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#### October 2003: It's Show Time!

Oh Please, Please... Look at me!!!

t's officially Autumn, and for once the calendar seems to agree with our weather. And for the Central NY Orchid Society, that means that our Annual Fall Show &

Sale is upon us! We've got four vendors lined up, our friends at both the Southern Tier Orchid Society & the Genesee Region Orchid Society will be participating, and several of our regular AOS judges have agreed to do us the honor of selecting the awards. Now all we need to do is to pull it all off, and we're counting on you, our members, to come through for us! But more on

that later...

n keeping with our focus on putting on a successful show, our meeting this month—Sunday, October 5 at 2:00<sup>PM</sup>—will help us to understand exactly what those judges are looking for when they put our prized possessions under their microscope. Just what is it their exacting eyes are looking for? For Sunday's meeting, our program chair Judi

Witkin has arranged to show the AOS slide presentation on orchid judging. OK, perhaps your pride and joy won't stand up

and smile at the judges like Pat Graham's lovely Paph. tigrinum on this month's cover (see note on p. 7), but we'll also discuss what you can do to present your orchids to their fullest advantage so that they have a better chance of catching that judge's discriminating eye! In addition we'll also be attending to all last minute planning needed for our quickly-approaching show (October 11-12, Shoppingtown Mall, DeWitt). More show-related details are found throughout this

issue. We need lots of orchids, and lots of help!

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Paph. tigrinum caricature by Pat Graham © 2003

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Our September meeting featured a very enjoyable presentation by Lena Parker on the people and orchids of Costa Rica. Lena's slide show provided members with a window into growing orchids in Central America, as well as the prestigious International Costa Rican Orchid Show, held last March. It should not be surprising that *Cattleya skinneri*, Costa Rica's national flower, figured prominently in the presentation. Prior to the meeting, a group of CNYOS members took Lena out to lunch at the Lock 24 in Baldwinsville. After Lena's presentation, the club discussed plans for our upcoming show.

#### CNYOS FALL SHOW: OCTOBER 11-12!

That's right, the show is less than two weeks away, and we're counting on all of you to make it a successful one! This year's show will be held October 11-12 in Shoppingtown Mall, DeWitt, NY, in the general area of the JC Penny department store entrance. Set-up is on Friday, OCTOBER 10<sup>TH</sup>, starting at 3:00<sup>PM</sup>. There will be at least seven displays, including vendors & three societies—mostly the usual suspects; in addition to CNYOS, society displays will be set up by the Southern Tier Orchid Society and the Greater Rochester Orchid Society. Some familiar faces will be in the vendor area as well, including MaryCarol Frier of Frier's Orchids (Chester, NY), Joe Kunisch of Bloomfield Orchids (Pittsford, NY), Jim Marlow of Marlow's Orchids (Scottsdale, NY), and Paul Sheetz of **JustPat Orchids** (Philadelphia, PA). CNYOS Members are encouraged to enter personal displays, especially of an educational or artistic nature—those set up last year were very well received, both by the judges and the public. Judging will be on Saturday morning starting promptly at 8:30<sup>AM</sup>. *Members who have signed* up to be clerks should arrive at the mall by 8:00<sup>AM</sup>. A light breakfast will be provided by Dolores Capella (one more volunteer needed).

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#### MEETING MINUTES FOR SEPTEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2003

#### Old Business

1. We received a thank you from the Jewish Family Center for our participation in their auction.

#### **New Business**

- 1. Invited Speaker: Lena Parker on The Orchids & People of Costa Rica
- 2. Several new members were introduced.
- 3. The treasurer's report was distributed. Key Bank now has our account.
- **4.** Officer elections are coming up and we need nominations for President, Vice President and (sob) Treasurer. A Nominating Committee will be set up to contact people.
- **5.** The October  $5^{TH}$  meeting will be spent getting ready for our Fall Show, including a Slide Show on Judging.
- **6.** Show: set-up is on 10/10, Judging is Saturday morning (starting at 8<sup>AM</sup>), and the Show goes through Sunday.
- 7. Future Meetings & Events: 11/2- Glen Decker from Piping Rock Orchids; 11/8-Visit to Jim Marlow Orchids; 11/7- Junior League Holiday Shoppes display & sale; 12/14 Christmas party; 1/04 Silent auction.
- 8. Refreshments- sign up sheet circulated.
- 9. Fall Show & Sale: David Ditz reviewed the jobs we need to do as a club at our Show: greeter, clerks, refreshments (Friday evening and Saturday morning), display monitors, Society Table (information & sell supplies), our club display—Judy, Charles, Gary; Floor plan for the displays at the Mall—Deb, David, Cliff; Publicity—Jeff Stuart, (someone is needed to make personal visits to the TV/radio stations in the area). Beverly Costello suggested that we put an ad in the Penny Saver as a classified ad to promote the Show. Carol and Cindy will help with the advertising effort.
- 10. Other Show-Related Items: Individual member exhibits are welcome. Charles has been taking pictures of flowering orchids to use as an educational display, and requested a donation—Motion approved for a \$300 donation. Tom Lloyd will enter a photo exhibit. Jeff Stuart & Elinor Burton have volunteered to provide lodging for some of the judges. If you are interested in providing lodging for judges or vendors, contact Dave Ditz (635-8148) or Deb Coyle (445-9106). Registration will be done by Iris Cohen and Jennifer Wilson. Deb Coyle will order ribbons & trophies, etc., from Angeloro's. Gary Stensland has again agreed to provide stanchions. Dave Ditz will check on Insurance. Pre-Registration by e-mail is encouraged by Iris.
- 11. Future fund raiser: it was suggested that we sell flowering phals for Holidays such as Valentine's or Mother's Day in a booth in the Mall. We could also establish a Flower and Garden Show of our own for hobby horticultural groups, and model this after the Show in Oriskany.

Respectfully Submitted, Barbara Weller, CNYOS Secretary

#### CNYOS CALENDAR

October 5 Regular Meeting: AOS Slide Show on Judging. Planning for the show.

October 11-12 CNYOS Annual Fall Show & Sale! Set up on Friday, October 10.

Shoppingtown Mall, DeWitt. Contact Dave Ditz, Show Chair, for more informa-

tion (315/635-8148). Volunteers are needed!

October 12 GROS Orchid Auction. Plant preview starts at noon, bidding starts at 1PM.

For more information, contact Jeff Snyder at (585) 377-5895 or email at auc-

tion@geneseeorchid.org

November 2 Invited Speaker: Glen Decker of Piping Rock Orchids. Phragmipediums;

orchids will be available for sale.

November 7-9 CNYOS to participate in the annual Holiday Shoppes, Price Chopper

Horticulture Bldg, NYS fairgrounds. Free parking. Admission \$6 at the door. Reduced advanced sale tickets available at Peter's Grocery in Syracuse.

Contact Deb Coyle or Dianne Bordoni for more info.

**December 14** Annual Holiday Party at the home of Deb Coyle.

#### GROS News: News from the Genesee Region Orchid Society

The Genesee Region Orchid Society will have it's annual Fall auction on October 12, starting promptly at noon. Details at http://www.geneseeorchid.org/

Taken with permission from *The Orchid Collection*, Newsletter of the Genesee Region Orchid Society, Vol. 26, No. 2, Oct. 2003, Phil Matt, Newsletter Editor (716) 288-7025.

#### STOS News: News from the Southern Tier Orchid Society

The next regular STOS meeting will be on Sunday, October 19, and is tentatively scheduled to be a slide presentation on Paphiopedilums.

Monthly meetings begin at 2:00™ in the Vestal Public Library. For directions, etc. call STOS president Kenneth Lattimore at 570-553-2753 or e-mail him at <klatt@epix.net>.

#### Show Business, continued from page 2.

The following members have volunteered as clerks: Donna Coleman, Judi Witkin, David Ditz, Cheryl Lloyd, Dianne Bordoni, Deb Coyle, Gary Stensland, Dolores Capella, and Jeff Stuart.

We need your blooming orchids! Gary Stensland, Judi Witkin, and Charles Ufford will be setting up the club display, which should be the centerpiece of the show, and it's important for the home society to have an impressive display. So if you've got something in bloom that is fresh, wellflowered (i.e. the flowers are in good shape ), and overall good looking, please bring it to the show on Friday afternoon/evening. If you cannot make it to set-up, contact Judi Witkin (422-0896), Deb Coyle (445-9106) or Dave Ditz (635-8148) and make arrangements with one of them to get your orchids to the show for the display. **When** you bring plants for the display, PLEASE do the

**following:** (1) Label each pot with both your name and the plant name; (2) Remove all plastic plant labels; (3) Include a list of all the plants you are entering with your box; and (4) Put your name & phone number on your box. And we strongly encourage you to pre-register your orchids with Iris Cohen (IrisCohen@aol.com, (315) 461-9226)) prior to the show. Even if you're not sure whether or not you'll actually enter a particular orchid, pre-register it anyway to save work for the registration team during set-up. Registration is always difficult and time-consuming, so save help out our volunteers (Iris & Elihu Cohen and Jen Wilson)! Pre-registration forms and instructions are found on page 10, and the Show Schedule, which contains all the necessary information regarding categories and classes, is found on page 11. And remember, please clean up and stake your plants as needed.

#### SEPTEMBER SHOW TABLE

#### **Cypripedium Alliance**

#### **Oncidium Alliance**

Paph. Prime Child (rothschildianum x primulinum) Paph. hookerae	Pace Wilson	Odm. (Sic) cirrhosum Amparoa beloglossa	Stuart
Paph. leucochilum	Rossler	Psychopsiella. (Sic) limminghei Odcdm. Susan Kaufman (Wera Stolze x Onc. flexuos	Milner
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Bl. Yellow Bird (Richard Mueller x B. nodosa)	Coleman	Adgm. Summit (Rhynchostele bictoniensis x Ada keil	iana)
Slc. Red Jewel (Tangerine Jewel x Bright Angel)	Pace		Rossler
B. nodosa	Rossler	Burr. Stefan Isler (Vuyl. Edna x Onc. leucochilum)	"
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B. nodosa	Braue	Orpha. radicans	Ditz
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	Malibu Imp)		Covle
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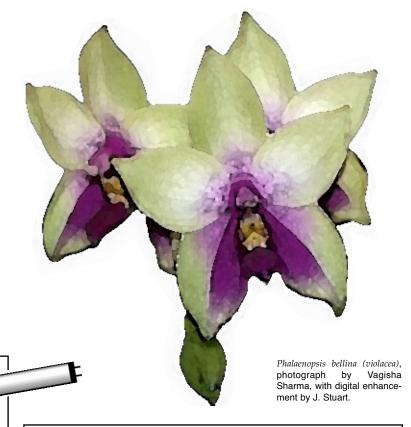
#### Miscellaneous Business...

#### **CLUB REMINDERS**

Orchid-Growing Supplies are now available, including fir bark, sphagnum, sponge rock, charcoal, and 40W fluorescent tubes. Call Dianne Bordoni for details on pricing and availability (446-3836).

The **CNYOS Club Library** is now located at St. Augustine's church. Make arrangements with Val Introne (682-8595) if you want to borrow an item from the Library.

Don't forget to bring your blooming orchids for the Monthly Show Table!!!



Fluorescent light bulbs are now available! A new order of Phillips Ultralume fluorescent tubes will be available for purchase at the October meeting.

Price is \$7.50 each.

#### SILENT AUCTION THIS JANUARY

After the success of the silent portion of our auction last spring, CNYOS is planning a totally silent auction as a fund raiser for this January. The current plan is for each member to bring a disease-free plant or orchidrelated item to donate; a donation will be needed in order to participate in the auction—so keep this event in mind when repotting & dividing orchids in your collection! We're still working on the details, but that's the general plan. Since CNYOS may loose its spot at the Flower & Garden in March, the silent auction will be another way we can raise money for our activities.

Got any other ideas? Let us know!

#### REFRESHMENT SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 2003 - MAY 2004

October November January February March April May Tammy Pomietlasz & Carol Haskell Carolyn Pace & Cynthia Busic-Snyder David Churchill & Barbara Weller Jennifer Wilson & Charles Ufford Valerie Introne & Cliff Rossler Monica Kot & Donna Coleman David Ditz & Need Volunteer!

#### **ORCHIDS FOR SALE!**

New member Don Davis has a large number of divisions for sale from his collection, including the following: *C. aurantiaca, C. forbesii, C. harrisoniae*, C. unk., large white flower, purple lip, C. unk., McLellin Cross # M-1090, *C. harrisoniae*, *C. skinneri*, C. White Christmas, *Coel. cristata, Coel. flaccida, Coel. massangeana, Laelia anceps, Laelia* unknown, jungle collected by Grossman 1980's, LC (Bonanza Las Vegas x LC Kashmir Ruby), SLC Jewel Box-Scheherezade AM/AOS, and Unk. Sweet Mustard x *digbiana*. There are multiple divisions of each, some currently in bloom. Price will range from \$5-\$20. The sale can be any time, by appointment. Please call 635-3786—Don lives in Baldwinsville, right off of Rt 370, really easy to find. All plants are healthy and may bloom within the next year.

#### SPOT LIGHT ON...

#### Brassavola nodosa & Dendrobium gonzalesii

Both *Brassavola nodosa* and *Dendrobium gonzalesii* can be found blooming this time of year. They require, however, somewhat different horticultural requirements, as discussed below. *Brassavola nodosa* is an orchid that deserves a place in everyone's collection, being relatively easy to grow, reasonably statured, and simple in flower. *D. gonzalesii*, while more culturally demanding, has a wonderful sky blue color that is very rare in nature.

Throughout the native range of B. nodosa (widespread through Mexico, Central America, Colombia, and Venezuela), it is known as La "Dama de la Noche," or the "Lady of the Night Orchid," due to its intoxicating fragrance that is emitted only at night. With terete leaves that measure 5-6", it requires bright light and intermediate to warm temperatures to do well. Like many Brassavola species, nodosa is drought tolerant. Several 3-4" flowers are born atop 3-6" inflorescences. The spidery flowers have pale apple green petals and sepals, offset by a large white heart-shaped lip. Although not as flashy as others in the Cattleya tribe, it is an example of simple aesthetic beauty that never fails to please. And if that's not enough, just wait until dark when that delightful fragrance exudes forth to entice moths and humans alike! Given the overall color of the flowers and the evening fragrance, it is not surprising that in the wild it is pollinated only at night by moths.

Dendrobium gonzalesii (ceraula) is closely related to the elegant Dendrobium victoria-regina—both have flowers that are as close to true blue as possible in the orchid world, and as such can be spectacular in bloom. This Philippine species has clusters of 1-2" flowers that are produced along semi-pendulous canes up to a foot in length. Bright light and intermediate to cool conditions are required, along with a good amount of humidity. High-quality water, and lots of it, is also a plus.



**Above:** *Brassavola nodosa*: Although collected plants can be recalcitrant to flower, those grown from seed flower much more regularly and easily.

**Below:** The unusually-colored *Dendrobium gonzalesii* (the unique color does not reproduce well in photographic media).



Reference: Photos © Andy's Orchids, http://www.andysorchids.com/. Text by Jeff Stuart, adapted from the following references: http://orchidculture.com by Charles & Margaret Baker, and the Andy's Orchids web page. Detailed cultural information can be found on B. nodosa at http://www.orchidculture.com/COD/FREE/FS231.html

#### Show Volunteer Schedules

Please look at the schedules below; each shift should have a **minimum of two-three people** (and it never hurts to have more!). There are still a few time slots that need volunteers (desperately!). If you're able to help fill out the schedule, please contact Deb Coyle as soon as possible (tcoyle1@twcny.rr.com, 445-9106).

GREETERS are needed on Friday afternoon and	FRIDAY	
<b>evening</b> , and will be responsible for helping out our		
arriving guests (societies and vendors) in whatever	3:00-5:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Donna Coleman & Monica Kot
capacity they need: unloading, setting up, registra-	5:00-7:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Elinor Burton & David Churchill
tion, etc. Visiting vendors & societies greatly appre-	7:00-9:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Rick Braue & Cliff Rossler
ciate the assistance, especially if they have to hit the		
road soon after setting up or if they arrive late.	<b>Refreshments:</b>	Monica Kot & Bev Costello

Show & Display Monitors are needed to walk	SATURDAY	
around the show and keep the public from touching	12:30-3:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Helen Hoefer & Two Others Needed
the orchids or interfering with the displays in any	3:30-6:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Jeff Stuart & Two Others Needed
way. The displays will be filled with some of the	6:30-9:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Dolores Capella & Two Others Needed
best plants the vendors and our guest societies have		
to offer, and we need to keep them safe. CNYOS has	SUNDAY	
learned from past experience that this is highly appre-	11:00 <sup>AM</sup> -1:00 <sup>PM</sup>	M Judi Witkin & Two Others Needed
ciated.	1:00-3:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Jeff Stuart, Dolores Capella, & Helen Hoefer
	3:00-6:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Donna Coleman, Rick Braue, & Judi Witkin

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	12:30-3:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Monica Kot & One Other Needed
SOCIETY INFORMATION BOOTH: Members who help	3:30-6:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Carol Haskell & Tammy Pomietlasz
out at the society booth will interact with the public,	6:30-9:30 <sup>PM</sup>	Diane Detore & One Other Needed
answering questions, handing out information on the		
club, and selling raffle tickets, books, & supplies. In	SUNDAY	
addition, this is where new members will sign up!	11:00 <sup>AM</sup> -1:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Bev Costello & One Other Needed
	1:00-3:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Judi Witkin & One Other Needed
	3:00-6:00 <sup>PM</sup>	Monica Kot & Mike Candella

| SATURDAY

#### Break-down will start at 6:00<sup>PM</sup> on Sunday. All CNYOS members are strongly encouraged to participate.

Vendors and societies always appreciate help at break-down so they can hit the road earlier. There was no specific sign-up sheet for break-down, but if you can help out, please let Deb Coyle know (tcoyle1@twcny.rr.com, 445-9106). The more members we have on hand to help, the faster it will go.

**About Our Cover Art:** This month we feature the lovely *Paph. tigrinum*, as she tries to entice the judges to look her way! This is one of the many orchid caricatures done by Pat Graham (© 2003), and is provided courtesy of Bob & Lynn Wellenstein of AnTec Orchids, http://www.ladyslipper.com. Look for more on Pat, and more of her orchid caricatures, in future issues. If you're interested to learn more about her work, contact her at pattsorchid@hotmail.com.

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXHIBITORS

- 1. Read the Rules that came with the Show Announcement. If you have any further questions, please contact the Chair, Dave Ditz, at 315/635-8148, in advance of the Show.
- 2. Read the show schedule. If you have questions, ask an entry clerk. For further details, refer to the AOS Handbook on Judging and Exhibition.
- 3. Any plant which might be eligible for more than one class may be entered in either class, or both.
- 4. If you have not owned your plant for more than 6 months, or if you do not have the name, if registered, or the parents, be sure to check "NO" under "Cultural Award" on your plant registration sheet You may still label it, win a ribbon or other award,& use it in your
- 5. If your plant is a registered hybrid, it is your responsibility to look up both the name and the parents. The clerks will show you how to do this. If this is a problem, you may call Iris Cohen, 315/461-9226, ahead of time. If any plant has had a previous AOS award, the clone name and award must be entered on the "Name" line of registration.
  - 6. If you are entering a display, be sure to register it in the appropriate display class.
- 8. Keep a copy of a list of the plants you brought to the show, and their owners, to help you take them
- 9. Details of the registration procedure will be given you when you arrive. We will provide uniform labeling materials for you to use.
- 10. When you are done setting up and registering, each plant should have its uniform label, and a number on it. Similarly, your display should have a label frame! and a number. These numbers match the
- [name] and a number. These numbers match the names given to the entry clerk. No identifying names may be placed on them until after judging.
- 11. Good Luck!! Please show respect for our judges and exhibitors by remaining away from the exhibit area during judging. If you have any questions about the judging results, refer to the Chairman of Judging
- 12. Dismantling can begin at 6 PM on Sunday, and not before.

## EXHIBITORS

Central New York Orchid Society
Genesee Region Orchid Society
Southern Tier Orchid Society
Bloomfield Orchids
Frier's Orchids
Jim Marlow Orchids
Just Pat Orchids
Charles Ufford

## JUDGES AND AWARDS

This show is sanctioned by the American Orchid Society. All horticultural and artistic classes and exhibits will be judged by certified A.O.S. judges and/or student judges. Any plant or exhibit deemed worthy will be judged for American Orchid Society awards.

### American Orchid Society Certified Judges:

Peter & Inge Poote John Sullivan Paul Sheetz Jeanne Keading Diane Strack, Chair

#### Clerks

Dolores Capella
David Ditz
Donna Coleman
Jeff Stuart
Judi Witkin
Dianne Bordoni
Deb Coyle
Cheryl Lloyd
Gary Stensland
Charles Ufford

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## FALL SHOW

October 11 & 12, 2003 Shoppingtown Mall DeWitt, New York

## SHOW SCHEDULE AND INSTRUCTIONS TO EXHIBITORS

2003 Show Committee:
Co-Presidents: Deborah Coyle & Dianne Bordoni
Chair: Dave Ditz
Display: Gary Stensland, Judi Witkin,
and Charles Ufford
Registration: Elihu and Iris Cohen
Assistants: Jennifer Wilson
Sales and Display Areas: Jeff Stuart
Chairman of Judging Activities: Deborah Coyle
Photographer: Richard Groll

Publicity: Jeff Stuart

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#### THE FOLLOWING RULES APPLY TO THE 2003 SHOW

Times: Set-up 3-9<sup>PM</sup>, Friday October 10, 2003. Judging, 8:30<sup>AM</sup>, Saturday, October 11, 2003. Dismantle: 6<sup>PM</sup> Sunday, 10/12.

- 1. The show will be judged according to the American Orchid Society Handbook on Judging and Exhibition, Tenth Edition.
- 2. Water, pools, or fountains may be used, with permission. Any leaks must be repaired immediately.
- 3. All **exhibits** must be registered in the show. Individual plants must be registered and correctly labeled with the species, or cross name and parents, in order to be judged. (New or unidentified species must be labeled with the correct genus, at least.) Judges may exclude unentered or mislabeled plants from ribbon judging. In the event a plant has been entered in the wrong class, it may be reclassified, at the judges discretion. If that class has already been judged, the plant may be disqualified. Correct labeling of plants in the show will be the exhibitor's responsibility. Plants eligible for more than 1 class may be entered in both. Uniform exhibit signs and supplies for making plant labels will be provided by the Show Committee.
- 4. The show schedule and a sample registration sheet will be sent to each exhibitor, as soon as the reservation slip has been returned. To aid the registration process, please register with Iris Cohen in advance, by fax, (315/461-9226- must phone first), or e-mail, (IrisCohen@aol.com), or phone, or mail. Uncooperative plants can always be deleted at the last minute. Please come to the show with a completed list of display plants, including parentage, for referral purposes of exhibitor and/or show committee, and/or take-down.
- 5. All tropical (home or greenhouse) orchid plants entered for possible consideration for a Cultural Award must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least six monhs. Any hardy native plant (orchid or foliage) which is on this state's protected list must have been owned by the exhibitor or under cultivation for at least two years.
- 6. Exhibitors need not be members of the American Orchid Society, or the Central New York Orchid Society. There is no entry fee. By entering this show, the exhibitor represents that all collected species orchids entered have been obtained in conformance with the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species and/or accepted conservation practices. Plants which are not established will not be judged.
- <u>7.</u> Every reasonable precaution will be taken, but neither the Central New York Orchid Society, nor Shoppingtown Mall can be responsible for loss of, or damage to plants, blooms, containers, or other personal property.
- 8. Set-up must be **completed by 9:00 Friday evening**. Judging will begin promptly at 8:30 AM Saturday. Decision of the judges will be final.
- <u>9.</u> The Show Committee **reserves the right to** reject or disqualify any plant or exhibit which shows signs of pest infestation, disease, or severe genetic defect. No plants or cut flowers may be entered for judging by exhibitors who are in arrears for failure to pay AOS award fees.
- <u>10.</u> At their discretion, judges may divide a class which turns out to be unwieldy. They may withhold awards if there is no worthy entry, or designate a special award for an outstanding specimen not covered in the schedule.
- 11. No plant or part of it, artifact, or accessory in any type of exhibit may carry a price tag, or be removed, or sold, or tampered with during the show, except for the removal of wilted blossoms. Craftspeople with items for sale will offer them at separate tables in the sales area.
- 12. Visitors who would like to observe the judging process or serve as clerks are welcome, but <u>must</u> inform the Chairman of Judging Activities in advance. Contact <u>Deborah Coyle</u>, <u>5186 Winterton Dr.</u>, <u>Fayetteville</u>, <u>NY 13066</u>, <u>phone</u> 315/445-9106 or E-Mail tcoyle1@twcny.rr.com
- 13. Since we are a small club with limited resources, only judges and clerks who have served in the entry or judging process, and their spouses, are invited to the judges' luncheon. Other show committee members or visitors may join us at their own expense.

A few notes on registering your orchids for the show:

#### PLEASE PRE-REGISTER BY E-MAIL OR FAX WITH IRIS COHEN!

This will help significantly on Friday at set-up. Write up your registrations, with Name of plant (and Parents, if a hybrid), Entry Class, and Culture Award eligibility. It is your responsibility to fill in the class number correctly (see page 11). It may be disqualified if entered incorrectly. If you have any questions, contact Iris (IrisCohen@aol.com, (315) 461-9226, call first to fax). The following web site may also be helpful: http://www.rhs.org.uk/science/mn\_registration\_orchids.asp. If your clone (individual plant or cultivar) does NOT have a nationally recognized award, do NOT include clonal name. If your clone DOES have an AOS award, you must include the clonal name. It is your responsibility to determine if that clone has been awarded—Iris will be able to help in this regard. If you do not have name of cross leave top line blank. Parents belong on next 2 lines. Don't include variety name of a species unless it is really significant, like alba. Don't include clone names of parents as they have no significance for this purpose.

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EXHIBITS	F. Vandaceous Alliance (exc.Phal.&Dor)	K. Dendrobium Alliance
	Class 60. Angraecoid and related species, hybrids,	Class 130. Dendrobium species
A. Amateur Exhibits by one or more persons		Class 131. Dendrobium, nobile type hybrids only
Class 1. Three to five orchid plants in flower, arranged	Class	Class 132. Dendrobium, phalaenopsis & antelope types
for effect.	Class	Class 133. Dendrobium, nigrohirsute type hybrids
Class 2. Six to ten orchid plants in flower, etc.	53. Vanda and allied genera species other than	a Class 134. Dendrobium alliance species, hybrids, and
Class 3. Eleven or more plants, etc.	excluding Doritis and Phalaenopsis	intergeneric hybrids, other than above
Class 4. Educational Exhibit	Class 64. Vanda and allied genera hybrids and inter-	L. Miscellaneous
B. Orchid societies affiliated with the AOS	generic hybrids, other than above, but excluding	ö
Class 5. Three to ten plants in flower, etc.	Doritaenopsis and Phalaenopsis.	
Class 6. 11 or more plants, etc.		Class 152. Other Pleurothallid species
C. Commercial exhibits		Class 153. Other Pleurothallid hybrids
Class 7. Any exhibit by a vendor at this show		Class 154. Any miniature species or hybrid except the
	G. Phalaenopsis	Cymbidium, Cattleya, Phalaenopsis, or Pleurothallid
OPEN CLASSES	Class 70. Phalaenopsis, including former Doritis	alliance. (Any plant[individual growth] 6 " or less in height
	allied species	or width, excluding inflorescence.)
D. Cattleya Alliance	Class 71. Phal. & Dtps, plain white	Class 155. Any terrestrial or foliage orchid not covered
Class 30. Cattleya and allied genera species	Class 72. Phal. & Dtps., white with spots, bars o	_
Class 31. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids, white	Class 73. Phal. & Dtps., white with colored lip	Class 156. Any other orchid species not covered elsewhere
Class 32. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids, pink and lay	Class	I Class 157. Any other orchid hybrid not covered elsewhere.
Class 33. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids, yellow and	Class	narks
Class 34. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids, red	Class 76. Phal. & Dtps., other colors not defined al M.	IM. Artistic Classes
Class 35. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids, purple	Class 77. Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis, miniat	ö
Class 36. Cattleya & intergeneric hybrids; blue, splasl		Class 191. Photographs
petals, and any other color not defined above.		
Class 37. Allied genera hybrids and intergeneric hybrid	& similar species predominating).	Class 193. Any art or craft, not created by exhibitor
other than above (not containing Cattleya).		("collectibles ")
Class 38. Cattleya alliance species and hybrids, miniat H.	ŏ	Class 199. Corsages, bouquets, arrangements,
(under 8" in height, excluding inflorescence)	Class 100. Miltonia and Miltoniopsis species	
	Class 101. Miltonia&Miltoniopsis hybrids & intergene	flow
	Class 102. Odontoglossum species, other than above	SPECIA
E. Cypripedium Alliance	Class 103. Odont. hybrids & intergenerics,other than	RIBBONS:
Class 40. Paphiopedilum species, Brachy.&Parvisepalu		First, Second, and Third prizes in each Class. 74 Classes
Class 41, Paph., all other species, single flowering	Class 105 .Oncidium hybrids&intergenerics, other tha ROSETTES:	
Class 42. Paphiopedilum species, multiple flowering	above, exc.equitants.	group (A through M) 12 groups
Class 43. Paph. hybrids, vinicolor or "flame"		TROPHIES:
Class 44. Paphiopedilum hybrids, Maudiae types, non vi	Class	Best Exhibit in Show
Class 45.Multifloral Paph. hybrids	Class 108. Oncidium alliance species, other than abov	Best Species in Show
Class 46.Parvisepalum&Brachypetalum Paph hybrids	Class 109. Oncidium alliance hybrids& intergenerics,	Best Hybrid in Show
Class 47. Paphiopedilum hybrids, complex, white and p	than above.	Orchid Digest Corp. Trophy: Best non-commercial exhibit
Class 48. Paph. hybrids, complex, red & mahogany		MARGERY UMMER MEMORIAL AWARD
Class 49. Paph. hybrids, complex, any other color	J. Cymbidium Alliance	Best Amateur-Grown Cattleya Alliance Plant
Class 50. Phragmipedium species	Class 120. Cymbidium alliance species	J. O.
Class 51. Phragmipedium hybrids-mainly red,orange,	Class 121. Cymbidium hybrids, standard	Best Amateur-GrownSpecies Plant
Class 52. Phragmipedium hybrids- any other color	Class 122. Cymbidium hybrids, miniature	ANDY MYERS MEMORIAL AWARD
Clase 55 Cypripadium epaciae and Hybride		Best Amateur-Grown Phragminedium species or hybrid

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