

Vero Beach Orchid Society

January 2022



## January Speaker: Glenn Gross

Welcome Back Everyone! We've decided it's time to get back together. I think most folks who want the vaccine have gotten it, and those who have it already can feel as safe as is possible with the current state of the virus. We welcome everybody back to the building and we want you all to take whatever precautions you feel are best for your health. We will not have snacks in the kitchen, but you're welcome to bring anything you want for yourself, snack and/or beverage. Of course, no alcoholic beverages are allowed in the garden club.

This month we will have Glenn Gross as our speaker. He will be speaking about the proper way to mount orchids. He will provide plants for sale and the raffle plants.

The meeting will be on January 20th at 7:00pm.

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# VERO BEACH ORCHID SOCIETY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

January 3, 2022

The meeting was called to order by President Sherry Cauley January 3, 2022 @ 7:00 pm.

Members present Carolyn Greene, Susan Scott, Jeanne Thompson and Addison Marvin.

#### Old business-

- -Show update given by Carolyn at this time we have 5 vendors with several invitations pending. Everything is on track for the 2022 show.
- -treasures report reviewed by Addison. Because of Covid the budget has very few changes for the whole year. Approved by Carolyn Greene and Susan Scott.
- All the arrangements are in place for renting the Garden Club as our meeting place. We next meet on Thursday evening, January 20 @ 7pm.

#### New business-

- After many years of participating in 'Away' shows, VBOS will not be participating in Port St Lucie or Martin Co shows as a society. Everyone can absolutely submit plants in those shows as individual plants. I am sure they will welcome our members as volunteers at their show.
- Further information about volunteer time will be provided in a separate notice as soon as the details are organized.
- We have board openings for Vice President, Secretary and board member. With a good team, the work of many makes a job fun and easier. PLEASE consider volunteering! I have enjoyed the people

I have met and the friends at have made of the years by volunteering with the society. Unless we can fill these positions we will need to revise our bylaws.

- Speaker for January, Glenn Gross.

Meeting closed at 8:10 pm approved by Jeanne Thompson and Addison Marvin.

Sherry Cauley President of VBOS

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### **Editors Note**

I encourage you to all attend the meeting. We have a lot of things to discuss and decide upon during the meeting.

We'll be asking each of you to consider if/how you wish to volunteer for either or both of the away shows to help them make their show a success. Since we are not including a display of our own, it would be very neighborly to help the other societies in any way we can as individuals.

We'll also would like you all to consider how you'll volunteer at our show in April. We have setup to do on Friday, with tents and tables. We'll also need folks to help with the food preparations for our guests and workers on Friday. We'll need security, folks to work throughout the weekend helping the vendors and making sure the park is clean, and teardown on Sunday. Clerking with the judges in the tent on Saturday can be a fun and instructive task. Each of the needs help to build our society into a more cohesive group while working for the good of the society. Our show is the only money making event we have, which provides your newsletter, the Christmas Party, our wonder presentations each month and last, but not least, the ability to meet in the garden club facility.

We will also be asking for volunteers to join the board in the positions outlined above. If anybody is curious about what is involved in any of these positions, we will have copies of the position descriptions available for you to read.

The dates for the away shows are February 12 &  $13^h$  for the Port St Lucie Show and Martin County dates are March  $4^{th} - 6^{th}$ . The setups for each of these shows is, of course, the day before the show begins.







#### VERO BEACH ORCHID SOCIETY OFFICERS

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DUES FOR 2022: SINGLE MEMBER DUES \$15.00 FAMILY DUES: \$20.00

OUR NEXT REGULAR MEETING WILL BE JANUARY 20TH, AT THE GARDEN CLUB OF INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, 2526 17TH AVENUE VERO BEACH, FLORIDA 32960. THE **MEETING WILL START AT 7:00 PM**