

Central Jersey Orchid Society Newsletter

March 2019 Issue

President's Message March 2019

Several of our members were expressing concern about the topic for our March meeting "Orchid Trivia". The concerns certainly turned out to be unfounded. Bob Sprague and his wife Amy made the evening both entertaining and educational. Bob was an engaging speaker who made everybody smile and enjoy the experience. The winning team even received a gift orchid. What could be better? Bob is also very knowledgeable about our native orchids and maybe we have him return to discuss that topic.

I want to thank Jaymie and George W. for filling in for Chris and Sara at the judging/show table. As I mentioned at the meeting, an extra thanks goes out to George W. for the work he has done developing our new web site. Make sure to check it out. It is amazing!

I will be speaking at the April meeting on how to go about growing your plants to perfection. I hope you will find the information useful. Please start to think about questions you like to ask at our annual orchid panel discussion in May.

Upcoming events include the open house at Stony Hill Gardens in Chester N.J. March 22-24 and the SEPOS show April 5-7.



Lc. Gold Digger 'Orchid Jungle' HCC:
Joe Thomas

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Stony Hill Farms Sale, AOS
Webinars, Free online Orchid class
by Longwood Gardens,

Meetings and Events

Meetings are held the first
Wednesday of the month at the at
the Johnson Education Center
(D&R Greenway Land Trust) One
Preservation Place Princeton, NJ
08540

Sept: Mary Jo Gilsdorf: "Adaptive Potting Techniques and Other Cultural Tips". Will have Plant for sale

Oct: Greg Griffis:

Jewel orchids and other Terrestrials

Nov: Allan Koch: Gold Coast Orchids

Dec: Holiday Party

Jan: Paul Sheetz: Unifoliate Cattleya, How to Identify and

distinguish them

Feb: Beth Davis: What is a Beth

Orchid?

March: 2019 Bob Sprague: Orchid

Trivia.

Apr: David Rosenfeld :Growing for perfection: secrets shared to help garner cultural awards.

May: Annual Question and Answer Session

June: Annual CJOS Picnic

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JUDGING March 2019

Cattleya

1. Lc. Gold Digger 'Orchid Jungle' HCC: Joe Thomas



3 Brassavola Aristrocrat (glauca x digbyana): Michele Alperin

2 Blc Dan O'neil 'Jubilee' HCC: Luanne Arico.



Den/Onc

1. Den. amethystoglossum: Joe Thomas





2. Den. Red Emperor: Muffy Finken

3 Brassia Datcosa ' Coos Bay' AM (verrucosa x caudata):
David Carrick



Phal/Vanda

1. Phal NOID Michele Alperin



2. V. Pats Delight: Joe Thomas



Paph/Phrag

1. Paph Raisin Jack Anne Skalka.





3.Paph Faanticum (malipoense x micranthum)
Joe Thomas

2. Phrag St. Peter: Anne Skalka.



Other

1. Cym Ming Emperor: Luanne Arico





2. Cym NOID: Joe Thomas





Species

1. Den kingianum: Luanne Arico.





2. Psychopsis: Michele Alperin

Orchid of the Month





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Joe Thomas

AOS AWARD to CJOS Members

Congrates to Joan and David Rosenfeld

Lycaste Gamora Desire 'Merlot' AM 84 pts (Flush with Desire 'At Last' x Gamora Ablaze 'Goliath' AM 7087



How Do You Grow?

Each_month, I would like to_show a member's growing methods/conditions. We started with ours. Please send me pictures of your growing conditions (summer/winter) edsharkf@yahoo.com No submission this month. Let's get some pictures of your growing space

Thank you MaryAnn Koslov







Orchid Events

International Orchid Show and Sale

PRESENTED BY THE SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA ORCHID SOCIETY

APRIL 5-7, 2019

INTERNATIONAL VENDORS

ANDY'S ORCHIDS / ARCADIA GLASSHOUSE

CAL-ORCHIDS / ECUAGENERA

FISHING CREEK / GRACE EMPORIA

J&L ORCHIDS / KELLY'S KORNER

LITTLE BROOK / MAIN STREET

MARLOW - OOI LENG SUN / MIRANDA ORCHIDS

MOUNT PROSPECT / PIPING ROCK

SEED ENGEI / SUNISA'S CLAY FLOWERS

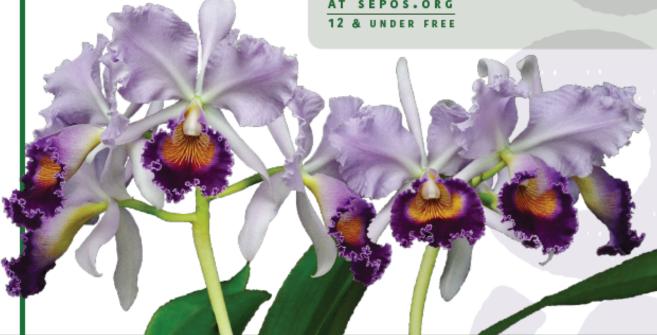
TEN SHIN GARDENS / WALDOR

WILSON ORCHIDS / WOODSTREAM

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Greenhouse Chat March 2019

Ron McHatton

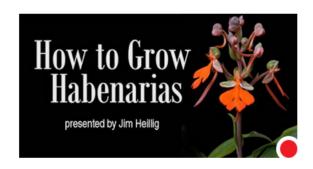
Tuesday, March 26th, 2019 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EST



Greenhouse Chat April 2019

Ron McHatton

Tuesday, April 9th, 2019 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EDT



How to Grow Habenarias

Jim Heillig

Thursday, April 18th, 2019 8:30pm - 9:30pm EDT

Please join the American Orchid Society (AOS)

They need our support to exist.

They offer many resources to new and expert growers. Membership is very reasonable and you get the Orchids Magazine plus more.

Membership is \$65 for Print/digital or \$40 for the digital only (see magazine online only)

There are many other benefits to joining. See their website

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Here is the website to start:

https://longwoodgardens.org/events-and-performances/events/everything-about-orchids-online-open-class

Dates: Now through May 6, 2019

Instructors

Greg Griffis and Peter Zale

Where

Fully Online