



AUGUST 2024 NEWSLETTER

The Colorado Springs Orchid Society will have its August 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 M to R.

CSOS 2024 Calendar

August 24 – TBD
Refreshments M – R

September 28 (Auction) – TBD
Refreshments S – Z

October 26 – TBD
Refreshments A – C

November 23 (Elections) – TBD
Refreshments D – G

December 28 – TBD
Refreshments H – P

Other Announcements:



To Our New Member
Heinz Huester

[Denver Orchid Society's Fall Show and Sale](#) – Be sure to check our President's Message for specific information on this event.



Scaphosepalum breve

President's Message

Back to school? I don't know how August is here, but I do know the CSOS has had a busy summer! Over the last three months, a group effort successfully secured the future of Bob Steele's legacy of over 300 orchids, and last month, we teamed up for a fun, unscripted afternoon of BBQ at the fire station.

A big thank you to Matt and Lorie for working with Mission BBQ, Lorie's husband, Jon, for giving the food a lift to the picnic, Karen for securing our drinks and ice, and everyone who jumped in to help us set up and clean up. It was truly a team effort, and our timing could not have been more perfect. Twenty minutes after we wrapped, a sun shower soaked the area! I have shared our thanks with the Colorado Springs Fire Department and Mission BBQ. We only regret that the firefighters could not join us (sorry, Karen, we tried!).

Students are back in school, and a second sign of fall is nearly upon us. The Denver Orchid Society's Fall Show and Sale is a little over three weeks away. This year, the AOS-sanctioned show will take place at Nick's Garden Center & Farm Market (2001 S. Chambers Rd, Aurora, CO 80014) on Saturday, September 14th (10 am-5 pm) and Sunday, September 15th (9 am-4 pm) with set up on Friday, September 13th beginning at 9 am. The show theme is An Orchid Fiesta! Our August meeting will be our last before the event, so we will work on gathering details on Saturday. If you can spare some time over these three days in September, please consider helping our DOS friends out by volunteering. A sign-up sheet for volunteers, including everyone's favorite plant sale setup, can be found here: [DOS Fall Show 2024 Sign-Up](#). Per the DOS, the show Entry Schedule, Rules and Regulations will be available toward the end of August. We will circulate this information via email when we get it.

You may have noticed that since we have been allowed to have refreshments at the fire station again, some months we have a bounty of treats, and others not so much. Jean was intrigued, ran the numbers (thanks, Jean!), and devised a better monthly refreshment list for how our current group shakes out. We will start this new list when our current one laps in October. Joan has included the new monthly refreshment list in this newsletter. When you get a moment, please take a peek, as your months to bring a little something to share have likely changed.

Our meeting on Saturday will be pretty mellow compared to the last three months. So, if you have been holding back blooms for show-and-tell, bring them on! We will have plenty of time to swap stories and admire.

Keep those *Masdevallias* cool, and see you at the fire station on the 24th!

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Two of Roger Stone's July Blooms:



Sns. seidenfadenii



Holc. lingulatum x *V. jainii*

Three of Roger Stone's July Blooms:



Gom. Moon Shadow 'Tiger Tail' AM/AOS



Paph. Isabel Booth



Tolu. variegata 'Orchid Dynasty'

And two more of Roger's July Blooms:



Bulb. Wilmar Galaxy Star



Epi. myrianthum

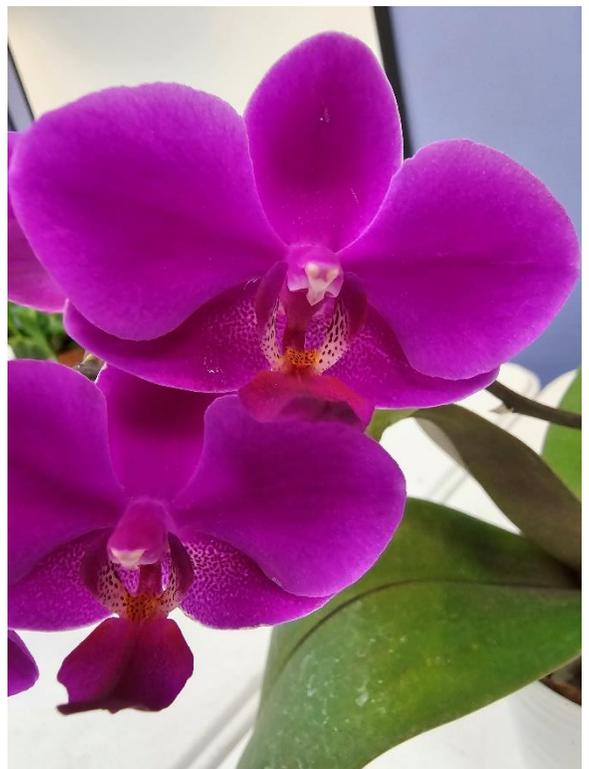
Three of Amal Cook's July Blooms:



C. Mini Purple 'Blue Hawaii' AM/AOS



Phal. (peloric from Gubler's)



Phal. Hybrid

Joe Genova's July Blooms:



Epi. quisayanum



Paph. Berenice



Paph. Prince Edward of York

Jessica McCorkle's July Blooms:



Bc. Yellow Bird



Mps. Andrea West

Janice Mann's July Blooms:



Phrag. amazonicum



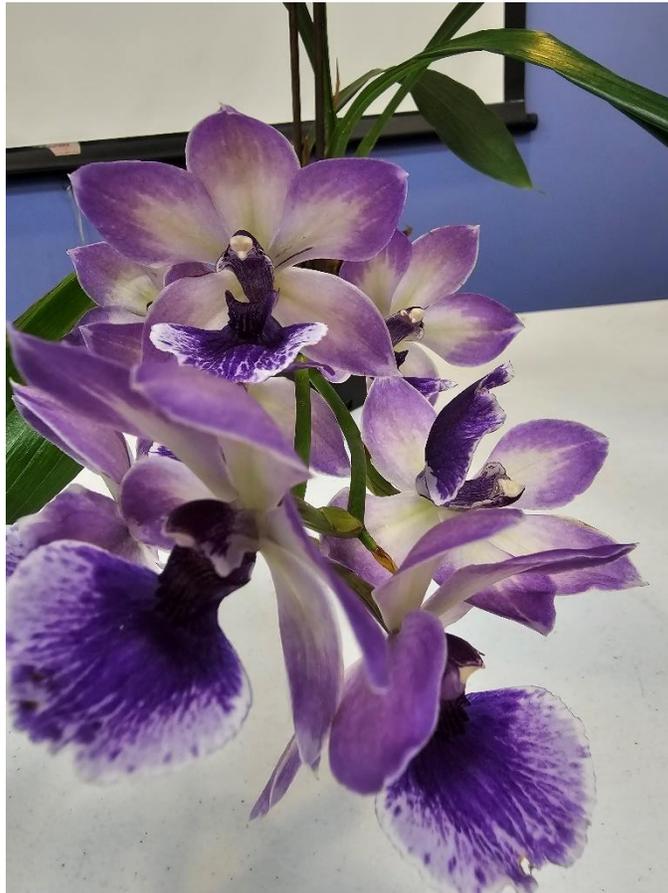
Bcd. Gilded Tower 'Mystic Maze' HCC/AOS



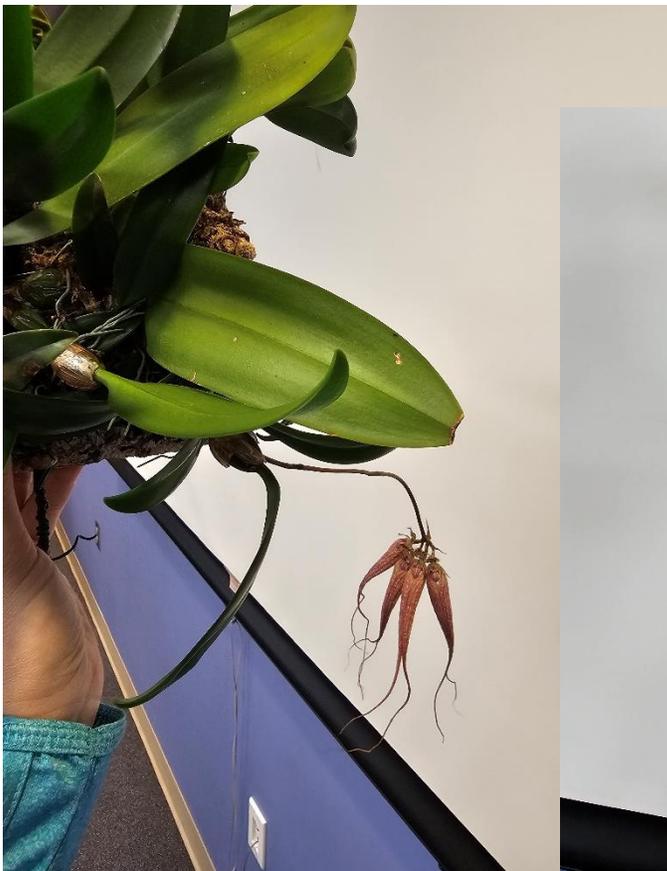
Psh. cochleata grown by Jean Garren



Rth. Momilani Rainbow grown by Kathy LaBree



Zns. Cynosure 'Blue Birds' AM/AOS grown by Barbara Vander Stoep



Bulb. Elizabeth Ann 'Buckleberry' FCC/AOS grown by Matt Kurpaski

Joan McCann's July Blooms:



Psh. Green Hornet



Phal. cornu-cervi



Phal. YangYang Black Grape

Colorado Springs Orchid Society July 2024 Show and Tell Plant List

- Amal Cooke Cattleya (C.) Mini Purple 'Blue Hawaii' AM/AOS (pumila x walkeriana)
Phalaenopsis (Phal.) (peloric from Gubler's) Phal. Hybrid
Phragmipedium (Phrag.) Uranus #2 (lindleyanum x Grande 4N 'Gigantea')
- Kathy LaBree Rhyncattleanthe (Rth.) Momilani Rainbow
(Cattleya (C.) Mari's Song x Rth. Orange Nuggett)
- Joan McCann Prosthechea (Psh.) Green Hornet (cochleata x trulla)
Phal. cornu-cervi (('Jungle' x "#2") x "Yellow")
Phal. YangYang Black Grape (Haur Jih Fancy x violacea (h.f. indigo))
- Janice Mann Brassidostele (Bcd.) Gilded Tower 'Mystic Maze' HCC/AOS
(Brassostele (Bst.) Summit x Brassidium (Brsdm.) Gilded Urchin)
Phrag. amazonicum
- Joe Genova Paphiopedilum (Paph.) Berenice (philippinense x lowii)
Pap. Prince Edward of York (rothschildianum x sanderianum)
Epidendrum (Epi.) quisayanum
- Jessica McCorkle Miltoniopsis ((Mps.) syn. Milt.) Andrea West (Capitola x Doctor Ruth Ono)
Brassocattleya ((Bc.(syn. Bl.) Yellow Bird
(Brassavola (B.) nodosa x Bc. Richard Mueller)
- Matt Kurpaski Bulbophyllum (Bulb.) Elizabeth Ann 'Buckleberry' FCC/AOS
(longissimum x rothschildianum)
- Barbara VanderStoep Zygonisia (Zns.) Cynosure 'Blue Birds' AM/AOS
(Aganisia cyanea x Zygotepalum Skippy Ku)
- Roger Stone Paph. Isabel Booth (Lady Isobel x philippinense) 'Sandy #1'
Tolumnia (Tolu.) variegata (syn.velutina) 'Orchid Dynasty'
Schoenorchis (Sns.) seidenfadenii
Bulb. Wilmar Galaxy Star (dearei x lobbii)
Gomesa (Gom.)(syn. Onc.) Moon Shadow 'Tiger Tail' AM/AOS
Holcoglossum (Holc.) lingulatum x Vanda (V.) jainii
Epidendrum (Epi.) myrianthum (syn. Oerstedella (Oe.) myriantha)
- Jean Garren Prosthechea (Psh.) cochleata (syn. Encyclia (E.) cochleata)