



# NHOS Newsletter

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## **President's Message**

Our November speaker is Fred Clarke of Sunset Valley Orchids.

He has always been a very informative speaker. He will be bringing plants for sale and will take preorders.

Our holiday party will be at the meeting hall but will be on the first Saturday, Dec.3, 2016.

Although our membership went slightly higher, we have 52 members who have not paid their dues as of yet. Please try to do so by mail, in person at the meeting, or online at our website [NHorchids.org](http://NHorchids.org). We have the CAIOS show coming up in January and need volunteers to help with both the set up and break down. Please consider it and let me know at the meeting if you can help.

We need more help with the hospitality portion of the meetings. We usually have plenty of desert and coffee items but could use lunch items.

Looking forward to seeing you at the next meeting.

Steve Smyrychynski

## **SHOW SIGNS**

If you still have some of the yellow show signs, please bring them to the meeting or get them to Dick Josephson so they can be re-worked for the 2017 show.

**Next Meeting**  
**Saturday November 12,**  
**2016 11:00 AM**

**Bedford Old Town Hall**  
**3 Meetinghouse Rd.**  
**Bedford, NH**

**Guest Speaker- Fred Clarke,**  
**Sunset Valley Orchids, Vista, CA.**  
**(see page 7 for pre-order**  
**information)**

**Plants for the show table must be**  
**labeled and on the table by 11:00**  
**AM.**

## **Remaining 2016 Meeting Schedule**

**December 3- Holiday Party**  
**(Bedford Old Town Hall)**

## **2017 Meeting Schedule**

**Jan 14- Bob Cleveland**

**Feb 4- Show Setup**

**Mar 11- New Members**

**Apr 8- TBD**

**May 13- Auction**

***November Hospitality***

Please remember to bring breakfast foods,  
drinks, salads, desserts and snack type



**Oncidium Mendenhall 'Hildon'**  
**FCC/AOS**



**Oncidium Dancing Lady**



**Paph. Magical Venus**



**Phal OX Yellow Freed**



## **September Show Table Results**

### **Hobbyist**

#### **PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE**

**1st Place: Phal OX Yellow Freed    Les Regenbogen**

#### **PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE**

**1st Place: Paph Magical Venus    Norm Selander- Carrier**

**2nd Place: Phrag Pearcei    Lee Brockman**

#### **CATTLEYA ALLIANCE**

**1st Place: C. Brabantiae 'Susan Fender' (Cultivar not in OrchidWiz) x Lc Aloha Case**

**Brigitte Fortin**

**2nd Place: Brigitte Fortin**

**3rd Place: Encyclia radiata    Lee Brockman**

#### **VANDA ALLIANCE**

**None**

#### **DENDROBIUM ALLIANCE**

**None**

#### **ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE**

**1st Place: Oncidium Mendenhall 'Hildon' FCC/AOS    Brigitte Fortin**

**2nd Place: Oncidium Dancing Lady    William Schinella**

**3rd Place: Oncidium Irene M?m?w (no listing in OrchidWiz)    Les Regenbogen**

#### **CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE**

**None**

#### **PLEUROTHALLID ALLIANCE**

**None**

#### **MISC.**

**1st Place: Aeranthes Hsinying Ramosa    Brigitte Fortin**

**2nd Place: Dendrochilum magnum    Geraldine Lieloer**

**ADVANCED**

**None**



**C. Maxima**



**Aeranthus Hsinying Ramosa**



**Habenaria Medusa**

## **EXPERT**

**Ceratostylis rubra, Chuck Wingate**

**Habenaria Medusa, Chuck Wingate**

**Gomesa crispa 'Bess', Ann Chepjian**

**Epi magnoliae, David Sparks**

**Masdevallia niesseniae, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Dendrobium subuliferum, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Dendrobium cuthbertsonii (Group of 4), Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Polystachya aconitiflora, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Pleurathallis ruscaria, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Dendrobium Hibiki 'Tiny Bubbles' (Cultivar not in OrchidWiz), Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Pleurathallis purpureoviolacea, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Pleurathallis niveoglobula, Chuck & Sue Anderson**

**Judges: Steve Tacopina, Chuck Anderson, Josh Labonville, David Sparks, Chuck Wingate.**



## Meeting Minutes

### **New Hampshire Orchid Society**

### **General Meeting**

**October 8, 2016**

### **Opening**

**President Steve Smyrychynski called the meeting to order and welcomed new members and guests.**

- **Unfortunately, this is the third month in a row that we've had to purchase sandwich material for lunch.**
  - **We have plenty of breakfast foods and desserts.**
  - **Please bring sandwiches or other main dishes**
  - **If you are unable to bring food, please donate. The donation can is next to the coffee pot.**
- **We have \$21,478.39 in checking with a total balance of \$43,937.**
- **45 memberships are overdue.**
- **The Lyman Estate Greenhouses in Waltham MA are having their fall sale starting October 21<sup>st</sup>.**

### **Show**

- **Dick Josephson needs all of the show road signs back ASAP, otherwise we will have to purchase new ones.**

### **Away Shows**

- **Massachusetts Orchid Society Annual Show and Sale**
  - **Mahoney's Garden Center, 242 Cambridge St, Winchester, MA**
  - **Friday, November 4, Saturday, November 5 and Sunday, November 6, 2016**
  - **Setup is on Thursday, November 3, 2016. Sue Anderson and Anita Walker need your plants for the NHOS display.**
- **Cape and Islands Orchid Society Annual Show and Sale**
  - **Resort and Conference, 35 Scudder Ave., Hyannis MA**
  - **Saturday January 28 and Sunday, January 29, 2017**
  - **Setup is on Thursday, January 26, 2017.**
  - **We need someone to set up and breakdown**

**The meeting was adjourned for the show table, luncheon, and program.**

***Pre-Order Information for Sunset Valley Orchids***

Preorders with a 10% discount accepted through November 4th. No shipping charges.

<http://sunsetvalleyorchids.com/index.html>

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# Save the Date!

*2017 A Few of My Favorite Things*

New Hampshire Orchid Society 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Show and Sale

[www.nhorchids.org](http://www.nhorchids.org)

Courtyard Marriot Nashua  
Everett Turnpike, Exit 8  
2200 Southwood Drive  
Nashua NH

*February 10–12, 2017*

**ANNUAL SHOW UPDATE:**

Your show committee is hard at work planning a great show at the Marriott Courtyard in Nashua. Save the Dates- Set-up Thursday February 9, Show Dates Friday Feb. 10 through Sunday Feb. 12.

**PLEASE HELP!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

See Brenda Campbell or any member of the Show Committee or Officer of the Society.

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