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Hello Everyone,

As we enter October, the days are cooler and shorter. That means less time for your plants to dry during the day. Make sure you adjust your watering accordingly. Water less frequently and earlier in the day. Make sure you use magnesium to avoid reddening of the foliage. Epsom salts is the cheapest and most easily acquired. Use at the rate of one tablespoon per gallon of water. Lower phosphate fertilizers are also recommended as the growth season comes to an end. It's also time to place your Dendrobium Nobiles, Dendrobium Anosums, Catesetums, and Cynoches in areas of brighter light, stop fertilizing and cut back drastically on watering. Enjoy our "fall" and get ready for our "winter".

A great time was had by everyone on the bus trip to the growers, once the initial issues with the bus company was worked through. Thanks for everyone's patience, and the great members that made it happen! Cheryl won the beautiful large old growth Cypress piece from Nature's Relics. Congratulations Cheryl!

Our next event is our orchid show and sale. "Orchid Obsession" is November 17 and 18. We need all members to take an active role in the show preparations both before the show and during the show. We will be passing around a signup sheet at our member meeting October 9th. Please sign up to help. We need people for both days, but we need more people to sign up for Sunday. The Show and Sale is a very enjoyable and rewarding experience. Join in the fun! We also will have posters and rack cards as well as tickets to be distributed at the member meeting Tuesday October 9. See you there!

President Joe

September Ribbon Winners

Brassolaelia Hawaii Stars	Blue	Grace Holliday
Rhycattleanthe Chief Sweet Orange	Blue	Joe Ortlieb / Dennis Pearl
Oncidium Sweet Sugar "Million Dollar"	Blue	Joe Ortlieb / Dennis Pearl
Ascocenda Thai Spot	Blue	Joe Ortlieb / Dennis Pearl
Ascocenda "Kulwadee Fragrance" x Ascocenda Dr. Anek	Blue	Grace Holliday
Encyclia plicata "Efrain" x Encyclia plicata "Clenforges"	Blue	Susan Kolinsky
Dendrobium Bigibbum Compactum	Culture	Grace Holliday
Dendrobium Enobi Purple "Splash"	Culture	Joe Ortlieb / Dennis Pearl

Happy Birthday

Oct 06 Ken Bingham

Oct 08 Vince Dicks

Oct 25 Rose Pangerl

Oct 26 Stephanie Morkert

Oct 27 Deborah Balfour

Oct 28 Annie Brennan-Smith



DEERFIELD BEACH ORCHID SOCIETY
presents

ORCHID *Obsession*

7th Annual Orchid Show & Sale



November 17 and 18, 2018
10:00 am – 5:00 pm

General Admission \$5.00 Cash Only – Children under 12 Free



Safe Schools Institute

1790 Spanish River Boulevard ~ Boca Raton, FL 33431

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Orchid Obsession Orchid Art by Patti Resso

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Attention All Deerfield Beach Orchid Society Members!

We want to thank all the members that have already signed up to volunteer at our show on November 17th and 18th. We are in need of more volunteers however, especially on Sunday. There are two 4 hour shifts available on both Saturday and Sunday- one in the morning and one in the afternoon. If you could spare 4 hours that weekend to help out the society we would truly appreciate it. Its easy, fun 'work' and a chance to get to know your fellow members and the vendors better. The tasks range from selling tickets, collecting tickets at the door, handing out brochures, selling raffle tickets, assisting in the kitchen, security at the door, membership etc.

Please also bring in your beautiful orchids for AOS judging on Friday from 3pm to 6pm. This is an excellent way to showcase your plants and possibly win a ribbon from the American Orchid Society. There will also be cash prizes for best plant and best hobbyist plant.

A great big THANK YOU to PUBLIX for donating the refreshments for our meeting every month. There is nothing better than Publix pastries!

Annual DBOS Bus Trip Photos by John Morris





Speaker of the Month

John Budree

Papheopedelum Orchids

Ramnarine John Budree, was born in Trinidad and migrated to Florida about fourteen some years ago. In Trinidad he grew many different types of orchids and took part in collecting and showing at many shows, but there was always something more. He wanted to learn more about orchids, wanted more of a challenge. He wanted to grow and flower them, of course. So when he came to Florida, he got involved with orchids on a different level. Here he was able to grow all of those types of plants he could only read about and even meet all of those people that grew and wrote the articles that he had read in AOS magazines.

So he started on his journey/adventure. He started to go to many of the shows and what you do when you go to a show, **YOU BUY ORCHIDS**, which you know nothing about, in the hope you can grow or flower it [yea right]. He always liked Paphiopedilum but he was told he couldn't grow them. This became a challenge to John and he found these plants very interesting as well. He met some of the biggest and the best at growing orchids, Jack Schendowich, Warren Kelly {Orchid World}, Bob Skully {Jones & Skully}, Mr. Frank Smith {Krull-Smith} and Sheldon Takasaki {Carmela Orchids}. These people really know how to grow orchids but not just orchids, Paphiopedilum, Cattleya, Phalaenopsis, Dendrobium, and Oncidium, e.g.. Krull Smith has more AOS awards than any other orchid grower past or present

 *Delray Beach*
Orchid Society

ORCHIDS
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Orchid Show & Sale

October 26–28, 2018

FRI/SAT 10–5 • SUN 10–4

ADMISSION \$5

Held inside Old School Square Fieldhouse
51 N. Swinton Ave, Delray Beach, FL 33444
www.DelrayBeachOrchidSociety.com
Call 561-573-2422 or 561-573-2360

Highlights From Our September Meeting

Photos Courtesy of John Morris



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 ?, 2019** DBOS Orchid Auction. Held at the Deerfield Beach Women's Club.
Chairperson: Vince Dicks

2. **Mar ?, 2019** Orchid Home Ramble. Always a Saturday in addition to our regular meeting.
Chairpersons: Tammy Hall & Jesus Hill

3. **Apr ?, 2019** Spring Picnic/DBOS Birthday Party. Location: Quiet Waters Park
Chairpersons: Dennis Pearl, Lisa Krukoski & Jesus Hill

4. **Sept ?, 2019** Growers Bus Trip
Chairperson: Cheryl Babcock and Debbie Dicks

5. **Dec 1, 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 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 is a navigation bar with tabs for "Timeline", "About", "Photos", "Likes", and "More" (with a dropdown arrow).

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2018 Orchid Events

October 26-28 2018

Delray Beach Orchid Society Annual Show

What's the connection between Halloween and orchids? Both are weirdly wonderful and great fun, and both arrive at Old School Square each year in late October. The Delray Beach Orchid Society's annual show and . Our growers are generous with their expertise, so you can learn how to care for your acquisitions. Have fun participating in our raffles. Enjoy the work of budding artists from a local elementary school, inspired by the exotic beauty of our favorite flowers.

Old School Square Vintage Gymnasium Building, 51 N. Swinton Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33444

Friday & Saturday: 10am to 5pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm

Admission: \$5, Children under 6 are free

November 17-18

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society "Orchid Obsession" Show

The Deerfield Beach Orchid Society (DBOS) is holding its annual Orchid Show & Sale, Orchid Obsession, at the Safe Schools Institute in Boca Raton. Thousands of specimens from ten Florida growers will be for sale ensuring that these fascinating and exotic plants will be appropriate for your own backyard. Your spirits will be lifted when you see the spectacular table displays our vendors will be showcasing, which will be judged by American Orchid Society (AOS) judges on Saturday, November 17. Our non-orchid vendors will provide everything you need to grow beautiful orchids including pots and plant benches/stands.

Safe Schools Institute, 1790 Spanish River Blvd., Boca Raton, FL 33431

Saturday & Sunday: 10am to 5pm

Admission: \$5, Children under 12 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 Linda Woodhouse, DBOS Membership Chair, at deerfieldorchid@gmail.com 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, October 8, 7:30 PM

Ft. Lauderdale Orchid Society, Inc.

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

Tuesday, October 9, 7:30 PM

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

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

Wednesday, October 10, 7:30 PM

Delray Beach Orchid Society

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

Thursday, October 11, 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	Varies
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 loisj2200@yahoo.com