Orchid Society of Middle Tennessee

**Newsletter January 2014** 



#### The Mid America Orchid Congress in Dayton Ohio Presentation

# Tom Harper to speak at OSMT Meeting Tuesday, January 21 at Cheekwood Botanical Gardens

Our next Orchid Society meeting is 7 pm January 21 at Cheekwood Botanical Garden. Tom Harper will give a presentation on The Mid America Orchid Congress meeting in Dayton, Ohio. Several OSMT members attended this event which was hosted by The Greater Cincinnati Orchid Society and Miami Valley Orchid Society. *Refreshments at 6:30 with the Program at 7 pm.* 



MAOC Auction antics with Barry Jones.

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



The sales floor - a selection of orchid plants and supplies.

#### Lawn and Garden Show Thursday, February 27 - Sunday, March 2 *"Wine and Roses"*

The Annual exhibit and society booth at the Lawn and Garden Show was a success last year and we're **looking for volunteers to help make this a great year**.

Thanks to all of you that will donate plants, help set up and tear down the exhibit or work the table. Money raised helps towards meeting speaker fees and expenses for society presentations.



First Place from the beautiful table arrangements.

### OSMT Programs and Events

February 18	Alice Jensen, Topic TBA
March 18	Geraldine Powell of Orchid Gallery, Topic TBA
April 15	<b>Stephen Benjamin</b> of Oak Knob Orchids "Growing Orchids the Way We Do" includes tips for beginners
Мау	Picnic TBA
June 17	Sam Tsui of Orchid Inn, Ltd., Topic TBA
July 15	Charles Wilson, "Orchids of Borneo" Memphis Orchid Society

Join or Renew: give \$25.00 in dues to Treasurer Angela Dycus. Thank you!



Lycaste Baliae shinnerii x macrophylla

"When it comes to orchid growing, no matter what you're referring to, it depends..." - Unknown

#### **Events Calendar**

**Feb 7-9** South Carolina Orchid Society Show, Riverbanks Botanical Gardens, Columbia, SC

Feb 28 Deep South Orchid Show, Savannah Mall, Savannah, GA

March 7-9 The Atlanta Orchid Show Day Hall, Atlanta Botanical Gardens

March 19-30 Heart of Dixie Orchid Society Show, DoubleTree Suites, Huntsville, AL

**April 5** Perennial Plant Sale, Tennessee State Fairgrounds, Nashville, TN. For details visit www.ppsmt.org

## \* refreshment list

2014 - Be sure to pick a month.



Dendrobium farmeri

### **Sovember Meeting Table**

