



FEBRUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER

The Colorado Springs Orchid Society will have its February 2024 meeting on Saturday the 24th 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.



Refreshments

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

CSOS 2024 Calendar

February 24 – TBD
Refreshments A – F

March 23 – TBD
Refreshments G – L

April 27 – TBD
Refreshments M – R

May 25 – TBD
Refreshments S – Z

June 22 – TBD
Refreshments A – F

July 27 – TBD
Refreshments G – L

August 24 – TBD
Refreshments M – R

September 28 (Auction) – TBD
Refreshments S – Z

October 26 – TBD
Refreshments A – F

November 23 (Elections) – TBD
Refreshments G – L

December 28 – TBD
Refreshments M – R

Other Announcements:



To Our New Members

Laura Furlong

Barbara Ziek

Save the Dates – The Denver Orchid Society (DOS) will have their Spring Show and Sale on the first weekend in May. Setup will be on May 3 and the Show and Sale will be on May 4 and 5, 2024. Watch here for more information when it becomes available.

Stan's Greenhouse! – Enjoy the picture below of one of Stan's orchids. And the next 2 pages are pictures of his greenhouse. Stan is the benefactor of the cattleya divisions that Terry Bernard brings to our meetings for auction. Be sure to watch for the next time divisions will be brought to our meeting. Thank you, Stan and Terry. 😊 😊



Blc. Sea Swirl 'Whirlpool' grown by Stan Brown







Legonopsis White with Pink Lip

President's Message

Thank you, everyone, for packing out our temporary fire station home with an incredible display of blooms last month. We used every available table to hold them all! Turnout for the raffle was also strong, and as our raffle and sale plant selection continues to grow, there has also been increasing confusion over what is free, what is for sale, and what is in the raffle at our meetings.

While everyone has been patient and very understanding (sincere thanks), it has become clear that we need a better system. After putting our heads together on a solution, we will test drive the following system starting with the meeting on Saturday. Three categories of plants/items will be separated on the tables and labeled with tags and signage as follows:

1. Raffle Table Plant/Items

These plants/items *are unavailable for sale* and can only be won as a raffle prize. This ensures that when someone buys a raffle ticket to win an item, it will be available at the start of the drawing.

2. Sale Table Plants/Items

These plants/items *are available for sale* before the raffle. Tags will be available to denote the price and recipient of funds. Items for sale by an individual are payable directly to the seller. Sale items designated by the seller as a donation benefiting the Society are payable to Lorie at the treasurer's table.

Unsold Plants/Items

Before the raffle begins, individuals who bring a sale plants/items can choose to reclaim their unsold plants/items or donate them to the raffle (a request for choice will be made before the raffle drawing begins).

3. Free Table Plants/Items

These plants/items are given freely to whoever would like them.

Our goal is to provide the opportunity to buy and sell plants/items within the CSOS community while also curating an exciting raffle that is not "picked over" by the time the drawing happens. Your continued constructive feedback is appreciated as we take this new system for a spin!

Don't forget that we are back at CSFD Station 14 on Saturday. For our new orchid friends, this station is located at 1875 Dublin Blvd. at Academy Blvd. Best wishes for a great week, and see you at the fire station on the 24th!

Cheers,

Alison Dino

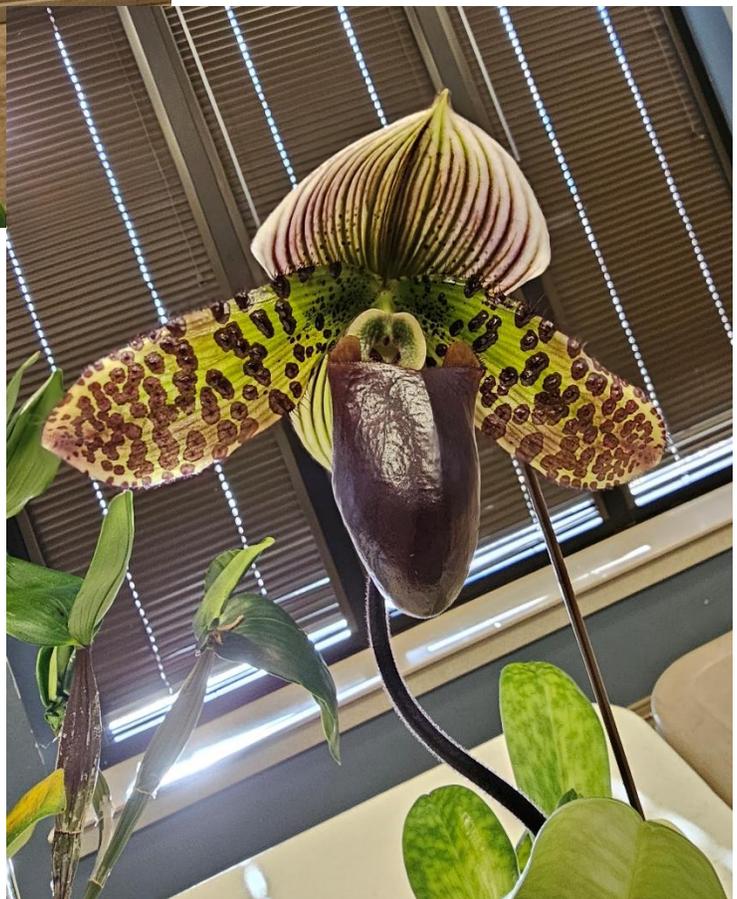
President, Colorado Springs Orchid Society

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Two more of Alison's January Blooms:



Den. QF Mauka



Paph. Enchantingly Jeweled

Four of Roger Stone's January Blooms:



Stsc. Vanguard



Sns. gemmata



Paph. villosum

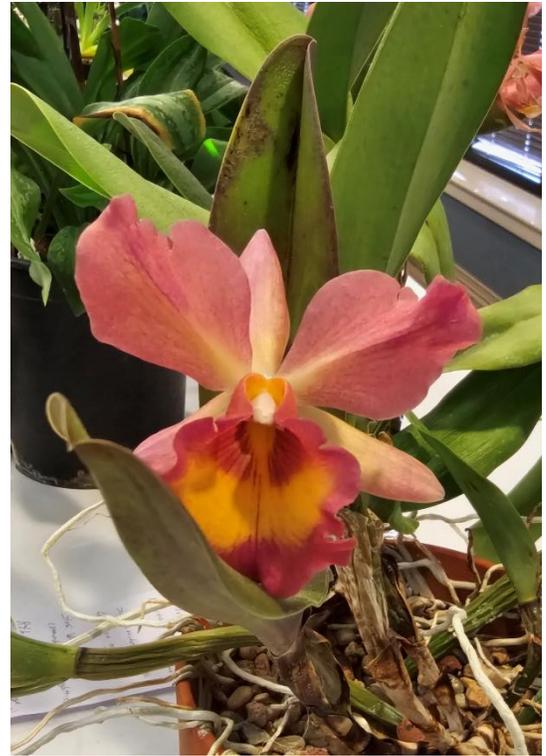


Ble. striata

And four more of Roger Stone's January Blooms:



Pasr. Chian-Tzy Lovely 'CT-Goldmine'



Rth. Zul



L. anceps



Coel. mossiae 'Mendenhall'

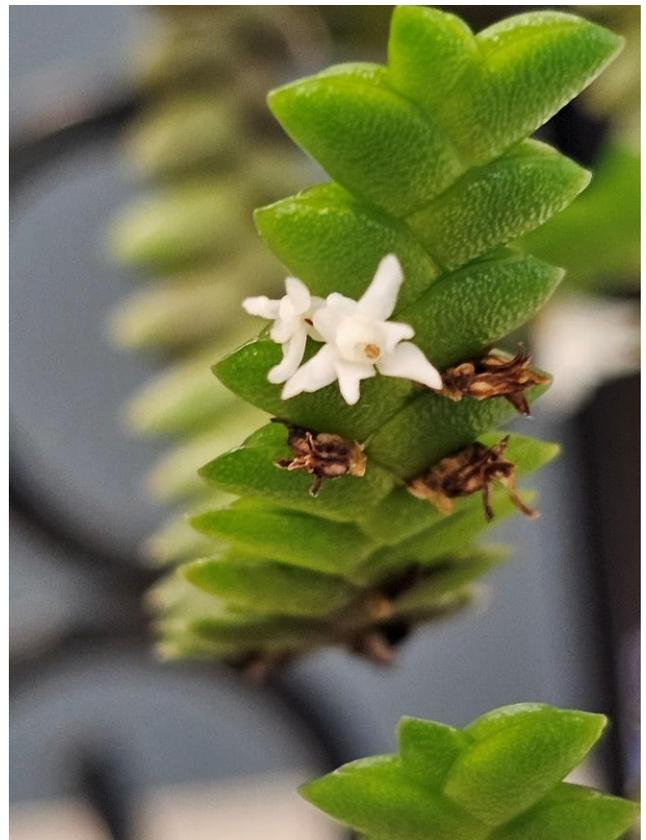
Jojo deBeaubien's January Blooms:



Den. laterale



Ste. ornata



Mcs. griffithii

Chris Hampton's January Blooms:



Den. Hybrid



Two Phal. Hybrids



Barbara Pollock's January Bloom:



Monn. Millenium Magic 'Witchcraft'

Terry Bernard's January Blooms:



Rlc. Memoria Grant Eichler 'Lenette' HCC/AOS



Ctt. Jewel Box 'Dark Waters' AM/AOS

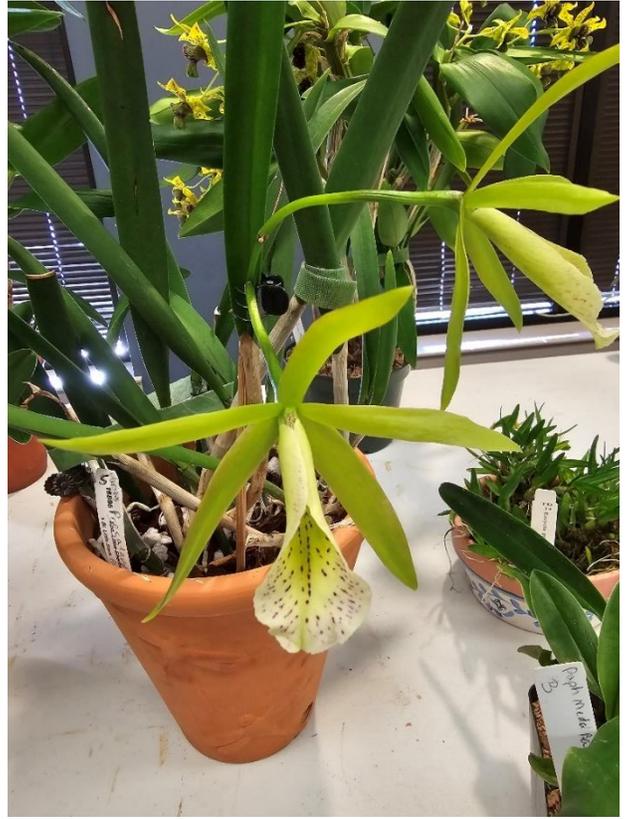


Rlc. Frank Gilmore 'Mendenhall' AM/AOS

Four of Kathy LaBree's January Blooms:



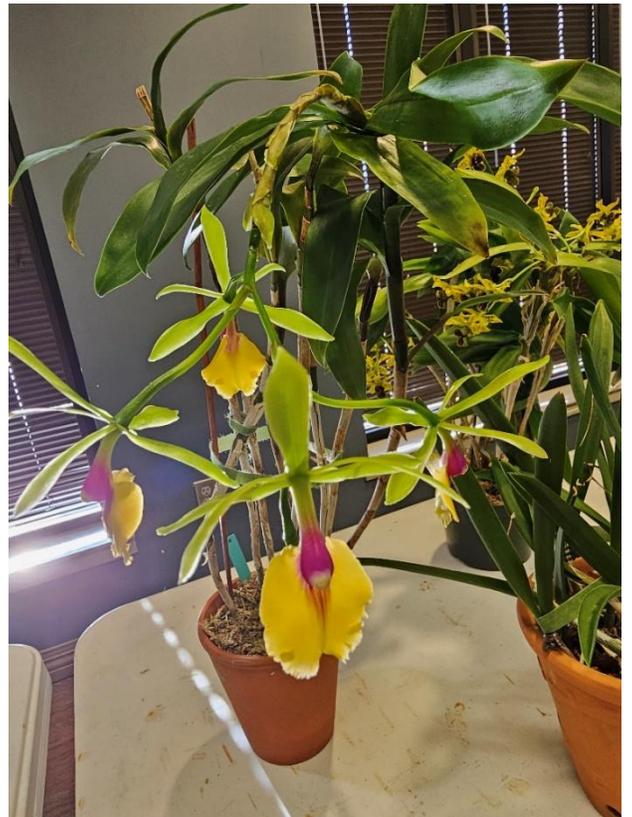
Paph. Meda Ballard



Pcv. Walnut Valley Lime Stars



Paph. Double Deception



Epc. Mikawa Prime

And three more of Kathy's January Blooms:



Din. polybulbon



Den. Yellow Song 'Canary' AM/AOS



Den. Andréé Millar

Jean Garren's January Blooms:



Den. limpidum



Den. kingianum



Onc. Twinkle

Julie Frost's January Blooms:



V. Wai Ron x Rhy. coelestis



Phal. Sogo Grape 'Fireball' AM/AOS



Two Phal. Hybrids

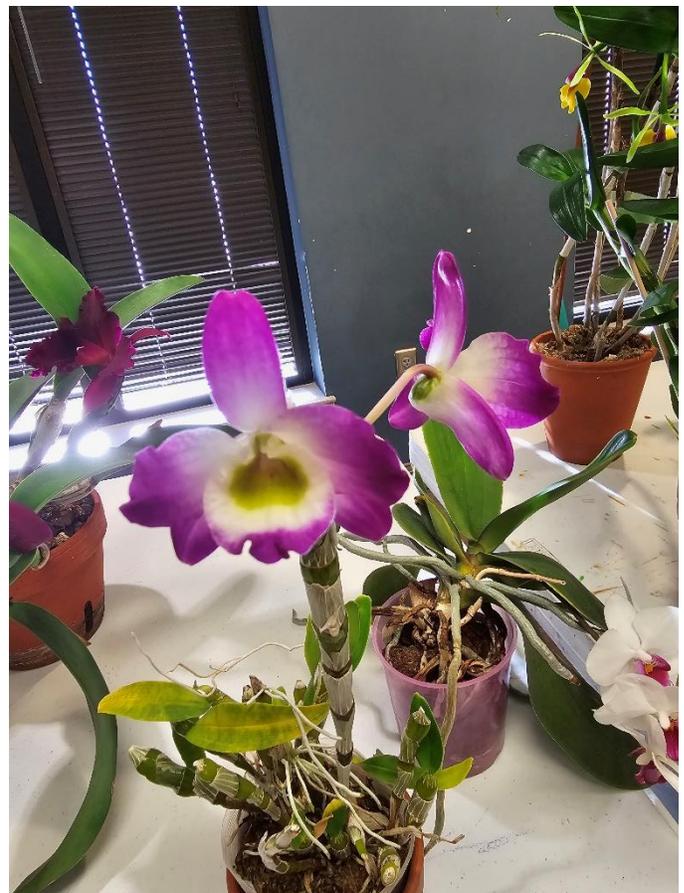
Karen Zook's January Blooms:



Rth. Pop City



Phal. King Soopers Special



Den. Tianmu Fangming Jade Sweet



Paph. Tomiko Star grown by Lorie Casbon



C. coccinea grown by Barbara VanderStoep

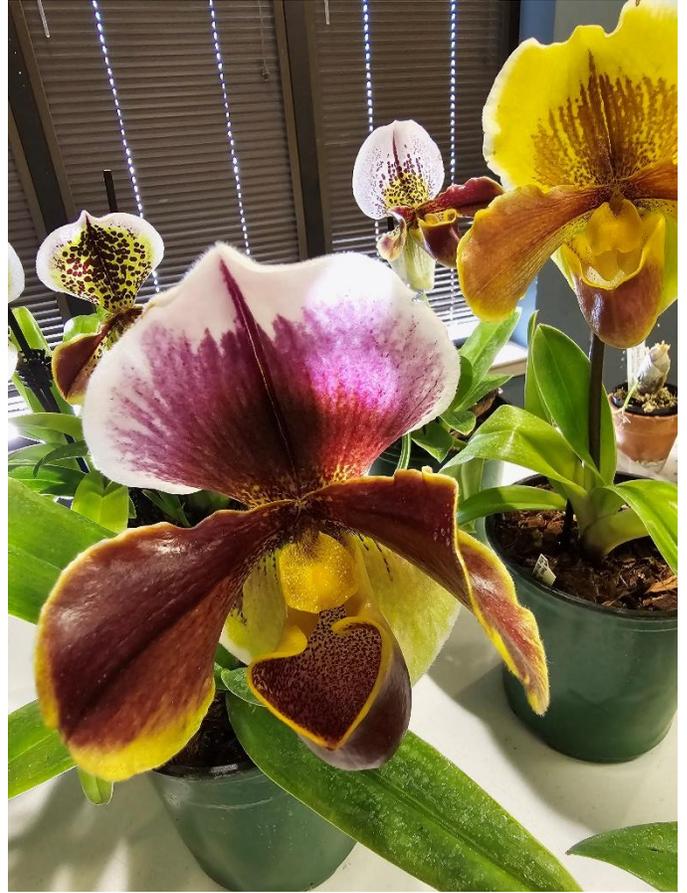


Clo. unregistered (Cl. Grace Dunn x Ctsm. Leto Correa 'Yellow Lip & Spots') and Cl. Grace Dunn grown by Karou Stabnow

Four of Joe Genova's January Blooms:



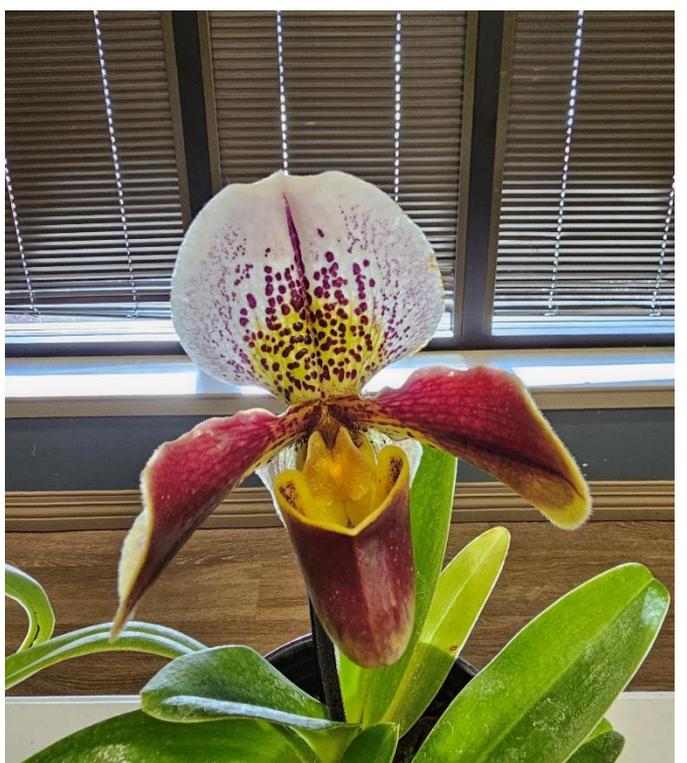
Paph. Rosefire



Paph. Oceans of Spots



Paph. Meadow Joy

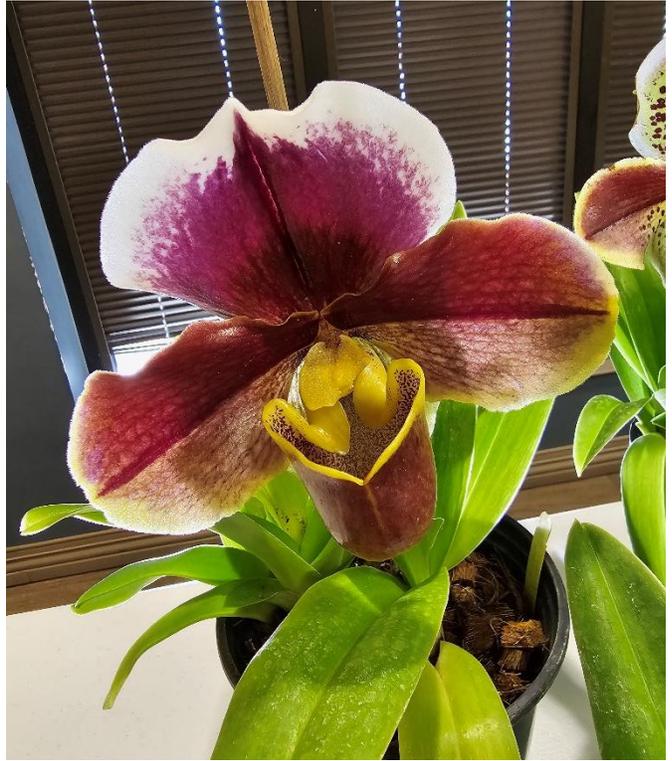


Paph. Buddy Fun Mark

And four more of Joe's January Blooms:



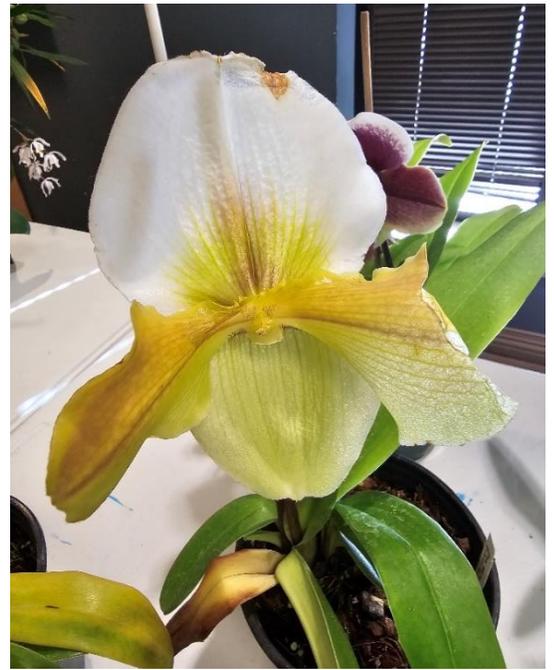
Paph. (Eagle Peak 'Vista Del Monte'
x Pacific Shamrock 'Green Shoulder')



Paph. Hybrid



Paph. Bloodline



Paph. Olympic Moon (sans pouch)

Jack Willcox's January Bloom:



Rth. Young-Min Orange 'Golden Satisfaction' AM/AOS



Ctt. Varut Starrack 'C S'

Joan McCann's January Blooms:



Paph. Temptation in the Hay



E. cordigera 'Hinomaru' x sib



Phal. Valentini 'Montclair' AM/AOS



Tol. Hybrid

Lois Dauelsberg's January Blooms:



Paph. Memoria Walt Willis



Coel. cristata

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January 2024 Show and Tell Plant List (Page 2)

- Lorie Casbon Paph. Tomiko Star (Mele Star x Tomatillo)
- Karen Zook Den. Tianmu Fangming Jade Sweet Phal. King Soopers Special
Rth. Pop City (Ctt. Tutankamen x Rlc. Chia Lin)
- Joe Genova Paph. Meadow Joy (Mountain Meadow x Green Paradise)
Paph. Olympic Moon
(Warm Valley 'Golden Moon' HCC/AOS x Olympic Halo 'Alabaster' HCC/AOS)
Paph. Bloodline (Milionette x Keyeshill)
Paph. Rosefire (California Girl 'Free Spirit' x Carneros Creek 'Macro' AM/AOS)
Paph. Oceans of Spots (Black Thorpe x Oceans of Fire)
Paph. Buddy Fun Mark
(Cruella 'Penny' AM/AOS x Spotglen 'Doodlebug' HCC/AOS)
Paph. (Eagle Peak 'Vista Del Monte' x Pacific Shamrock 'Green Shoulder')
Paph. Hybrid
- Alison Dino Paph. Enchantingly Jeweled
Dendrobium QF Mauka (Kaila Quintal x polysema)
Legonopsis? White, Pink Lip (HaHaHa!)
- Chris Hampton Den. Hybrid Phal. Hybrid (Pink)
Phal. Hybrid (Yellow)
- Barbara Pollock Monnierara (Monn.) Millenium Magic 'Witchcraft'
(Catanoches Midnight Jem x Mormodes sinuata)
- Julie Frost Phal. Hybrid (white with rainbow edges)
Phal. Hybrid
Phal. Sogo Grape 'Fireball' AM/AOS (Super Stupid x Princess Kaiulani)
Vanda (V.) Wai Ron x Rhynchostylis (Rhy.) coelestis
- Lois Dauelsberg Paph. Memoria Walt Willis (Yang-Ji Diamond x philippinense)
Coelogyne (Coel.) cristata