

***Minutes of the NOS Monthly Meeting  
2 May 2019***

Respectfully submitted by Cynthia Bock  
The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm.

President Dick Phippen reviewed the emergency procedures and thanked the refreshment providers. The show was a great success and we received a check for \$13,000 our share of show proceeds. Very good!

Dick also thanked all the volunteers who worked the show.

Redlands Orchid Festival is coming up. Please sign up for the bus trip. (Although we think it is full).

In July our meeting will be held on the second Thursday, 7/11.

Dick announced that Eunice Walker is having a plant sale on this Sat. 9 to 12 at her home. See the sign. Cash and checks only.

At our June meeting, Patrick Higgins will talk about the Friends of the Fakahatchee and the native orchids there.

Veronica Catrombon, Membership Chair reported that we have 178 members.

Treasurer is absent but submitted report that we have \$27,778 in checking and \$10,457 in money market.

VP David Orr introduced the speaker, Nick Ewy from Naples Botanical Gardens who presented "Native Orchids at the Garden".

Plant table winners were announced.

Raffle winners were selected.

Next meeting is on June 6th.