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Setup/Social 6:45 – 7:00 p.m.
Presentation starts promptly at
7:15 – 9:00 p.m.

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From the President

Dear POS Members and friends.

I believe everyone enjoyed Jim Watts presentation. I hope it opened up a new realm for our hobbyists/members. The slide show presentation was very informative. It showed relative objects such as coins and rulers to give you an idea of plant and flower sizes. Our Board works extremely hard to bring a wide variety of educational presentations. Some presentation are more advanced than others. If there is a topic you would like presented, let us know by dropping us an E-mail at: posorchids@gmail.com.

Our Auction and show season is here. Our Annual Auction will be held at Deicke Auditorium on October 6th, 2015 7 p.m. If you have a poster please post it in a conspicuous place and invite all your friends and family. This is our main fundraiser that covers our costs for speakers, venue, snack table, and other member related expenses. Please bring in your best goodies, some boxes and come early to help. We are also accepting plant donations for the auction. Please contact Phyllis Durst for donations at: 954-584-4796.

Our Annual Holiday Party will be held at the Ft. Lauderdale Golf and Country Club. Checkout the new menu and sign up sheet in the newsletter. One of the advantages of being a POS member will be a discounted rate along with other benefits covered by the club. As a courtesy please have your reservations in before November 17th, 2015 so that our coordinators can make the necessary arrangements. Payment and reservations will be accepted at the Oct. and Nov. meetings or can be mailed to Bev Warde at 6000 S.W. 8th Street, Plantation, FL 33317.

Rose M. Maytin
President



**Check out
the Plantation
Orchid Society
on Facebook**

**OUR AUCTION
IS FINALLY HERE!**
**DON'T FORGET,
THERE IS NO SHOW TABLE
ON AUCTION DAY**

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SEPTEMBER RIBBON WINNERS!



BLUE RIBBON

C. Laelia Anceps 'Ft. Caroline'
x C. Gail Perri V. Coerulea
Paul Gebrian &
Francisco Lambert



BLUE RIBBON

Blc. Mem. Helen Brown AM/AOS
Phyllis Durst



BLUE RIBBON

Den. Lasenthera
Helene Albee



BLUE RIBBON

Den. Red Bull
Karen Reynoldson



BLUE RIBBON

Den. Blue Twinkle
(Den. Betty Goto x Den. canaliculatum)
Karen Reynoldson



BLUE RIBBON

Phal. Lenddenuriana
Suzi Bleus



BLUE RIBBON

V. Josephine Van Brero
Sue Dohn



BLUE RIBBON

Onc. Alkra. Pacific Nova 'Okika'
Clemence Lorquet



BLUE RIBBON

V. Robert's Delight
'Red Berry'
Vanessa DuQuesnay

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RED RIBBON
Blc. Cumberland Beauty
Regal Jewels
Lenide Pierre-Antoine



BLUE RIBBON
Phal. Hieroglyphica
Gigi Louis



RED RIBBON
Den. Elma Impact
Tom & Barbara Van Strander



RED RIBBON
Bltra. Marfitch
'Howard's Dream' AM/AOS
Mary Lee Tabeling



RED RIBBON
Rhctm. Lilac Blossom
Mary Lee Tabeling



RED RIBBON
V. Mokara Moonlight
Tom & Barbara Van Strander



RED RIBBON
Alcrd. Hilo Ablaze
'Hilo Gold' HCC/AOS
Phyllis Durst



RED RIBBON
Ascda. Kulvadee
Mary Lee Tabeling

As a reminder, all plants brought in for the show table should be free of pests and diseases. Take some time to stake and clean the leaves of your plants, this allows for better presentation. Also, please do not bring newly-purchased plants for the show table. The show table is an outlet for members to share the great job they have done in growing and flowering their orchids; therefore, please respect the unwritten rule of owning and growing an orchid for a minimum of 6 months.

*Plantation Orchid
Society*



Orchid Auction

October 6, 2015 at 7:00 pm

Open to the Public

Preview at 6:45 pm

Cash, Checks and Credit Card Accepted

Deicke Auditorium

5701 Cypress Road

Plantation, Florida 33317

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POSOrchids@gmail.com

**POS AUCTION ON
TUESDAY! OCT. 6TH
THE POS STILL NEEDS
YOUR HELP!**



HERE'S HOW:

- 1. Give your Donated plants to Rose by Oct. 3**
- 2. Invite your friends to the Auction.**
- 3. Arrive Early (5:30) and help us set up!**
- 4. Bring some boxes for yourself and our guests**
- 5. Bring Your Best Snacks to the meeting.**
- 6. Help us break down the auction at the end of the night.**

Membership Directories

The new 2015-16 inserts to the membership directories are available.

If you have not picked up your new membership book and or blue name tag, they will be on the membership table at the rear of the room by the snack tables at the auction.

**We Are Still Accepting Renewals For
Your 2015-16 POS Membership**

**Cost for renewal is \$25.
Additional family members are \$15.
Just print out the separately attached
registration form, fill it out and
bring it to the meeting.**

2015 CALENDAR

October 6th Meeting
Annual Auction at Deicke

Nov. 3rd
To be announced

December Meeting Wed Dec. 2nd
Annual Holiday Party
at Ft. Lauderdale Country Club

January 6
To be announced

**Christmas
Party!**

December is right around the corner. Our Holiday party will be on Wednesday, December 2nd, 2015 at the Ft. Lauderdale Golf Course and Country Club. Early reservations forms for the Holiday Party are attached to the e-mail with your newsletter this month. Please fill out and bring it to the October Auction. You may also mail the application prior to November 17th, 2015.

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Our September Program “Leafless Orchids, Fascination and Frustration!” was Presented by Jim Watts

Jim Watts gave an excellent slide presentation on leafless orchids at our September meeting. Armed with many photos, Jim expounded on the genera of the leafless and where they are found in the wild. He also explained that it is often hard to determine the proper name of the orchid because different orchid taxonomists have given the same orchid different names, hence the frustration.

Jim spoke at length about one of the most famous leafless orchids, a native to Florida, the Ghost Orchid, or *Dendrophylax lindenii*. His presentation reviewed the various leafless genera and their species, discussing the habitat and growth habit of these fascinating orchids.

He talked also about the various types of vanilla and how to grow them. He also discussed some of leafless species of vanilla, including two leafless Florida natives.

CURRENT EVENTS

American Orchid Society Judging Educational Presentation

Saturday, September 26 and October 24, 2:00 - 4:00

Visit www.wpbjudging.org for plant entry procedures and more information

West Palm Beach Judging Center at Flamingo Gardens

Contact Carol Holdren at (561) 212-4876 or e-mail: cjholdren@gmail.com for more information.

South Florida Orchid Society presents the 69th Miami International Orchid Show ORCHID FIESTA

October 9th - 11th - 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Admission \$10.00

Bank United Center • University Of Miami 1245 Dauer Drive Coral Gables, FL 33146

Broward County Plant Affair

Saturday, October 17, 2015 - 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday, October 18, 2015 - 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Plantation Heritage Park 1100 South Fig Tree Lane Plantation, FL

More Info: 954-797-2722 or visit their website calendar

(go to the event dates for information).

Delray Beach Orchid Society 23rd Annual Show

October 30 thru November 1, 2015 - 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Old School Square Gymnasium

51 N. Swinton Avenue Delray Beach, FL

For more information: visit their website.

HOSPITALITY

A big Thank You to the members who brought
Snacks to the September meeting!

Michelle Boland - Pizza, Elise Chapman - brownies, Debbie Maggenheimer - Cupcakes, Alma Woodrow - Doughnut Holes, Judy Revier - Cookies, Sallie Sherwood - Ooie Gooie Pecan Bars, Helene Albee - Chocolate Chip Crumb Cake, Marie Tulloch - French Twists, Suzie Bleus - Guacamole and Crackers, Jill Greenbaum - Lemon filled Cupcakes, Elise Chapman - Earthquake Cake, Karen Reynoldson - Guacamole & Chips

Remember, we always love the treats you bring but:

PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO SIGN THE SHEET SO WE CAN THANK YOU IN NOVEMBER!
Coffee and soda will be provided by the Society courtesy of Tina Pena.



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Growers from around the World and the U.S.

Orchid Growing Demonstrations for Beginners
Friday from 1:00pm - 3:00 pm

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