52388 Tamiami Trail
Ochopee, FL 34141
239-695-2428
bcg@clydebutcher.com
www.clydebutcher.com

Venice Gallery
237 Warfield Avenue
Venice, FL 34285
941-486-0811

Clyde Butcher's monumental photographs celebrate the beauty of the natural landscape. The exquisite beauty and depth of his work draw the viewer into a relationship with nature. In the tradition of the nineteenth-century Hudson River School painters, Clyde composes his works at pristine and untarnished locations across the United States and world, creating arresting compositions that distinctly mark him as the foremost landscape photographer in America today. His photography transcends political boundaries, challenging us to work together to protect natural places across the globe.

Although Butcher will always be identified with the Everglades, he is deeply committed to recording precious landscapes throughout the world. The beauty and importance of Butcher's photography quickly earned widespread recognition resulting in museum exhibits in the United States, an exhibit at the National Gallery of Art in Prague celebrating the new millennium, and a request by the United Nations to photograph the mountains of Cuba to celebrate *The Year of the Mountains.*

$175 value
Norman Love Chocolates
2- chocolate gift boxes to be raffled during show

3747 Tamiami Trail
Naples FL 34103
239-561-7215
Other locations include 1 in Estero and 2 in Ft Myers

Norman Love blends a master's appreciation of the sensuous with the art of the chef to create handcrafted chocolates reserved for those who expect nothing less than perfection. Norman Love Confections has been satisfying connoisseurs of fine chocolates since 2001, when the chocolatier first introduced the masterpieces he produces at his facility in Fort Myers, Florida.

2019 Orchid Show Sponsors and In-Kind Donors

In-Kind Donors

$100 value
The Turtle Club
Two $50 restaurant gift cards
to be raffled at show

9225 Gulfshore Drive N
Naples, FL 34108
239-595-2916

In 1999, The Turtle Club opened on the grounds of the Vanderbilt Beach Resort, transforming the landscape of waterfront dining in Naples. Specializing in fresh seafood, fine steaks and chops served in a spectacular beachfront setting, the restaurant quickly became a favorite "secret spot" for local Neapolitans. The secret has been out for some time now, and the restaurant consistently has been voted the area's top restaurant for waterfront dining. With a focus on casually elegant fine dining, hospitable and caring staff, and outstanding food and wine, The Turtle Club wins rave reviews from loyal locals and out-of-state newcomers.

$100 value
The Paper Merchant
"Orchid Luncheon" Products Gift Bag to be raffled at show

George Buonocore III
340 13th Avenue South
Naples, Florida 34102
239-261-5790
www.thepapermerchantnaples.com

* * * *