

Monthly Meeting

There will be no beginners' meetings until after the show in January. This month's meeting is all about yummy snacks, showing off our plants, talking about plants and our quickly approaching show.

Calendar

OCT

Oct 17th, Meijer Gardens
Oct 26-27 Michiana Orchid Society Show

Nov 21th, Meijer Gardens

DEC

Dec 19th, Meijer Gardens Holiday Party

IΛN

GVOS Show-Jan 25-26th, 2020

MAR

Mar 21-22 Ann Arbor Show

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Neostylis Lou Sneary Blooming from our show table

December

This month's meeting is going to focus on our upcoming show. Mei Ling is going to be talking to us about what is still needed to make it happen. Remember, this show doesn't happen without many hands. Please sign up for whatever you are capable of doing. Gordon also mentioned that he had a brief presentation as well. Don't forget to bring some kind of finger food to share!

Other News

Dues are due!

It's that time again. Please make a note of the following changes. The prices have gone up and it is now \$25 for an individual and \$40 for a family for the year. Please see Joan Shipaila, Treasurer, to make a payment. Please make checks payable to GVOS. You may also mail payments to Joan at the following address:

2139 Chesapeake NE Grand Rapids, MI 49505

If there have been any changes to your information, please include that update as well.

Snack sign-up

December - snack/fingerfood dishes from all January - Friday night potluck sign-up sheets to follow February - Jim Molchan

Show Table Photos



Lyc. Red Jewel



Lyc. Nobuo



Lyc. Allen Salzman



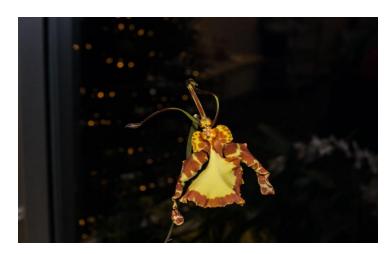
Lyc. Hawaiian Lass



Blc. Momilani Rainbow



C. Jenmannii



Psychopsis Mendenhall



Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'



Paph. Bengal Tiger x jumbo sib cross



Paph spicerianiumXvictoria-marie, Paph Helenae X PacificShamrock, Paph In-Charm Topaz



Den. Tetragonium

Orchid Show/Festival Schedule

Note: These are shows that are happening in our area/Mid-west. GVOS will be attending doing a display as a society only at the highlighted shows.

October 12-13, 2019. Illinois Orchid Society Fall Show "Autumn Splendors". Chicago Botanic Garden, 1000 Lake Cook Rd., Glencoe, IL

October 19-20, 2019. Greater Cincinnati Orchid Show. Krohn Conservatory, 1501 Eden Park Drive, Cincinnati, OH

October 26-27, 2019 Michiana Orchid Society Fall Show. Holy Cross College, 54515 State Road 933 North, Notre Dame, IN

November 30- December 1 2019 Saginaw Valley Orchid Show. Kockville Veterans Hall. 3265 Kochville Rd.

January 25-26 2020 Grand Valley Orchid Society Show. Frederick Meijer Gardens

February 22-23 2020. Greater Lansing Orchid Society Show. Plant and Soil Science Conservatory, Michigan State University

March 21-22 2020 Ann Arbor Orchid Society Show University of Michigan's Matthaei Botanical Gardens 1800 North Dixboro Road Ann Arbor, MI

Upcoming shows will also be announced and discussed at meetings. Please start looking ahead and add the available dates to your calendars to see if you are able to assist in set up or tear down.