



# NHOS Newsletter

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### **President's Message**

**Remember this is an early meeting the first Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

Wow, what a great job our members did at the Massachusetts Show, many awards were handed out to many members. Thank you to all who participated with set up and take down to plants. You are all amazing!

Yellow Show road signs still need to be returned so that they can be reprinted!

Don't forget this is our Annual Holiday meeting, and I know I always look forward to what exciting and interesting items end up on the buffet table, a reminder that we could use drinks at every meeting as well, water, soda, coffee, tea.

At the Holiday meeting we will be auctioning off a room for the weekend of the show, 3 nights, double occupancy for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. You must be present or have someone bidding for you, the starting bid is \$150.00.

Remember we are sharing the day with AOS Judging, please bring in your plants and experience how AOS Judging works, and maybe see a plant or two awarded, AOS will also be holding a plant auction, to help defer the cost of the judging center.

Also, if you haven't renewed your membership it is past due, please touch base with Lee or Sue.

### **President's Message (con't)**

We are now just a little over 2 months away from our Annual Show and Sale, slated for February 9<sup>th</sup> through 11<sup>th</sup>. The theme this year is "A Flurry of Orchids" We will need all hands on deck so the show goes on without a hitch. Just an hour or so would make it easier on the whole crew. Look for sign- up sheets at our regular meetings, there are many jobs both large and small available.

Hope your Thanksgiving is wonderful.

Hope to see you at the meeting.

Andrea

**Next Meeting**  
**Saturday Dec. 02, 2017**  
**11:00 AM**

Old Bedford Town Hall, Bedford, NH

**Annual Holiday Party!!!!**  
**And AOS Plant Judging**

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

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

### **Monthly 2017 AOS Judging**

**Saturday Dec. 2  
NHOS Annual Holiday Party  
Old Bedford Town Hall  
Bedford, NH**

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### **AOS Northeast Judging Center Auction**

**December 16, 2017  
10:30 AM  
Bartlett Arboretum & Gardens, 151 Brookdale Rd, Stamford CT  
The Northeast Judging Center in Stamford is holding its annual auction in support of  
judging center activities on Saturday, December 16th at 10:30 a.m. Orchid preview 9:30  
a.m.**

**100+ Orchids  
Plants from the private collections of AOS judges  
Many rare and hard to find**

**[AOS Auction Save the Date 12-2017.pdf](#)**

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### **Monthly NHOS Meeting**

**Sat. Jan. 13, 2018  
11:00 AM  
Old Bedford Town Hall  
Topic- TBD**

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### **Monthly NHOS Meeting**

**Sat. Feb. 3, 2018  
11:00 AM  
Old Bedford Town Hall  
Topic- Show Prep.**

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### **Annual NHOS Show**

**“A Flurry of Orchids”  
Fri. Feb. 9- Sun. Feb. 11, 2018  
Marriott Courtyard Event Center  
Nashua, NH**

**UPCOMING EVENTS (con't)**

**NHOS Monthly Meeting**  
Sat. Mar. 10, 2018  
Topic- New Members Meeting

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**NHOS Monthly Meeting**  
Sat. Apr. 14, 2018  
Topic- TBD

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**NHOS Monthly Meeting**  
Sat. May 12, 2018  
Topic- Annual Plant Auction

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**NHOS Monthly Meeting**  
Sat. June 09, 2018  
Topic- Jason Fischer, Orchids Unlimited



**Come celebrate orchids and orchid friends at our holiday party at Bedford Old Town Hall.**  
**It's potluck, so please bring a dish to share.**  
**The AOS Northeast Judging Center will have their monthly meeting with us and will conduct a mini-auction to help defray their monthly costs.**

## October Show Table Results

### Hobbyist

#### PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE

None

#### PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE

None

#### CATTLEYA ALLIANCE

None

#### VANDA ALLIANCE

1<sup>st</sup> Place:      Ascocentrum Mona Church      Dick Josephson

#### DENDROBIUM ALLIANCE

1<sup>st</sup> Place:      Den. Aussie Chip x thodostictum      Susan Usseglio

#### ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE

1<sup>st</sup> Place:      Aliceara Winter Wonderland 'White Fairy'      Norm Selander-Carrier  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place:      Oncidium Sharry Baby 'Heaven Scent'      Dick Josephson

#### CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE

None

#### PLEUROTHALLID ALLIANCE

None

#### MISC.

1<sup>st</sup> Place:      Galeopetalum Starburst 'Parkside'      Anita Walker  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place:      Clowesetum Pierre Couret      Sasha Crotty  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place:      Calanthe sedenii      Sasha Crotty

\*= plant also received a cultural award

### **ADVANCED (all cultural)**

**Prosthechea /Encyclia radiate**  
**Cattleya Arctic Star ‘Snow Queen’**

**Lee Brockmann**  
**Sue Labonville**

### **EXPERT (all cultural)**

**Brassocattleya Hoku Gem**  
**Vanda Lou Sneary**  
**Stanhopea jenischiana**  
**Spiranthis odorata ‘Chadds ford’**  
**Phrag Peruflora’s Cirila Alca**  
**Aerangis fastuosa**  
**Chondrorhyncha lendyana**  
**Epidendrum hugomedinae**  
**Brassia cochleata**  
**Dendrobium parthenium**

**Jack Mulder**  
**Jack Mulder**  
**Bob Richter**  
**George Newman**  
**Bob Cleveland**  
**David Sparks**  
**Ann Chepjian**  
**Ann Chepjian**  
**Chuck Wingate**  
**Chuck Wingate**

# = awarded for rarity (None in Oct)

**Judges: Jean Stefanik, Jack Mulder, Bob Cleveland, Steve Tacopina, Chuck Wingate**

### **November Show Table Results**

#### **Hobbyist**

#### **PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE**

**None**

#### **PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE**

**None**

### **CATTLEYA ALLIANCE**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Lc Tropical Pointer ‘Cheetah’  
**2nd Place:** Potinara Samantha Duncan ‘Red Hot’

**Les & Peg Regenbogen**  
**Anita Walker**

### **VANDA ALLIANCE**

None

### **DENDROBIUM ALLIANCE**

None

### **ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Psychopsis Kalihi (alba)  
**2nd Place:** Onc. Twinkle ‘Red Fire’

**Les Regenbogen**  
**Ryan Goobout**

### **CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE**

None

### **PLEUROTHALLID ALLIANCE**

None

### **MISC.**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Zygopetalum Luisendorf (no listing in Orchidwiz) **Anita Walker**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Chondranthes Andrea Niessen **Peg Regenbogen**

**\*= plant also received a cultural award**

### **ADVANCED (all cultural)**

**Phal Tying Shin Beagle ‘OrchidPhile’**

**Lee Brockmann**

### **EXPERT (all cultural)**

**Vanda Pachara Delight ‘Magaret’s delight’**  
**Epicatt (?) Hybrid**  
**Onc Sharry Baby ‘Sweet Fragrance’**  
**Cattleya Bob Betts ‘White Lightening’**  
**Aerangis fastuosa**

**Chuck Crisler**  
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**David Sparks**

**Dendrobium Hikiki ‘Tiny Bubbles’**  
**Dendrobium cuthbertsonii**  
**Bulbophyllum plumatum**  
**Phrag Intistears ‘Janet Marie’**  
**Lc C.G. Roebling ‘Sentinel’**  
**Ctna Rosy Jewel ‘Ahuimanu’**  
**Masdevallia discoidea**  
**Isabelia virginalis**  
**Cymbidium dayanum**  
**Brassia verrucosa**  
**Epidendrum nocturnum**  
**Medicolar decoratum**  
**Epi. ciliase**

**Chuck & Sue Anderson**  
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**Bob Cleveland**  
**Jan Ski**  
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**S Tacopina**  
**David Sparks**  
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**Chuck Wingate**  
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**Daryl Yerdon**  
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# = awarded for rarity (None noted in Nov.)

**Judges: Steve Tacopina, David Sparks, Daryl Yerdon, Chuck Wingate**

### **Congratulations to NHOS Award Winners at the MOS Show**

**NHOS members received dozens of awards at the annual MOS annual show at Mahoney’s Garden Center.**





# Report from the World Orchid Conference in Guayaquil, Ecuador

By Jean Stefanik

**WOC 22 = WOW!!**

Here's a few photos from the World Orchid Congress which was held in early November in Guayaquil, Ecuador. Ann Chipjian and her husband, Norm Selander-Carrier and I attended, each crossing paths now and then in the huge venue. We were blown away by the displays, the diversity of orchids, especially South American species, which accounted for at least 75% of the show. After an exhausting day of incredible judging (I was assigned to the "Pleurothallids, including ALL except Masdevallias" team), I left with a sense of awe at the many species represented. I could see Ann had fun shopping for orchids too! There was great variety and quality in the four days of lectures by both well-known and respected researchers, and young orchid scientists as well. Networking with orchid enthusiasts and friends from around the world was one of the highlights of the experience for me.

Ecuaflo-A created a floor display complete with a volcano covered with orchids on its sides. Ecuagenera was awarded the "Best Exhibit" which was immense and multi-dimensional, with large terrariums, walls of orchids, a display showing propagation and flasking; all with flowering orchids from Ecuador and around the world.

In three years the WOC gathering will meet in Taiwan, which produced a dazzling display with primarily Phalaenopsis. It was announced that Perth, Australia won the bid for the WOC in 6 years. They celebrated, handed out little Koala bears, and even had a T-shirt printed in limited quantities! Start planning now!!!

Jean Stefanik







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