



# NHOS Newsletter

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## President's Message

As we come up on our Annual Picnic (held at the Crislers') this year, I look forward to a nice relaxed get together. I always enjoy the picnic, as it is outdoors, and Mother Nature always smiles down on us (knock on wood!). Please plan to join us this year, if only for an hour.

September's meeting is in the planning stages, as we once again are hosting the International Phalaenopsis Alliance. This meeting is another example of the quality of information that the society delivers to its members. This year, there will be presentations for all level of growers from hobbyists to expert. There will be something for everyone. We expect well over 100 attendees. If you plan to attend please let Chuck Crisler know.

September is also our Annual Meeting with Budget approval, (posted online and in the newsletter since June) and the election of Board members. I ask everyone to consider being an active member by taking a Board position or helping on committees. Board positions that are open are Treasurer, Secretary, and 2 Trustee positions. The Society needs assistance in all areas from the Culture Clinic to Hospitality to Membership. All areas are looking for additional hands to make the load lighter. Don't make me beg!!!!!!

Looking forward to seeing all of you!

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**BOD meeting:** 10:00 a.m.

**Plants for Show Table judging must be on the table by**

11:00 a.m.

**General Meeting** 11:30 a.m.

**August 11**

NHOS Annual Picnic - Windham NH

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New Hampshire Orchid Society  
Board of Directors Meeting  
June 09 2012

## **Attendance**

Present: President Mike Mattozzi, Past-President Steve Tacopina, Vice President George Crozer Treasurer Chuck Crisler, Secretary Adrienne Giovino, Trustees, Daryl Yerdon, Jen Marrs and Norm Selander-Carrier

Committee Chairs: Jean Stefanik

Absent: Lee Brockmann

Guests:

**Opening:** Mike called the meeting to order at 10:14 AM.

Steve moved to approve the minutes of the May 2012 meeting. Norm seconded; the motion was approved.

## **President**

- Mike asked for a chairman for the search committee for officers, trustees and committee chairmen. Treasurer, secretary, two trustees, hospitality chair, and assistant show chair positions are open. Mike appointed Lee Brockmann and Daryl as co-chairmen.

## **Vice-President**

- Nothing to report

## **Treasurer**

- Chuck broke out the two conservation accounts, will go to accountant to resolve issues with QuickBooks.
- Expense manifest was \$272.58. George made a motion to accept the expense manifest. Steve seconded. The motion passed.
- Will speak to Jean Hallstone about how some amounts are attributed for the 2012 show.

## **Secretary**

- Minutes, handbook and by-laws up on website
- Card sent to Jim Campbell. Card for Marcia Epstein will be sent.

## **Committees**

### Advertising/Publicity:

### AOS and Affiliated Society Representative:

Auction Committee: Norm needs volunteers to help out with member auction in July. Jen and Adrienne volunteered. Usually, the member auction is in May, so Norm is concerned about turnout in July. George suggested outreach to garden clubs, etc.

Chuck mentioned potential for fundraiser at a friend's winery. There would be an approximately forty-person maximum.

Norm talked about partnering with a photography club to photograph the show. Mike already invites NH photography clubs to the show. They could be invited to do the photography judging. Steve suggested a room set up with orchids to demonstrate how to photograph orchids. Could be helpful for anyone doing botanical photography.

### Conservation and Education Committee:

- Conservation committee met
  - Strawberry Banke project – Jean reiterated that we did not get grant. Project is just about done; just needs signage.
  - The webcam in Fakahatchee going forward with Jean researching which is best for the environment. She will be going down July 5<sup>th</sup> for a week; has a condo for six to eight people. All are welcome.
  - In discussion with the UNH Greenhouse in Durham. They have one bench full of gigantic Cymbidiums and complex Paphs. They would like to find homes for divisions of these plants. They would donate them to us and, in turn, we would buy plants for the university greenhouse with the proceeds. They are amenable to our signage, brochures, giving talks, etc.

### Editorial:

### Hospitality:

### Library:

Membership: Lee was absent, but Mike reported no change in membership numbers.

### Programs:

### Show:

Speakers: We're booked through the end of the year.

### New England Orchid Shows:

- MOS show first weekend of November, the 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> with setup on Thursday, November 1<sup>st</sup>.
- The CAIOS show is the second weekend in January 2013.

Show Table Committee:

Risk Management Committee:

Website Steering Committee:

Ongoing Business:

New Business:

- At the North American Native Orchid Congress, the Smithsonian is looking for seeds. Jean proposed we donate \$150 for NHOS to be charter donator to the Smithsonian North American Orchid Conservation Center (NAOCC). Mike asked Jean to send the board an email about this.
- George brought up the proposed amendment to the Lacey Act called Freedom from Over-Criminalization and Unjust Seizure Act for individuals who inadvertently violate foreign import law. They would not be necessarily held criminally liable, as they are now, but would have civil liability. This is not in reference to illegal smuggling. He would like to bring this to the membership for a vote that we send a letter to our elected officials about our support for this amendment. Chuck felt that it would have an adverse effect on enforcing CITES. Mike asked if the board should recommend this. Tabled for further discussion.

## **Miscellaneous**

Norm moved to adjourn the meeting with Steve seconding the motion. The motion was approved and the meeting was adjourned at 11:27 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Adrienne Giovino, Secretary

New Hampshire Orchid Society  
General Meeting July 14, 2012

**Opening**

President Mattozzi called the meeting to order at 12:15 PM.

**Announcements:**

- UNH donated Cymbidiums to our society. Steve Tacopina graciously picked them up. Any donation for them is acceptable and portion of the proceeds goes back to UNH to help them purchase plants.
- Mike read the letter sent to Jim Campbell's family after his passing, letting them know how important he was to the society and about the new annual show award named for him.
- Board of Directors Meeting Recap
  - Length of meeting was discussed and it is felt that socializing with members, show table with Chuck Wingate's brilliant comments, general meeting as well as the speaker are each important components to the monthly meetings.
    - Jean Hallstone commented that the culture clinics are working well. The next clinic will be in October.
    - Mike Wagner asked that pots and media be available for the clinic.

**Financial Report:**

- Mike reported the bank balance is approximately \$13,800 with total funds of approximately \$51,400.
- The board approved Chuck Crisler's budget that has a zero bottom line. It has been posted on our website and will be there for two more months and in the newsletter. We'll vote on it at our September meeting.

**Library:**

- Steve Tacopina reported that we haven't bought any books, so if you have any suggestions, please email him at stacopina2@comcast.net or Liz Nields at elizabethnields@comcast.net

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**Membership:**

- We have 165 memberships with 228 members.
- Memberships expire before the September meeting with the IPA. Please renew your membership now.

**Meetings:**

- Our August meeting is our annual picnic at Margaret and Chuck Crislers'.
  - Directions will be in the August newsletter.
  - There will be show table.
  - We need a volunteer to pick up the NHOS supplied chicken, hamburgers and hotdogs.
  - Please bring appetizers, salads, desserts and drinks.

- Chuck recommended bringing a chair and a hat to ward off deer flies.
- Chuck Crisler asked that members please register for the September IPA event. There is no charge for members, but we need a head count for food.
- Daryl Yeardon reminded us that the keynote speaker for the IPA event, Ron McHatton, will talk about disease and pests in orchids, very useful for all orchid growers.
- Mike mentioned that we need help setting up chairs before the IPA event.

### **Elections:**

- Elections will be held in September. The following positions are open:
  - Two trustees
  - Secretary
  - Treasurer

We also need a hospitality chair and help with our annual show. Please contact Trustees Lee Brockmann at [nhosmembership@live.com](mailto:nhosmembership@live.com) or Daryl Yeardon at [webmaster@nhorchids.org](mailto:webmaster@nhorchids.org).

### **Conservation:**

- The Conservation Committee asked that we donate to the Smithsonian-sponsored North American conservation project. The board decided to donate \$500.
- Steve thanked Jean Stefanik, Conservation Committee chairman, for her work in conservation. NHOS could be the first to document pollination of the ghost orchid thanks to her efforts.

Marty Epstein updated us on Marcia's condition. She's doing better and convalescing at the North East Rehab in Salem. Marty thanked everyone for their support, calls and cards.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:45 PM followed by the show table and social, and then our member auction.

Respectfully submitted,  
Adrienne Giovino, Secretary



## *Directions to Picnic*

From Nashua, take Rt. 111 east to Rt. 128/Mammoth Rd. Turn right/south toward Pelham.

From Manchester, take Rt. 128/Mammoth Rd south. Continue across Rt. 111.

If taking I-93 S., take exit #4 West (Rt. 102) to Rt. 128/Mammoth Rd.

Turn left/south and continue across Rt. 111.

From the east, take either Rt. 111 West or Rt. 101 to I-93. If taking Rt. 111, turn left/south on Rt. 128/Mammoth Rd.

From the intersection of Rt. 111 and Rt. 128, go about 1 mile south on Rt. 128 to Glance Rd, which is on the left and under the BIG power lines. Go up to the top of the hill and turn left onto Sunridge Rd. My house is the fifth house on the right, light grey in color and the only house on the street with a greenhouse in front.

I look forward to seeing everyone on Saturday, August 11.

Chuck Crisler  
phone: (603)595-7625  
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Windham, NH 03087

## *We need your support!*

We've got a great orchid society and now we need your help to keep it going strong. We are currently seeking members to fill the roles of Treasurer or Trustee. Chuck Crisler has done a fantastic job getting our finances in order. Our records are now organized and Chuck is ready for someone to take over this important position.

Becoming a trustee is the perfect job for a new member or someone who just wants to get involved.

We need your help, please consider nominating yourself (or another with their permission) for the upcoming two year term. If you or someone you know is interested please see Daryl Yerdon or Lee Brockmann at our August picnic. You can also email us at [nhosmembership@live.com](mailto:nhosmembership@live.com) or [nhbirdsnest@comcast.net](mailto:nhbirdsnest@comcast.net).

## *Picnic Supplies*

People should bring a side dish, salad, appetizers or dessert and a chair. Chuck says the deer flies are biting so bring a hat. Perhaps bug spray is a good idea, too.

People should also bring drinks, including non-alcoholic such as Coke, Pepsi, etc.

If anyone has a small pop-up tent that they are willing to bring to please contact me.

Chuck Crisler  
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# Final Proposed Budget for NHOS FY 2012-2013

	Sept '10 - Aug '11 (actual)	Sept '11 - July '12 (actual)	Sept '11 - Aug '12 (projected)	Budget (2011/2012)	Proposed Budget 2012/2013
<b>Income</b>					
<b>5000 · Program Revenues</b>					
5050 · Annual Auction	2,309.00	3,010.00	3,010.00	2,000.00	2,500.00
5100 · Member Auction	0.00	1,023.00	3,000.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
5150 · Membership Dues	1,845.00	2,366.00	2,400.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
5200 · Hospitality Donations	228.75	444.00	475.00	560.00	600.00
5250 · Monthly Raffle	135.00	91.00	100.00	100.00	100.00
5300 · Donations	632.00	1,261.15	1,261.15	0.00	0.00
5400 · Interest Income	83.05	59.09	75.00	75.00	75.00
5450 · Advertising	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5820 · Conservation	37.00	18.00	18.00	25.00	25.00
5900 · Miscellaneous Sales	5.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5950 · Miscellaneous Other Income	0.00	40.00	40.00	0.00	0.00
5000 · Program Revenues - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 5000 · Program Revenues</b>	<b>5,274.80</b>	<b>8,312.24</b>	<b>10,379.15</b>	<b>7,260.00</b>	<b>7,800.00</b>
<b>6000 · Show Revenues</b>					
6050 · Admissions-Show	20,466.70	19,929.25	19,929.25	17,000.00	17,025.00
6100 · Member Coop Sales(Gross)-Show	1,320.00	965.00	965.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
6150 · Award Party-Show	1,167.00	995.00	995.00	1,200.00	2,400.00
6250 · NHOS Store-Show	1,495.00	821.00	821.00	750.00	750.00
6260 · NHOS Raffle-Show	0.00	759.02	759.02	750.00	750.00
6300 · Trophy Sponsorship-Show	750.00	700.00	700.00	750.00	750.00
6350 · Vendor Fees-Show	5,800.00	5,354.00	5,354.00	5,800.00	5,800.00
6450 · Advertising-Show	625.00	350.00	350.00	500.00	500.00
6500 · Sponsorship-Show	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6000 · Show Revenues - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 6000 · Show Revenues</b>	<b>31,623.70</b>	<b>29,873.27</b>	<b>29,873.27</b>	<b>27,750.00</b>	<b>28,975.00</b>
<b>9999 · Undocumented Income</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>52.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>36,898.50</b>	<b>38,185.51</b>	<b>40,304.42</b>	<b>35,010.00</b>	<b>36,775.00</b>
<b>Expense</b>					
<b>7000 · Program Operating Expenses</b>					
<b>7100 · Annual Auction</b>					
7110 · Advertising-Annual Auction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7120 · Supplies-Annual Auction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7130 · Postage-Annual Auction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7140 · S & H Expenses-Annual Auction	53.50	0.00	0.00	75.00	75.00
7150 · Plants Purchases-Annual Auction	0.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
7190 · Misc. Expense-Annual Auction	85.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7100 · Annual Auction - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 7100 · Annual Auction</b>	<b>138.50</b>	<b>500.00</b>	<b>500.00</b>	<b>575.00</b>	<b>75.00</b>
<b>7200 · Member Auction</b>					
7210 · Member Auction (80%) Expenses	187.20	818.40	2,400.00	2,000.00	2,000.00



7220 • Postage-Member Auction	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7200 • Member Auction - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 7200 • Member Auction</b>	<b>187.20</b>	<b>818.40</b>	<b>2,400.00</b>	<b>2,000.00</b>	<b>2,000.00</b>
<b>7300 • Newsletter</b>					
7310 • Printing-Newsletter	517.00	397.63	525.00	525.00	525.00
7340 • Postage-Newsletter	300.32	287.14	300.00	325.00	325.00
7300 • Newsletter - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 7300 • Newsletter</b>	<b>817.32</b>	<b>684.77</b>	<b>825.00</b>	<b>850.00</b>	<b>850.00</b>
<b>7400 • Monthly Meetings</b>					
7410 • Speakers Fees & Expenses	995.40	1,190.37	1,190.37	2,000.00	2,000.00
7420 • Rent	525.00	575.00	625.00	550.00	625.00
7430 • Supplies-Show Table	90.14	395.14	394.14	200.00	400.00
7440 • Refreshments-Hospitality	147.30	855.17	175.00	850.00	850.00
7450 • Supplies-Annual Picnic	0.00	194.75	175.00	175.00	175.00
7460 • Field Trips	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7400 • Monthly Meetings - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 7400 • Monthly Meetings</b>	<b>1,757.84</b>	<b>3,210.43</b>	<b>2,559.51</b>	<b>3,775.00</b>	<b>4,050.00</b>
<b>7700 • Other Operating Expenses</b>					
7710 • Storage Expense	1,140.00	1,169.27	1,169.27	1,140.00	1,140.00
7720 • Equipment Purchases	549.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7730 • Equipment Rental	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7740 • Library Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	200.00	200.00
7750 • Dues & Subscriptions	430.00	268.00	268.00	305.00	305.00
7760 • Insurance	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
7770 • Software Expenses	1,813.49	75.00	75.00	200.00	200.00
7780 • Photography	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7790 • Other Misc. Supplies	0.00	176.44	176.44	0.00	0.00
7810 • Donations	500.00	750.00	750.00	250.00	250.00
7820 • Conservation Expense	100.00	308.12	308.12	100.00	100.00
7830 • Professional Fees	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7840 • Secretary/Treasurer Expense	5,667.11	214.97	325.00	100.00	100.00
7850 • Advertising Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	500.00
7860 • State Fees and Licenses	150.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	75.00
7870 • Membership Expenses	0.00	125.99	125.99	200.00	200.00
7880 • Non-NHOS Show Expenses	95.94	878.85	878.85	200.00	500.00
7890 • Other Misc. Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7900 • Postage Expenses	140.00	180.00	180.00	140.00	140.00
7910 • NHOS Display Toolkit Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00
7700 • Other Operating Expenses - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 7700 • Other Operating Expenses</b>	<b>10,836.53</b>	<b>4,471.64</b>	<b>4,581.67</b>	<b>3,710.00</b>	<b>4,010.00</b>
<b>7000 • Program Operating Expenses - Other</b>	<b>0.00</b>		<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total 7000 • Program Operating Expenses</b>	<b>13,737.39</b>	<b>9,685.24</b>	<b>10,866.18</b>	<b>10,910.00</b>	<b>10,985.00</b>
<b>8000 • Show Expenses</b>					
8010 • Rent-Show	0.00	11,450.20	11,450.20	11,480.00	11,480.00
8020 • Preview Party-Show	2,198.59	1,729.99	1,729.99	2,000.00	2,400.00
8030 • Advertising-Show	1,528.68	2,651.40	2,651.40	2,300.00	2,300.00
8040 • Road Signs-Show	220.50	365.75	365.75	300.00	350.00

8045 · Show Signs-Show	0.00	105.52	105.52	400.00	120.00
8050 · Sales Merchandise	780.00	494.00	494.00	800.00	500.00
8060 · Postage-Show	871.73	912.50	912.50	1,000.00	1,000.00
8070 · Trophies-Show	750.00	750.00	750.00	810.00	810.00
8080 · Photography-Show	112.50	0.00	0.00	150.00	150.00
8090 · Exhibitor Gifts-Show	53.82	43.55	43.55	100.00	100.00
8110 · Setup & Construction-Show	1,112.24	154.98	154.98	400.00	400.00
8120 · Setup Refreshments-Show	687.96	630.53	630.53	800.00	700.00
8140 · Ribbons-Show	258.65	311.35	311.35	325.00	350.00
8150 · NHOS Exhibit-Show	468.76	188.52	188.52	350.00	350.00
8160 · Raffle Merchandise-Show	288.69	473.05	473.05	400.00	500.00
8170 · Judges Kit-Show	50.00	0.00	0.00	50.00	50.00
8180 · Judges Breakfast/Luncheon-Show	1,646.31	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,625.00	1,646.00
8190 · Printing/Office Supplies-Show	607.27	546.97	546.97	750.00	750.00
8210 · Vendor License -Show	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00	30.00
8220 · Registration Supplies-Show	230.79	0.00	0.00	250.00	250.00
8240 · Member Co-Op Expenses(80%)-Show	758.40	971.45	971.45	800.00	800.00
8910 · Other Misc. Expense-Show	399.30	600.00	600.00	400.00	750.00
8000 · Show Expenses - Other	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Total 8000 · Show Expenses</b>	<b>13,054.19</b>	<b>24,059.76</b>	<b>24,059.76</b>	<b>25,520.00</b>	<b>25,786.00</b>
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>26,791.58</b>	<b>33,745.00</b>	<b>34,925.94</b>	<b>36,430.00</b>	<b>36,771.00</b>
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>10,106.92</b>	<b>4,440.51</b>	<b>5,378.48</b>	<b>-1,420.00</b>	<b>4.00</b>

## CROZER & CROZER ORCHIDS

# SEMI-ANNUAL ORCHID SALE

## SATURDAY, AUGUST 18TH

### 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

SALE WILL BE ON A LARGE VARIETY OF PHALAENOPSIS, CATTLEYA, PAPHIOPEDILUM, AND OTHER ASSORTED GENERA.

SPECIAL GUESTS: -KELLY'S KORNER ORCHID SUPPLIES  
-MOUNTAIN ORCHIDS

ADDRESS:  
737 BURPEE HILL RD  
NEW LONDON, NH 03257

# **INTERNATIONAL PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE**

## **“FOCUS ON PHALS” SPEAKERS’ DAYS**

### **SEPTEMBER “BACK-TO-BACK” WEEKEND FOR NEW ENGLAND & NEW YORK**

In just six short weeks, on September 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012, the New England and New York/Eastern Canada Regions of the International Phalaenopsis Alliance (IPA) will be hosting, in conjunction with two local AOS-affiliated societies, the same program, in two different locations, for their Second Annual “Focus on Phals” Speakers’ Day—a fun and informative day-long event with old friends and new, IPA members and non-members alike.

On Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, we will be in Bedford, New Hampshire, providing the program and sharing the day with the regular monthly meeting of, and in cooperation with, the New Hampshire Orchid Society.

And, on Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup>, we will be in Ballston Spa, NY, in cooperation with the North Eastern New York Orchid Society, this meeting to take place in lieu of their traditional Saturday meeting date.

Our Keynote Speaker for each event will be Ron McHatton, PhD, AOS Director of Education and Chief Operating Officer, speaking on “New Approaches to Pest & Disease Control,” a brilliant presentation that applies to all orchid growers, giving them new insight into these problems with new ways to control them—a fabulous talk that is **not** to be missed!

Our second guest speaker will be Carlos Fighetti, Immediate Past President of the AOS and current President of the IPA. He will be speaking on “Phal Species & Their Variants: Are They or Not?” With so many new and improved forms of Phal species being shown now, he will explore the question of whether they are actually a species or a primary hybrid.

Our third speaker, Carri Raven-Riemann, New England Regional Director, past IPA President and owner of the orchidPhile, will present “The Best, the Brightest, the Smallest—New Breeding Directions for 2012” with a special emphasis on the newest brilliantly colored novelties and adorable space-saving Micro-Minis currently being bred in Taiwan. Her presentation will not only include plants awarded at the TIOS Show this past March but also a sneak-peek at cutting-edge breeding programs in private nurseries and by Taiwan’s many devoted and forward-thinking hobby growers.

Each day will begin in the morning with a continental breakfast, followed by presentations given by Carlos and Carri, a light lunch, a review of the show table and a mini auction of select plants to help defray the speakers’ expenses. The afternoon session will begin with our Keynote Speaker, Ron McHatton, and finish with a round-table in-depth discussion of culture.

Guest vendors will include the orchidPhile, Crozer and Crozer and Kelley’s Korner Orchid Supplies. Pre-Order lists from all will be available at the end of August.

Registration forms for both events are available for download from [www.phal.org/events.htm](http://www.phal.org/events.htm). The minimal Registration Fee is just to cover our food expenses. Therefore, it’s important to send in your **registration by September 3rd** so enough food and chairs can be provided for all who wish to join us.

**Last year’s IPA Speakers’ Days were resounding successes with many who attended begging us to do it again! So, we’re once again looking forward to seeing old friends and making new, sharing information and having a great day of orchid fun. Our very special thanks go to the two co-hosting societies who have so generously invited us to share these two unique days with them.**



Join us for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual:

## INTERNATIONAL PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE

### “FOCUS ON PHALS” DAY

Co-hosted by the New Hampshire Orchid Society

Saturday, September 8, 2012

Bedford Town Hall, 3 Meetinghouse Road, Bedford, NH

In conjunction with the monthly New Hampshire Orchid Society meeting, IPA is pleased to present its second annual Speakers' Day, “Focus on Phals”. This day-long event will include our keynote speaker, Ron McHatton, PhD, AOS Director of Education & Chief Operating Officer, who will cover all aspects of identifying and dealing with orchid pests & diseases. Joining him will be Carlos Fighetti, IPA President and Past President of the AOS, examining Phal. species and their Variants, and Carri Raven-Riemann, Past IPA President & current Regional Director, sharing some of the exciting new directions in breeding as seen at the Taiwan 2012 TIOS Show & several Taiwan nurseries.

The day will also include reviewing the traditional New Hampshire show table, a roundtable discussion group and a mini-auction of select plants. The Registration Fee of \$15 just covers the cost of morning refreshments and a light lunch. We invite all orchidists, IPA members and non-members alike, to join us for this very special Speakers' Day. Guest vendors will include: Crozer & Crozer, the orchidPhile and Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies.

#### PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

8:30 - 9:15 am	Morning Refreshments & Sales Tables Open
9:30 - 10:15 am	Carlos Fighetti: <i>Phal Species &amp; Their Variants – Are They or Not?</i>
10:30 - 11:15 am	Carri Raven-Riemann: <i>The Best, the Brightest, the Smallest - New Breeding Directions for 2012</i>
11:15 - 11:45 am	Mini Auction (to raise funds for future meetings)
11:45 - 12:45 pm	Lunch Break & Sales Tables Open
12:45 - 1:30 pm	Review of the Show Table
1:30 - 2:15 pm	Ron McHatton, PhD: <i>New Approaches to Pest &amp; Disease Control</i>
2:15 - 2:45 pm	Roundtable Discussion with the Speakers

**\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE: EARLY & FULLY PAID REGISTRATIONS BY AUGUST 24th ARE REQUIRED !**

Registrations for non-NHOS members must be received & paid for by August 24th, mailed to Marilyn

Shapiro: We regret that we will be unable to accommodate late registrations after that date due to limited space

NHOS members ONLY: Please make your reservations directly with: [charles.crisler@comcast.net](mailto:charles.crisler@comcast.net)

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Additional information is also available on the IPA Website ([www.phal.org](http://www.phal.org))

Directions to Bedford Town Hall: <http://www.nhorchids.org/index.php?page=monthly-meeting-directions>

**\*\*\*\* We strongly recommend carpooling for this event since parking is extremely limited ! \*\*\*\***

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**NON-NHOS MEMBERS' REGISTRATION FORM: Must be received no later than August 24, 2012**

**IPA/NHOS "Focus on Phals" for Saturday, September 8, 2012**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME (Second Registrant): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME ORCHID SOCIETY: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my check for \_\_\_\_\_ registration(s) at \$15 each

Send form with check, Payable to IPA, to: IPA, c/o Marilyn Shapiro, 235 East 87<sup>th</sup> Street, Apt 5L, New York, NY 10128

**For Vendor Pre-Orders - Please mention "IPA Regional Pre-Order List" in subject line:**

OrchidPhile: [orchidphile@optimum.net](mailto:orchidphile@optimum.net) (list available after August 17)

Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies: [info@korchid.com](mailto:info@korchid.com) or [www.korchid.com](http://www.korchid.com)

**The event is free for NHOS members, but they must still register.**

## Membership

The Membership Co-chairs would like to remind everyone that dues are due by Sept 1st, 2012 except for those who joined at the Feb. 2012 Orchid Show. Your dues are due in 2013. You must be a paid up member to vote in the annual elections in September. We request that you bring or send your renewals in before the 9/8 meeting as that day is the IPA meeting & will be very busy. Please include the following information when you send your check so that we can update our information. Send your check to:

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Thanking you in advance. Lee & Sue.

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## Upcoming Events

**Sept 1** Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

**Sept 8** Monthly Meeting

**Oct 6** Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

**Oct 13** Monthly Meeting

**Nov 3** Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

**Nov 10** Monthly Meeting

**Dec 1** Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

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Save the Date for the IPA Focus  
on Phals Day on Saturday,

September 8, 2012

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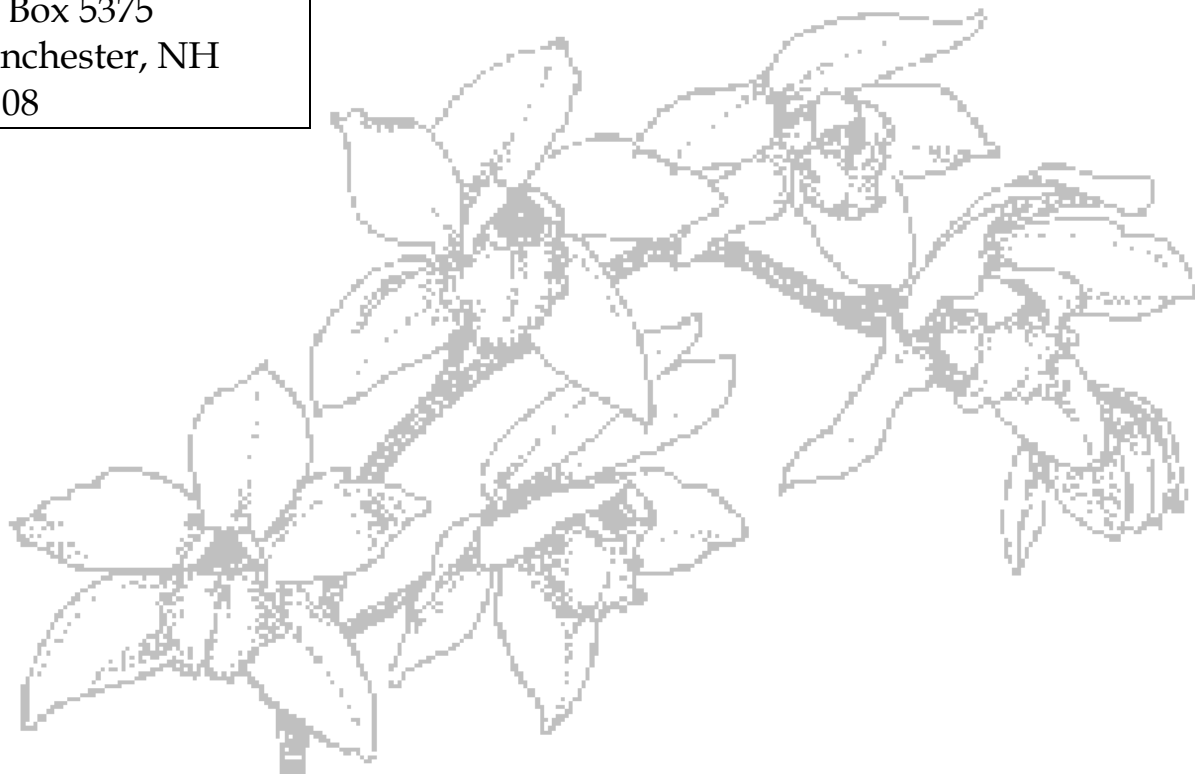
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