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Wow, it's February already. For those of you who forgot to renew your membership dues in January (myself included) stop by and see Donna at the membership table. While you are there you can also pick up a copy of the 2014 roster. Thanks Cheryl Babcock for MAKING the time to get those printed for us.

For those of you who did not get a chance to attend the Ft. Lauderdale Show, our very own Claudia Barrington walked away with the 'Grand Champion' award in the Hobbiest Division, the highest award available. Way to go Claudia! Meanwhile our tag relay team of John Budree, Carol Ott, Rosemary Chenery, and Dennis Pearl were awarded the bronze medal in the Society Division and made some new friends in the process. Another fine performance!

Our February speaker will be Carlos Cahiz of OFE International going over the fine points of growing. In March we will be having an Orchid Auction. This is a fun time and also a fund raiser for our club. The better attended, the better chance of raising money so tell your friends, tell your neighbors, tell your enemies and their neighbors and let's have a great time.

Lastly we have decided on Sat. April 12 as the date of our annual Home Ramble. If you are interested in being a host or just participating please contact Debbie Dicks or Cheryl Babcock.

See you all at the meeting......Vince

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January Ribbon Winners

Rynchostylis gigantea "white"	Jim Peer
Dendrobium Spectabile	Claudia Barrington
Paphiopedilum insigne var. Sanderae	Grace Holliday
Vanda Josephine Van Brero x Vanda Diane Ogawa	Rosemary Chenery
Paphiopedilum spicerianum ('#2" x Stone Lovely "C.H. #4")	Joe Ortlieb
Laeliocattleya Coastal Splendor x Laelia undulata	Joe Ortlieb
Laeliacattleya Santa Barbara Sunset "Showtime"	Joe Ortlieb
Vanda Luzonica x Ascocenda Gua Chia Long	Joe Ortlieb
Brassocattleya Hawaiian Agenda "Florida Winter"	Joe Ortlieb
Vanda Gordon Dillon Gua Chia Long "Purple Spot Beauty"	Joe Ortlieb
Oncidium Sharry Baby	Joe Ortlieb
Dendrobium Lori's Star	Joe Ortlieb

Kappy Birthdag

Joe Ortlieb Feb 13
Ed Waldin Jr Feb 15
Rosemary Chenery Feb 17
Marty Hunt Feb 22



Congratulations Claudia Barrington on your Grand Champion Hobbyist award for your Dendrobium Spectabile!!



Speaker of the Month

Carlos Cahiz of OFE International

Our speaker of the month will be Carlos Cahiz of OFE International in Miami Fl. Carlos will be going over orchid care. For some of our newer members this will be must see TV. For others it will be a chance to relearn some things we have forgotten and to catch up on anything new. For everybody this will be a chance to stock up on fertilizer, insect control, fugicides and a wide variety of orchid supplies.

See you there and bring a friend!

Upcoming Speakers

March—Orchid Auction April—Dr. Brian Monk from Blu Llama Orchids May-Guillero Salazar on Orchids of El Salvador





Orchid Auction

Tuesday, March 11, 2014

Preview at 7:00 PM - Auction begins at 7:30 PM



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

The auction is FREE and open to all.

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society T-Shirts for Sale

In case you missed the first T-shirt sale we had a couple of months ago, we will have the remaining T-shirts at our February meeting for sale. The T-shirts are \$10.00.

It is always a good idea to wear your shirts to any orchid events or shows that you may attend. This helps promote our society and gives us an opportunity to let people know what we do.

Save the Date!!

April 12, 2014 DBOS Annual Orchid Ramble

Come join us as we visit our member's homes to see how they grow their orchids and pick up some tips and tricks from people you know.

Further details to follow.

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.

I. Apr 12, 2014 Orchid Ramble. Always a Saturday in addition to our regular meeting.

Leaving Women's Club at 9am

Chairperson: Debbie Dicks & Cheryl Babcock

2. Oct. ??, 2014 Fall Festival/DBOS Birthday Party. Held in Constitution Park, Deerfield

Beach Arboretum.
Chairperson: Needed

3. TBD 2014 Third Growers Bus Trip

Chairperson: Cheryl Babcock and Debbie Dicks

5. Dec?, 2014 Annual meeting/Holiday Party. Our regular December meeting to be held here

Chairperson: Grace Holliday Assisted by Debbie Dicks and Cheryl Babcock

Please consider joining a committee to help out the Chairperson.

The Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

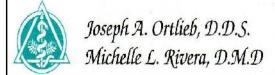
Invites you to our Mother's Day Orchid Arrangement Sale

Saturday, May 10, 2014 Sale is from Noon to 6pm



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Membership News!!

As you all know, when you bring a guest to a meeting the guest will receive 5 raffle tickets for a chance to win an item from our raffle table.

Now, if your guest should become a member, you will receive 10 raffle tickets at the next meeting! That is a win-win for everyone involved.

So round up your friends and invite them to join us at one of our monthly meetings. We always welcome new members.

2014 Orchid Events

February 8-9

Boca Raton Orchid Society Show

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

Safe Schools Institute, 1790 NW Spanish River Blvd., Boca Raton, FL Saturday and Sunday 10am to 5pm Admission: \$5

March 7-9

Fairchild 12th Annual International Orchid Festival

Choose from over 10,000 orchid plants from vendors from around the world. Explore the wonder of orchids during our garden workshops and walking tours. Marvel at rare orchid species in the American Orchid Society juried show, presented by the Orchid Society of Coral Gables. Enjoy wonderful food and live entertainment.

Fairchild Tropic Botanic Garden, 10901 Old Cutler Rd., Miami, FL Friday through Sunday 9:30am to 4:30pm Admission: Free to members and children 5 and under, \$25 non-member, \$18 seniors 65 and up, \$12 children 6-17

April 19-20

33rd International Orchid & Bromeliad Show

Flamingo Gardens, 3750 S. Flamingo Road, Davie, FL Admission: \$18 age 12 and up, \$10 ages 4-11, Ages 3 and under free

April 26-27

Mounts Botanical Garden Spring Plant Sale

This annual plant sale features over 80 vendors with an amazing assortment of quality plants and goods. Palms, orchids, bamboo, begonias, bromeliads, fruit trees, and many other types of plants will be for sale. This is your opportunity to learn about the plants that grow well in South Florida and it's the best place to find something new for your garden. The American Hibiscus Society, Sunrise-Conrad Chapter & Greater Palm Beach Rose Society will be having their annual show & judging featuring many of the state's best blooms. Plants will be available at their booths. The Palm Beach County Woodturners will be selling a large selection of their beautiful woodturnings.

Mounts Botanical Garden, 559 N. Military Trail, West Palm Beach, FL Saturday 9am to 5pm, Sunday 9am to 4pm

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.

New Dues for 2014

We thank all our members for their participation in our meetings and their continued support of DBOS! ne dues increase was required by increases to fixed costs to run the Society. We sincerely appreciate our membe

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Renewals		<u>New Members</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 a wonderful year, and we hope to keep you as a member in our Society.

Mail your dues payable to Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

Share Your Story...

Be Part Of The Newsletter

In order to keep the newsletter interesting, I'm suggesting that members share their stories with us. We've had articles from members in the past and everyone loved it! I think that this will be a fun way to learn what other members have to contribute. We've all had our experiences with orchids... Now is the time to share yours with us. All articles can be given to me at a meeting so I can scan it into the newsletter. Or, you can email it to me at

DBOSorchids@gmail.com. It must be in typed form. Pictures are okay. The article:

Email me your story today!

Once, Twice, Three Times A Member

We always encourage members to bring a guest to our educational monthly meetings. This helps promote and increase our membership. Our speakers cost money. After an individual is a guest more than 2 times, they are no longer considered a guest and need to join the society by paying the Annual Dues. Being a member has so many benefits why would you not want to join after being a guest a few times? See Donna Edwards for New Membership

Galendar of Meetings

Thursday, February 13, 7:30 PM

Boca Raton Orchid Society

Safe Schools Institute -Don Estridge Middle School

1790 NW Spanish River Blvd, Boca Raton, FL.

Monday, February 10 7:30 PM

Ft. Lauderdale Orchid Society, Inc.

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

Tuesday, February 11, 7:30 PM

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society-Woman's Club of Deerfield Beach

911 E. Hillsboro Blvd, Deerfield Beach, Fl 33441

Wednesday, February 12, 7:30 PM

Delray Beach Orchid Society

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

2013 Committee Positions

Membership	Donna Edwards
Programs	.Vince Dicks
Newsletter	.Lisa Krukoski
Sunshine	.Lois Larson
Raffle Table	.Vince & Debbie Dicks
Nominating	. DBOS Board
Publicity	Cheryl Babcock
Plant Table	Speaker or DBOS
Events	Cheryl Babcock &
	Debbie Dicks
Refreshments	Mary Pritchard &
	Millicent Hammill
AOS Representative	Rosemary Chenery
Courtesy	Denice Willis
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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 loisi2200@yahoo.com

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Deerfield Beach Orchid Society, founded in 1965, is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization. The purpose of our society is to stimulate interest, provide education and enable the exchange of information among those interested in the culture of orchids in all of its aspects. We are affiliated with the American Orchid Society.

Deerfield Beach Orchid Society

We meet once a month (except
December when we have our Annual
Meeting at another location) on the
second Tuesday of the month. Our
meetings are held at the Deerfield
Beach Woman's Center, located at 910
E. Hillsboro Blvd. The building is
located 2 miles east of I-95, on the
south side of Hillsboro Blvd. Meetings
start promptly at 7:30 pm.

Each meeting consists of a educational program about orchids, refreshments provided by the members, ribbon judging of member's plants, a raffle table of orchids and orchid sales either by the speaker or members.

The general public is invited to attend.

INVITE A FRIEND!