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MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER

The Colorado Springs Orchid Society will have its March 2023 meeting on Saturday the 25th at Fire Station #14, 1875 Dublin Blvd. The fire station is at the intersection of Academy and Dublin behind Yorkshire Veterinary Clinic. From Academy Blvd, turn east onto Dublin, then take the first right. The meeting starts at 10:00am with social time and set-up between 9:30am and 10:00am.

We encourage members to bring in orchids (divisions, duplicates, or ones that you are just not having luck with) to sell or for the raffle table. Raffle tickets are \$1 each. Bring your blooming orchids for Show & Tell and receive a free raffle ticket.

CSOS 2023 Calendar

April 22 – TBD September 23 (Auction) – TBD

May 27 – TBD October 28 – TBD

June 24 – TBD November 25 (Elections) – TBD

July 22 – TBD December 16 – TBD

August 26 - TBD



President's Message

Paph. Fluttering Fred

Take a bow! The Denver Orchid Society Show and Sale is in the books and was a big success. Organizer Keith Funk asked me to pass along "a huge Thank You from all of us in Denver to everyone who participated." CSOS had an exhibit spanning two tables with a bounty of diverse blooms, and our efforts took home multiple ribbons and three rosettes.

Our sincere thanks to the Denver Orchid Society and their hardworking crew for a wonderful weekend at the Gardens. It was exciting to have several first-time participants from CSOS, myself included, and we would love to have even more Society members represented in our next exhibit. If you would like to exhibit your orchids but cannot make a show, not to worry, we will gladly find your plants an Uber!

In our February meeting, we put our heads together and the pixels aligned to show our first AOS webinar at the fire station! We watched roughly the first half of Ron McHatton's "Orchid Pests & Management" webinar. We will finish the rest of this informative webinar in our March meeting. Mealybugs, scale, and other pests love our orchids as much as we do. Join us on March 25th to learn more about how we can leverage the right solution at the right time to even the score. See you at the fire station!

Cheers,
Alison Dino
President, Colorado Springs Orchid Society

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Pictures from the Denver Orchid Society Show, March 2023



And 3 of our Society member's received Best Flower Rosettes!



Alison's Paph. Fluttering Fred (Best Grown Flower in the Cypripedium Alliance (Classes 201 – 213))

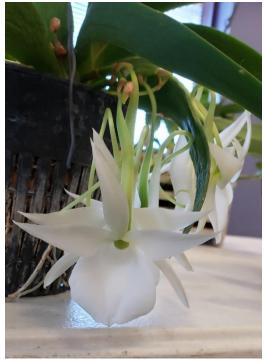


Roger's Phal. schilleriana (Best Grown Flower in the Vanda Alliance (Classes 301 – 335))



Joan's Den. Lucky Bird 'Holiday' (Best Grown Flower in the Dendrobium Alliance (Classes 501 – 506))

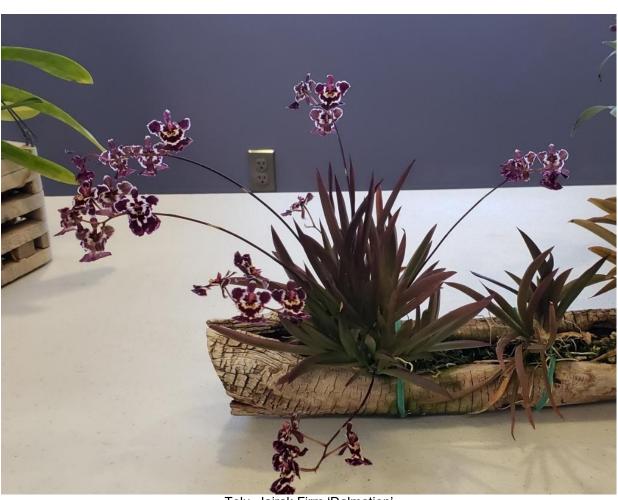
Three of Roger's February Blooms:



Angcm. leonis

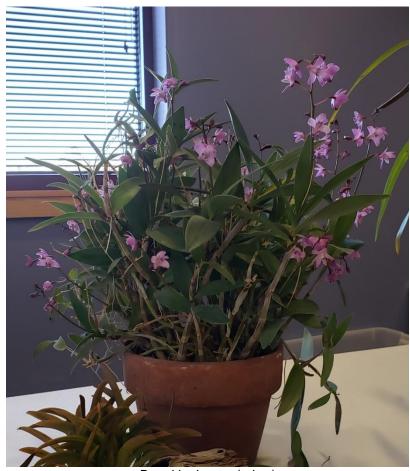


C. Mona Pink 'Hiromi' AM/AOS



Tolu. Jairak Firm 'Dalmation'

A few more of Roger's February Blooms:



Den. kingianum (rubra)



Max. pseudoreichenheimiana 'Karen'



Coe. bella

One more of Roger's February Blooms:



Rl. glauca



Phal. Hybrid grown by Janice Mann



Phal. Hybrid (King Soopers) grown by Jenny Holman



Den. Spring Dream 'Apollon' AM/AOS and Den. Bridal Red 'Lady Luck' grown by Karen Zook

Amal Cooke's February Blooms:



Trgl. pusilla



Phal. Hybrid



Z. Hybrid

Barbara Vander Stoep's February Blooms:



Van. Deep Blue Seas x V. falcata h.v. Tamakongu

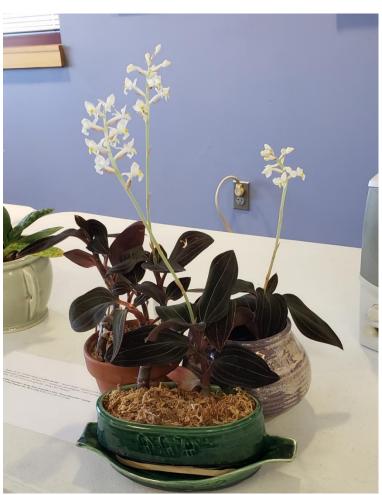


Orcp. dolabratus

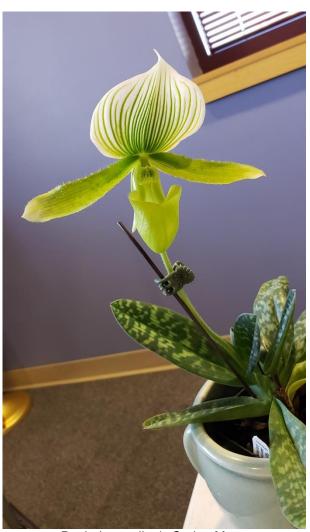


Den. limpidum 'Didi'

Jean Garren's February Blooms:



Ludisia discolor



Paph.Jacqueline's Spring Moon

Joan McCann's February Blooms:



Ctt. Jewel Box 'Dark Waters' AM/AOS



Den. Spring Doll 'Sweetheart' HCC/AOS



Med. decoratum

Three of Lois Dauelsberg's February Blooms:







Paph. Bianka



Ddc. yuccaefolium

Two more of Lois' February Blooms:



Ddc. Wenzelii



Ddc. tenellum

Colorado Springs Orchid Society

February 2023 Show and Tell Plant List

Roger Stone Cattleya (C.(syn. Lc.) Mona Pink 'Hiromi' AM/AOS (Pri Pri x Mini Purple)

Tolumnia (Tolu.) Jairak Firm 'Dalmation' (Rainbow x Plush)

Dendrobium (Den.) kingianum (rubra)

Maxillaria (Max.) pseudoreichenheimiana 'Karen'

Angraecum (Angcm.) leonis Coelia (Coe.) bella

Rhyncholaelia (Rl.) glauca

Joan McCann Mediocalcar (Med.) decoratum

Den. Spring Doll 'Sweetheart' HCC/AOS (Ise x Yukidaruma)

Cattlianthe (Ctt.) Jewel Box 'Dark Waters' AM/AOS (Gur. aurantiaca x C. Anzac (1921))

Janice Mann Phalaenopsis (Phal.) Hybrid

Barbara VanderStoep Ornithocephalus (Orcp.) dolabratus

Vandachostylis (Van.) Deep Blue Seas x Vanda (V.) falcata h.v. Tamakongu)

Den. limpidum 'Didi'

Amal Cooke Trichoglottis (Trgl.) pusilla Zygopetalum (Z.) Hybrid

Phalaenopsis (Phal.) Hybrid

<u>Jenny Holman</u> Phal. Hybrid (King Soopers)

Kaoru Stabnow C. percivalliana

Alison Dino Paphiopedilum (Paph.) Fluttering Fred (Montera Moth 'Joyous Perfection'

x Fred's Aura 'Lehua's Pleasant Surprise' AM/AOS')

<u>Karen Zook</u> Den. Bridal Red 'Lady Luck' (Pink Beauty x Arabian Nighte)

Den. Spring Dream 'Apollon' AM/AOS (Constance Wrigley x Thwaitesiae)

Jean Garren Ludisia discolor

Paph.Jacqueline's Spring Moon (Spring Moonbeam x Jacqueline's Moon)

Lois Dauelsberg Dendrochilum (Ddc.) yuccaefolium Ddc. tenellum

Ddc. Wenzelii Den. farmeri

Paph. Bianka (glaucophyllum x adductum)