



# ORCHIDS

## Monthly Meeting

There will be another zoom meeting this month. We will be doing the virtual plant table again as well as some more tours. The information for joining the Zoom meeting will be sent out a couple of days before the meeting.

## Calendar

### JULY

July 16<sup>th</sup>, Zoom Meeting

### AUG

Aug 20<sup>th</sup>, Zoom Meeting

### SEPT

Sept 17<sup>th</sup>, Zoom Meeting?

### OCT

Oct 15<sup>th</sup>, Zoom Meeting?

### NOV

Nov 19<sup>th</sup>, Zoom Meeting?

### DEC

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*An orchid growing in the garden of one of our members*

## July

July is here and we are well into the hot, steamy days of Michigan summers. I hope everyone is taking it easy, staying hydrated and enjoying your orchids.

This month will be another zoom meeting. The format will be very similar to the last one. We will be doing the virtual plant table again as well as some more growers tours.

If you have any ideas and suggestions for upcoming meetings, please feel free to email them to me and I will make sure they are passed along and discussed. Also, if you have a particular plant or species you would like highlighted, write up a little paragraph or two and send along some pictures and I will include it in future newsletters. If you have picked up a new hobby or have been doing some interesting experiments with your plants and want to highlight that as well, send me a little write up and I will include that as well in future newsletters. I think it would be fun to hear a little bit about what everyone has been up to and what people have been doing to stay busy and safe.

Virtual Plant Table: The virtual plant table will be run the same as the previous meetings.

- 1) The photo must be of the current bloom
- 2) Please edit all photos to contain the plant name. It makes it much easier to create the slideshow and much easier for me up update our social media pages.
- 3) All submissions must be sent to Mei Ling as soon as possible. Please make sure they are sent no later than Tuesday night or Wednesday morning at the latest so she has time to put everything together for the meeting.

## Orchids In Bloom

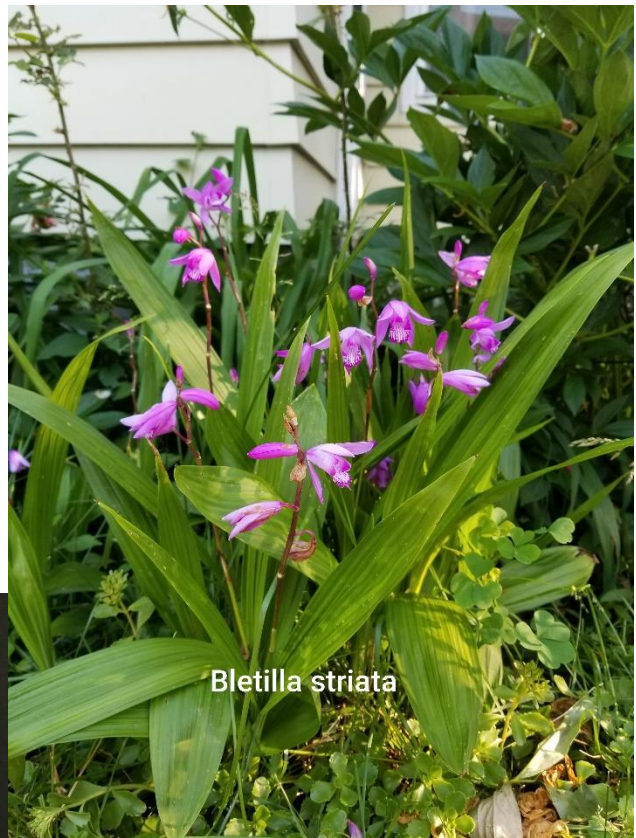
The Good news is we had so many orchids blooming there is no way to include them all in one newsletter.

Check out our Facebook and Instagram for more photos









## Orchid Show/Festival Schedule

Due to the current situation everything is currently on hold or canceled. The show schedule will be updated when information is available and it's one again safe to hold larger gatherings.