



New Discoveries about Vietnamese Paphiopedilums

We have our Orchid Society Meeting next Tuesday, February 19, 2013 at Cheekwood. Refreshments at 6:30 and program at 7 pm.

The meeting presentation is "New Discoveries about Vietnamese Paphiopedilums". It was created by **Dr. Loenid Averyanov**, who wrote *Slipper Orchids of Vietnam* and covers Paphs pretty much throughout Southeast Asia mainland.

Rick Lockwood will be presenting and answering questions. As you all know, Rick has good experience and expertise with Paphs over the years!

Cheekwood is located at 1200 Forrest Park Drive, Nashville, TN 37205.

Photo Right: Paphiopedilum vietnamense



OSMT VOLUNTEERS needed at the 24th Annual Nashville Lawn & Garden Show on Thursday, February 28 through Sunday, March 3, 2013 at the Tennessee State Fairgrounds. A premier horticultural event, the Nashville Lawn & Garden Show attracts more than 22,000 people annually and is one of the largest gardening shows in the South. *Go online to learn more:* nashvillelawnandgardenshow.com



Lc. Sagarik Wax 'Silk Ball'

Future Meeting Programs

February 19	Rick Lockwood, New Discoveries about Vietnamese Paphiopedilums
March 19	Tom Harper, Stone River Orchids - 12 most important Phalenopsis Species influencing Today's Modern Phalenopsis
April 16	Barry Jones, AOS Judge - Compact to Miniature Orchids
May TBA	Picnic
June 18	Fred Smith, Sunset Orchids - Topic to be determined

JANAURY is the time to renew your membership:

\$25.00 Dues can be given to Treasurer Angela Dycus. Thank you!



Dtps. Harlequin Taicuso Micky

*"The handsomest and most interesting flowers were the great purple orchises, rising ever and anon, with their great purple spikes perfectly erect, amid the shrubs and grasses of the shore."
- Henry David Thoreau*

Calendar

February 28 - March 3, 2013
Nashville Lawn & Garden Show

Mar 1 - 3, 2013 Smoky Mountain Orchid Society Show at West Town Mall - Knoxville, TN

Mar 8 - 10, 2013 The Atlanta Orchid Show at The Atlanta Botanical Garden - Atlanta, GA Contact: Barbara Barnett 706-579-2670 bkbarnett1@windstream.net

May 17-19 Memphis Orchid Society Show and Sale with the theme of "Orchids Around the World."

* refreshment list

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February	Rick Lockwood
March	Angela Dycus
April	Jan Lawrence
May	PICNIC
June	Jeanne Kahan
July	JoAnn Heinrich
August	Candace Tillquist
September	Byron Dumas
October	Paul Morgan
November	Business Mtg
December	Party

Lawn and Garden Volunteers



We know we are at the end of winter when the Lawn and Garden Show happens. February 28 - March 3 2013, with our society participation, the show helps raise the funds to pay for speakers at our meeting. We need volunteers to help staff the booth and display no matter how little or long - please give your time. I was worried about the questions that I would be asked my first year volunteering; however, being paired with some of the most knowledgeable members, it was like a mini seminar on orchid culture.

Please consider volunteering for one or more shifts. We try for 4 hour shifts. The hours for the show are 10-8 pm Thursday – Saturday and 10-5 pm on Sunday. Also, we set up the display on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and the breakdown of the display on Sunday night. Don't forget to bring plants to sell at our booth since this is the main attraction for people to stop at our booth.

There will be a sign up sheet at our next meeting on February 19th.



*Plant table - Ed Merkle and Paul Morgan
Photos by Jeanne Kahan*



Officers and Volunteers:

President
Vice President
Treasurer
Secretary

Jan Lawrence
Philip Anderson
Angela Dycus
Candace Tillquist

Trustees

Alice Jensen
Rick Lockwood

Online Media
New Member Hospitality

Jeanne Kahan
Eleanor & Ora Eads