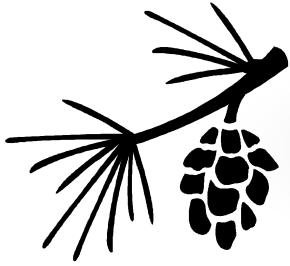


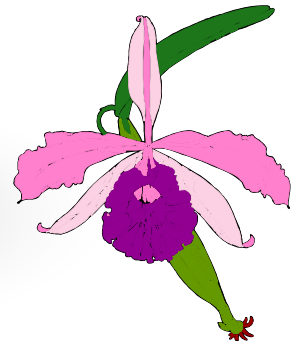
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# Pinelands Orchid Society

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## President's Message

Another snow day! But the sun is strong and warm, and the snow is disappearing quickly. Hopefully, we will have good weather next week for our meeting on Tuesday the 1<sup>st</sup> of March. We will have our Staking Demonstration, and if there is time, we may even do a little repotting. Spring will be here before we know it, and that is a great time to repot orchids. As the days lengthen and the weather warms, many orchids put out new growth. Giving them fresh media to reach their roots into helps the process along.

I hope to see a lot of you at the flower show. Entry days are Friday, March 4 from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm, and Saturday morning, March 5, from 7:00 am to 9:30 am. If you did not pre-register, you can still bring plants. You may Post-enter up to three plants. Be sure your plants are groomed, staked, and pest-free. Also, the plants must be in an acceptable pot—terra cotta, black or green plastic. No glazed, decorative or white or clear plastic please! If you do have plants growing in white or clear plastic, slip them into a green or black plastic pot. If your plant is grown on a slab or basket, that is fine. When you bring your plants, please include 2 (two) 5" x 7" index cards per plant, your name, address and telephone number on one side, and the name of the plant and entry class on the other. If you have never entered the Flower Show before, and this sounds intimidating, DON'T WORRY! You will see your friends from Pinelands there, and we will help you! See you all next week!

*Valerie*

### Monthly Meeting—March 2011

The next meeting of Pinelands Orchid Society will be held on Tuesday, **March 1, 2011** at Medford Leas, 1 Medford Leas Way, Medford, NJ 08055

If your last name begins with the letters **A** thru **H** please bring a snack to share. The society will provide hot and cold beverages.



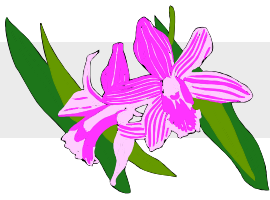
**Doors will open to accept Show Table Plants at 7:00 p.m.**

**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!

### Pinelands Orchid Society Monthly Meeting Time Schedule

7:00—7:30	Arrival of Show Table Plants
7:30—7:45	Business Meeting & Announcements
7:45—8:15	Break for Refreshments and Culture Corner
8:15—9:00	Speaker or Program Presentation
9:00—9:30	Show Table Critique
9:30—9:45	Raffle



## The Orchid Calendar

- **Tuesday, March 1st**—Monthly meeting of the Pinelands Orchid Society. Our meeting this month will be a staking clinic. If you have plants with or without flowers that you would like to learn to stake for their best presentation, please bring them to the meeting and we will discuss how to show them at their potential.
- **March 6th through March 13th**—2011 Philadelphia International Flower Show *Springtime in Paris*. See Page 3 for more information.
- **March 18th & 19th**—Annual Post Flower Show Sale! 20% off plants and supplies. This is a wonderful opportunity to save on plants for around the home or to save on mix or other supplies.
- **March 25 through 27**—Longwood Gardens International Orchid Show & Sale. See Page 4 for all the beautiful details!
- **Tuesday, April 5th**—Monthly meeting of the Pinelands Orchid Society. Program to be announced.
- **Tuesday, May 3rd**—Monthly meeting of the Pinelands Orchid Society and our Annual Orchid Auction.
- **Tuesday, June 7th**—Monthly meeting of the Pinelands Orchid Society and our end-of-the-year Awards Presentation.



**The dazzling *Cymbidium* display at the 2010 Philadelphia International Orchid Show**



## **PNC Presents 2011 Philadelphia International Flower Show “Springtime In Paris”**

The 2011 Philadelphia International Flower Show will transport visitors to the beautiful City of Light – the capital of art, fashion, food and love -- from March 6-13 at the Pennsylvania Convention Center.

A blooming “Springtime in Paris” will greet guests with a bucolic park scene along the Seine. Flowering trees, lilacs, roses and borders of lavender will lead visitors through gardens inspired by the Tuileries. In the distance, a daring Moulin Rouge atmosphere will pulse with cabaret performances, spectacular flower sculptures and carousel topiaries.

“Paris intrigues and entertains like no other city,” said Flower Show Designer Sam Lemheney. “The horticulture and culture will transport visitors to another place, all while inspiring them to create wonderful gardens at home.”

Featured displays will highlight:

- Opulent Paris, a time of Victorian glamour.
- Romantic Paris, tête-à-tête down the Seine.
- Gourmet Paris, amid rooftop and edible gardens.
- Artists’ Paris, from canvas to landscape.
- Underground Paris, a catacomb of avant-garde art.
- Timeless Paris, courtyards and cafes form a Parisian paradise.

“Springtime in Paris” will capture the unforgettable fragrance of the French *jardin*, the soulful song of the chanteuse, the intimate ambiance of a Left Bank café, and the grand beauty of a Parisian park. The 2011 Flower Show is for lovers, and everyone else!



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