SEPTEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

Our September monthly meeting is Thursday,
September 5, 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

Speakers: Phillip Hamilton
Bredren Orchids
https://www.facebook.com/Bredren-Orchids-361347537274946/
'Broughtonia and their Hybrids'
Plants for Sale

Flower Awards
Raffle --- Refreshments

UPCOMING NOS EVENTS

Next Monthly Meeting
Thursday, October 3, 2019

Speaker: Art Chadwick
Chadwick and Son Orchids, Inc.
https://www.chadwickorchids.com/
'First Lady Cattleyas'

Plants for Sale

NOS BOD and Show Committee Meeting
Thursday, September 26, 2019 6:30 pm
All members are welcome to
Conference room of AvAirPros
Toni Stabile Building
5551 Ridgewood Drive, Suite 300
Naples FL 34108
Contact: Dick Pippen Rpippen@comcast.net

President: Richard Pippen
rpippen@comcast.net

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

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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
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Greetings Orchid Lovers—I, and those who attended the August monthly meeting, have a much better understanding and feeling for the *bellina* and *violacea* group of species of *Phalaenopsis*, thanks to our featured speakers, Jim and Melana Davison of *Jim-N-I Orchids* from Homestead, Fl. In the first place these plants tend to be pendent (hang down), have bright green, shiny leaves and produce smaller flowers sequentially over a longer period of time. In the second place they tend, in nature, to be higher up in the forest canopy where they get more light than their "big box counterparts." I really didn't need any more orchids, but you know the story—only one more . . . and the *Phal. equestris v. cyanochilus* was definitely irresistible! It is pictured here as I bought it in a 3" plastic pot in sphagnum. It is supposed to be a "coerulea" form (blue), but the blue is very subtle. I like it anyhow. It is so different from the typical *Phal. equestris* which is basically white with a lot of purple in the petals and lip. I asked Jim Davison what I should do with it and he suggested mounting it on cork bark—that is something I would never do with the "regular" *Phalaenopsis*. Since I just got the plant, I haven't mounted it yet, it is still in flower, but I will let you know what happens. Oh, in case you are interested (or not) *Phal. equestris* has been used as a parent in 556 crosses and has over 22,000 grandkids!!! It has earned 130 AOS and international awards.

On another matter Kit Kitchen-Maran reported that she had recently met with the two interns from Illinois College that we supported during the month of July. In addition to continuing to survey the Ghost Orchid in the Panther Preserve and Fakahatchee, they marked off a research plot and counted all the epiphytes growing therein. The concern being that there is an Ash boring insect that has reached the Georgia border in its trek south and Pop Ash is one of the major hosts of the ghost orchid and other epiphytes. Keep your fingers crossed it stays away from SW Florida.

Our September featured speaker is Phillip Hamilton of Bredren Orchids in Apopka, FL. Phillip is the son of Claude Hamilton of Hamlyn Orchids in Jamaica. Like father, son Phillip specializes in *Broughtonia* orchids and their hybrids. Should be exciting (well, that's because I like *Broughtonia* and its hybrids ☺). Hope you all can make it. Until then—keep your orchids happy!! *Dick*

Upcoming Events

September 21-22, 2019: Ridge Orchid Society Show "Orchids Gone Wild," W. H. Stuart Center – UF/IFAS Extension Polk County, 1702 US Hwy. 17-98 South, Bartow, FL; Contact: Glen Gary, 863-602-0778; glengary54@yahoo.com

September 28-29, 2019: Tampa Orchid Club Expo, USF Botanical Gardens, 12210 USF Pine Drive, Tampa, FL; Contact: Cheryl Crilly, 813-244-7564; cents4me@aol.com

October 5-6, 2019: South Florida Orchid Society Show "Orchid Treasures," University of Miami Watsco Center, 1245 Dauer Dr., Coral Gables, FL; Contact: Daniel Christensen, 954-252-8116; damorchid@aol.com

October 12-13, 2019: Gainesville Orchid Society Show "Orchids in the Garden," Kanapaha Botanical Gardens; 4700 SW 58th Dr., Gainesville, FL' Contact: Joan MacLeod, 352-665-2640; neilmacleod@bellsouth.net

October 18-20, 2019: East Everglades Orchid Society 23rd Annual Orchid Show & Sale, in conjunction with AOS Fall Members meeting "Fall in Love with Orchids," 9 am – 5 pm, in the gardens of R. F. Orchids, Inc., 28100 SW 182 Ave., Homestead, FL 33030. Info: www.orchidseeos.com

October 25-27, 2019: Delray Beach Orchid Society Show "Orchids on the Square," Old School Square Fieldhouse, 51 N. Swinton Ave., Delray Beach, FL; Contact: Michele Owens, 954-695-9889; moloveorchids@gmail.com

November 9-10, 2019: Collier Co. Master Gardener Naples Yard & Garden Show, UF/IFAS Collier Ext. Office, 14700 Immokalee Rd. Info: http://collier.ifas.ufl.edu or call (239) 252-4800.

April 10, 2021: AOS Centennial Gala, American Orchid Society 100th Anniversary, 1921-2021.

AOS PLANT JUDGING

WPB Judging Center next judging date is

September 28, 2019

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

https://www.wpbjc.org/

Jade Orchids of Collier, Inc.
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Naples, FL 34114
Tuesday to Saturday
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM
Owners:
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Offering 10% discount on plants for NOS members.

Minutes of the NOS Monthly Meeting
1 August 2019
Respectfully submitted by Cynthia Bock

Called to order 7:30pm

President Dick Pippen reviewed the emergency procedures and thanked Mary Jo and the refreshment providers. Dick also reminded members to suggest Show Themes! Speaker in Sept is Phillip Hamilton, very exciting speaker.

Veronica, Membership Chair reported that we have 196 members. 476 Facebook followers.

Treasurer Sheila Demkovich reported that we have $21,032 in checking and $23,567 in money market.

Dick mentioned the interns who are working in the Fakahatchee at the Panther Preserve. Kit Kitchen Maran reported on the interns' data on the ghost orchids. They have identified over 500 ghost orchids and they have started identifying the trees on which the orchids grow. Kit also mentioned the National Geographic documentary on the ghost orchid pollinator.

David Orr introduced the speakers, Jim and Melina Davison, from Jim N-I Orchids, who spoke about Phalaenopsis: Bellini and Gigantea Types.

Plant table winners were announced.

Raffle winners were selected.

Next meeting is on Sep 5th.

A POTPOURRI OF ORCHID FACTS

From "Growing Orchids is Fun"

- *Vanda tessellata* roots & leaves from Ceylon are regarded specifically for rheumatism. Varieties of *Vanilla* leaves & stems are mashed by Magaysious (a tribe in Sri Lanka) for hair tonic.

- Horns for communication are made from *Schomburgkia tibicinis* in Central America.

August 2019 Meeting Attendance, Raffle Proceeds and Our Volunteers

Monthly meeting attendance: 57
Raffle proceeds: $113.00

Thank you to our plant table workers: Karen Davenport, Cheryle Daniel and Sheila Demkovich

Thank you to our raffle table workers: Sue Roehl and Laura Stacell

Refreshment Providers for August 2019

Many thanks to our Refreshment Providers **Joylette Davis, Cheryle Daniel, Roz Cassar, and Mary Jo Shively.**

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

Care Cards

A care card was sent to Lanelle Bishop for recent surgery.

NAPLES Orchid SOCIETY since 1962
47th Annual Orchid Show
Saturday, February 22 2020
Sunday, February 23 2020
Naples Botanical Garden
4820 Bayshore Dr Naples, FL 34112

2020 Orchid Show Rules

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

Our Annual Orchid Show rules have been updated and published on our website (click on link above). More information about the registration process and changes to categories will be presented at our upcoming meetings.
It is recommended that exhibitors review these documents early so that any questions may be raised and addressed before our show week. Use the button link below for comments and questions.

Dick Pippen
President

David Orr
Show Rules Committee Chair

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Marilyn Moser
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AOS WEBINARS – COMING ATTRACTIONS

(registration required: www.aos.org/orchids/webinars.aspx - webinars are available to view at your leisure from the same page if you are not available at that time.*)*

September 18, 2019: 12:00 pm EDT, "The Orchid Gardens of Latin America," Tom Mirenda, AOS Conservation Committee Chair.

October 7, 2019: 8:30 pm EDT, "Conservation & Ecology of North American Cypripediums," Tara Luna, Pacific NW Field Botanist & Ecologist/

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

by Robert M. Scully Jr.

This is *Dendrobium phalaenopsis* season. Long, arching sprays of flat, dark red-purple to white or pink saucer-like blossoms provide weeks of satisfaction. *Nobile*-type hybrids should continue to be maintained on a nitrogen-free fertilizer program. Water sparingly to keep the pseudobulbs from dehydrating.

Autumn is typically the end of the growing season for *Catasetum* & *Cycnoches.* Plants may produce flowers from pseudobulbs with leaves, or in some instances, from bulbs, that have already lost their leaves. Watch the undersides of the leaves to control spider mites, which seem to find these delicacies just as the foliage reaches its prime or plants are about to blom. Support the basal racemes of catasetums as they emerge; and consider putting the plants on inverted pots to provide room for them to hang freely.

More Orchid Terms from AOS

Clone – an individual plant raised from a single seed & all its subsequent vegetative propagations.
Grex (pl. grexes) - a hybrid progeny.
Lithophyte – growing on a rock.
Mericlone – a propagule derived from tissue culture that is genetically identical to its parent.
Panicle – an inflorescence with a main stem & branches, the flowers on the lower branches opening earlier than the upper ones.

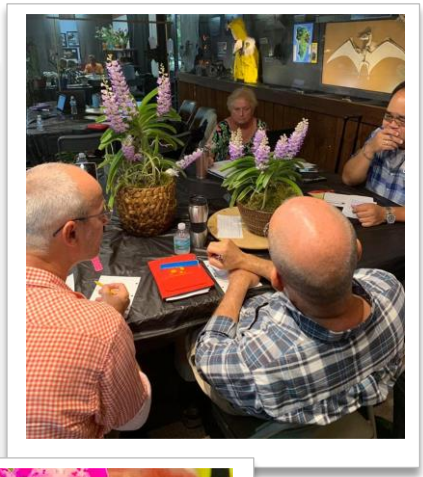
AOS Awarded Plants and Displays

If you are a member of **American Orchid Society**, be sure to look at **page 623 of the August 2019 issue of ORCHIDS** magazine. Here you will find photos of plants awarded in 2018 that were presented or photographed for judging by some familiar names. **John Budree, Lou Lodyga** and **Tom Kuligowski** have been speakers at our monthly meetings recently. And **R. F. Orchids, Inc.** has sponsored one of the special awards at our Annual Show.

NOS and GCOA member **Elaine Gates** writes**:** *"We often go to the 4th Saturday judging with the **West Palm Beach Judging Center**, at Flamingo Gardens in Davie ... only a little over an hour away! It's great to spend time with the judges and see beautiful orchids, and learn more about what constitutes an award-winning orchid! Plus, if you happen to actually have a peak-blooming orchid and bring it, you might actually get an award too!"*

Thanks to Elaine Gates and Bob Fuchs for the information and photos about the West Palm Beach Judging Center in this article.

See the definitions of AOS awards here: http://www.aos.org/orchid-awards-judging/aos-awards.aspx



Meet a Newly Awarded Hybrid

https://www.facebook.com/FloridaSunCoastOrchids/

Jim Roberts' 'Lemon Yum Yum' cultivar of Lsu. Dick Pippen's SunCoast just got awarded a FCC and a CCM!! Pretty neat huh!! Said he has some clones in "plug trays" so hopefully soon they will be available. I think it is a really nice one—yellowish green instead of purple. *Submitted by Dick Pippen*

Florida SunCoast Orchids
August 10 at 9:01 PM ·
Today>>> Lsu. Dick Pippen's SunCoast
' Lemon Yum-Yum's ' FCC / CCM AOS
(Bct. Little Mermaid x Enc. Lorraine Smith)
OK...so a really cool day at judging today ! Named for a dear orchid friend in Naples. This hybrid with its heady strong fragrance, continues to bring joy to the greenhouse-- even though I made it over a decade ago. This particular plant was not even in the first 50 that bloomed. (Worth the wait, I guess !) Thanks AOS judges.

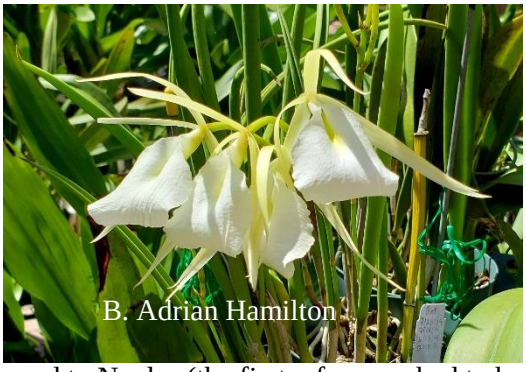
Jim Roberts
Florida SunCoast

Lsu. Dick Pippen's SunCoast 'Lemon Yum-Yum's' FCC/CCM AOS

An Orchid Vignette—Oh, Just Another Brassavola

Contributed by Dick Pippen

It's early August (the year is not important) and my *Brassavola* Adrian Hamilton is in bloom! *Brassavola* you say—oh, just another *Brassavola*—a beginner's orchid, easy to grow, nothing special about them. Well, part of that is true. I think that early on in everyone's orchid-growing career, they get a *Brassavola nodosa*, better known as "The Lady Of The Night Orchid" due to its delightful fragrance after dark. After a while, they decide that the flower is not very flamboyant or exciting, and so they tend to "blow them off." I am no exception—at least for the first part—*Brassavola nodosa* was one of the first orchids that I got when I moved to Naples (the first, of course had to be *Phalaenopsis* Baldan's Kaleidoscope), and I "fell in love" with my *B. nodosa* and decided that I wanted to explore the genus further, both species and hybrids. According to OrchidWiz there are 26 recognized species and 26 registered hybrids. The species are a topic for another day.


B. Adrian Hamilton

B. nodosa

Some of the hybrids include *B.* Adrian Hamilton (*B. nodosa* x *B. perrinii*), *B.* Little Stars (*B. nodosa* x *B. subulifolia*), and *B.* Myakka Stars (*B. reginae* x *B. subulifolia*). Oh yes, back to *B.* Adrian Hamilton. This cross was made by Claude Hamilton, Hamlyn Orchids, Jamaica and registered by him in 2010. It has earned only one award, a trophy by TOGA (Taiwan Orchid Growers Assoc.). I purchased my plant from Hennington Farms Orchids in 2012. *Brassavola* Myakka Stars is probably the "newest kid on the block, created by Jim Roberts of Florida SunCoast Orchids and registered by him in 2017. It is so new that it has earned no awards nor has it been a parent in any crosses. I was fascinated by this hybrid because I had never heard of *B. reginae* (and I thought I was a "*Brassavola* expert" 😊). *Brassavola* Little Stars has been around a longer time. It was created by Stewart Orchids and registered by them in 1983—16 AOS awards and 46 "kids.

B. Little Stars

B. Myakka Stars

Two other well-known *Brassavola* hybrids that include *B. nodosa* as one parent and a couple of *Brassavola* "used-to-be's" are *Brassavola* Jimminey Cricket (*B. nodosa* x *B. digbyana*) and *Brassavola* Moonlight Perfume (B. nodosa x *B. glauca*). Now both digbyana and glauca are in the genus *Rhyncholaelia* (so the correct genus for both of these crosses would be *Rhynchovola*—yuk!!). Jimminey Cricket was also created by Stewart Orchids and registered by them in 1974. The hybrid has earned six AOS awards and been used as a parent in 16 crosses. Moonlight Perfume was created by Earl Small Orchids of Pinellas Park, FL and registered by Charles Fitch in 1970. It has earned no awards and has been used as a parent in only one cross. Brassavolas grow well either mounted on cork or Tree fern or potted in a bark mix. They like plenty of light. Beginner or not, you can't go wrong with some Brassavolas and they smell so good if you are out at night!

Rlv. Jimminey Cricket

Rlv. Moonlight Perfume

Contributed by Dick Pippen

Education Update

Kit Kitchen-Maran
Education Chair and Past President

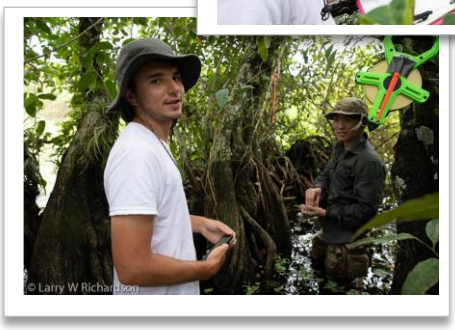
Welcome to our 2019 interns!

From Illinois College, Jacksonville, Illinois, we have two students of Dr. Larry Zettler: **Michael LaRusso** and **Jiaqi (Jack) Lu.** As you know, Dr. Zettler's students have been studying in the Florida Panther National Wildlife Refuge for a long time and NOS has funded interns from IC since 2012. Many of these students have gone on to Master's and Ph.D. degrees. Dr. Zettler has published in scientific journals and lectured at international conferences about information that has been researched each summer on the orchids in the FPNWR by his students. So, the scope of information learned has been shared by a much larger audience worldwide. Yea! NOS! By the way, NOS has been given credit in these papers and lectures for our support.

Michael LaRusso will graduate in May of 2020 with a major in biology and environmental science. He has studied aboard in Cuba with Zettler and Dr. Ernesto Mujica, learning the collection techniques critical to obtaining data on orchids in the FPNWR so that the 5th year of this important study can be accomplished. He is also looking forward to study aboard at the University of Stirling in Scotland this fall.

Jiaqi (Jack) Lu is a junior in biology and will graduate in May of 2021. He is from Shanghai, China. In the future, Jack wants "to become a field researcher and explore around the world to see the beauty of the creation of nature." He says that last year his botany class collected plants of different families in different locations in town. He thought it was boring at first, but Dr. Zettler told me that Jack developed an eye for spotting plants and will be a real asset at the refuge since he will be involved in looking for new ghost orchids to add to the ongoing study. Jack found it a real challenge to find the fewer plants in the woods and fields that were rare and he enjoyed seeking the rare. He is going to do that in July in the FPNWR.

Taylor Sorrell is the first Naples native to whom NOS has awarded an internship. She graduated from Palmetto Ridge High and is a major in Agricultural Biological Engineering at Purdue University in Indiana. Her dream is "to do research regarding how nutrients affect the disease evolution and progression through agriculture and horticultural means." Taylor is cognizant of the connection of her goals to Florida's water problems. She is in a class of 80 students accepted by Purdue in this program and wants to bring her education "back to Florida to make a difference here". Taylor is paying for her education herself and so "every bit of funding I receive is extremely appreciated."



Two of NOS 2019 interns, **Michael LaRusso** (right) and **Jack Lu** (left) (who introduced themselves at our **July 2019** meeting) are hard at work in the Fak. Thanks to Larry Richardson for these photos.

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April-June proceeds:

$8.02

TASKS FOR SEPTEMBER

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

- Space plants to permit more air circulation.
- Trim trees to permit more light & lessen the wind load on them.
- Clean up growing area removing any dead leaves or other organic matter.
- Tidy up old pots or other objects on the ground.
- Apply snail bait; lightly, frequently.
- Spray disinfectants (such as SA-20, Physan) on plants. Can be done on wet plants no more than every 7-10 days. (Some growers substitute pool algicide which contains the same active ingredient. Home Depot sells a brand called "Pool Time" which could be purchased legally to disinfect walks & pathways at rate of 1-2 tsp./gal. of water.

GHOST ORCHID POLLINATOR NEWS

Check out these outstanding articles and videos about the latest field discoveries in our own backyard—the Panther Refuge, Fakahatchee and Corskscrew Swamp!
Thanks to Mark Danaher and Kit Kitchen-Maran for forwarding these links.

https://www.nationalgeographic.com/animals/2019/07/ghost-orchids-florida-surprising-pollinators-moths/

https://www.biographic.com/posts/sto/ghosts-of-the-everglades

It's Ghost Orchid Season at Corkscrew Swamp!

https://corkscrew.audubon.org/visit/corkscrews-ghost-orchid

Look what's blooming in my collection!

Marilyn Moser, Diane Glover and Veronica Catrombon share some happy orchids from their collections.

Bulbophyllum jersey
Marilyn Moser

Enc. phoenicia 'BEST' x Enc. phoenicia #55
Veronica Catrombon

Phal. bellina var. coerulea x sib
Veronica Catrombon

C. Cynthia 'Pink Lady'
Diane Glover

Send a few photos of your blooming orchids!

We would love to see them in our newsletter!

Veronica Catrombon
Naplesorchidsociety@gmail.com

Psytonia yumanensis 'Jeimy Cordero' x self
Veronica Catrombon

Naples Orchid Society
Monthly Plant Table Results
August 1, 2019

Large Cattleyas
First Place: Rlc. Fort Watson 'Mendenhall'
Owner: Eunice Walker
Second Place: Rlc. Taiwan Ruby 'Orchis'
Owner: Eunice Walker
Third Place: Rby. Gulfshore's Moonlight
Owner: Karen Davenport

Small Cattleyas
First Place: Cattleya Mahler 'Mem. Fred Tompkins'
Owner: Barbara Crist
Second Place: Encyclia Lorraine Smith
Owner: Eunice Walker
Third Place: Clty Ethel's Paradise 'Kalapana'
Owner: Barbara Crist

Large Vandas
First Place: Vandachostylis Colmarie
Owner: Michael Cassar
Second Place: V. Kulwadee Fragrance x V. Dr. Anek
Owner: Karen Davenport
Third Place: Aranda Prapin 'Spot'
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Small Vandas
First Place: Vanda Mini Palmer x V. Madame Kenny
Owner: Cheryle Daniel
Second Place: Vanda Casey Neuman
Owner: Michael Cassar
Third Place: Rhynchostylis coelestis 'Pink' x Vasco. Pine River
Owner: Karen Davenport

Dendrobiums
First Place: Den. Chang Mai Pink x Den. Burana Stripe
Owner: Karen Davenport
Second Place: Den. Charack Red
Owner: Michael Cassar
Third Place: Den. Aeridang Green
Owner: Eunice Walker

Large Phalaenopsis
First Place: Phal. Baldan's Kaleidoscope
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Small Phalaenopsis
First Place: Phal. Luedde-violacea
Owner: Eunice Walker

Large Species
First Place: Bulb. bicolor
Owner: David Orr

Medium Species
First Place: Trichoglottis atropurpurea
Owner: Eunice Walker

Small Species
First Place: Bulb. cumingii
Owner: Barbara Crist

Oncidium Alliance
First Place: Brassidium Yellow Star
Owner: Barbara Crist
Second Place: Mtssa. Charles M. Fitch 'Zumi'
Owner: David Orr

Slipper Orchids
First Place: Paph. Avalon Mist 'Flauum'
Owner: David Orr

Other Tribes
First Place: Bulb. George Gallipeau
Owner: Cheryle Daniel

Orphan Table
First Place: Pretty Blue Dendrobium
Owner: Karen Davenport

Green Tag
Plant Name: Phal. Gigabel
Owner: Michael Cassar

Best Species
Plant Name: Phal. cornu-cervi
Owner: Karen Davenport

Best Hybrid
Plant Name: Rlc. Fort Watson 'Mendenhall'
Owner: Eunice Walker

First Place Plant Table Winners

August 2019

50 plants -- 25 voters

Photos by
Marilyn Moser

SMALL CATTLEYA
C. Mahler 'Mem. Fred Tompkins'

LARGE VANDA
Vandachostylis Colmarie

DENDROBIUM
Den. Chang Mai Pink x Den. Burana Stripe

SMALL VANDA
V. Mini Palmer x V. Madame Kenny

LARGE PHALAENOPSIS
Phal. Baldan's Kaleidoscope

SMALL PHALAENOPSIS
Phal. Luedde-violacea

LARGE CATTLEYA
Rlc. Fort Watson 'Mendenhall'

First Place Plant Table Winners

August 2019

ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE
Brassidium Yellow Star

LARGE SPECIES
Bulbophyllum bicolor

MEDIUM SPECIES
Trichoglottis atropurpurea

OTHER TRIBES
Bulb. George Gallipeau

SLIPPER
Paph. Avalon Mist 'Flauum'

ORPHAN
Pretty Blue Dendrobium

SMALL SPECIES
Bulbophyllum cumingii

Gold Ribbon Plant Table Winners

August 2019

Photos by Susan Roehl

BEST SPECIES
Phal. Cornu-cervi
Owner: Karen Davenport

BEST HYBRID
Rlc. Fort Watson 'Mendenhall'
Owner: Eunice Walker

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Diamond $1000+

$1500

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None

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$500

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slips with dockside pump-out, shore power and a private dock box.

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

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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

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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
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"Orchid Luncheon" Products Gift Bag to be raffled at show

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