

CENTRAL OHIO ORCHID SOCIETY

Virtual Show Table

March 2020



President's Message

Thanks to all who participated in our first ever virtual plant judging. The pictures sent were all beautiful as you will see. If you enjoyed this process, please let me know, and if we can't have a meeting in April, we'll do it again. Email me and let me know what you think. Just so you all know, I had two plants which began blooming the day after pictures were due, so maybe next month you'll get to see them.

As we are unsure of our ability to meet in April, Tracy Strombotne (our wonderful Program Chair) is looking into our ability to conduct a "Virtual Meeting" through an online application (Zoom or other). Edgar Stehli is scheduled to speak on *Angraecums*, a topic I am really looking forward to. We are also looking into conducting a plant sale, Edgar would provide us with a price list and we can determine the best method of your receiving plants you would love to add to your collections. Purchases would assist Edgar who is missing a lot of Orchid Shows during this time.

Help assure that all of us stay healthy by following the guidelines the Ohio Department of Health set forth, who is doing a great job of keeping us informed and slowing the spread of COVID-19. Stay safe and distance yourselves from others, wash your hands often, and be patient and kind to others. We are all a bit stressed, but fortunately we can spend time with our plants; I know I have a lot to repot.

*Nancy Shapiro | President
Central Ohio Orchid Society
Spring 2020*

Cattleya



C. intermedia v. amethystine

1st Place
Tennis Maynard



C. amethystoglossa

2nd Place
Tennis Maynard

Cattleya



Guarianthe (Cattleya) skinneri var. albescens

**3rd Place
Ken Mettler**



Pot. Shin Shiang Diamond 'Tai Young #1'

Amy Thomas



**Cattleya intermedia
(aquinii coerulea x coerica)**

Dennis Eifel

Paphiopedilum



Paph rothschildianum
1st Place / Plant of the Month
Justin Pepperney



Paph haynaldianum
2nd Place
Justin Pepperney



Paph Norito Hasegawa
3rd Place
Tom and Pat Stinson

Oncidiums



Psychopsis papilio

1st Place

Tom and Pat Stinson



Tolumnia Jairak Rainbow 'Soft Pink'

2nd Place

Dave and Edna Markley

Oncidiums



Miltonia Lover's Point 'Kalapana'

**3rd Place
Tom Hart**



Odontoglossum Wils Firecat 'Snake'

Tom Hart

Phalaenopsis



Phalaenopsis LD's Bear Queen
(bellina x dragon tree eagle)

1st Place
Edy Gunawan



Phalaenopsis Joy Fairy Tale
(Ho's Princess Arai x Coral Isles)

2nd Place
Edy Gunawan

Others



Maxillaria tenuifolia

1st Place
Dennis Eifel



Ludisia discolor

2nd Place
Jessica Badger

Others



Cym. Caithness 'Cooksbridge' FCC/RHS

**3rd Place
Ken Mettler**



Cym. NOID

Ken Mettler

Others



Coelogyne lawrenceana 'ernie'

Amy Thomas

For those that purchased plants, donated by Katrina Heap, during our February meeting; here is the flower (grown by Amy Thomas) of the Coelogyne lawrenceana 'Ernie'.

Amy sent it for us to see but knew it's not eligible for judging because she hasn't owned it for 6 months.

Thanks for sharing this beautiful plant, Amy and Katrina!

A final **THANK YOU** to the judges of the first-ever

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Ken Mettler and Justin Pepperney