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Hello Everyone,

I'm happy to report a wonderful start to our new year in orchids. As you probably are aware, we took first place with our table display at the Fort Lauderdale Orchid Show and Sale. A lot of work and cooperation went into our award and I'd like to thank all involved.

Our next event is our Orchid Auction at our club meeting on March 13th. Please bring any plants, clean pots, mounting supplies, etc. that you'd like to contribute to the auction. This is a major fund raiser for the club.

Our speaker at the meeting this month is Dr. Wagner Vendarme Ph.D. I look forward to seeing you at the meeting on February 13 at 7:30!

Joe

A vertical poster for an orchid auction. The background is a dark blue oval with a decorative border of purple orchids and green leaves. The text is centered within the oval. At the top, it says 'DEERFIELD BEACH ORCHID SOCIETY' in yellow. Below that, 'Invites You To Our 5th Annual' in white script. The main title 'ORCHID AUCTION' is in large, bold, yellow letters. The date 'March 13, 2018' is in white. Below the date, 'Preview at 7:00 pm' and 'Auction begins at 7:30 pm' are in white. The website 'www.deerfieldbeachorchidsociety.org' and email 'deerfieldorchids@gmail.com' are in white. The location 'Woman's Club of Deerfield Beach' and address '910 E Hillsboro Boulevard, Deerfield Beach, FL 33441' are in yellow. At the bottom, a purple box contains the text 'the Auction is FREE and open to all!' in white and yellow.

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ORCHID SOCIETY**

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of Deerfield Beach**

910 E Hillsboro Boulevard
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

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January Ribbon Winners

Dendrobium Roy Tokunaga 'Semi Alba' x 'Spots'	Carol Ott
Ascocenda Supatra Delight White	Grace Holliday
Liparis grossa	Cheryl Babcock

THANK YOU!!!

A special thank you to Publix for providing our refreshments every month. They are certainly enjoyed by everyone.

Upcoming Speakers

February — Wagner Vendrame

March — Annual Auction

April—Roy Takanaka of H&R Orchids

May— Norman of Norman's Orchids (tentative)

June—Alex Lamazaras of Orchid Mania

July—Jose Exposito of Soroa Orchids

Happy Birthday

Elvia Kenney Feb 6

Katie Molz Feb 6

Susan York Feb 7

Don Carpenter Feb 8

Lisa Ray Feb 10

Lynn Allen Feb 11

Joe Ortlieb Feb 13

Jeff McMullen Feb 14

Rosemary Chenery Feb 17

Elliot Hechtman Feb 18

Janet Fabricant Feb 20

Rick Bellas Feb 22

Rex Martin Feb 27



****Reminder****

If you haven't already paid your 2018 dues, please do so at the February meeting. Linda Woodhouse will be collecting money at the membership table by the front door. We will also be collecting money for the 2017 show tickets that were distributed to everyone. Please see Debbie Dicks for payment.

If you will not be attending the meeting, we ask that you mail a check to the address below.

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society
PO BOX 732
Deerfield Beach, FL 33443.

Congratulations DBOS!!!

Congratulations to Carol Ott and Joe Ortlieb, Cochair persons for Deerfield Beach Orchid Society, winning first place in table decoration at the Fort Lauderdale Orchid Show. The club has won three of the last four years "first place". A special shout out congratulations to Grace Holiday winning an A.O.S award.



Speaker of the Month

Dr. Wagner Vendrame, Ph.D.

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Dr. Vendrame is a Professor in the Environmental Horticulture Department, working at TREC in Ornamental Horticulture and Biotechnology. He teaches courses on Orchid Biology and Culture and Micropropagation, both at the undergraduate and graduate levels. He also teaches an Orchid Short Course in Gainesville every other year. His research program involves production and conservation of ornamental plants using plant tissue culture and cryopreservation techniques, including orchids and many other ornamental plants. Additional studies included the evaluation of growth of plant cells under microgravity, with 5 experiments on board of the space shuttles Atlantis, Endeavour and Discovery, and the International Space Station National Laboratory. Dr. Vendrame has performed several studies on clonal propagation and cryopreservation of orchid species and hybrids and results were published in peer-reviewed scientific journals. More recently studies were initiated with bioreactors for fast and large-scale micropropagation of orchids, among other plants. Dr. Vendrame obtained his B.S. in Agricultural Sciences and M.Sc. in Plant Physiology and Biochemistry from the University of São Paulo, Brazil, and his Ph.D. in Horticulture from the University of Georgia.

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society Annual Social Events

These events may be held on the meeting date or on another day of the week instead of a general meeting.

1. **Mar 13, 2018** DBOS Orchid Auction. Held at the Deerfield Beach Women's Club.
Chairperson: Vince Dicks

2. **Mar 24, 2018** Orchid Home Ramble. Always a Saturday in addition to our regular meeting.
Chairpersons: Tammy Hall & Jesus Hill

3. **Apr 22, 2018** Spring Picnic/DBOS Birthday Party. Location: Quiet Waters Park
Chairpersons: Dennis Pearl, Lisa Krukoski & Jesus Hill

4. **Sept 22, 2018** Growers Bus Trip
Chairperson: Cheryl Babcock and Debbie Dicks

5. **Dec ?, 2018** Annual meeting/Pot Luck Dinner Our regular Dec. meeting to be held here.
Chairperson: Debbie Dicks and Cheryl Babcock

Please consider joining a committee to help out the Chairperson.

Renew Your DBOS Membership for 2018

We thank all of our members for their participation in our meetings, social activities, and continued support of DBOS. We sincerely appreciate your enthusiasm for our monthly speakers and raffle drawings, willingness to bring in your plants for judging so we can all enjoy them, and sharing your love of orchids and best practices with your fellow members.

We are starting our membership drive for 2018. Our dues structure has not increased. Anyone who joined DBOS in October-December 2017 will not have to pay dues for 2018. What a deal!

<u>Renewals</u>		<u>New Members</u>	
Individual	\$20.00 yr.	Individual	\$25.00 yr.
Couples	\$30.00 yr.	Couples	\$35.00 yr.
Jr. Membership	\$ 5.00 yr.	Jr. Membership	\$10.00 yr.

You are encouraged to bring a guest to our meetings who shares your love and enthusiasm for these lovely plants and gets to know our members and learn more about this "wonderful addiction".

Thank you for another terrific year. Our membership has grown this year, and we welcome all of our new members as well as our longtime supporters. We hope you have enjoyed the year as much as we have and will renew your membership for 2018. We will be collecting 2018 membership dues at the January and February 2018 meetings. Stop at the membership table and pay Linda Woodhouse who is in charge of membership. If you plan to mail your dues, please do so by February 17, 2018.

Mail your dues payable to: Deerfield Beach Orchid Society
PO Box 732
Deerfield Beach, FL 33443

Please Like Our Facebook Page



The image shows a Facebook page for the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society. The main header features a large photograph of several orchids in shades of pink, purple, and white. Below the header, the organization's name "Deerfield Beach Orchid Society" and its status as a "Non-Profit Organization" are displayed. To the left of the main image is a smaller profile picture of a purple orchid. At the bottom of the page, there are navigation tabs for "Timeline", "About", "Photos", "Likes", and "More". On the right side, there are interactive buttons: "Create Call to Action", "Liked" (with a heart icon), "Message" (with a speech bubble icon), and a three-dot menu icon.

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- 1/4 page: \$13 per month or \$125 per year
- 1/2 page: \$15 per month or \$150 per year
- Full Page: \$25 per month or \$250 per year

2018 Orchid Events

February 10 & 11

Boca Raton Orchid Society Show & Sale

Featuring orchids displays and sales, educational lectures, repotting service and AOS judging.

Safe Schools Institute, 1790 Spanish River Blvd., Corner of Military Trail and Spanish River Blvd.

Saturday & Sunday, 10am to 5pm

Admission: \$5

March 9-11

Fairchild 16th Annual International Orchid Festival

Journey through a world of orchids at the 15th Annual International Orchid Festival at Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, where more than 10,000 orchid plants will grace the Garden during the three-day festival.

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, 10901 Old Cutler Road, Coral Gables, FL 33156

Saturday & Sunday, 9:30am to 4:30pm

Admission: Members Free, Adult Non-Members \$25, Ages 65 and over \$18, Ages 6-17 \$12, Ages 5 & Under Free

March 13

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society Annual Auction

Women's Club of Deerfield Beach, 910 E. Hillsboro Blvd., Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

Tuesday, Preview at 7pm, Auction at 7:30pm

Admission: Free

March 31 & April 1

Flamingo Gardens Orchid & Bromeliad Expo and Sale

Flamingo Gardens, 3750 S. Flamingo Rd., Davie, FL 33330

Saturday & Sunday, 9:30am to 4:30pm

Admission: Adults \$19.95, Ages 3-11 \$12.95, Ages 2 & Under Free

Win FREE Raffle Tickets for You and Your Guest(s)

The chances of you winning a stunning orchid or other enticing item off our monthly raffle table are much greater than your chances of winning the lottery? We all like the opportunity to win a new orchid for our collection so why not bring a guest to our next meeting? Guests are welcome at all of our meetings and events. Your guest(s) will each receive five FREE raffle tickets. After a guest visits the monthly meetings twice and wants to continue attending meetings, we respectfully ask them to become a member and pay the annual dues. If a guest joins in, October, November or December 2017, this will include their 2018 membership dues as well.

BONUS: If your guest joins the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society, you will receive 10 FREE raffle tickets!

Top Reasons to Join the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

- Monthly Orchid Raffles
- Guest Speakers Monthly
- Monthly Newsletters
- Monthly Drawings
- Annual Show & Sale—Orchid Obsession
- Annual Home Ramble
- Monthly Judging and Awarding of Ribbons to Member's Orchids
- Annual Bus Trip
- Annual Orchid Auction
- Annual Picnic
- Annual Holiday Dinner
- Access to our Orchid Library
- Insightful & Informative Web Page

For further information on how to join the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society (DBOS), please contact Cheryl Babcock or John Williams, DBOS Membership Chairs, at crbabcock1@netzero.net or call 954-464-8996

JUST A REMINDER: Use of the membership roster is limited to the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society, American Orchid Society and affiliated society news dissemination only. Use of the roster for commercial purposes is prohibited and is cause for cancellation of membership for misuse.

Calendar of Meetings

Monday, February 12, 7:30 PM

Ft. Lauderdale Orchid Society, Inc.

Christ Lutheran Church Parish Hall
1955 E. Oakland Park Blvd. Ft. Lauderdale, FL

Tuesday, February 13, 7:30 PM

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

Woman's Club of Deerfield Beach
910 E. Hillsboro Blvd, Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

Wednesday, February 14, 7:30 PM

Delray Beach Orchid Society

The Adult Recreation Center in Veterans Park
802 NE First Street, Delray Beach, FL.

Thursday, February 8 7:30 PM

Boca Raton Orchid Society

Safe Schools Institute -Don Estridge
Middle School
1790 NW Spanish River Blvd, Boca Raton, FL.

2018 Committee Positions

AOS Representative	Vince Dicks
Events	Cheryl Babcock Debbie Dicks
Librarian	DBOS Officers/ Board of Directors
Membership	Linda Woodhouse
Newsletter	Lisa Krukoski
Nominating	DBOS Officers/ Board of Directors
Plant Judging	John Budree
Publicity	Cheryl Babcock
Raffle Table	Dennis Pearl Jesus Hill
Refreshments	Dennis Pearl
Sunshine	Lois Larson
Webmaster	Joe Ortlieb

Sunshine Committee

Did you know that we have a **Sunshine Committee**? Lois Larson is kind enough to send a card to any society member that is ill or in the hospital. If you know of someone that could use a little uplifting card, please contact Lois either by phone 954-782-2314 or email at lois-j2200@yahoo.com