



NHOS Newsletter

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President's Message

This is my last President's letter. It has been a pleasure working with the board and members of the society.

Next month our new president is Andrea Deachman. She had been our president a few years back so she is aware of the undertaking. Joining her also is Lee Brockmann as Trustee.

All who attended our annual summer picnic had a great time at Bob and Marcia Richter's home. I'd like to thank them for their wonderful hospitality and beautiful setting.

This month is the annual Int. Phal. Alliance meeting. The meeting starts at 8:30 A.M. and goes until around 3:00 P.M. The speakers for this year are Alan Koch and Dotty Woodson. Please be sure to go on our website and pre-register. The society pays for cold cuts and the like but we still need salads desert and drinks. There will be a show table and members who would like to donate a plant or two for the auction are asked to do so. This money goes to IPA to help defray their costs.

As a reminder, Dues are due this month. If you haven't paid them, please do so.

Steve Smyrychynski

Next Meeting

**Saturday Sept. 9, 2017
8:30 AM- 3:00 PM**

International Phalaenopsis Alliance (see pgs. 7-9 for meeting details and plant pre-order information)

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

Remaining 2017 Meeting Schedule

Oct. 14- Jean Stefanik, Show Prep

Nov. 11- Alan Koch, Gold Country Orchids

Dec. 2 - Annual Holiday Party

September IPA Meeting

Please register online

at <http://nhorchids.org/event-2538858> so we have a head count for chair set up and food. Please bring a dish to share. NHOS will supply luncheon meats and bread.

August Show Table Results

Hobbyist

PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE

1st Place: Sweet Memory

Susan Usseglio

PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE

1st Place: Avalon Druid

Lee Brockmann

CATTLEYA ALLIANCE

2nd Place: Intermedia

Lee Brockmann

VANDA ALLIANCE

1st Place: Neofinetia falcata Oonami Seidai

Sasha Crotty

DENDROBIUM ALLIANCE

1st Place:

ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE

1st Place:

CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE

None

PLEUROTHALLID ALLIANCE

None

MISC.

1st Place: Fredclarkeara 'After Dark' *

Bob Sullivan

*= plant also received a cultural award



Our Picnic co-host



**Bob's greenhouse and amazing
*Sobralia biflora***



Picnickers



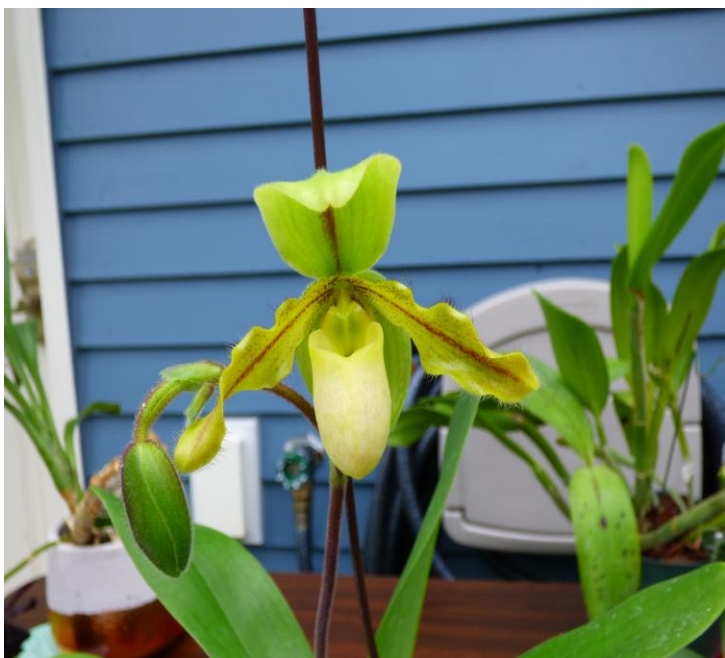
Tallying the votes



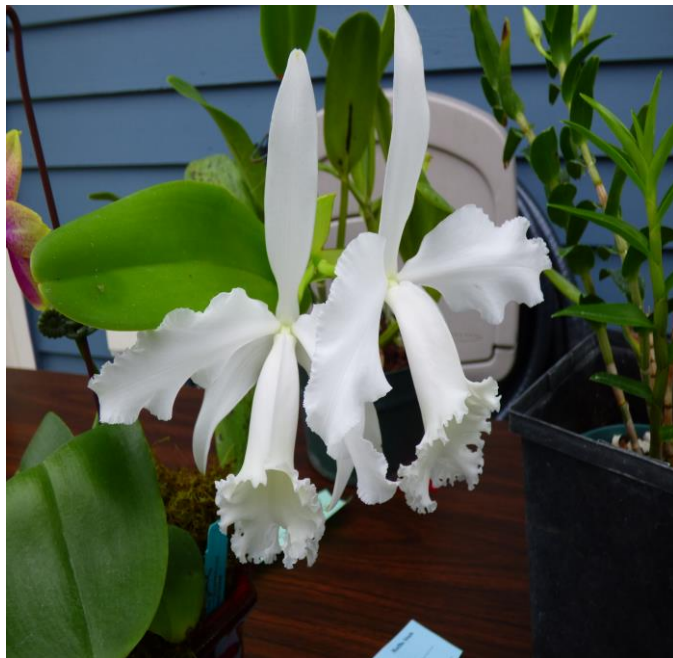
Vanda denisonia



Fredclarkeara 'After Dark'



Paph. Avalon Druid



Catt. Intermediae X mossiea

ADVANCED

None

EXPERT

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|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Sobralia biflora | Robert J. Richter |
| Brasavola cucullata | Bob Cleveland |
| Schoenorchis gemmate | David Sparks |
| Stenoglottis macloughlini | David Sparks |
| Phymatidium falcifolium | David Sparks |
| Schoenorchis fragrans | David Sparks |
| Paph dianthum | Bob Cleveland |
| Paph W.R. Lee | Bob Cleveland |
| Catasetum Madame Kalaloo #2 | Bob Cleveland |
| Cattleya Calummata x aclandea | Bob Cleveland |
| Dendrobium parthemnium | Chuck Wingate |
| Vanda denisoniana | Chuck Wingate |
| Coryanthis macrantha | Chuck Wingate |

= awarded for rarity (None in Aug)

Judges: As voted by the general membership under the watchful eye of Chuck Wingate.

OTHER EVENTS AND NEWS OF INTEREST

Monthly 2017 AOS Judging

1st Saturday of the month

10:30 AM - 3:30 PM

Tower Hill Botanic Garden, 11 French Dr., Boylston, MA

Annual MOS Show and Plant Sale

Nov. 3-5, 2017

Mahoney's Garden Center

Winchester, MA

World Orchid Conference, November 8 - 12, 2017, Guayaquil, Ecuador

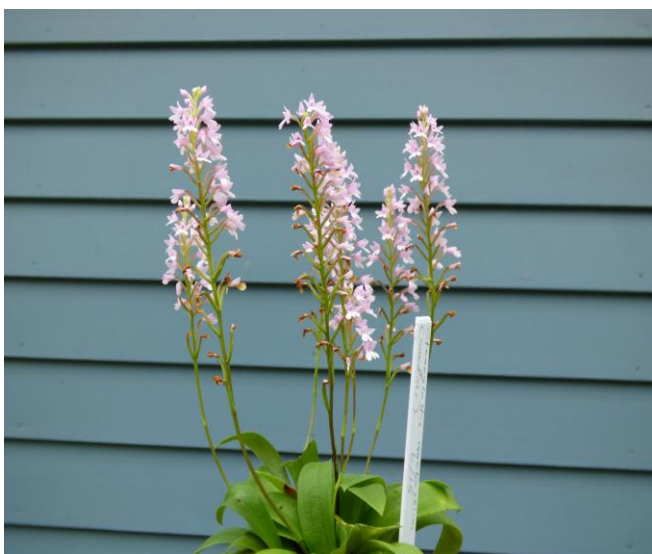
<http://www.woc22.com/>



Phal. Sweet Memory



Catasetum Madame Kalaloo



Stenoglottis macloughlini



Schoenorchos fragrans

Join us for the 7th Annual:
INTERNATIONAL PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE

“FOCUS ON PHALS” DAY

Co-hosted by the New Hampshire Orchid Society

Saturday, September 9, 2017

Bedford Old Town Hall, 3 Meetinghouse Road, Bedford, NH

In conjunction with the monthly New Hampshire Orchid Society meeting, IPA is pleased to present its 7th Annual Speakers' Day, "Focus On Phals". This day-long event will include three presentations: Alan Koch, from Gold Country Orchids, on the new trend in breeding for Phalaenopsis intergenerics. Joining him will be Dotty Woodson, a Certified Nursery Professional & water resource specialist for Texas A&M, who is an expert on Pests & Diseases and how to effectively treat them. Carri Raven-Riemann of the orchidPhile, Past IPA President & current Regional Director, will update us on some of the cutting-edge breeding as seen at the Taiwan 2017 TIOS Show, including some exciting new directions from some of the smaller boutique hybridizers who are always thinking outside the box.

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

PROGRAM SCHEDULE:

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| 8:30 - 9:15 am | Morning Refreshments & Sales Tables Open for Early Birds |
| 9:30 - 10:15 am | Alan Koch: <i>Intriguing Intergeneric Phalaenopsis Breeding Trends</i> |
| 10:30 - 11:15 am | Carri Raven-Riemann: <i>An Abundance of Big Lips and More !</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 | Dotty Woodson: <i>Pest & Disease Control for Orchid Growers</i> |
| 2:15 - 2:45 pm | Roundtable Discussion with the Speakers (time permitting) |

***** PLEASE NOTE: EARLY NHOS REGISTRATIONS (& FULLY PAID NON-NHOS MEMBER REGISTRATIONS)**

ARE REQUIRED BY AUGUST 28th TO ASSURE PLENTIFUL FOOD & CHAIRS FOR ALL !

Both NHOS & NON-NHOS members can Register online at: <http://nhorchids.org/event-2538858>

Non-NHOS members can also pay by cash/check at the door or complete & mail the Registration Form below.

For further information contact:

New England Regional Director: **Carri Raven-Riemann** at orchidphile@optimum.net or (203) 329-7255

New York/Eastern Canada Regional Director: **Mitch Paroly** at hilolip@aol.com or (215) 943-7516

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Additional information will also be available on the IPA website (www.phal.org)

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REGISTRATION FORM for non-NHOS members: Must be received no later than August 28, 2017

IPA/NHOS "Focus on Phals" for Saturday, September 9, 2017

NAME(S): _____ TELEPHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: ____ ZIP: _____

E-MAIL: _____ HOME ORCHID SOCIETY: _____

Enclosed is my check for ____ registration(s) at \$15 each Total enclosed: \$ _____

If paying by mail, send this form with your check, made payable to NHOS, to:

NH Orchid Society

PO Box 5375

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

orchidPhile: orchidphile@optimum.net - or - www.facebook.com/orchidphile

Gold Country Orchids: <http://www.goldcountryorchids.com/>

Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies: www.kkorchid.com

IPA Plant and Supplies Pre-order Information

- Alan Koch, owner of Gold Country Orchids, will speak on new hybridizing trends for Phal intergenerics.

Preorder plants no later than Tuesday, September 5, 2017 online at gcorchids@aol.com or by calling 916-645-8600

Gold Country Orchids Limited Availability Preorder List

- Carri Raven-Riemann, owner of The orchidPhile, will update us on the abundance of big lips and more at the Taiwan 2017 TIOS Show.

Preorder plants no later than Tuesday, September 5, 2017 online at orchidphile@optimum.net or by calling 203-329-7255
PRE-ORDER LIST - General - Fall 2017.pdf

A supplemental list of just blooming, one-of-a-kind hybrids will be sent separately mid-week

- **Kelley's Korner Orchid Supply**, as always, will attend as our favorite orchid supply vendor.
 - Preorder by Friday, September 8, 2017
 - Use Coupon Code IPA2017 to receive a 10% discount

Hospitality

Please bring breakfast items as well as salads, drinks, deserts (or supplies) to share at the annual Sept. IPA meeting. The society will provide cold cuts for sandwiches.

New Hampshire Orchid Society

General Meeting

August 12, 2017

Opening

President Steve Ski called the meeting to order and welcomed new members and guests. A special Thank You to Bob and Marsha Richter for hosting this year's annual BBQ at their lovely home and Bob Cunningham for cooking this year's feast.

- Our next meeting will be the annual IPA – membership must be up to date. Please register online.
- Plants needed to help defer costs for the annual IPA meeting. Please email Adrienne with donations in advance.
- Food donations (side dishes) needed for the IPA luncheon. Club to provide main fare.
- Norm Selander-Carrier new show photographer. Big Thank You for participating 8 years on the Board.
- MOS November show – Volunteers needed for setup and breakdown.
- Budget – Majority of 30 votes cast for the approval of the budget.

Elections

- President – Andrea Deachman (1 vote); Trustees: Jim Petry (1 vote), Lee Brockman (1 vote).

The meeting was adjourned for the show table and luncheon.

Respectfully submitted Susan Usseglio

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