



The GCOS Newsletter

April 2007

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The next meeting of the Greater Cincinnati Orchid Society will be on **Tuesday, April 3, 2007**. Note that this is the first Tuesday of the month. The meeting will be held at the Civic Garden Center on Reading Road across from Bethesda Hospital. The meeting is scheduled to start at 7:30 p.m. There will be time to socialize from 7:00 to 7:30. The Beginners' class starts at 7:00

Program

April's program will be an auction of plants from Betty Forker's estate. As there are over 100

plants to auction there will be no beginners' class. Proceeds from the auction go to the society. Please be generous. It is proposed that the proceeds go toward a perpetual show trophy in honor of Betty.

The refreshments are by Dan and Ann Tsui and Rick and Alexa Noel. Raffle tickets are \$1 each or 6 tickets for \$5.

Raffle plants are from the Columbus and Cincinnati Orchid Shows.

Ron Miller will be taking Carter and Holmes orders when the new catalogue comes out.

THANKS to everyone for the work to make our society show a success last weekend. Show results are below along with photos.

Nearby Shows/Events

March 31, April 1	Columbus Orchid Society Show	Franklin Park Conservatory, Columbus, OH
April 15, 2007	Potting Bee at Krohn 1 - 4 p.m.	Cincinnati, OH
April 14 - 15	Central Indiana Orchid Society Show	Garfield Park, Indianapolis, IN
April 27 - 30	Mid America Orchid Congress	Chicago, IL
April 21 - 29	Cincinnati Flower Show	Coney Island, Cincinnati OH
May 5 - 6	Three Rivers Orchid Society Show	Franke Park, Ft. Wayne, IN
May 12	Open Green House	Steve Helbling
June 16	Picnic with MVOS	Sharon Woods
July 7	16th Ohio Valley Seminar	Civic Garden Center, Cincinnati, OH
August 9 - 11	Indiana State Fair	Indianapolis, IN
September 29-30	Kentucky Orchid Society Show	Louisville, KY
October 20 - 21	Greater Cincinnati Orchid Society Show	Krohn Conservatory, Cincinnati, OH
November 4	Potting Bee	Krohn Conservatory, Cincinnati, OH

Hospitality List – to bring snacks, ice (in cooler) and drinks for the meetings

We will need people to sign up for hospitality for next year. We need two people for each month. Sign up sheets will be out at our meeting. You can also email Jeanne Rhinehart if you have a month you would be willing to do the hospitality.

April - Dan and Ann Tsui	May – Don Luebbering, Stan and Elaine Better
June - NEEDED	September – Steve Helbling, Jeanne and Barry Rhinehart
October – Alexa and Rick Noel	November - NEEDED

Next Meetings

.* Speaker brings plants for sale. No silent auction plant	
April 3, 2007	Plant Auction
May 1, 2007	Linda Knab – “Tokyo Show” Larry Sanford – “Eric Young Visit”
June 5, 2007	Steve Helbling Beginners class “Summering Out Your Plants” Larry Sanford

July and August, 2007	No Meeting – Seminar and Picnic
September 4, 2007	Dixie McCulloch – “Growing Vandas” Beginners class Larry Sanford “Bringing Plants In”
October 9, 2007	Alexa Noel – “Cymbidiums” Beginners class Larry Sanford
November 11, 2007	Steve Benjamin Beginners class Larry Sanford
December 7, 2007	No Meeting – Christmas Party

Steering Committee:

The next Steering Committee meeting will be held at 6:00 pm. on Monday, March 12 at the Panera on Winton Road. Officers 2007 should attend: Mark Paul, Steve Helbling, Pat June, Jeanne Rhinehart, Larry Sanford, Toni Doty, Ron Miller, Alexa Noel, Daren Clapp, Linda Knab, and Dana White.

Tuesday 4/17 – Grand Buffet at 6:30

Tuesday 5/15 – Grand Buffet at 6:30

Greater Cincinnati Orchid Show – March 24th – 25th Krohn Conservatory



Paph. Marian's Pleasure 'Merri Neale's Delight' AM/AOS -
- belongs to Merriman Orchids, Indianapolis



Name	Award			Name	Award		
GCOS 25 Square Foot Exhibit	1			Ron Miller			
GCOS 50 Square Foot Exhibit		2		Blc. Waianae Leopard 'Ching Hua'	1		
Rick and Alexa Noel				Lc. Rojo		2	
Paph lowii 'Mem Agnes Helbling' AM/AOS	1			Dtps. Leopard Prince 'M-P0415'	1		
Phrag LaHouquette	1		T	Tolu. variegata	1		
Phrag Ruby Cascade				Tolu. Elfin Gem 'Kultana'			
Phrag Iron Works				Crystal - Orchid Etching	1		
Phrag Les Dirouilles		2		Steve Helbling			
Tolu Elfin Gem	1			Paph. sukhakulii			
Tolu Louise Elmore 'Elsa' AM/AOS			3	Paph. rothschildianum			
Masd princeps 'Patience' HCC/AOS		2		Laelia manlequeirae	1		
Stan and Elaine Better				Paph. sukhakulii			3
Phal Hybrid Everspring 'Montclair' X Norman's Stripes			3	Bardendrum Nanboh Pixy 'Volcano Queen'		2	
Phal Hybrid Everspring 'Montclair' X Norman's Stripes			3	Paph. rothschildianum		2	
Unknown Cattleya Hybrid			3	Phrag. besseae	1		
Unknown Phal Hybrid	1			Milt. Duncan York	1		
Phal Brother Lawrence			3	Milt. Edie Brown		2	
Masdevalia Sunspot			3	Den. aberans			
Phal Hybrid Brother Spot x Brother Purple 'Very Good' X Brother Pepride 'Red Orange'				Pleurothallis species	1		
Paph. Puppentanz	1			Lyc. lasioglossa 'Fieldcrest'		2	
Phrag. Grouville				Spathoglottis Chrysops		2	
Ascda Princess Mikasa 'Blue'	1			Larry Sanford			
Dtps. Sin-Yuan Golden Beauty 'Fairy Tale'				C. intermedia alba			3
Phal. Black Ball 'Stars'				Masd. Mem. Rick Rood			
Dendrobium Hybrid			3	C. intermedia alba			
Masd. pinocchio			3	Paph. argus			
Gongora Golden Condor	1		T	Mtdm. Bartley Schwarz 'Highland' AM/AOS	1		
Needlepoint	1		T	Onc. Maculatum 'Elinor'	1		
Toni Doty				Odc. Haytor 'Patience' AM/AOS			3
Den. amethystoglossum				Wils. Petite Jean	1		
Bc Makai 'Louise'	1		T	Wilsonara Hybrid Marie Noel X Tiger Butter			
Bl. Morning Glory		2		Oda. Leysa 'Mary G' AM/AOS		2	
Blc. Lisa Irene 'Melinda'		2		Oda. Star Trek 'Tiffany' HCC/AOS			
Blc. Keowee 'Wings of Fire'	1			Chelyorchis ampliatum		2	
Brs. Rising Star	1			Masd. Copper Wing 'Tangerine' AM/AOS		2	
Onc. Mem. Clarence Miller	1			Masd. Mem. Rick Rood	1		T
Encyclia diurnal	1			Spathoglottis gracilus			3
Jan Yates				Deachu Subbiah			
Phal Tying Shin Amber				Photo - Paph. Mod Maude x Ruby Pulsar			
Zygopetalum Blue Bear		2		Photo - Vanilla			
Soph purpurata		2		Photo - Orchid Seed Pod			
Karen Cochran				Ann and Dan Tsui			
Oncidium Hybrid				Phal Hybrid Phal Abed-nego X Phal Cinnamon Gold			
Encyclia bractescens		2		Dtps Beauty Sheen 'Lan Lan'			3
Paph Hawaii Wings				Phal Brother Lawrence		2	
Phalaenopsis Hybrid		2		Phal Baldan's Kaleidoscope 'Golden Treasure'			3
Phalaenopsis Hybrid				Photo - Cymbidium			
Dtps Tzu Chiang Key 'Burma Jade'	1			Darin Clapp			
Phal Canyon Sun 'Fangtastic'				Paph Henrietta Fujiwara			
Tolumnia Jairak Rainbow				Phal Fantasy Musick		2	
Psychopsis hodiae			3	Linda Knabb			
				Phrag Stairway to Heaven			



Plant Judging

AOS Judging of plants is done at the shows listed under Nearby Shows as well as at the regularly scheduled judging sessions listed immediately at right. These sessions begin at 1:00 p.m. at the Civic Garden Center. You are welcome to bring a plant to be judged or just to observe the judging. Be a little early; plant registration is from Noon to 1:00 p.m.

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 May 13, 2007
 June 10, 2007
 July 8, 2007

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