

New Orleans Orchid Society's Newsletter



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Meeting Notice:

Tuesday, July 16, 2024 6:30pm

Lakeview Presbyterian Church
5914 Canal Blvd, New Orleans, LA

Program:

NOOS 73rd Birthday Bash

Orchid Basics: None



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President's Message

Happy Birthday.....to US! Please join us as we celebrate 73 years as the New Orleans Orchid Society on Tuesday, July 16 at 630. Bring your favorite dish and enjoy the great food, giveaways and reminiscing of days gone by!! We look to the past and the many seasoned growers to find out how it all began!! As for the future, it looks VERY bright as we have a renewed sense of purpose, more activities, and more surprises to come! Thanks for coming along for the ride!! We couldn't do it without you!!

Denise

Upcoming events from Program Director

- NOOS 73rd Birthday Bash! See attached invitation. Spouses/others are invited. Festive birthday attire suggested!
- Susan Goss took part in Longuevue gardens Summerscapes' Camp on Tuesday July 9th and talked about orchids with 20 5-10 year olds. They were very interested and asked great questions. Susan had several different orchids for them to examine. They finished the hour by coloring pictures of orchids to take home. Thank you to Ann Roth for lending plants, and for her Orchid Fact Sheet which she created with the help of her 16 year old granddaughter. Everyone learned a new word: Epiphyte!
- Volunteers continue to work in the Pelican Orchid Greenhouse at City

Park. Thank you to new member volunteers Daniel Zelaya and Toni Bourquard.

- August Meeting: Tuesday August 20th. Intersociety plant sale! You purchased new plants at the Lakeside Mall sale and in Baton Rouge! What do you need to purge from your collection? Bring it to the meeting and let's buy each other's orchids. Will you donate a portion of your sales to NOOS? Not required but a nice idea. Several special orchids will be auctioned by our talented Ann Roth! Program by member Matt Meyers from Foo Foo Orchids who will discuss mounting orchids.
- An active, vibrant society needs the involvement of all members! Please consider volunteering for a committee. It would be great to have vibrant membership, speakers bureau and community engagement committees. Please sign up at the table

Baton Rouge Show Results

Congratulations to Marian Prigmore and Ann Roth for winning the trophy for less than 50 ft² exhibit!

Congratulations to Carol for one of the 3 AOS awards at the show! Carol's Vanda Snookie 'Sprite' was awarded an HCC of 79 points.



Vanda Snookie 'Sprite' HCC/AOS

NOOS Results from Baton Rouge Show			
Plant	Class	Owner	Ribbon
Phal. Pulcherrima x Summer Wine	331	Carol Stauder	Blue
C. tigrina alba	122	Ann Roth	Red
Phal. Sapphire's Gelah	331	Ann Roth	
Van. Lou Sneary	304	Donna Rasch	
Pda. Comeels Cilliers	316	Pat Herbert	Blue
Phal. Bronze Buddha	334	Ann Roth	
V. Snookie	315	Carol Stauder	White HCC/AOS 79
Phal. Cornu-cervi	325	Carol Stauder	Blue
Phal. T-Hsin Mirage	342	Donna Rasch	Blue
V. Noppom Golden Dream	314	Pat Herbert	Red
Van. Ploenpit Prize	304	Pat Herbert	
V. teres	306	Marian Prigmore	Blue
Paph. Fred Fantastically	232	Donna Rasch	Red
Exhibit	930	Marian and Ann	Blue Trophy < 50ft ²

Minutes of June 18, 2024 Meeting

President Denise Emmer greeted everyone at 6:30 p.m. and invited them to enjoy refreshments, buy raffle tickets and participate in table judging for the next half hour.

At 7:07 p.m., Denise called the meeting to order and introduced guests and new members.

Reports

- Vice-President Susan Goss deferred her report until later in the meeting.
- Secretary Ann Ebert reported that we currently have 71 members.
- Treasurer Gayle Dellinger gave a brief report.

Old Business:

- Show Chair Marian Prigmore gave a report on the NOOS Show and thanked everyone who participated.
- Denise presented Marian with 2 orchid plants in appreciation for her work on the show. Denise also presented her with the trophy won by NOOS for their exhibit.
- Denise announced that every vendor at the show donated plants to NOOS for use as raffle prizes.
- Susan thanked new volunteers at the Pelican Greenhouse: Daniel Zelaya and David Hessler.

New Business:

- Susan announced the following events:
- A repotting event at Harolds, to take place on June 22 from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. We need volunteers to assist. Proceeds go to NOOS.
- A kid-friendly orchid presentation at Longuevue Gardens on Tuesday, July 7. We need volunteers to assist.
- Our meeting on July 16 will be a birthday party for NOOS. We will have a potluck dinner, birthday cake and door prizes. Nancy Click passed around a signup list so that members could indicate the dishes they will be bringing.
- The Baton Rouge Show will be July 13 – 14. We need volunteers for setup and breakdown.
- At our August meeting, we will have an intersociety plant sale and a live auction of plants.
- The Tangipahoa Garden Club needs a speaker for its September meeting. Let Susan know if you can help out.

Plant judging results were presented by Carol Stauder.
Plant raffle, birthday raffle and door prize.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:50 p.m.

Monthly Winners

Date by Day Tuesday, June 18, 2024

	Award Member	Plant	
BG-1	Pat Herbert	V Siripom Pink	
BG-2	Cody Nguyen	Rhy coelestis 'Blue'	
BH-1		Paph Fred Fantastically	The owner of these two plants failed to fill in
BH-2		Paph Petula's Attraction	their name. Pls text me at 504-717-0626 to claim.
BS-1	Cody Nguyen	Den unicum	
BS-2	Marian Prigmore	V teres	

Summary for 'Date' = 6/18/2024 (6 detail records)

Just as a reminder, not all categories have a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place. In order to receive Award Points, a plant must have at least 4 votes.