

October 2015

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The President's Letter



The Maryland Orchid
Society Newsletter-Those of us who
put our orchids outside for the summer, it is soon time to bring them
inside the house or return them to the
greenhouse. Remember to check for
"critters" that need to stay outside.
Inspect, inspect, inspect and inspect
each plant,

particularly at the base of pseudobulbs, sheaths, leaf axis and upper and lower surfaces of leaves. Tap pots on a hard surface to check for ants. Spray with an insecticide/miticide/fungicide now

and before bringing your plants inside.

As you take inventory of your plants and attempt to visualize where you are going to put them when returning them to their winter habitat, remember that our upcoming auction is on November 14. Aaron Webb, Joan Roderick and I will be glad to accept your extra or unwanted, disease free, pest free plants. Donations are tax deductible.

Please consider volunteering to assist with our auction. There will be a sign-up sheet at this month's meeting. We will also meet at Dewey Lowman on Friday evening, November 13 at 7:00 PM to set-up...this shouldn't take long. Any and all help will be appreciated. The annual auction is our major fund raising event of the year.

Thank you to David and Margaret Smith and Eric Wiles for hosting and leading the MOS members potting clinic. From the photos that were posted it appeared that a great time was had by all (I was unable to be there this year since my 51st Western High School reunion was on the same weekend). Also, many thanks to those who lent plants and those who participated in the set-up and take down of the SOS and NCOS shows, especially Valerie Lowe.

Sarah

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October's Guest Speaker

A monthly newsletter for the members and friends of the society



Dr Eric Wiles, Immediate Past President MOS Educational Speaker for October 17, 2015

Presentation Title: "Orchids in Transition: Maximizing Changes for Growth"

This month Dr Eric Wiles will present a very timely topic, "Orchids in Transition: Maximizing Changes for Growth". Eric will review the effects of seasonal changes on the orchids. He will answer questions on how to switch orchids from summering outside to mov-

ing inside for winter without detrimental effects on culture. You will learn how to maximize the variation of seasonal or night temperature drops to your advantage for better orchid growth. The fluctuation in temperatures, seasonal and nighttime drops can have a beneficial effect. There are some orchids that may need a "chill" or a bit of frost to encourage flowering. Know which ones can tolerate even a bit of frost to set that flower spike??? Eric will detail these orchid species. There are many items to consider with changes from the outside environment to household temperature, humidity, and air. He will also review managing insect control and repotting during transitions.

Eric Wiles is an excellent teacher; he is the favorite speaker to open our MOS April Workshop for novice growers. He brings a variety of orchids to demonstrate differences between the plants, the growth habits and culture. This Show 'N' Tell has become the foundation lecture of the workshop.

Eric is a long time MOS member serving in various positions and volunteering for many activities. He was Vice President of MOS from 2010 to 2012 and was voted President of MOS from 2012-2014. He is an invited speaker for societies and also is a member of the Catoctin Orchid Society. One of his first loves besides horses is rose cultivation. It was an easy transition to orchids where he developed considerable skill in cultivation. Eric has received many AOS, MOS and Society Awards for his orchids.

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September 2015 Show Table Winners by Tom McBride

Novice

1. Den. (Burana Greenstar X Palolo Sunshine) - Jen Goessling

Cattleya

- 1. Sc. Calypso 'Crestwood' AM/AOS Clark Rilev
- 2. Tie Psh. Green Hornet Owen Humphrey

Epi. melanophorphyreum - Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith

- 3. Tie Lc. Longriver Compton 'Gold Star' The Adamses
- C. Tropical Pointer 'Cheetah' Jenny Hildebrand

Slc. Ann Komine 'Breathless' AM/AOS - Bob Travers

Dendrobium

- 1. Den. laevifolium Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith
- 2. Den. Burana Pearl 'Stripe' -Norma Lynch
- 3. Den.unicum Chris Zajac

Phaphiopedilum and Phragmipedium

- 1. Phrag. Bel Croute -John Dunning
- 2. Paph. Harold Koopowitz Joan Roderick
- 3. Tie Phrag. pearcei Joel Graham Paph. exul - Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith

Home Grown

'1.Hab. Flamingo 'Ruesque' AM/ AOS - Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith

2. Tie Psy. Hybrid - Marilyn Lauffer Monn.

Millinum Magic 'Witchcraft' FCC/ AOS - Chris Zajac

3. Tie Den. phalaenopsis var. compactum 'Carney'- Suzanne Gaertner



Psy. Kalihi - Wanda Kuhn

Greenhouse

- 1. Phal. gigantea Jos Venturina
- 2. Tie Trgl. philippinense -The Adamses

L. pumila - Clark Riley

Phalaenopsis

- 1. Phal. fasciata 'Dark' -Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith
- 2. Phal. Ox Firebird The Adamses
- 3. Phal. Hybrid Sarah Spence

Miscellaneous Hybrids

- 1. Dar. Fuchs Cream Puff X Rhy. coelestis Jos Venturina
- 2. Tie Bulb. Elizabeth Ann 'Buckleberry' FCC/AOS -The Adamses

Monn. Millenium Magic 'Witchcraft' FCC/AOS - Sarah Spence

Species

- 1. Acianthera sonderiana Turnberry' CCE/AOS David Smith
- 2. Tie Hab. medusae -Owen Humphrey

Milt. spectabilis - Eric Wiles

3. Tie Sngl. longifolia - Bob Travers

Miniature 2. Tie Ornth. dolobratus - The Adamses

Bulb. anteabracheatum - Eric Wiles

3. Tie C. Arizona 'Alice' HCC/AOS - Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith

Lep. tentaculata - Val Lowe

First Bloom Seedlings

- 1. Lc. Tydea Clark Riley
- 2. B. nodosa X C. Cella Bella Joel Graham

Oncidium

- 1. Psy. Mem. Bill Carter Mary Chiu
- Tie Psy. Mendenhall "Yellow Butterfly" - Owen Humphrey Odm. Du Matier - Clark Riley Psy. Mem. Bill Carter 'Harford' -Laura Sobelman
- 3. Burr. Nelly Isler Aaron Webb

Fragrance

- 1. Lc. Tydea Clark Riley
- 2. B. nodosa X C. Cella Bella Joel Graham

Judges Choice for the Evening

The Judges Choice of the Evening was Acianthera sonderiana 'Turnberry' CCE/AOS, exhibited by David Smith.

Thank You to our judges who were, Ernie Drohan, Joel Graham and Chris Zajac.

Our show table had an incredible display of 109 beautiful flowering plants. A special THANKS to all that make our show table such a great success!

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Last Years Show Table Winners by Tom McBride

Novice

1st Wanda Kuhn - 24 pts. 2nd The Zickuhrs - 10 pts. 3rd Anne Headrick - 9 pts.

Home Grown

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith -15 pts. 2nd Marilyn Lauffer - 13 pts. 3rd Kathi Jackson, Bob Travers -9 pts.

Greenhouse

1st Clark Riley - 25 pts. 2nd The Adamses - 14 pts. 3rd David Smith - 12 pts.

Cattleya

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith -14 pts. 2nd Bob Johnston - 11 pts. 3rd The Soykes - 10 pts.

Phalaenopsis

1st The Soykes - 18 pts. 2nd Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith -17 pts. 3rd The Adamses - 11 pts.

Paphiopedilum and Phragmipedium

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith -17 pts. 2nd The Adamses - 10 pts. 3rd John Dunning, David Smith -8 pts

Oncidium

1st Eric Wiles - 13 pts. 2nd The Soykes, Chris Zajac - 7 pts. 3rd John Dunning, Clark Riley, Bob Travers - 6 pts.

Dendrobium

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith - 19 pts. 2nd The Adamses - 15 pts. 3rd David Smith, Eric Wiles - 6 pts.

Miscellaneous Hybrids

1st The Soykes - 11 pts. 2nd Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith, Brenda Logan - 8 pts. 3rd Phuong Tran & Rich Kaste -6 pts.

Species

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith - 17 pts. 2nd The Adamses - 16 pts. 3rd David Smith -11 pts.

Miniature

1st Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith - 19 pts. 2nd Eric Wiles - 14 pts. 3rd The Adamses, David Smith -9 pts.

First Bloom Seedling

1st John Dunning - 18 pts. 2nd Clark Riley - 12 pts. 3rd Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith - 7 pts.

Fragrance

1st Chris Zajac - 9 pts. 2nd John Dunning - 8 pts. 3rd Bob Johnston, Sarah Spence - 6 pts.**Remind**

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2015-2016 Membership Renewal was due by September 30. If you have not yet renewed your membership, you will have the opportunity to renew and remit your \$30.00 at the October 15, 2015 meeting, prior to placing your plants on the show table.

If your membership is not up to date, your plants will not be eligible for judging.

Congratulations and Thank You

to the following members that had perfect attendance on our show table last year!

Joel Graham, Owen Humphrey, Sarah Hurdel & Gary Smith, Kathi Jackson, Janice Mazur, Tom McBride, Clark Riley, Sarah Spence





Twelve people attended the hands-on workshop, which gave members an opportunity to learn more about repotting teniques and tricks (and to see David Smith's amazing greenhouse. David demonstrated how to repot a variety of genera, including an unwieldy Angulocaste and a potbound Phalaenopsis.

Supplies were provided and members brought their own orchids to repot. MOS thanks David and Margaret Smith for hosting this event Further workshops will be in the announced in the upcoming newsletters & at our meeting night.

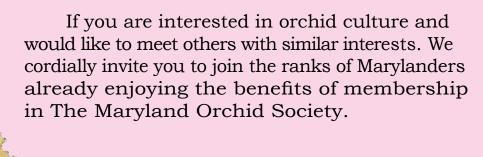
About The Maryland Orchid Society Newsletter|Mission

The Maryland Orchid Society Newsletter, published monthly by the Maryland Orchid Society September through June, shares the latest news of our orchid community.

Please submit your comments to: barbarabuck2015@comcast.net.

We invite articles, notices, etc. for inclusion in our newsletter. The deadline for inclusion is the end of each month.

The MOS brings together people interested in orchids to promote and encourage orchid culture, preservation, education, propagation, hybridization, and all other orchid-related activities of interest to its members. Benefits of membership include a subscription to the Newsletter (e-mail and web), voting rights, borrowing privileges from the MOS Library, monthly guest speakers, local judging, valuable door prizes, and much more!



Newsletter Submissions

Contents for the MOS newsletter for the 2015 fiscal year is due at the end of the first full week of each month.

Submitting content to the newsletter editor, Please submit your information to: barbarabuck2015@comcast.net

September 17, 2015 Meeting date October 15, 2015 Meeting date November 19, 2015 Meeting date December 17, 2015 Meeting date

Clark's Corner

Three Brazilian species in the background. Sc. Beaufort (S. coccinea x C. luteola) X Sl Orpetii (S. coccinea x L. pumila).

The Sophronitis and Laelia give the nice shape and color. The Cattleya gives growability.

MOS display at the SOS Orchid Away Show





AOS Bulletin

Our next webinars: Wednesday, October 7, 2015 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EDT

Semi-hydroponic Orchid Growing

Join Ray Barkalow, of First Rays Orchids, as he shows us how we can successfully grow orchids semi-hydroponically and the theory behind it. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. Members only.

Semi-hydroponic Orchid Growing

Wednesday, October 7, 2015 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EDT

System Requirements

- PC-based attendees: Required Windows® 8, 7, Vista, XP or 2003 Server
- Mac®-based attendees: Required Mac OS® X 10.6 or newer

Thursday, October 15, 2015 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EDT Q&A with Ron McHatton

Send your questions to Sandra Tillisch Svoboda at stillisch@cox.net and see you there.

. What are webinars? Webinars are an internet conference where you can hear the speaker and view his presentation, ask questions, and hear interactions from other members of the audience. You can join either on your computer or by phone. You can join from anywhere, via your Mac, PC or even your mobile device. Audio is included, so attendees can phone in or use VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol). You will need a microphone for your computer to use VoIP. If you cannot make the actual presentation, there will be a link on the website where you can view the webinar at your convenience.

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The October, 2015 MOS & AOS Corner COTNET Respectfully submitted, Valerie Lowe - Away Shows Chair





SOS Show Results

Place/ Score	Class/	Enhibitor	Entry
lat	76. Society Bahibits - 50 eq. ft. Floor	MOS	Exhibit - 50 eq. ft. Floor
2nd	5. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance Hybrids - Pink, Purple, Blue	Clark Riley	Leeliocattleya Tydea
lat	 Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance Hybrids – Mini-Catts 	Clark Riley	Sophrocettleys Calypso 'Crestwood', AM.AOS
2nd	50. Hobbyist Any Other Oncidium Alliance Species/Hybrids	Clark Riley	Russingloseum grande
2nd lat	11. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance Hybrids - Mini-Catts	Clark Riley	Sophrolaelicoattleya Petite Purple Brassokelicoattleya (Satin Dew x Goldenzelle)
2nd	Hobbyist Cattleys Alliance Hybrids - Other colors Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance Intergeneric Hybrids	Clark Riley Clark Riley	Odontioda Du Motier
2nd 2nd	13. Hobbyist Encyclia & Epidendrum Species/Hybrids	Clark Riley	Epidendrum embresi
2nd	1. Hobbyist Cattleys Species	Clark Riley	Leelia pumila
lird.	11. Hobbyiat Cattleya Alliance Hybrids - Mini-Catts	Clark Riley	Lacinoattleya Simplicity
lat	56. Pleurothallid Alliance - Other Genera		Acienthere sonderiene 'Turnberry'
lat	46. Hobbyist Miltonia/Miltoniopsie Species/Hybrids		Miltonia spectabilia var moreliana 'Anne Wame' AM/AOS
lied.	 Hobbyist Any Other Oncidium Alliance Species/Hybrids 		Lookhartia hunifera
lied.	36. Hobbyist Phragmipedium Species		Phragmipedium psarcei [#1]
lird.	32. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum Hybrids – Frimar near	Deborah Dade	PrimaryPaphiopedilum Doll's Kolbold
2nd	28. Vanda or Ascocenda Hybrida	Eric Wiles	Vanda Fachara Delight 'Black'
lat	48. Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance Intergeneric Hybrids	Eric Wiles	Odontocidium Everglades Eleganos 'Nancy Lee'
Brd. Brd.	50. Hobbyist Any Other Oscidium Alliance Species/Hybride	Baio Wiles Baio Wiles	Ornithophora radioana
2nd	 Other Genera - Flowering Hobbyist Paphispedilum Hybrida - Mandise, Complex & Other 	Leura Sobelman	Stanhopea graveolens Paphiopedillum pedilum Hilo Midori
2nd	50. Hobbyist Any Other Oscidium Alliance Species/Hybrids	Mary Chia	Psychopsis Memoria Bill Carter
lat	52. Dendrobium Alliance Species	Michael Mooso	Dendrobium bracteorum
2nd	23. Hobbyist Phalaenopais Hybrids - Pink Purple w/or w/o Stripes or Spots	Owen Humphrey	Phalaenopeia Zuma's Phrie Taida's Little Cutie' [4
Dr d	34. Hobbyat Paphiopedilum Hybrids - Maudiae, Complex &	Sarah Hurdel	
	Other		Paphiopedilum Magical Contrasts
lird.		& Gary Smith	Cattleys sincousna Tebecoa Sorthen', AM/ACC
2nd	30. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Species	Sarah Hurdel	Paphiopeditum exul
2nd	 Hobbyist Phalaenopais Hybrids – White w/ or w/o Colored 	& Gary Smith	
	lip Spots or Stripes		Phalaenopaie hybrid
lat	12. Commercial Cartleye Alliance Hybrids - Mini-Cetta	The Little Greenhouse	Sophrocattleys Beaufort (Cathy', AM/AOS
2nd 2nd	Commercial Cattleya Species Commercial Psobiopedilum Hybrids – Mandias, Complex & Other	The Little Greenhouse	Cattleya boweringiana v. coerulea "Menchune" Paphiopediham Hilo Green Mountain
lat		The Little Greenhouse The Little	
ant and	43. Commercial Oscidium/Tohumnia Species/Hybride 52. Dendrohium Alliance Species	Greenhouse The Little	Oncidium Mem. Harold Starkey Dendrobium laevifolium
2nd	53. Dendrohium Alliance Hybrids	Greenhouse The Little	Dendrohium Maiden Charlotte
2nd	55. Dracula & Mandruellia Hybrida	Greenhouse The Little	Mandevallia Redwing 'Looh Reven', HCC/AOS
lat	36. Hobbyist Phragmipedium Species	Greenhouse	Phragmipedium longifulium v. gracile
2nd	17. Hobbyist Phalaenopais Species		Phalaenopsia amabilia [#2]
lied.	36. Hobbyiat Phragmipedium Species		Phragmipedium psarcei [#2]
2nd	57. Bulbophyllum Species/Hybrids		Bulbophythun Secinstor
Waner	Best Society Exhibit	MOS	Bahihit - 50 sq. ft. Floor
62		MOS	Exhibit - 50 sq. ft. Ploor
60	Award of Merit	The Little Greenhouse	Oncidium Nem. Harold Starkey

Local AOS News

July 11, 2015: National Capital Judging Center:

David Smith's plant of Speklinia tribuloides 'Flore Cuprum' received an **85 point** Certificate of Cultural Merit (CCM).

The Little Greenhouse plant of Paphiopedilum Adding Booth 'Gabriel' was awarded an **86 point** Award of Merit (AM).

September 5, 2015: National Capital Judging Center:

Jamie Riegel's plant of Cattleya loddigesii v. harrisoniana 'Jamie's Best' received an **80 point** AM.

Sarah Hurdel and Gary Smith's plant of Phalaenopsis hieroglyphica frma flavum 'Hampstead' received **79 point** Highly Commended Certificate (HCC).

October 2, 2015: National Capital Judging Center in Conjunction with the Susquehanna Orchid Society Show

The Little Greenhouse plant of Oncidium Memoria Harold Starkey 'Loch Raven' was awarded an **80 point** AM.

Speklinia tribuloides 'Flore Cuprum'

Paphiopedilum Adding Booth 'Gabriel'



Phalaenopsis hieroglyphica frma flavum 'Hampstead'

Oncidium Memoria Harold Starkey 'Loch Raven'

A reminder ...

Auction News by Aaron Webb

The Great 2015 MOS Auction
Halethorpe, Maryland
Saturday, November 14
Preview 11 a.m., Auction noon – 4 p.m.

For farther information and directions to the auction see our Website or call Aaron Webb (410)235-4062 or (410)419-1312

Corrections for the website?
Please contact the Maryland Orchid Society
webmaster,
DrRiley@aol.com.

Deborah Dade - MOS Program Manager wants to know...

How did your orchids enjoy their Summer Vacation and how are you getting them ready for the Fall?

How did your orchids enjoy the summer months outside. Please share with us and take pictures of how you have them placed, hung or lounging on a summer porch. It will also be informative to share how you prepare to bring them back inside with no "free-loaders" (insects). Or how you handle protecting them from the chilly nights if they remain outside a few extra weeks.

Try to use pictures in jpeg format so we can organize them to show at our March 2016 Round Table Exchange. It will be fun to see the various ways our orchids are enjoying vacation and your tips for preparing them for winter.



The photo show as an example of a portion of Eric Wiles' collection enjoying outdoors; you can see how he hung some and placed others on a bench.

2-5 shots any of the following to show: Use close up shots to show any details.

- Plants hanging out.
- How you shade the plants from hot sun or protect from cold nights.
- · How you secure from high winds.
- Type of shelving or hanging equipment you use.
- How you keep the bugs from setting up house in your pots.
- Slug prevention.
- Products used.
- Which plants to take outside, which you leave in the house.
- How do you prepare them to return back inside.

If there is anything else you would like to share. Send them to contactdade@comcast.net with text about the pictures and your name.

Thank you, Deborah Dade,MOS Program Chair



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Eric Wiles, DVM, is also well known for his expertise in large and complex animal medicine. He specializes in equine and orthopedic animal health. He has received notable recognition by his professional colleagues and veterinary organizations.

This educational lecture will give you the tips on how to mange the effects of fall changes on your orchids inside or out for optimal results! It is not to be missed!

Deborah

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