



NHOS Newsletter

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Members Auction

Are You Ready for Members Auction?

At our next meeting, July 14, we will be holding our annual members auction, a great opportunity to move on some plants and buy some new ones. I bought one of my favorites at the auction a few years ago for \$10! Each member can bring up to 25 plants or orchid related items to be auctioned. Members get 80% of the bid price and NHOS gets 20% – everybody wins!

Auction Bonus Item: a copy of OrchidWiz Express valued at \$95.00. Designed for the hobbyist or intermediate grower, it's an easy-to-use application that provides cultivation and genealogy information for orchid species and more than 145,000 hybrids. Its functionality includes 4,000 images, hybrid/cross look-up including aliases and name changes, label printing, and plant tracking using the Orchid Journal. (Windows XP, Vista or Windows 7; Mac users need Parallels Desktop or VMware Fusion)

Norm

BOD meeting: 10:00 a.m.
Culture Clinic 10:30 a.m.
Plants for Show Table judging must be on the table by 11:00 a.m.
General Meeting 11:30 a.m.

July 14
Members Auction

August 11
NHOS Annual Picnic - Windham NH

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Opening

President Mattozzi called the meeting to order at 12:11 PM.

Announcements:

- New members and visitors welcomed
- Long-time member Jim Campbell is confined to bed, now, and would to get cards from members. Contact a board member via the website to get his address if you don't already have it.
- Marcia Epstein, Marty's wife had a bad fall and is recovering from surgery to fix a broken neck Please send a card to her, as well. Contact a board member via the website to get her address if you don't already have it.
- Membership dues need to be collected in the next two months to aid in the smooth functioning at our September IPA meeting where there will be over 100 people in attendance.
 - At the September meeting we will have a quick annual business meeting to vote on officers, trustees and chairmanships. We need two members to help nominating committee chairs and trustees Daryl Yerdon and Lee Brockmann.
- Website
 - BoD minutes are now up on the site as are the by-laws and handbooks
 - Jean Stefanik updated the conservation and education section of the website
 - Last chance to look for Ghost orchids in the Fakahatchee Strand State Reserve in Florida for a week with Jean, leaving on July 6th. She has condo accommodations for 6-8 people. It will be "the adventure of your life."
 - George Newman invited the membership after the meeting to visit his property as he has several dozen *Cypripedium kentuckiense* and about four dozen *Cypripedium reginae* in bloom.
 - He also made a plea for members to please join the AOS
- Speakers
 - July – member auction (25 plant limit) with show table; member gets 80% of proceeds, NHOS 20%. Norm Selander-Carrier needs volunteers to help run the auction.
- Away Shows
 - Deerfield Fair at the end of September pays us to have a display. We need plants. Mike will be at the fair the entire week.
 - MOS Show is November 2-4, 2012 with setup on November 1st.

Financial Report:

- Mike reported the bank balance is roughly \$14,700 with total funds are approximately \$52,700.

- NHOS donated \$500 to the AOS Northeast Judging Center at Tower Hill Botanical Gardens in Boylston MA.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:44 PM followed by the show table and social, with NHOS member Jerry Kessler speaking his one and only AOS awarded orchid.

Respectfully submitted,
Adrienne Giovino, Secretary

<i>Membership</i>
<p>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 Sept.. 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: NHOS PO Box 5375 Manchester, NH 03108-5375 Thanking you in advance. Lee & Sue.</p>
Date: ____ / ____ / ____
Name(s): _____
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Apt.#: _____
City: _____
State: _____
Zip: _____
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Initial Proposed Budget for NHOS FY 2012-2013

	Sept '10 - Aug '11 (actual)	Sept '11 - June '12 (actual)	Sept '11 - Aug '12 (projected)	Budget (2011/2012)	Proposed Budget 2012/2013
Income					
5000 · Program Revenues					
5050 · Annual Auction	2,309.00	3,010.00	3,010.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
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	2,336.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
5200 · Hospitality Donations	228.75	444.00	475.00	560.00	450.00
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
Total 5000 · Program Revenues	5,274.80	8,312.24	10,315.15	7,260.00	7,150.00
6000 · Show Revenues					
6050 · Admissions-Show	20,466.70	19,929.25	19,929.25	17,000.00	17,000.00
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
Total 6000 · Show Revenues	31,623.70	29,873.27	29,873.27	27,750.00	28,950.00
9999 · Undocumented Income	0.00		52.00	0.00	0.00
Total Income	36,898.50	38,185.51	40,240.42	35,010.00	36,100.00
Expense					
7000 · Program Operating Expenses					
7100 · Annual Auction					
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
Total 7100 · Annual Auction	138.50	500.00	500.00	575.00	75.00
7200 · Member Auction					
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
Total 7200 · Member Auction	187.20	818.40	2,400.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
7300 · Newsletter					
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
Total 7300 · Newsletter	817.32	684.77	825.00	850.00	850.00
7400 · Monthly Meetings					
7410 · Speakers Fees & Expenses	995.40	1,190.37	1,190.37	2,000.00	2,000.00
7420 · Rent	525.00	525.00	625.00	550.00	550.00
7430 · Supplies-Show Table	90.14	395.14	90.14	200.00	200.00
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
Total 7400 · Monthly Meetings	1,757.84	3,160.43	2,255.51	3,775.00	3,775.00
7700 · Other Operating Expenses					
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	200.00
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
Total 7700 · Other Operating Expenses	10,836.53	4,471.64	4,581.67	3,710.00	3,710.00
7000 · Program Operating Expenses - Other	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00
Total 7000 · Program Operating Expenses	13,737.39	9,635.24	10,562.18	10,910.00	10,410.00
8000 · Show Expenses					
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
Total 8000 · Show Expenses	13,054.19	24,059.76	24,059.76	25,520.00	25,786.00
Total Expense	26,791.58	33,695.00	34,621.94	36,430.00	36,196.00
Net Income	10,106.92	4,490.51	5,618.48	-1,420.00	-96.00



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Conservation Update 24**

*Feel free to pass this update on to anyone who may be interested.
This update is also available as a pdf (52 kb):*
[click here](#)
Webpage version: [click here](#)

Hello All,

Summary of News:

1. [OCC Conservation slide show free for download](#)
2. [Orchid Conservation in Crete Article](#)
3. [New Hampshire Orchid Society starts Conservation Fund](#)
4. [American Orchid Society's "Help Save the Myrtle Head Savanna Orchids Campaign" closer to its Goal](#)
5. [Native Orchid Conservation in Wisconsin and Michigan's Upper Peninsula](#)
6. [OCC Donation Totals for 2011](#)
7. [Orchid Show Conservation Displays](#)



Join us for the 2nd 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 & 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 & 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

For further information contact:

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Additional information is also available on the IPA Website (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 ! *****

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 87th 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 (list available after August 17)

Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies: info@korchid.com or www.korchid.com

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

AOS Corner

This month I thought I would give a sampling of some of the information one can obtain from the AOS website. More in depth information is available to AOS members by logging into the webpage with your own name and password. Below, however, is an excerpt from the monthly checklist section – probably one of the more widely visited areas of the website.

Cattleya - Cattleyas this month require careful attention to their watering and fertilizing needs owing to characteristically high temperatures. Evaporative cooling is a must in areas of the country where it is effective. Where it is not (the more humid regions), care needs to be paid to proper venting to keep temperatures within reason. Bottom vents in conjunction with top vents provide enough rising airflow to help keep plants cool. Increased air flow lessens humidity and dries plants out more quickly, necessitating more frequent damping down and watering, in areas where high humidity is not a problem. Higher light and heat indicate more fertilizer. The growths your plants are making now are the source of this autumn, winter and spring's blooms, so applying adequate fertilizer this month is the best way to ensure future blooms. Higher temperatures and humidity may also lead to fungal or bacterial rot problems, so it is important to closely observe your plants for any early indication of problems. Pests are also at a high point this month for the same reason.

Paphiopedilum - Cooling and air circulation are especially critical in these two months to prevent stress and avoid disease problems. Watering needs to be closely monitored to ensure that plants do not dry out. Warmer-growing hybrids will be at the peak of their blooming, with attention needing to be paid to staking of spikes. Look for water lodging in growths, which can rot emerging spikes and lead to the loss of the entire growth.

Cymbidium - Summer can be the most rewarding season for cymbidiums. Growths should be coming strong now. The leaves of the new growths are best when they are broad and fairly stiff. The color should be a light green to nearly yellow. Early flowering varieties should be showing flower spikes, so move the plants into a cooler area with lower light. For mid-season varieties, lower the dosage of nitrogen to assist in spike initiation.

-- Taken from the American Orchid Society Website – All About Orchids – Monthly Checklist – July and August

There are also a number of videos and articles that are available to the public and many more to the AOS Members.

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Upcoming Events

Aug 4 Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

Sept 1 Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

Oct 6 Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

Nov 3 Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

Dec 1 Regional Monthly AOS Orchid Judging

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

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Deadline for submission of articles is 7 days after the monthly meeting!
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If your address changes, you must notify the Membership Chairperson so you can continue to receive any notices and newsletters.

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