



Orchidelirium!



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NEXT MONTHLY MEETING DETAILS

Date: Tuesday, September 21, 2026 at 12:30 PM (Doors open at 12:00 PM)

Location: Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens, 2410 SE Westmoreland Blvd

Lunch: Potluck lunch at 12:30

Program: Jim-N-I Orchids at 1:00

Business Meeting: Conducted by John Erickson, Society President, at 2:00

Activities:

Show-and-Tell - We love to see your orchids!

Orchid Plant Sale by Jim-N-I Orchids

Orchid Raffle

Jim-N-I Orchids, Program Speaker, Conversations with My Orchids



We are thrilled to welcome our guest speaker this month, Master Grower Jim, from Jim-N-I Orchids, who will demonstrate how to have conversations with your orchids. Jim-N-I Orchids provides quality orchids for the novice to the advanced collector. They specialize in a diverse selection of exotic and showy genera, including Cattleya, Dendrobium, Bulbophyllum, Phalaenopsis, and Catasetum. Plants for the novice are selected for ease of culture while plants for the advanced grower focus on the collectable species and contemporary hybrids. Jim and Melana are both accredited American Orchid Society judges, have garnered multiple awards for their personal collection, have a combined sixty years of orchid-growing experience, and are always eager to share their wealth of knowledge to assure success.

Jim-N-I Orchids will also bring orchids for sale.

Culture Tip of the Month

- **Careful watering this month.** This often means no watering at all. Water only when truly necessary.
- **Space plants amply.** Good air circulation is essential across the coming months.
- **A disease prevention program** should be started this month.
- **Clean up growing area and plants.** Remove dead leaves from plants and the ground. Prune trees and shrubs to increase light and air circulation.
- **Apply snail bait** lightly early in the month and again lightly mid-month.

(From Dr Martin Motes' monthly newsletter and book, Florida Orchid Growing Month by Month)

Join Us

Join us for Monthly Meetings September—June

3rd Monday of the month, 1:00 PM
(Educational Class 12:00 PM)

Speakers, Classes, Show and Tell, Raffles,
Orchid Exchange, and more

April and December
Special Meetings
Times & Locations to be Announced

Board Meeting

2nd Monday of the month, 12:30 PM
Port Saint Lucie Botanical Garden

Upcoming Events

Oct 12

PSLOS Annual Auction

Nov 16

Tony Millet, "Big Results, Small Changes"

Nov 30

PSLOS Annual Recognition Luncheon (for Members)

Join PSLOS Today!

Love orchids? Join the Port St. Lucie Orchid Society! Members enjoy monthly meetings, expert speakers, plant raffles, workshops, and fun field trips.

Membership Dues: \$20/year
Family (member plus 1) \$25/year

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