



DECEMBER 2021 NEWSLETTER

The Colorado Springs Orchid Society will have its December 2021 meeting on Saturday the 18th at PPLD Library 21C, 1175 Chapel Hills Drive. The meeting starts at 10:30 AM with social time between 10:00 AM and 10:30 AM.

The club provides plants each month for the raffle. 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.

CSOS 2022 Calendar

January 23

February 26

Other Announcements:

CSOS Membership Renewals – Everyone's membership fee is due by the end of December - \$15.00 individual, \$22.50 family. If you will not be at the December meeting you can mail your check made out to CSOS to: Lorie Casbon, 13160 Thumbprint Ct., Colorado Springs, CO 80921. A late fee of \$5.00 will be added on after December 31, 2021.

Results of November Election – At our November meeting, we elected our 2022 officers: Roger Stone is President, Terry Bernard is Vice President, and Lorie Casbon is Treasurer. Please give them your congratulations and thank them for volunteering.

Denver Orchid Society (DOS) Spring Show – DOS will have their 2022 Show and Sale on March 19 and 20, 2022 at the Denver Botanic Gardens. Set-up for the event will be on March 18th. It will be a ribbon-judged show but not an AOS-judged show. If you are interested in helping (setting up and/or providing blooming orchids) for a society exhibit, please contact Roger. The level of interest you express, we will determine if we, as a society, will have an exhibit. There will be more information available as it gets closer to that time but please keep this information in mind.



Rth. (C. Purple Doll x Rth. Alpha Plus Nuggett)

President's Message

To those members that haven't been showing up for meetings, we miss you! Our present meeting room is quite adequate space-wise. The library rules allow for people who chose to not wear masks. Considering the recent increase in Covid cases and hospitalizations, that rule could possibly be changed but until that happens, Rock-On.

Notice that our meeting on **December 18** is reserved for 10:00am to 12:00pm. Early birds will find that the library doesn't open until 10:00.

I am seeing buds and sheaths on many of my orchids that I haven't seen bloom before. It can be very satisfying to grow small plants for several years to reach the maturity to bloom. But then I also have blooms coming on some of my old favorites. I lost a couple of spikes in sheath that just died and rotted. I have tried to snip off the tip of the sheath to allow the inside to keep dry and open to the air. This seems to be working well so far.

Then, on the other hand, there seem to be more than a few that are being very tardy about getting into the flowering mode. I keep reading and researching ways to grow them differently so as to make them bloom. More light, less light, warmer, drier, different media, mounting or something else. Experience and exploration, there always seems to be more to learn.

Hoping to see you all soon
Roger Stone
President, Colorado Springs Orchid Society
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Some more of Roger's November Blooms:



W. amazonica



Ons. 'Nancy Lee' HCC/AOS



C. Subogery

A few more of Roger's November Blooms:



C. cernua



Dcm. Stelliferum



Paph. wardii 'Freckles' HCC/AOS

And more of Roger's November Blooms:



Den. rigidum and a close-up



Gcy. Rossy Ochoa

Three more of Roger's November Blooms:



Rth. Melinda Rose Funke 'Ernie'



Isa. Violacea



Paph. purpuratum (x sib)

And two more of Roger's November Blooms:



Rth. (C. Purple Doll x Rth. Alpha Plus Nuggett)

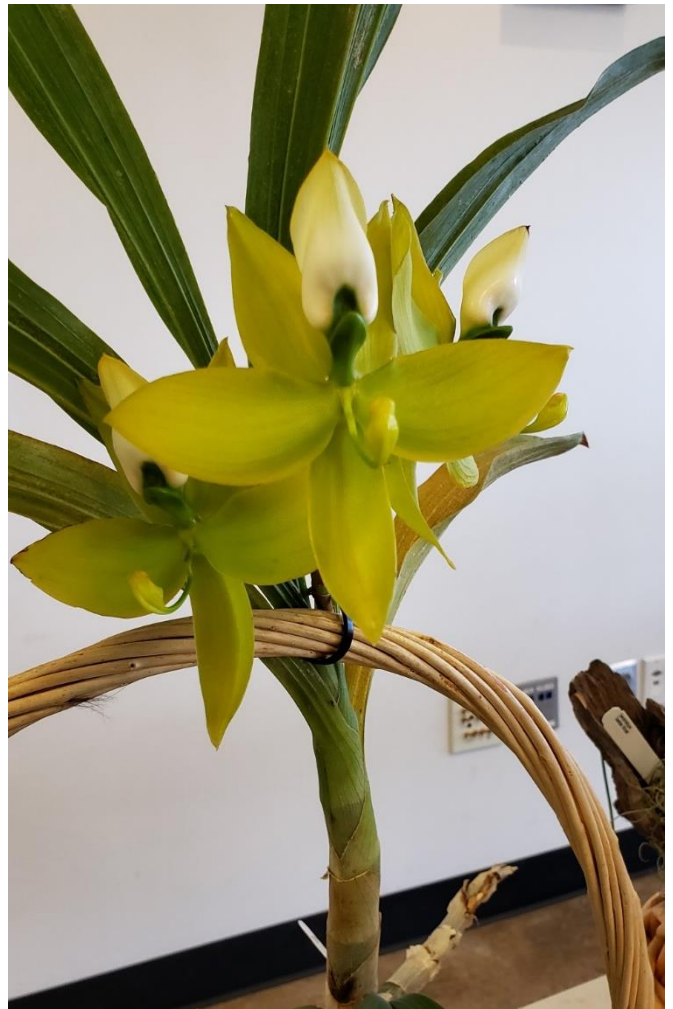


C. Horace 'Maxima' AM/AOS

Amal Cooke's November Blooms:



Den. Gaëtan Minet



Cycnoches Super Cooper



Cyrtos. Arcuate

Three more of Amal's November Blooms:



Phal. NOID (anaconda lip type)



Mps. phalaenopsis 'John Leathers' AM/AOS



Phal. Tying Shin _____ 'TS110' (not yet named)



Ons. Eye Candy 'Pinkie' AM/AOS grown by Jean Garren

Joan McCann's November Blooms:



Den. victoriae-reginae



Den. (Madame Vipa x Burana Emerald)



Ddc. Cobbianum



(Lc. Angel Heart 'Hihimanu' AM/AOS x Rth. Martha Clarke 'Amazing')

Kathy LaBree's November Blooms:



Rth. Cheryl Winkelmann

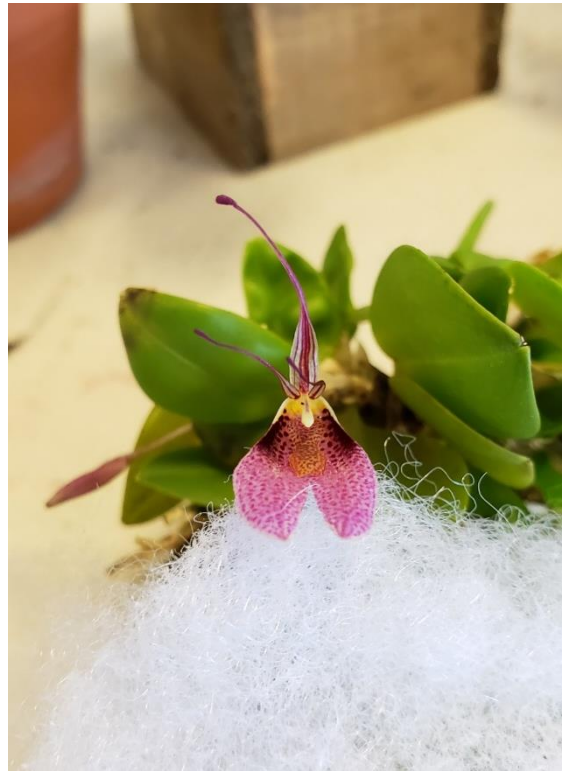


Rlc. George King 'Southern Cross'

Barbara VanderStoep's November Blooms:



Masd. strobilii



Rstp. Roseola



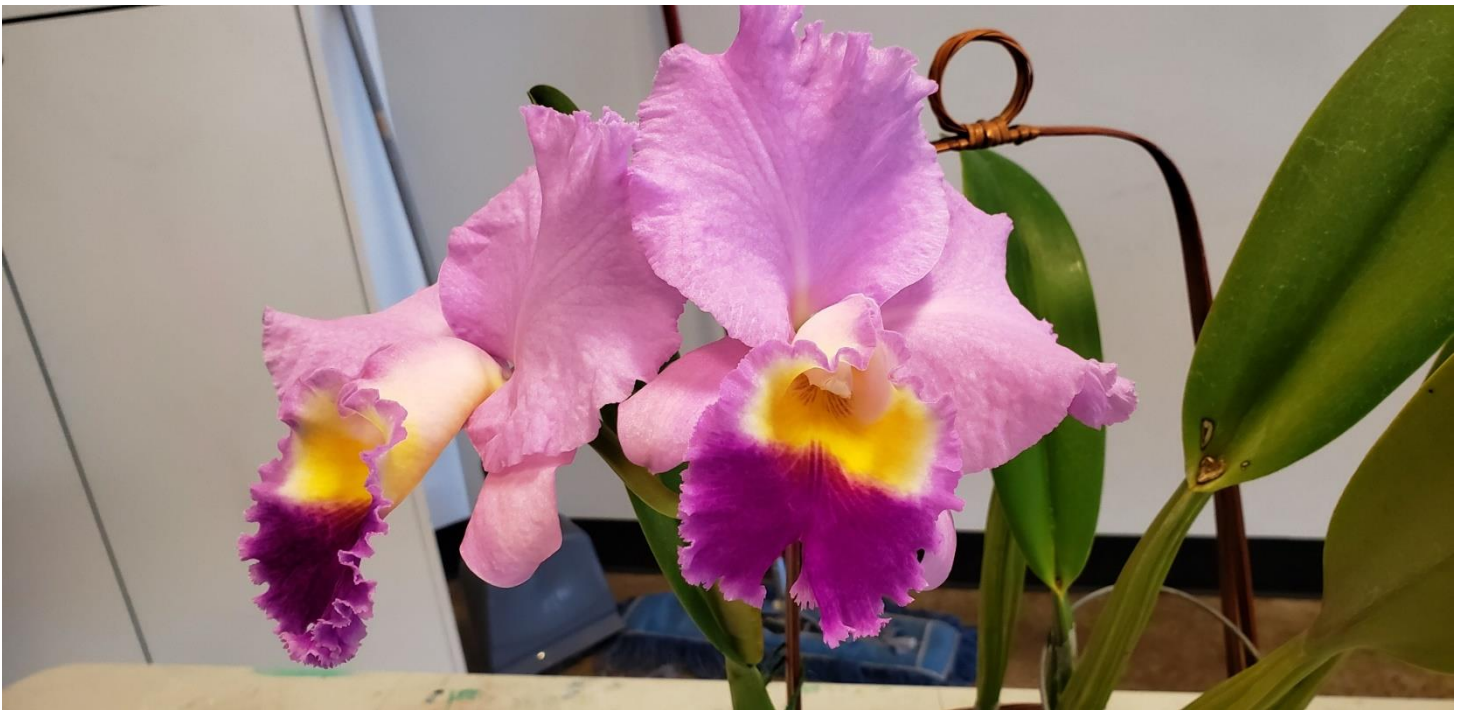
Rstp. Sanguinea



Ob. Species



C. coccinea grown by Barbara VanderStoep



C. Horace 'Maxima' AM/AOS grown by Tom Dewar

Lois Dauelsberg's November Blooms:



Epi. porpax and a close-up



Paph. Vexillarium



Epi. Ciliare

And three more of Lois' November Blooms:



Den. Miva Abracadabra



Ddc. Saccolabium



Pcv. Key Lime Stars

Colorado Springs Orchid Society November 2021 Show and Tell Plant List

<u>Roger Stone</u>	<p>Warczewiczella (W.) (syn. Cnths.) amazonica Diplocaulobium (Dcm.) stelliferum Dendrobium (Den.) rigidum Guaricyclia (Gcy.) Rosy Ochoa (Gcy. Plicaboa 4N x Gur. bowringiana) C. Horace 'Maxima' AM/AOS ((C. trianae x C. Woltersiana) Paphiopedilum (Paph.) wardii 'Freckles' HCC/AOS C. Subogery (C. Kiritsubo x C. Walgery) Oncostele (Ons.) (syn. Odcdm.) 'Nancy Lee' HCC/AOS (Everglades Elegance (Onc. Colon x Rst. bictoniensis) Rhyncattleanthe (Rth.) (syn. Pot.) Melinda Rose Funke 'Ernie' (Rth. Afternoon Delight x Rlc. Salmon Splendor) Rth. (C. Purple Doll x Rth. Alpha Plus Nuggett) Rth. Mark's Valentine (C. Circle of Life x Rth. Little Toshie)</p>	<p>Cattleya (C.) (syn. S.) cernua Isabelia (Isa.) violacea</p>
<u>Barbara VanderStoep</u>	<p>Restrepia (Rstp.) sanguinea Masdevallia (Masd.) strobilii Cattleya (C.) (syn. Sophronitis) coccinea</p>	<p>Rstp. Roseola Oberonia (Ob.) species</p>
<u>Joan McCann</u>	<p>Dendrochilum (Ddc.) cobbianum Den. (Madame Vipa x Burana Emerald) (Lc. Angel Heart 'Hihimanu' AM/AOS x Rth. Martha Clarke 'Amazing')</p>	<p>Den. victoriae-reginae</p>
<u>Jean Garren</u>	<p>Oncostele (Ons.) Eye Candy 'Pinkie' AM/AOS (Ons. Catatante x Onc. Barossa Delight)</p>	
<u>Tom Dewar</u>	<p>C. Horace 'Maxima' AM/AOS (C. trianae x C. Woltersiana)</p>	
<u>Amal Cooke</u>	<p>Cyrtorchis (Cyrtps.) arcuata Cynoches Super Cooper (warscewiczii 'SVO' AM/AOS x Jumbo Cooper 'SVO' AM/AOS) Miltoniopsis (Mps.) phalaenopsis 'John Leathers' AM/AOS Phal. Tying Shin _____ 'TS110' (not yet named) Den. Gaëtan Minet (aphanochilum x cuthbertsonii)</p>	<p>Phal. NOID (anaconda lip type)</p>
<u>Kathy LaBree</u>	<p>Rhyncholaeliocattleya (Rlc.) George King 'Southern Cross' (Rlc. Buttercup x C. Bob Betts) Rth. Cheryl Winkelmann (Ctt. Acker's Madison x Rth. Afternoon Delight)</p>	
<u>Lois Dauelsberg</u>	<p>Procatavola (Pcv.) Key Lime Stars (Ctyh. Lime Sherbet x B. nodosa) Paph. Vexillarium (barbatum x fairrieanum) Ddc. saccolabium Den. Miva Abracadabra (atroviolaceum x polysema)</p>	<p>Epidendrum (Epi.) porpax Epi. Ciliare</p>