

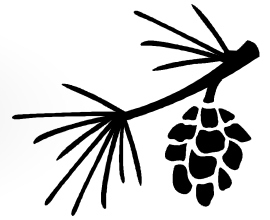
May 2008



Pinelands Orchid Society

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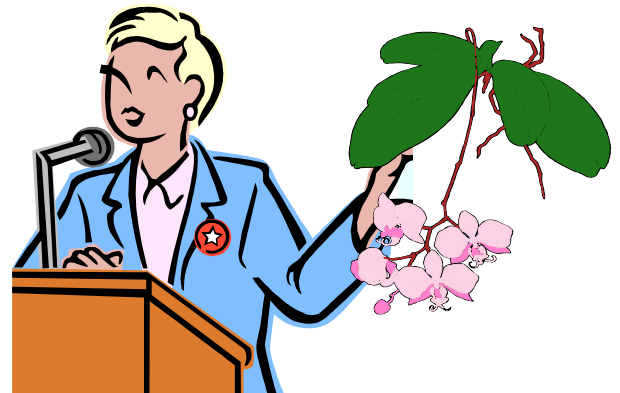


Going Once, Going, Twice, Sold!

Come one, come all to our annual orchid auction on Tuesday evening, May 6th! There will be orchids in flower, divisions of plants donated by our members, and other orchid-related goodies. This is the perfect time to stock up on orchids that you've been wanting at terrific prices.

This year, we are grateful once again to Bob Taylor for loaning us his credit card processor so that you may use your VISA, MasterCard, Discover, or American Express card. Please remember that the proceeds of our annual auction are the primary source of funds to pay for quality speakers and show participation during the year, so we hope that all members will attend and bring your gardening friends and neighbors!

For our members who are donating plants and divisions to the auction, please send your list of items to Christine Jacoby by Saturday, May 3rd, so that our auction list can be prepared in advance. Please send your list by email to: roji@comcast.net or by calling Christine at 609-220-3210.



Annual election of Officers and Trustees for 2008-2009 will take place during the business portion of our May 6th meeting. Nominations are being accepted by the Nominating Committee during the remainder of April. If you would like to be considered for an office next year, please contact Eileen Willison at 856-234-7744 or email Eileen at: ewillison@orchidneedlepoint.com.

Pinelands would like to thank Ed Weber, a member of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Orchid Society, for permission to reprint his article *What's in a Name?* in this month's issue of the newsletter. Without getting too bogged down in nomenclature rules, Ed has written an informative and entertaining piece on how to begin to understand the names of orchids. Enjoy!

Monthly Meeting Reminder



The next meeting of the
Pinelands Orchid Society will be
Tuesday, **May 6th**, 2008
at 7:30 p.m., at the Woodland Fire Co. Hall,
524 Beechwood Ave., Cherry Hill, NJ.

If your last name begins with the
letters **F** through **M**
please bring a snack to share.
The society will provide 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!

There will be Show Table
judging during our May
meeting, so please bring
your plants. However,
there will be no Show
Table critique or plant
raffle in order to allow
enough time for the auc-
tion proceedings.



The Orchid Calendar



Bob McGann and his blue ribbon *cymbidium* from The Flower Show

- **Tuesday, May 6**—Pinelands Orchid Society’s **Annual Auction!** The auction is our major fund raiser of the year and provides the funds needed to perform the many activities of the society, including hall rental, beverage service at monthly meetings, newsletter production and mailing, and programs and speakers. If you have plants and/or divisions to donate to our auction, please submit your plant list to Christine by Saturday, May 3rd. If you can arrive early to help with auction set up, please call Christine at 609-220-3210 or email roji@comcast.net.



- **Saturday, May 10**—**Delaware Valley Orchid Council’s Speakers’ Forum**—A great day of orchid activities right here in our own backyard! See flyer in this issue of the newsletter for information and registration form. You are encouraged to register ahead of time. Registration will be available at the door if the forum has not been sold out.

- **Tuesday, May 13**—Set-up day for the Pinelands exhibit at the **Moorestown Garden Club’s Standard Home & Garden Tour** at the Community House in Moorestown, NJ. We have from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. for set up, and we will be needing your plants for our display. Please call Christine (609-220-3210) if you can lend us your blooming orchids. You can drop them off at the Community Center on the 13th or arrange to drop them off with a Show Committee member beforehand. We are also looking for volunteers to be on hand at our exhibit to answer questions regarding orchid-growing and joining our society. Time slots are available for whatever amount of time you can spare!

- **Wednesday, May 14**—**Moorestown Garden Club’s Standard Home & Garden Tour**—1 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Moorestown Community House, 16 East Main Street, Moorestown, NJ 08057. For directions, go to: <http://www.thecommunityhouse.com/Info.aspx#Directions>

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Sunshine Broker

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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Pinelands Orchid Society's Annual Orchid Auction



Date: Tuesday Evening, May 6th, 2008

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Woodland Fire Hall, 524 Beechwood Avenue, Cherry Hill, NJ

(off Chapel Avenue and Route 38 West)

Featuring orchids in bloom,
divisions of plants donated
by our members, and other
orchid-related goodies!

VISA, MasterCard, Discover, and American
Express cards accepted!

For information and driving
directions, please call or email:

Christine Jacoby
roji@comcast.net

609-220-3210

Highlights from the Longwood Gardens Show—March 29-31, 2008



Delores Benson admires the Pinelands Orchid Society's Exhibit At Longwood Gardens



Joe Volpe and Bayard Saraduke still smiling after registering our plants



Marilyn Saraduke lends our show team a hand



Donna Boyle with her *Phalaenopsis* Baldan's Kaleidoscope at the Longwood Gardens Show



Maya Kang with her first ribbon won at the Longwood Gardens Show

**20th Annual Delaware Valley Orchid Council
Speakers' Forum
May 10, 2008**

Featured Speakers

<u>Alan Koch</u>	Gold Country Orchids The Brazilian Cattleya alliance and how to grow them -----	Lincoln, CA
<u>Tom Harper</u>	Stones River Orchids Breeding trends in Taiwanese Phalaenopsis -----	Franklin, TN
<u>Margurite Webb</u>	J&L Orchids Good things come in small packages -----	Easton, CT

Schedule of Events

8:30 am – 10:00 am	Coffee, Tea, Pastry (Sales Open)
10:00 am – 11:00 am	Guest Lecture
11:00 am – 12:00 noon	Guest Lecture
12:00 noon – 1:15 pm	Hot and Cold Buffet Lunch
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm	Guest Lecture
2:15 pm – 3:15 pm	Panel Discussion and Plant Raffle
3:15 pm – 4:00 pm	Sales Open

Vendors

Gold Country Orchids
Stones River Orchids
J&L Orchids
Lois Duffin Orchids
Main Street Orchids
Stony Brook Orchids

LOCATION: WYNDHAM HOTEL, MT. LAUREL, NJ
FROM NJ TURNPIKE: TAKE EXIT 4 TO RTE. 73 SOUTH.
FROM I-295: TAKE EXIT 36A TO RTE 73 SOUTH (BERLIN).

Register for our early-bird raffle by April 12, 2008 and you may win one of three exceptional plants provided by our speakers.

ADVANCE REGISTRATION REQUIRED

RETURN THE BOTTOM PORTION OF THIS FORM ALONG WITH PAYMENT IN FULL TO:
MRS. LOIS DUFFIN
7411 BOYER STREET
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19119

CHECKS PAYABLE TO DVOC
YOUR CHECK IS YOUR RECEIPT
SORRY....NO REFUNDS

YES! I(WE) PLAN TO ATTEND. ENCLOSED IS MY CHECK FOR _____ REGISTRATIONS AT \$39.00 PER PERSON.

NAME(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US _____



Greenhouse & Orchids For Sale

Sariel Ablaza is moving soon and selling his greenhouse and orchid collection. Please call Sariel for an appointment if you are interested in the greenhouse and/or orchids:

Sariel Ablaza
801 Albury Court
Moorestown, NJ 08057
856-231-1446
aasquared@comcast.net

For those members bringing homemade baked goods to our monthly meetings, we ask that you kindly label your item with your name so that our members with food allergies may inquire about the item's ingredients.
Thank you!



Don't forget to bring your orchid questions to our **Culture Corner** during the refreshment break. Please cover your ailing plant in plastic before bringing it for diagnosis.

Special Discount on *OrchidWiz* Software!

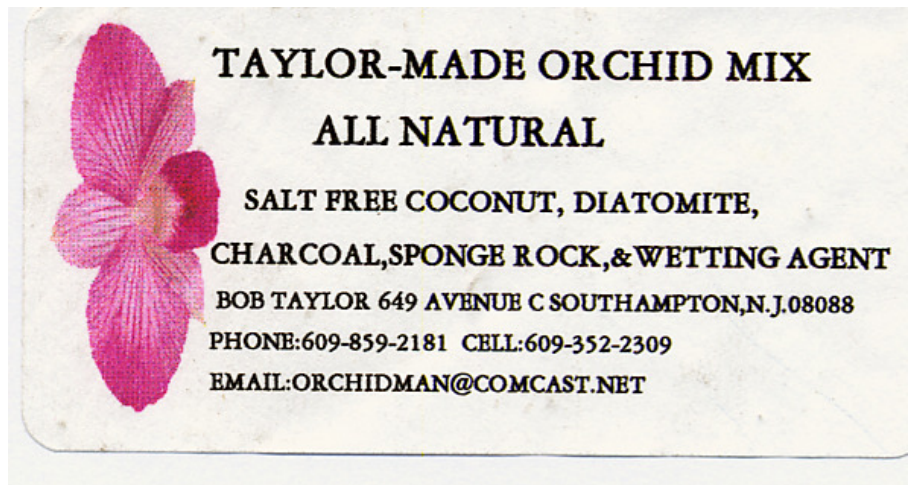
For the month of April, **OrchidWiz** is offering a special to orchid societies, allowing several members to purchase the program together at a discounted price:

Five (5) Licenses – 40% discount (\$147 each)
Ten (10) Licenses – 50% discount (\$122.50 each)
(The **OrchidWiz** program usually sells for \$245.00)

This discount applies only to new licenses. Each license allows one user to install **OrchidWiz** on up to two computers. The licenses must be purchased together, with a single delivery address. After software delivery, each user may register with **OrchidWiz** for individual support and updates.

If are interested, please contact Cathy Higgins by email (crh4956@yahoo.com).

Those of us who already have **OrchidWiz**, find it a remarkable program, well worth purchasing at these discounted prices!



Pinelands Orchid Society Monthly Meeting Time Schedule For May Meeting

6:00 p.m. Doors open for meeting set up & auction preparation

7:00—7:30 Arrival of Show Table Plants

7:30 Annual Election of Officers & Trustees

7:40 Auction begins