

MEMBER/EXHIBITOR SALES AND EXHIBIT INFORMATION

Dear MOS Members and Fellow Orchidists,

Thanks for your participation in our 2013 Show. Because of you it was a great success. We hope that our 2014 Show will be even bigger and better. Therefore, it is with great pleasure and anticipation that we send you the enclosed information and extend to you an invitation to participate and exhibit in:

THE MARYLAND ORCHID SOCIETY'S 2014 SHOW AND SALE

March 7-9, 2014, Orchids: A World of Color

Please note the following times and dates:

Staging set up (MOS only): **Tuesday, March 4, 2014, begins 9 a.m.**

Exhibit set-up: Wednesday, March 5, 2014, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

(All plants and or artwork must be registered by 6 pm, no exceptions.)

Ribbon and AOS Judging: Thursday, March 6, 2014, begins 9 a.m.

Preview Party & Sales: Thursday, March 6, 2014, begins 7:30 p.m.

Open to the Public: Friday, March 7, 2014, open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Saturday, March 8, 2014, open 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday, March 9, 2014, open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

There will be a Social gathering (our annual Exhibit Preview Party followed by open sales area) for Show participants and Society Members, at the Fairgrounds, at 7:30 p.m., on Thursday, March 7, 2014. Invitation, menu and cost will follow.

The Show Committee constantly strives to improve the Show and Sale experience for everyone involved. With that in mind, MOS will continue to use a plant registration system at this year's Show. This will improve the judging of plants and exhibits in the Show. All exhibitors, commercial and hobbyist alike, will be required to register all plants being used in their respective exhibits and or each piece of art hanging in the art show. This must be completed by 6:00 pm on Wednesday, March 5, 2014 or your plants/exhibit/artwork will not be judged. There will be no exceptions. The user front-end for this process will again be Microsoft Excel.

Please read the rules and regulations carefully. Give special attention to the deadline for reserving exhibit space. Please keep in mind that all plants and artwork, entered in any Class must be registered by the exhibitor into the MOS Registration System. Exhibitors in Division I. Exhibits and Division IV. Art, must submit an Exhibitor Reservation Form by Monday, March 3, 2014. Art should be framed, pre-wired for "S" hooks and ready to hang. Art should be delivered to Horticulture Hall, Tuesday, March 4, 10 am- 3 pm or Wednesday, March 5, 8:30 am-11 am. Exhibitor Reservation Forms are not required for Division III. Grower's Choice, however plants must still be entered in the MOS Registration System.

Each exhibitor or representative must be present at 6 p.m., Sunday, March 9, 2014 to dismantle and remove his/her exhibit.

Label card stock will be provided; exhibitors must make their own plant labels and supply their own label wire, display lighting, and extension cords.



2014 CLASS SCHEDULE

Division I. Exhibits, Classes 1-9 (Classes subject to change)

Except where "tabletop" is noted, Exhibit classes will be staged from the floor. Background material, other than that requested from and provided by MOS, must be supplied by the exhibitor. Please make plans to light your exhibit. No exhibit shall exceed 8 feet in height or intrude into an adjacent exhibit, unless approved by the Show Chairman. Flowing water and water fountains may be used only in exhibits staged from the floor.

Division I. Exhibits, Classes 1-15

- 1. Commercial Exhibit, 100-Square-Foot
- 2. Commercial Exhibit, 50-Square-Foot
- 3. Commercial Exhibit, 25-Square-Foot
- 4. Hobbyist Exhibit, 100-Square-Foot
- 5. Hobbyist Exhibit, 50-Square-Foot
- 6. Hobbyist Exhibit, 25-Square-Foot
- 7. Hobbyist Exhibit, 15-Square-Foot
- 8. Hobbyist Exhibit, 12-Square-Foot Table-Top
- **9.** Hobbyist Exhibit, 9-Square-Foot Table-Top
- **10.** Hobbyist Exhibit, 6-Square-Foot Table-Top
- 11. Hobbyist Exhibit, 3 Blooming Orchids Table-Top
- 12. Society Exhibit, 100-Square-Foot
- **13.** Society Exhibit, 50-Square-Foot
- **14.** Society Exhibit, 25-Square-Foot
- **15.** Educational Exhibit

Division II. Orchid Alliances, Classes 16-136

- **16.** Commercial Angraecum Alliance, Species
- 17. Commercial Angraecum Alliance, Hybrids
- **18.** Hobbyist Angraecum Alliance, Species
- 19. Hobbyist Angraecum Alliance, Hybrids
- **20.** Commercial Bulbophyllum Alliance, Species
- 21. Commercial Bulbophyllum Alliance, Hybrids
- **22.** Hobbyist Bulbophyllum Alliance, Species
- 23. Hobbyist Bulbophyllum Alliance, Hybrids
- **24.** Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Species
- 25. Commercial Cattleya Alliance, White/Semi-Alba Hybrids
- **26.** Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Yellow/Orange Hybrids
- 27. Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Red Hybrids
- 28. Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Pink/Purple Hybrids
- 29. Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Splash Petal Hybrids
- 30. Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Other Color Hybrids
- **31.** Commercial Cattleya Alliance, Mini-Catts (Under 8")
- 32. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Species
- 33. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, White/Semi-Alba Hybrids
- 34. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Yellow/Orange Hybrids
- 35. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Red Hybrids
- **36.** Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Pink/Purple Hybrids



2014 CLASS SCHEDULE CONT'D

- 37. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Splash Petal Hybrids
- 38. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Other Color Hybrids
- 39. Hobbyist Cattleya Alliance, Mini-Catts (Under 8")
- 40. Commercial Epidendrum Alliance, Species
- 41. Commercial Epidendrum Alliance, Hybrids
- 42. Hobbyist Epidendrum Alliance, Species
- 43. Hobbyist Epidendrum Alliance, Hybrids
- 44. Commercial Cymbidium Alliance, Species
- 45. Commercial Cymbidium Alliance, Hybrids
- 46. Hobbyist Cymbidium Alliance, Species
- **47.** Hobbyist Cymbidium Alliance, Hybrids
- 48. Commercial Paphiopedilum, Species
- 49. Commercial Paphiopedilum, Primary/Near Primary Hybrids
- 50. Commercial Paphiopedilum, Maudiae Type Hybrids
- **51.** Commercial Paphiopedilum, White/Pink Complex Hybrids
- **52.** Commercial Paphiopedilum, Green Complex Hybrids
- **53.** Commercial Paphiopedilum, Yellow/Honey-Tone Complex Hybrids
- **54.** Commercial Paphiopedilum, Red Complex Hybrids
- 55. Commercial Paphiopedilum, Novelty and Other Hybrids
- **56.** Commercial Paphiopedilum, Multifloral Hybrids
- 57. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Species
- 58. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Primary/Near Primary Hybrids
- 59. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Maudiae Type Hybrids
- 60. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, White/Pink Complex Hybrids
- **61.** Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Green Complex Hybrids
- **62.** Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Yellow/Honey-Tone Complex Hybrids
- **63.** Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Red Complex Hybrids
- **64.** Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Novelty and Other Hybrids
- 65. Hobbyist Paphiopedilum, Multifloral Hybrids
- **66.** Commercial Phragmipedium, Species
- **67.** Commercial Phragmipedium, besseae Hybrids
- 68. Commercial Phragmipedium, kovachii Hybrids
- 69. Commercial Phragmipedium, Other Hybrids
- 70. Hobbyist Phragmipedium, Species
- 71. Hobbyist Phragmipedium, besseae Hybrids
- 72. Hobbyist Phragmipedium, kovachii Hybrids
- 73. Hobbyist Phragmipedium, Other Hybrids
- **74.** Cypripedium Alliance, Other Genera
- 75. Commercial Dendrobium Alliance, Species
- 76. Commercial Dendrobium Alliance, Nobile Hybrids



2014 CLASS SCHEDULE CONT'D

- 77. Commercial Dendrobium Alliance, Phalaenopsis/Antelope Hybrids
- 78. Commercial Dendrobium Alliance, Other Hybrids
- 79. Hobbyist Dendrobium Alliance, Species
- 80. Hobbyist Dendrobium Alliance, Nobile Hybrids
- 81. Hobbyist Dendrobium Alliance, Phalaenopsis/Antelope Hybrids
- **82.** Hobbyist Dendrobium Alliance, Other Hybrids
- 83. Commercial Dendrochilum
- **84.** Hobbyist Dendrochilum
- **85.** Commercial Lycaste Alliance
- **86.** Hobbyist Lycaste Alliance
- 87. Commercial Maxillaria Alliance
- **88.** Hobbyist Maxillaria Alliance
- 89. Commercial Oncidium Alliance, Equitant Species and Hybrids
- 90. Commercial Oncidium Alliance, Oncidium Species and Hybrids
- 91. Commercial Oncidium Alliance, Brassia Species and Hybrids
- 92. Commercial Oncidium Alliance, Miltonia/Miltoniopsis Species and Hybrids
- 93. Commercial Oncidium Alliance, Other Species and Hybrids
- **94.** Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance, Equitant Species and Hybrids
- **95.** Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance, Oncidium Species and Hybrids
- **96.** Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance, Brassia Species and Hybrids
- 97. Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance, Miltonia/Miltoniopsis Species and Hybrids
- **98.** Hobbyist Oncidium Alliance, Other Species and Hybrids
- 99. Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Species
- 100. Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, White/White w Colored Lip
- 101. Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, White w Spots/Stripes
- **102.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Yellow w-w/o Spots/Stripes
- **103.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink/Purple w/o Stripes
- **104.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink/Purple w Stripes
- **105.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Red w-w/o Spots
- **106.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Harlequin
- **107.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Novelty
- 108. Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, White/Yellow Multiflorals
- **109.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink Multiflorals
- **110.** Commercial Phalaenopsis Alliance, Other Multiflorals
- 111. Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Species
- **112.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, White/White w Colored Lip
- 113. Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, White w Spots/Stripes
- **114.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Yellow w-w/o Spots/Stripes
- 115. Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink/Purple w/o Stripes
- **116.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink/Purple w Stripes
- **117.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Red w-w/o Spots
- 118. Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Harlequin
- 119. Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Novelty
- **120.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, White/Yellow Multiflorals
- **121.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pink Multiflorals
- **122.** Hobbyist Phalaenopsis Alliance, Other Multiflorals
- 123. Commercial Pleurothallid Alliance, Dracula



2014 CLASS SCHEDULE CONT'D

- 124. Commercial Pleurothallid Alliance, Masdevallia
- **125.** Commercial Pleurothallid Alliance, Pleurothallis
- 126. Commercial Pleurothallid Alliance, Other Genera
- 127. Hobbyist Pleurothallid Alliance, Dracula
- 128. Hobbyist Pleurothallid Alliance, Masdevallia
- **129.** Hobbyist Pleurothallid Alliance, Pleurothallis
- 130. Hobbyist Pleurothallid Alliance, Other Genera
- 131. Commercial Vanda Alliance, Species
- 132. Commercial Vanda Alliance, Hybrids
- 133. Hobbyist Vanda Alliance, Species
- 134. Hobbyist Vanda Alliance, Hybrids
- 135. Commercial Miscellaneous Genera
- 136. Hobbyist Miscellaneous Genera

Division III. Grower's Choice, Classes 137-149

Entries are restricted to one plant in each of these sub-classes. Plants will be placed by the Committee. Plant must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least 6 months prior to the Show.

- 137. Grower's Choice, Species
- 138. Grower's Choice, Cattleya Alliance
- **139.** Grower's Choice, Epidendrum Alliance
- **140.** Grower's Choice, Cymbidium Alliance
- 141. Grower's Choice, Dendrobium Alliance
- 142. Grower's Choice, Oncidium Alliance
- 143. Grower's Choice, Paphiopedilum
- **144.** Grower's Choice, Phragmipedium
- **145.** Grower's Choice, Phalaenopsis Alliance
- 146. Grower's Choice, Pleurothallid Alliance
- 147. Grower's Choice, Vanda Alliance
- 148. Grower's Choice, Other Genera
- 149. Grower's Choice, Miniature

Division IV. Miscellaneous, Classes 150-155

- **150.** Commercial Miniature
- 151. Hobbyist Miniature
- **152.** Commercial Foliage
- **153.** Hobbyist Foliage
- **154.** First-Bloom Seedling More than one plant may be entered. Plants may be placed by the Committee or appear anywhere in the show.
- **155.** Most Pleasing Fragrance May be meristems or hybrids. Both hobbyist and commercial growers may enter plants. No more than 3 entries per exhibitor.



2014 CLASS SCHEDULE CONT'D

Division V. Art, Classes 156-165

Entries to be executed by the exhibitor only. No more than three entries per class per exhibitor for ribbon consideration. MOS requests that art be limited to works not entered in a previous MOS Show. All Art entries require an Entry Form (*enclosed*) and must be entered in the MOS Registration System. -

156. Art, Paintings

157. Art, Color Drawings

158. Art, Black and White Drawings

159. Art, Botanical Art

160. Art, Needlework

161. Art, Sculpture/Stained Glass/Ceramics

162. Art, Wearable Art

163. Art, Other Arts and Crafts

164. Art, Color Photography

165. Art, Black and White Photography



LOCATION, DIRECTIONS, RULES AND REGULATIONS

LOCATION AND DIRECTIONS

The Maryland Orchid Society's 2013 Annual Show will be held as part of the 2013 Maryland Home and Garden Show at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium, Maryland.

Directions: From the Baltimore Beltway (I-695), take I-83 north. Exit at Timonium Road EAST. Turn left on York Road. Turn left into the Fairgrounds at the North entrance. The 4H Building (*Horticulture Hall*) is the first building on the right.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- **1.** There is an admission charge to the Maryland Home and Garden Show, however, vendors and volunteers working for MOS at the Show will be admitted without charge.
- 2. The Show is sanctioned by the American Orchid Society and will be judged by its rules and judges.
- **3.** Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places, and honorable mention in all classes, subject to the discretion of the judges. Special Awards may be awarded to exhibits and plants in any class meriting such recognition, as determined by the judges. The American Orchid Society (AOS) Show Trophy, the Orchid Digest Corporation (ODC) Award, the Slipper Orchid Alliance (SOA) Award and the International Phalaenopsis Alliance (IPA) Award may be awarded at the discretion of the judges.
- **4.** While reasonable security precautions will be taken, MOS is NOT responsible for damage or loss of plants and or artwork, blooms or other exhibitor personal property.
- **5.** Exhibits must be set up between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Wednesday, March 5, 2014. All plants and or artwork must be registered by 6 pm, March 5 in order to assure they be considered for judging. Plants and or artwork not registered by 6 pm, March 5 will not be judged. There are no exceptions. Please note MOS will be strictly enforcing this rule.
- By prior arrangement with Bill Scharf, staging materials may be brought in on Tuesday, March 4, 2014.
- **6.** Exhibitors must provide for installation and removal of their exhibits. Exhibitors are responsible for supplying their own lights and extension cords. Each exhibitor (or a representative) must be present at 6 p.m., Sunday, March 9, 2014, to dismantle and remove his/her exhibit promptly. No exhibit may be dismantled before the close of the Show at 6 p.m., Sunday, March 9 2014.
- **7.** All sales from vendor sales tables and exhibits are to be processed through the MOS Sales System and may not occur until the afternoon of Thursday March 6 when the sales area is opened. Sales from exhibits are permitted during the Show. Plants should be marked as sold but MOS requests that the plant(s) remain in the exhibit until closing on the last day of the Show.
- **8.** The Show Committee will assign to each exhibitor a display space. No changes will be made once a space has been assigned without permission of the Show Chair.
- 9. Nothing may be hung from, stapled or taped to the walls, curtains or other property of the Fairgrounds.
- **10.** Exhibited plants must be clean, well groomed, and free of insects and diseases. The Show Committee reserves the right to reject any plant in violation of this rule.
- **11.** The Show Committee may deny entry of inferior exhibits or any part thereof. Any exhibit improperly classified may be disqualified. Exhibit space size will be set by the Show Chair.



RULES AND REGULATIONS CONT'D

- 12. Entries received after the deadline may be exhibited only at the discretion of the Show Chair.
- 13. MOS will supply a name card for each exhibit. No other signs will be permitted until after judging.
- **14.** Exhibitors should label each plant entered in any Class by name and/or cross. MOS will furnish black label cards. Lettering should be done using a waterproof pen. It is recommended that plant label cards be sprayed after lettering with clear plastic or lacquer to prevent water damage. **Do not spray cards in the building.**
- **15.** The use of artificial moss, grass or other plant material (*flowers or foliage*), chemically prepared leaves, dyed flowers, and similar accessories is prohibited.
- **16.** Out-of-class entries must be properly registered under the appropriate Commercial or Hobbyist class.
- **17.** Exhibitors in the Art portion of the Show must be an MOS member, member of a participating Orchid Society or an exhibiting vendor.
- **18.** Sheet moss and access to electricity will be provided by MOS only if requested on the entry form. Exhibitors must provide their own extension cords, lights and all other supplies.
- **19.** A Commercial Grower is defined as an individual or entity that sells more than 100 orchid plants, flasks or community pots, or combinations thereof, per year. The final determination is the responsibility of the Vendor Relations and Show Chair.
- **20.** Miniature orchids are defined as plants having mature growths of six inches (*the length of a dollar bill*) or less in height or length, not including the inflorescence.
- **21.** All plants exhibited in the Grower's Choice classes must be owned by the exhibitor for a minimum of 6 months prior to the Show.
- **22.** There will be a Member Plant Sales Table. Plants must be free of insects and diseases. All plants must have a price sticker with the seller's initials. Be sure to alert the sales team of your initials. Only MOS members that volunteer or exhibit at the Show and who are not Commercial Growers may sell up to a total of 20 plants/flasks/compots, etc. for the duration of the Show. At the discretion of the Show Chair, MOS members may be allowed to sell additional plants based on their work toward the success of the Show and overall contribution to MOS.



EXHIBITOR RESERVATION FORM

March 8-10, 2013, Orchids: A Show Spectacular Check all boxes that apply.
Please reserve exhibit space in: Division 1. Exhibits, Classes 1-15
☐ Commercial (25 sq. ft and above preferred) ☐ Society ☐ Hobbyist(s)
□ 100 sq. ft. □ 50 sq. ft. □ 25 sq. ft. □ 15 sq. ft. □ 12 sq. ft. (tabletop) □ 9 sq. ft. (tabletop) □ 6 sq. ft. (tabletop) □ 3 Orchids for Affect □ Educational Exhibit (any media, any size)
Division V. Art, Classes 156-165
□ Paintings □ Color Drawings □ Black and White Drawings □ Botanical Art □ Needlework
□ Sculpture/Stained Glass/Ceramics □ Wearable Art □ Other Arts and Crafts □ Color Photography
☐ Black and White Photography (List number of pieces and approximate size below)
Exhibitor Name(s):
(Name(s) exactly as it should appear on Exhibit - Art entries must have exhibitor's name and contact information on reverse side of artwork) MOS members, members of participating Societies and exhibitors are eligible to submit artwork. (Art should be framed, pre-wired for "S" hooks and ready to hang. Art should be delivered to Horticulture Hall, Tuesday, March 5, 10 am- 3 pm or Wednesday, March 6, 8:30 am-11 am.)
Orchid Society Affiliation
Address:
Phone:Email:
Check the items needed below (supplied by MOS only if checked)
☐ Sheet Moss (approx. 1/2 bale of live moss / 25 sq. ft. of exhibit)
☐ Black Wire Backdrop ☐ Electrical Access (exhibitor must supply lights and extension cords)
Signature of Exhibitor/Representative:
Please return by March 3, 2014 to:

Bill Scharf, Show Chair

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