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APRIL 2019 NEWSLETTER

The Colorado Springs Orchid Society will have its April 2019 meeting on Saturday the 27th 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 10:00 AM with social time and set-up between 9:30 AM and 10:00 AM. See our website for directions and a map.

The club provides plants each month for the raffle and members are encouraged to donate divisions of their plants for the raffle table. Raffle tickets are \$1 each. Bring your blooming orchids for Show & Tell and receive a free raffle ticket.

Members can purchase raffle plants outright before the raffle begins for the price listed on the plant – If you have a question about a raffle plant or the price, speak with Robin. We encourage members to bring their divisions to sell or for the raffle table.



This month refreshments will be provided by those whose last name begin with the letters M to R.



President's Message

Roger's Max. sanguinea

I really look forward to our monthly meetings. It works out that our orchid society meetings are my main avenue of social interaction. Maybe I should consider getting a life.

No. I enjoy being with others that enjoy nature in the form of orchids but also in other ways as well. Orchids are our choice of focus but not to the exclusion of other things. Our members have interests in gardening and birdwatching and other ways of appreciating and participating in the world of nature.

My house is located in Black Forest where we have lots of trees. That's a real wonderment as I grew up on the eastern plains where trees are very scarce and treasured. Now I sometimes find myself thinning trees to allow the remainder room to grow. And with the trees I get woodpeckers that control the beetles and such that prey on the trees. I have bird feeders and nest boxes for all sorts of birds that I enjoy watching

I don't mow my yard as much as some of my neighbors as I can see advantage to natural plants and flowers to feed the bugs that feed the baby birds. With all my orchids I don't find as much time for gardening as I used to but my wife covets this and that which leads to my duties to help plant and care for them.

We used to have these black tufted-eared squirrels but civilization with its dogs and cats and invading, more-aggressive red squirrels are displacing them. Plus, they seem too stupid to get across the road before getting run over. Kind of a form of evolution, I guess.

As I'm writing this it has come to my attention this is the season of Earth Day. So, let's keep in mind all those non-orchid life forms that might also need our help.

Good Luck and Good Growing, Roger Stone President, Colorado Springs Orchid Society Email: stonerog@gmail.com

CSOS 2019 Calendar

April 27 Refreshments M – R

May 25 Refreshments S – Z

June 22 Refreshments A – F

July 27 Refreshments G – L

August 24 Refreshments M – R

September 28 -Auction Refreshments S - Z

October 26 Refreshments A – F

November 23 – Elections Refreshments G - L

December 28 Refreshments M – R A few more of Roger's March 2019 Blooms:



Tolu. Esther Oka 'Lake View' HCC/AOS and Lc. Caligula



Paph. appletonianum

And more of Roger's March 2019 Blooms:





Angcm. leonis and Paph. gratrixianum



Phal. #3

Some of Bob Steele's March 2019 Blooms:



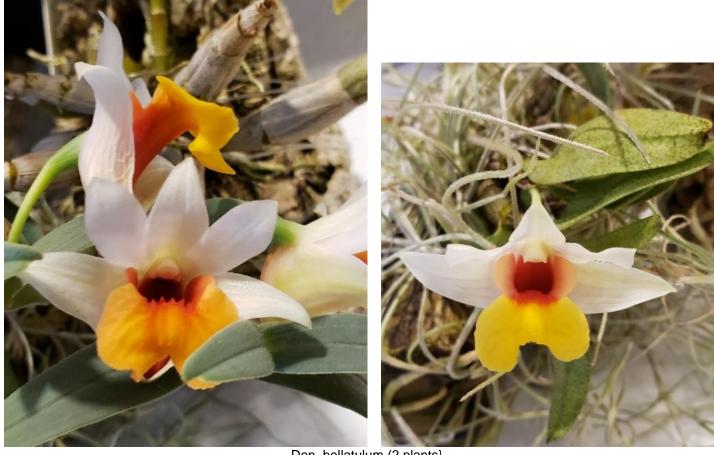


Drac. Verticulosa and Zglm. Rhein Moonlight



C. Final Touch 'Mendenhall' AM/AOS and Den. cruentum

A few more of Bob Steele's March 2019 Blooms:



Den. bellatulum (2 plants}



Ren. monachica

And more of Bob Steele's March 2019 Blooms:



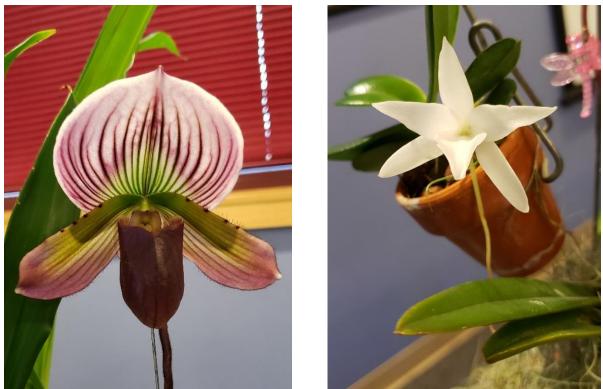


Paph. Harvest Time 'Languedoc' and Phal. parishii



V. M. V. Tannins 'Starburst'

Two more of Bob Steele's March 2019 Blooms:



Paph. Hung Sheng Bay and Aergs. Fastuosa



Phal. Vivaldi grown by Joan McCann



Zygopetalum "Trader Joe's" and Den. Spring Bird grown by Aaron Gross



E. adenocarpa grown by Chris Buchanan

Some of Kathy LaBree's March 2019 Blooms:



Ctt. Hazel Boyd 'Elizabeth' AM/AOS



Mtdm. Saint Sand 'Pacific Sunset' and Den. SOOS Celebrates 50

Some of Jean Garren's March 2019 Blooms:





Ons. Eye Candy 'Pinkie' and Cym. Sweetheart 'Spring Pearl' AM/AOS



Cym. Unknown

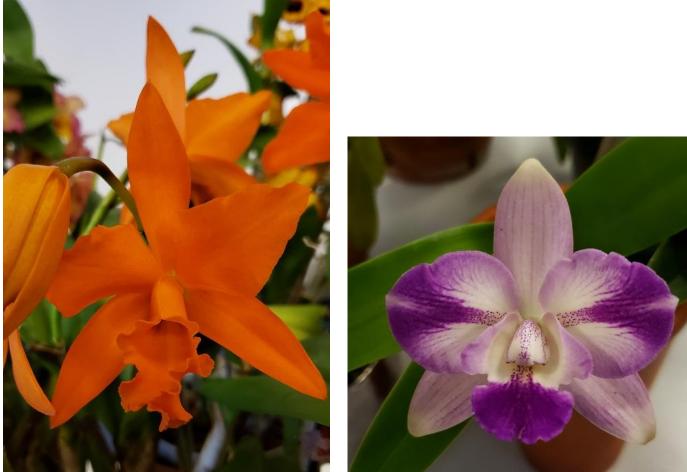


And one more Cym. Unknown grown by Jean Garren



Rth. Zul and Phal. "Superianum" grown by Frank and Pat Tuxworth

Some of Jack Willcox's March 2019 Blooms:



Rth. Love Passion 'Orange Bird' and Clty. Ethels Paradise 'Hawaii'





Den. Bridal Red 'Celebration' and one of four nobile type dendrobriums, no name.



3 more nobile type dendrobriums, no name grown by Jack Willcox



Paph. (Sioux 'Ted' x Paph. California Girl 'Swachtio') and V. Robert's Delight 'Ink Star' grown by Amal Cooke

Some of Sandy Richards' March 2019 Blooms:



Phal. Hybrid



Den. Adelia Angeles and Den. biggibum var. compactum 'Zeschia Lynn'

Cassie Wright's March 2019 Blooms:





Hybrids (2 Phals and a Den)

Colorado Springs Orchid Society March 2019 Show and Tell Plant List

<u>Roger Stone</u>	Laeliocattleya (Lc.) Caligula (C. Paphiopedilum (Paph.) gratrixia Maxillaria (Max.) sanguinea Tolumnia (Tolu.) Esther Oka 'La C. trianae ('Cuencanita' x Morla C. Chien Ya Champion (Chien Y Angraecum (Angcm.) leonis	num Paph. appletonianum ake View' HCC/AOS (Manu x Hawn) gaita') Phalaenopsis (Phal.) #3
<u>Jean Garren</u>	Bc. Binosa 'Okada' (B. nodosa x C. bicolor) Oncostele (Ons.) (syn. Burrageara or Burr.) Eye Candy 'Pinkie' Cymbidium (Cym.) Unknown Cym. Unknown (miniature?) Cym. Sweetheart 'Spring Pearl' AM/AOS (floribundum x Alexanderi)	
<u>Bob Steele</u>	Vanda (V.) M. V. Tannins 'Starb Phal. parishii Zygolum (Zglm.) Rhein Moonlig	denhall' AM/AOS (C. California Apricot x C. Drumbeat) burst' (lamellata x Memoria Thianchai) Paph. Harvest Time 'Languedoc' (Halo x Sarella) ht (Zspm. labiosum x Z. Artur Elle) Chx') (Shin-Yi Heart x Hsinying Web)
Kathy LaBree	Den. SOOS Celebrates 50 (Den. aberrans x Den. Little Atro) Cattlianthe (Ctt.) Hazel Boyd 'Elizabeth' AM/AOS (C. California Apricot x Ctt. Jewel Box) Miltonidium (Mtdm.) (syn. Vuyl.) Saint Sand 'Pacific Sunset' (Milt. Sand Cut x Onc. Saint Clement) Rodrumnia (Rrm.) (syn. Rdcm.) Apple Blossom x Ilonara (Ilo.) Chantilly Mist	
<u>Jack Willcox</u>	nobile-type Den. no name (4) Den. Bridal Red 'Celebration' (Pink Beauty x Arabian Nighte) Rhyncattleanthe (Rth.) (syn. Pot.) Love Passion 'Orange Bird' (Rlc. William Farrell x Ctt. Trick or Treat) Caulocattleya (Clty.) Ethels Paradise 'Hawaii' (Clty. Chantilly Lace x C. Penny Kuroda (Penny Kuroda Gp))	
Aaron Gross	Zygopetalum "Trader Joe's"	Den. Spring Bird (Demitasse x Sweet Love)
Joan McCann	Phal. Vivaldi (Redfan x Karleen's Wendy)	
Chris Buchanan	Encyclia (E.) adenocarpa (syn. E. papillosa)	
Amal Cooke	Paph. (Sioux 'Ted' x Paph. California Girl 'Swachtio') V. Robert's Delight 'Ink Star' (Kasem's Delight x Madame Rattana)	
Frank & Pat Tuxworth	Phal. "Superianum" Rhyncattleanthe (Rth.) Zul (Gur. skinneri x Rth. Orange Nuggett)	
Sandy Richards	Den. biggibum var. compactum 'Zeschia Lynn' (Not verified) Den. Adelia Angeles (Kristen Ann x Oman's Heart) Leptotes (Lpt.) bicolor Phal. Hybrid	
Cassie Wright	Phal. Hybrid (White) Den. Hybrid (Phal. Type)	Phal. Hybrid (Dark Red)