

NHOS Newsletter

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President's Message

The Annual Member/Vendors Auction was so much fun. I came away with several wonderful new plants. Thank you to Sue Ussiglio, all of her auction day helpers, our members who bought and sold plants and of course our always entertaining auctioneers.

As you all probably know by now, Jack Mulder has decided to give up his greenhouse. Jack and Pam have always been great supporters of NHOS. Now is the time for us to show our appreciation. In November, the Society will hold a Special Auction for their benefit. Let's make it the best ever. Check out the catalog on our website and Susan Usseglio's posts for more information on both auctions.

Sue Andersen, Sue Usseglio and I set up the NHOS exhibit for the Massachusetts Orchid Society show. It was so nice to see the enthusiasm from both the Massachusetts society and vendors for the first show in the Northeast since Covid shut most of us down. Due to Sue Andersen's creativity and the wonderful plants, we were able to provide, our exhibit took second place.

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NHOS MEETING NOTICE

Old Bedford Town Hall Meetinghouse Rd. Bedford, NH

> Sat. Nov. 13, 2021 11:00 AM



Special Mulder Collection Retirement Auction

(See Pg. 8 for additional details.)

Plants must be on the show table by 11:00 \mathbf{AM}

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Monthly AOS Judging

On the first Saturday @ Tower Hill

NHOS Monthly Meetings

Saturday Nov. 13, 2021- Special Auction of the Mulder collection

Saturday Dec. 4, 2021- Annual Holiday Party

Saturday Jan. 8, 2022- AOS Judging

Saturday Feb. 12, 2022- Dendrobiums- Chuck Andersen

Saturday Mar. 12. 2022- Show Prep

Saturday April 9, 2022- New Members & Francisco Miranda of Miranda Orchids

Shows

Cape and Islands Orchid Society Show, January 21-23, 2022

NHOS Show, March 25-27, 2022

October Show Table Results

Judges: Chuck Wingate, Jean Stefanik, Jack Mulder, Sue Labonville

Hobbyist
©= Cultural award

NONE

Advanced Growers
(all cultural or "R" for rarity)

Vandachostylis Sasicha

Lee Brockmann

Expert Growers
(all cultural or "R" for rarity)

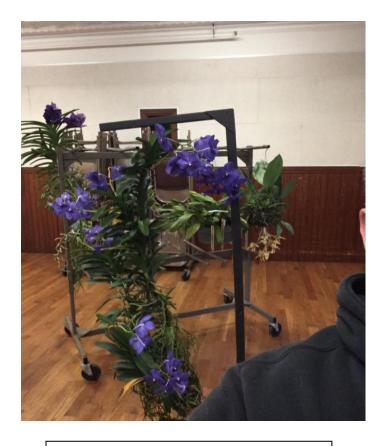
Chuck Crisler:
Vanda Pachara Delight 'Margaret's Delight' AM-COM/AOS
Vanda John De Biase 'Fuch's Indigio FCC/AOS
Stanhopea gravoliens 'Gold Tone'

Chuck Wingate: Pholidota rubra

Ann Chepjian:
Maxillaria schunkeana
Pleurothallis segoviensis
Dendrochilum melaysianum 'Spring'
Coelogyne fuliginosa

David Sparks: Aerongia mystacidii Dendrobium Ise Yoyoi

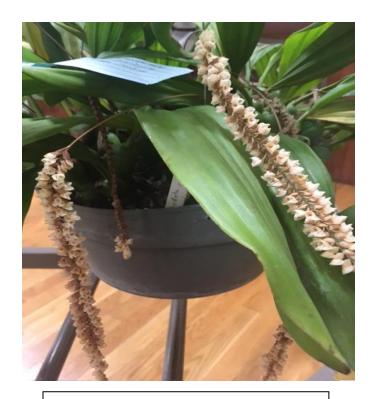
Bob Cleveland: Vanda falcata 'Koto' x 'Shutenno' Dendrobium rigidum



Van. Pachara Delight 'Margaret's Delight' AM-CCM/AOS



Stanhopia gravoliens 'Gold Time'



Pholidota rubra



Pleurothallis segoviensis



New Hampshire Orchid Society General Meeting Minutes October 9, 2021

The President called the meeting to order and welcomed members and guests.

- Financials We have \$7,800.61 in the checking account, \$27,387.29 in the fund accounts.
- Upcoming Program's: November Special Auction for Jack and Pam Mulder;
 December Holiday Party; January 2022 AOS Judging second Saturday of the month at Bedford Town Hall; February 2022– Chuck Andersen will speak on Dendrobiums;
 March 2022– Show preparation Meeting and Annual Show and Sale 2022. April Welcome Meeting for new members and Francisco Miranda of Miranda Orchids will be the speaker.
- MOS Show 10/22 24, 2021 will be set-up and broken down by Sue Andersen, Susan Usseglio and Anita Walker. Any plants that you may have to enter into the show will be taken at the October Meeting. Sue Andersen asked members to call her if they had plants they wished to exhibit. Each member will be required to register their own plants.
- Brigitte Fortin, Massachusetts Orchid Society Show Committee, was introduced and provided information about the up-coming show including plant registration and vendor participation.
- Cheryl Keim, artist, was introduced. She painted three (3) Orchid Show Signs for NHOS which had been used at past shows.
- NHOS in need of a Librarian and responsibilities were discussed (more information regarding Librarian duties can be obtained in the NHOS By-Laws which are located on the website). Any takers????
- Meeting was adjourned for the show table and Vendor/Member Auction.

Respectfully submitted: Susan Usseglio, Secretary





Dendrochilum melaysianum 'Spring'

Coelogyne fuliginosa







Aerangis mystacidii

Dendrobium Ise Yoyoi

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AOS NEWS

Webinars-Coming Attractions!







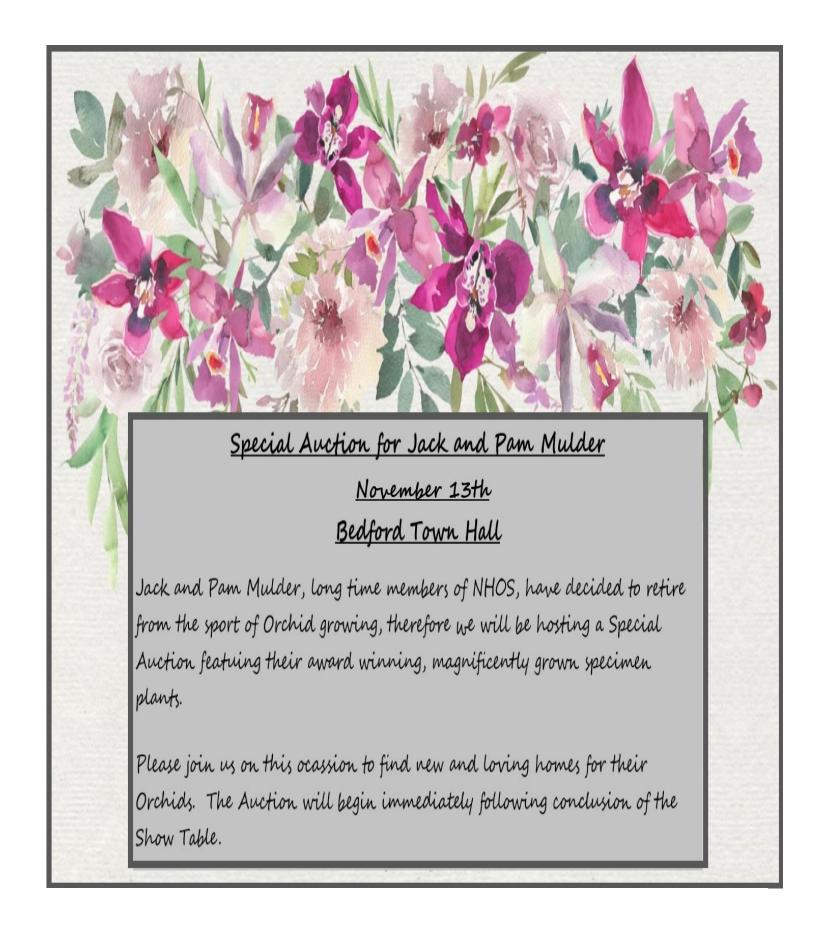
| When | November 09, 2021 8:30pm EST Tuesday | November 17, 2021 8:30pm EST Wednesday | WEBINARS ON DEMAND Watch Recorded Webinars Any Time |
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| Topic | Orchid Collection Tour The Huntington Botanical Gardens | Greenhouse Chat (Orchid Q&A) Send in your Questions! | Species and Hybrids, Pests and Diseases, Culture, Judging, Greenhouse Chats |
| Presenter | Brandon Tam Orchid Collection Specialist, AOS Judge | Ron McHatton Chief Education and Science Officer | www.aos.org/orchids/webinars |

President's Message (Con't from Pg. 1)

If you have not attended other Orchid Shows in the New England area, you don't know how fortunate we are to have the venue we do. Besides the vendors, a large part of our show is the displays from our sister societies. They add so much to the overall ambience of our show. Which in turn means WE have to support them. As their shows come up, please think about contributing plants and/or donating time to help set up. We need to support each other. All of us have experienced losses due to COVID-19.

See you all on the 13th

Anita





Dear Members and Guests,

The Auction Committee would like to extend our fondest appreciation to everyone who attended, entertained, donated, purchased and helped with the 2021 Vendor Member Auction.

To my TEAM, as always you guys are the best! Sue Labonville, Norm Selander-Carrier and Andrea Deachman your help in keeping track of bidders/bids, allowed me to balance the books to get the checks out. Lee Brockmann, the Cecil B. DeMille of the Team, provided the 3D-Technicolor experience we needed. To my Auctioneers, Chuck Wingate, Bob Cleveland, David Sparks and Chuck Andersen, you kept things moving at a good pace, entertained us and got that "one more dollar" that we desperately needed. Anita Walker, who traveled all over the New England States to post flyers, helped to fold the newspapers "just right", and was there to help me in so many ways. Daryl Yerdon who found some very interesting ways to get the word out. As always, Adrienne Giovino, with her technical expertise and assistance and George Neuman for his plant proceeds donation to the Conservation Fund.

The breakdown of the 2021 Auction income and expenses is as follows:

Gross earnings: \$3,819.80

Expenses: \$2,512.31 (plants, postage, member payouts)

Net Profit: \$1,307.48

I will reflect on this Auction to make changes to the process.

If you have any questions, or require any additional information, please let me know.

Gratefully, Susan Usseglio





Catt. harrisoniana

Den. rigidum





Lysudamuloa Red Jewel

Phrag. schlimii



Cheryl Keim with her hand painted sign

Can you believe it???

It is almost time! DON"T MISS IT! The 2nd Orchid Digest International Speakers Day: A Virtual Experience

All speakers live with Q&A

November 13, 2021 12:30 - 5:00 pm EDT Registration Fee: \$30 REGISTER

Can't join us?

Register and receive a link to the recording the next day!

Orchid Digest International Speakers Day Speakers:

Jis Sebastian: Orchid Science in India: Current Perspectives & Future Challenges
Jis has worked in the Western Ghats, India's Western & Eastern Himalayas, involved in research,
conservation, and community outreach. She is currently running research, conservation, and capacitybuilding programs in Orchid science and a climate-resilient, sustainable community model initiative in Idukki,
Kerala.

Henry Oakeley: Orchid Hunting in Peru

Henry has been growing orchids for 65 years, concentrating on *Lycaste*, *Ida*, and *Anguloa* for nearly 50 years. He is a Physician Emeritus and Garden fellow for the Royal College of Physicians of London medicinal garden. For the past ten years, his primary interest has been the history and uses of medicinal plants.

John Varigos: Borneo—Land of Wonder & Biodiversity

John, a pharmacologist and clinical trialist, has grown orchid species for over 40 years. He is an avid orchid photographer (over 20,000 photos on Flickr) and, for the past 20 years, has enjoyed traveling the world, trekking the jungles, and finding and photographing orchids in situ.

Jim Cootes: Orchid Species of the Philippines

Jim's interest in Philippine orchids started in the late 1970s when he visited the mountains of central Luzon. He saw many orchids that he could not identify, so he created a database. From this material, he has written 2 books and is working on the third volume as well as co-authored a book on Philippine dendrobiums.

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NHOS Exhibit at Mass. Orchid Society Show in October which captured second place.

Congratulations to individual awardees:

<u>Chuck Wingate</u>- Best Cymbidium
<u>Ann Chepjian</u>- Best Fantasy Orchid & Best Pleurothallis
<u>Chuck & Sue Andersen</u>- Spiranthes sinensis, Judges Commendation
& Penalia globulifera, Botanical Recognition

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