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Hi all,

Tuesday March 8th is our annual auction! Come join us for a lively and spirited evening. We are currently amassing an array of plants, pots, potting materials, etc. to auction off. We are still taking donations, so if you have any cuttings, clean pots etc, please bring them on Tuesday by 7:00 PM. Preview and registration will begin at 7:00 and the auction will begin promptly at 7:30. We again will have Mac Rivenbark of Mac's Orchids as our featured Auctioneer. This is not only a fun evening but a fund raiser for our club so please come join us!

Thank you to all who joined us on our Home Ramble. As always it's great to share a day together with fellow orchid enthusiasts! Many thanks to our Ramble coordinator Tammy Hall and our wonderful hosts: Grace Holliday, Jesus Hill and John Dolan, Susan Kolinski, Adrienne Jaffe, Joe Ortlieb and Dennis Pearl for providing a day of food, fun. and orchids!

We will be having a group picnic on Sunday, April 24th so mark your calendars. More info on that will be forthcoming.

Please come join us for the excitement of our Auction on Tuesday and as always, bring a friend.

Vince

Happy Birthday

Robin Paley Mar 2

Codia Carter Mar 4

Robert Fabricant Mar 4

Peter Dahl Mar 5

David Felton Mar 14

Heidi Feser Mar 14

Debbie Dicks Mar 15

Kristie Colina Mar 16

John Williams Mar 25

Marilyn McMullen Mar 27

Mary Pavlinek Mar 28

Roz Waitman Mar 29



Upcoming Speakers

March — Auction

April — Luis Del Pino “From Flask to Finish”

Highlights From Our Home Ramble

Photos courtesy of Elvia Kenney





A flyer for the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society's 3rd Annual Orchid Auction. The flyer features a background of various orchids in shades of pink, purple, orange, and white. The text is centered and includes the society's name, the event title, date, times, website, and contact information. A purple box at the bottom states that the auction is free and open to all.

**DEERFIELD BEACH
ORCHID SOCIETY**

Invites You To Our 3rd Annual

**ORCHID
AUCTION**

March 8, 2016

Preview at 7:00 pm
Auction begins at 7:30 pm

www.deerfieldbeachorchidsociety.org
deerfieldorchids@gmail.com

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

the Auction is
FREE
and open to all!

Welcome New Members!!

Judy Leslie
Arlene Schneider
Sue Louise Ullom
Janet Lewis
Nye Woodhouse
Bill Scott

New for 2016 - - - - A Chance to win \$250!!

Beginning in 2016 the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society will implement a new 'point' system.

For every monthly meeting, society event, ramble you attend etc. (details below) you will be given points. At the end of the year, if you have received 11 points or greater you will be eligible to win \$250 from the Society. All qualifying members' names will be put in a hat and a winner will be picked at our annual Holiday Party.

Monthly Meeting	1 Point
Picnic	1 Point
Home Ramble	1 Point
Bus Trip	1 Point
Volunteer at Show	2 Points

Please remember to sign in at the monthly meetings or you might lose your points!

****All DBOS Board members will be excluded from this event.**

Patti Resso, Artist by the Sea



Patti Resso, a member of the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society (DBOS), is influenced by the beauty of the movement of watercolor paint and the spontaneity achieved by its unexpected meanderings across the paper. Patti has designed and donated the art that appears on the DBOS rack cards for the Orchid Obsession Show and Sale on November 19-20, 2016, and the rack card for the upcoming Orchid Auction on March 8, 2016.

Patti is donating a painting for the orchid auction which will be an 11 x 15 in a 16 x 20 mat. Be at the auction so you will be able to bid on this stunning, one-of-a-kind piece of art along with all the beautiful orchids that will be up for bid.

Patti usually paints what she is currently interested in; orchids, flowers, birds, tropical landscapes, and whatever else she may come across that sparks her creativity. When an idea pops into her head, she'll start with some visual and contextual research on the subject. Her biggest challenge is trying to capture the light and dimension of the subject with the color and movement of the paint on the paper.

Patti's paintings are meant to be fun and enjoyable. She wants you to look at it and think about the subject matter, and, hopefully, it will take you to a happy place, even if just for a fleeting moment.

www.pattipaintings.com

Member of the Palm Beach County Water Color Society

Member of the Florida Water Color Society

Paintings have displayed at The Coral Springs Museum of Art, Palm Beach Cultural Arts Building, Armory Art Center, and Pompano Beach BACA Art Display

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. **Feb 20, 2016** Orchid Home Ramble. Always a Saturday in addition to our regular meeting.
Chairpersons: Tammy Hall & Susie Martin

2. **Mar 8, 2016** DBOS Orchid Auction. Held at the Deerfield Beach Women's Club.
Chairperson: Vince Dicks

3. **Apr 24, 2016** Spring Picnic/DBOS Birthday Party. Location: Quiet Waters Park
Chairpersons: Dennis Pearl & Lisa Krukoski

4. **Sept ?, 2016** Growers Bus Trip
Chairperson: Cheryl Babcock and Debbie Dicks

5. **Dec ?, 2016** Annual meeting/Pot Luck Dinner Our regular Dec. meeting to be held here.
Chairperson: Debbie Dicks & Cheryl Babcock

Please consider joining a committee to help out the Chairperson.

Renew Your DBOS Membership for 2016

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 2016. Our dues structure has not increased. Anyone who joins DBOS in October-December 2015 will not have to pay dues for 2016. 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 or bring a neighbor who can share your love and enthusiasm for these lovely plants and get 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 2016. We will be collecting 2016 membership dues at the October and November 2015 meetings and the January and February 2016 meetings. Stop at the membership table and pay John or Cheryl. If you plan to mail your dues, please do so by February 19, 2016.

Mail your dues payable to: Cheryl Babcock
Deerfield Beach Orchid Society
5532 NW 60th Drive
Coral Springs, FL 33167

Please Like Our New Facebook Page



The image shows a Facebook page for the Deerfield Beach Orchid Society. The main header features a large photograph of various orchids in shades of pink, purple, and white. Below the header, the page name "Deerfield Beach Orchid Society" is displayed, followed by "Non-Profit Organization". To the right of the name are buttons for "Create Call to Action", "Liked" (with a dropdown arrow), and "Message" (with a dropdown arrow). At the bottom of the page, there are navigation tabs for "Timeline", "About", "Photos", "Likes", and "More" (with a dropdown arrow).

Please support our sponsors



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2016 Orchid Events

March 11-13

Fairchild 14th Annual International Orchid Festival

Immerse yourself within the world of orchids with over 10,000 orchid plants from local and international vendors. Learn about growing and care for orchids at home, pick up handmade products from artisan vendors, enjoy delicious foods from local vendors or marvel at the rare orchid species in the American Orchid Society juried show, presented by the Orchid Society of Coral Gables.

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

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

Admission: Adults \$25, Members Free, Seniors \$18, Children 6-17 \$12, Children 5 and under Free

March 26 & 27

Flamingo Gardens Orchid & Bromeliad Expo & Sale

Experience the beauty and diversity of orchids and bromeliads with Flamingo Gardens' 35th International Orchid and Bromeliad Show. Over 30 vendors will have rare and exotic orchids and bromeliads on display and for sale along with an American Orchid Society judged orchid show hosted by the Flamingo Gardens Orchid Society. Find orchid supplies, enjoy lectures and demonstrations from orchid and bromeliad experts plus music, food and more. For Easter kids can meet the Bunny and make Easter crafts.

Flamingo Gardens, 3750 South Flamingo Road, Davie, FL 33330

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

Admission: Adults \$19.95, Children 3-11 \$12.95, Children 2 and under Free

May 13, 14 & 15

Redland International Orchid Festival

FREE parking, potting and storage tent, international food court, orchid supplies and informative lectures. Bus tours welcome!

Fruit & Spice Park, 24801 SW 187 Ave., Homestead, FL

Friday, Saturday & Sunday 9am to 5pm

Admission: \$10/Day, or \$25/3 Days

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 September, October, November or December 2015, this will include their 2016 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

Thursday, March 10, 7:30 PM

Boca Raton Orchid Society

Safe Schools Institute -Don Estridge Middle School

1790 NW Spanish River Blvd, Boca Raton, FL.

Monday, March 14, 7:30 PM

Ft. Lauderdale Orchid Society, Inc.

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

Tuesday, March 8, 7:30 PM

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

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

Wednesday, March 9, 7:30 PM

Delray Beach Orchid Society

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

2015 Committee Positions

AOS Representative	Vince Dicks
Events	Cheryl Babcock Debbie Dicks
Librarian	DBOS Officers/ Board of Directors
Membership	Cheryl Babcock John Williams
Newsletter	Lisa Krukoski
Nominating	DBOS Officers/ Board of Directors
Plant Judging	John Budree
Publicity	Cheryl Babcock
Raffle Table	Dennis Pearl Jesus Hill
Refreshments	Mary Pritchard Dennis Pearl Millicent Hammill
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 loisj2200@yahoo.com