



Newsletter Editor: Melissa Lee

Central Ohio Orchid Society Reporter



July 2019

July Meeting **Central Ohio Orchid Society Annual Picnic** **Sunday, July 7th –See email for location**

One of our most enjoyable events of the year is this weekend – the COOS Annual Picnic! Please bring a lawn chair and a covered dish or dessert, and be sure to bring your appetite!

We will have member plant sales this month at the picnic.

Show Table

Please remember to bring your blooming orchids for our meeting display table and ribbon judging. Earn those ribbons for rewards at our November pot luck meeting! And you might even get Plant of the Month!

One important note – when displaying orchids, it is important that they be checked beforehand for pests or disease. Pests can disqualify a plant from AOS judging at shows, and at our meetings we uphold the same standard.



Figure 1 Paph. Michael Koopowitz

President's Message

Just another reminder that 2019 is an election year for our organization, and we will soon be starting a nomination committee for board members and appointed chairs. If you are interested in serving, please let Justin or one of the board members know. A great way to learn about the society's business is to attend a board meeting – they are open to all! Our next board meeting is Tuesday, July 9 at the Columbus Public Library in Whitehall. Hope to see you there!

Membership Dues: We still have outstanding membership dues for 2018. Dues are \$20 for an individual and \$25 for a family. This is an important way for us to provide the great speakers and events that make our society successful. So if you have already paid 2018, THANK YOU! Please talk with Cheryl to get your 2019 dues in early. And if you still owe for 2018, please be sure to catch up. Society membership also makes a great gift, so consider sponsoring membership for someone you know. Our membership form is available at each meeting, so just connect with Cheryl.

2019 Program:

Just another reminder of our Program schedule this year (calendar below). Nancy has done a tremendous job setting up our 2019 Program. (Thank you, Nancy!) Some key highlights include: Author Mary Gerritsen (May), Fred Clarke of Sunset Valley Orchids (June), and Sam Tsui of Orchid Inn (October). This is going to be a great year for speakers and vendors!

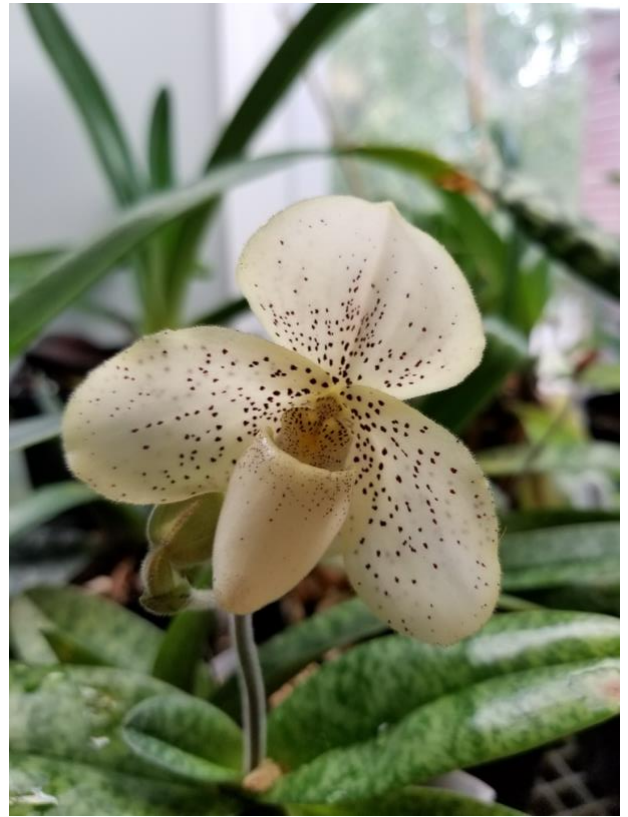


Figure 2 *Paphiopedilum concolor*

COOS Board Members/Appointed Chairs

President – Justin Pepperney	
Vice President – Dennis Eifel	
Secretary – Jennifer Sonnenberg	
Treasurer – Cheryl Early	
Trustee – Gary Walker	
Trustee – Scott Bever	
Immediate Past President – Dave Markley	
Program Chair	Nancy Shapiro
Home Show Chair	Dave Markley
Away Show Chair	Ken Mettler
Newsletter	Melissa Lee
Social Media	Wendy Chrisman
Sunshine	Eileen Ansley

COOS Calendar

January 17	AOS Webinar “Dendrobiums Demystified”
February 21	Garrett Martin of Franklin Park Conservatory – “Behind the Scenes of the Franklin Park Orchid Show”
March 21	Ken Mettler – “Mounting Orchids” (Participate and take home a mounted orchid!)
March 30-31	COOS Annual Orchid Show and Plant Sale – Franklin Park Conservatory
April 18	Russ Vernon of New Vision Orchids – “Miltoniopsis”
May 16	Author Mary Gerritsen - “Miniature Orchids”
June 20	Fred Clarke of Sunset Valley Orchids “Cycnoches, Mormodes, & Catasetums”
July TBA	Annual Picnic and Pot Luck
August	No Meeting
September 19	Ohio Native Orchids
October 17	Sam Tsui of Orchid Inn – “Paphiopedilums”
November 21	Annual Awards Banquet and Pot Luck
December	No Meeting

Away Show Schedule

March 2-3	Akron
March 9-10	Cincinnati
March 16-17	Western PA (Pittsburgh)
April 27-28	West Shore (Cleveland)

Show Table Results : June 2019

<u>Plant of the Month:</u> Sandra & Terry Stohr	Encyclia Cordigera	
<u>Oncidium Species & Hybrids:</u> Tennis Maynard Tom Stinson David & Edna Markley Nancy Shapiro	Mtps. Lennart Karl Gottling 'Red Rim' Milt. White Truffle 'Bright Eyes' Onc. Nia Rose Alcra. 'Pacific Heights Nova' x 'Pacific Heights' HCC/AOS	1st 1st 2nd 3rd
<u>Phragmipedium Hybrids & Species:</u> Tom Stinson Nancy Shapiro	Phrag. Demetria Phrag. pearcei	1st 2nd
<u>Paphiopedilum Hybrids & Species:</u> Tom Stinson Ken Mettler Justin Pepperney Tom Stinson Jessica Badger David & Edna Markley	Paph. Sharon booth Paph. chiu hua dancer Paph. armeni white 'supreme' AM/AOS Paph. Lo'ihl Paph. sukhakulii Paph. In Charm White	1st 1st 2nd 2nd 3rd 3rd
<u>Cattleya Species & Hybrids:</u> Sandra & Terry Stohr Tom Stinson Tennis Maynard Ken Mettler	Encyclia cordigera Epi. nursery rhyme x Epi. randii L. purpurata v. werkhauseri Cattleya peckhaviensis	1st 2nd 2nd 3rd
<u>Phalaenopsis Hybrids:</u> Sandra & Terry Stohr Sandra & Terry Stohr	Phal. NOID Phal. NOID	1st 2nd
<u>Vanda Species & Hybrids:</u> Ken Mettler Nancy Shapiro Troy Timbrook Tennis Maynard	Asctm. ampullaceum Asctm. christensonianum Vanda pachara delight Mystacidium braybonae	1st 2nd 3rd 3rd
<u>Dendrobium Species & Hybrids:</u> Nancy Shapiro	Den. aggregatum	1st
<u>Others:</u> Tennis Maynard Tennis Maynard Ken Mettler	Bulbo. Frank Smith Max. grandis Coelogyne usitana	1st 2nd 3rd