



June 2012

# Pinelands Orchid Society

<http://www.pinelandsorchidsociety.org>

P.O. Box 954 - Voorhees, NJ 08043



## President's Message

I know there were some of you at the Auction in May who sadly shook your heads and thought "She's gone over the edge," when I bid on and won the *Dendrobium igneus*. But look what it does!!!

For those of you who missed the auction, you missed some fabulous plants at amazingly great prices. Many thanks to all who contributed, and to Maurice, our auctioneer extraordinaire.

The June meeting is our annual Hoagies and Desserts Awards evening. We will announce our show table winners for the year while enjoying a lovely evening of hoagies and desserts. Be sure to come and join us!



*Valerie*

### Monthly Meeting—June 5th, 2012

The next meeting of Pinelands Orchid Society will be held on **Tuesday, June 5th** at Medford Leas, 1 Medford Leas Way, Medford, NJ 08055



**Doors will open to accept Show Table Plants at 7:00 p.m.**

#### Please Remember:

Show Table plants, along with their completed Show Table slips, must be on the Show Tables by **7:30 p.m. sharp** in order to be eligible for judging!

If your last name begins with the letters **A** through **G** Please bring a snack to share. The society will provide Hot and cold beverages.

### Elections

It is time for elections for 2012-2013.

Our Society's bylaws state that the Society is to have annual elections. It also states that the President may not serve more than two consecutive terms. However, the bylaws can be changed by a vote of the members.

We are proposing that the slate of officers remain the same for the coming year:

Valerie Oldham, President  
Rosanne Nunez, Vice President  
John DeGood, Secretary/Treasurer

One Trustee will change.

We will vote on this exception to the bylaws at the June meeting, and then we will vote on the slate of officers. Should you have any questions, please contact one of the officers to discuss.

# The Orchid Calendar

- **Tuesday, June 5th—Pinelands Orchid Society's** monthly meeting and our **Annual Show Table Awards Presentation!**
- **June 8th - 10th—Shore Orchid Festival**—This the third year of this wonderful outdoor event hosted by Silva Orchids, and it promises to be the best. Lots of fantastic vendors, free workshops, and great food. All activities are tented so we are on, rain or shine.
- **June 22nd-23rd—Waldor Orchids 2012 Summer Sale—20% Off!** - This is a great opportunity to add a few new plants to your collection or decorate your home for the summer season. It is also the perfect time to stock up on your orchid supplies. Should you need a large quantity of potting media, please call ahead so that we can have it ready for you. Have a great summer from your friends at Waldor Orchids.
- **June 29th - July 8th—J & L Orchids Annual Summer Sale**—Our biggest event of the year starts out with guest vendors, Cal-Orchid and Orchidophile on the first weekend. We will have workshops, food and lots of great plants. Great buys , too. Don't miss it! At the greenhouse in Easton, Connecticut.



## Ocean City Flower Show

June 1-3

### Ocean City Music Pier

Moorlyn Terrace & Boardwalk

Friday 2 - 9PM

Saturday 10AM - 9PM

Sunday 10AM - 4 PM

*Come and enjoy the beautiful commercial and amateur Flower/Orchid Displays.*

## Mark Your Calendars !!!

**Delaware Valley Orchid Council**

**2012 Annual Speakers' Day**

**September 29, 2012**

At the Wyndham Hotel

Rt. 73 in Mount Laurel, NJ

The Speakers' Day includes a full buffet lunch, sales by member vendors, and guest speakers.

More info to come!

## Pinelands Orchid Society Officers, Trustees, and Committee Members 2011-2012

### President

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### Newsletter

Christine Jacoby

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### Show Table Photography

Rosanne Nunez

### Web Site/Library/ Name Tags

John DeGood

### Orchid Supplies

**VACANT**

### Sunshine Broker

Anita McGann  
(856) 779-0643



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If you know of any member who would appreciate receiving a "get well" note or condolence card during the year, please let Anita McGann know.

Anita can be reached at  
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# SHORE ORCHID FESTIVAL

Held at Silva Orchids

**NOW IN  
JUNE**

Friday, June 8 - Sunday, June 10, 2012 • 10:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.

## *Guests to include*

- Andy's Orchids
- Black Jungle Terrarium Supply
- Brennan Orchids
- Cal-Orchid
- Canaima Orchids
- Fishing Creek
- J&L Orchids
- Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies
- Little Brook Orchids
- Main Street Orchids
- Oak Hill Gardens
- Orchid Phile
- Paul Donohoe Photography
- Piping Rock
- Seed Engei
- Silva Orchids
- Stony Brook Orchids
- Suwada Orchid Nursery
- Ten Shin Gardens
- Waldor Orchids



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Food vendors on site • Rain or shine • All activities tented

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## IPA REGIONAL SPEAKERS' DAYS ARE JUST AROUND THE CORNER !

The New England and NY/Eastern Canada Regions of the International Phalaenopsis Alliance (IPA), in cooperation with both the New Hampshire Orchid Society and the North Eastern New York Orchid Society, are presenting two spectacular offerings, in two different locations, of their second annual "Focus on Phals" Speakers' Day for the convenience of everyone in the New England, Tri-State and Eastern Canada areas.

These two meetings will take place on the same weekend in September - Saturday, September 8, 2012 in Bedford, NH and Sunday, September 9, 2012 in Ballston Spa, NY.

Each meeting will present the same program with:

Keynote Speaker, Ron McHatton, PhD, AOS Director of Education and Chief Operating Officer, speaking on "*New Approaches to Pest and Disease Control*"

Carlos Fighetti, current IPA President and Past President of the AOS, with his presentation "*Phal. Species and Their Variants – Are They or Not?*"

Carri Raven-Riemann, New England Regional Director, past IPA President and owner of the orchidPhile, with her presentation "*The Best, The Brightest, The Smallest – New Breeding Directions for 2012*".

In addition to the featured speakers, each meeting will also include a mini auction of several select *Phalaenopsis* and other genera, a roundtable discussion on culture, and several plant and supplies vendors. These events are open to everyone, IPA members or not, so we urge you to join us for what is always an informative, fun and relaxing day with both old and new orchid friends. And please note that our minimal registration fee just covers the cost of providing food for everyone attending – the two IPA Regions are underwriting the expense of the speakers – so this is a prime opportunity to learn from two very special speakers who would not normally be in our area.

Registration forms, and further details of each meeting, are available from four sources:

IPA website at <http://phal.org/events.htm>

Carri Raven-Riemann at [orchidPhile@optimum.net](mailto:orchidPhile@optimum.net)

Marilyn Shapiro at [mlshap2@juno.com](mailto:mlshap2@juno.com)

Adrienne Giovino at [ipa.adrienne@gmail.com](mailto:ipa.adrienne@gmail.com).

Since space at each event is limited, early registration is strongly encouraged. ***So that the co-hosting society can plan on sufficient food and seating for all, we're requesting that you make your reservations early – we would like to have all Registrations in by August 24th.*** These earlier registration deadlines will assure that everyone has a chair and that we will have sufficient food for all. Both societies are already gearing up, planning the menus and making arrangements to help us ensure two fabulous and information-packed meetings!