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Special points of interest:

- ◆ Copies of the Show Flyer are available for you to distribute. Please take some and post them at your all of your local stops.
- ◆ Help us get the word out about our show!
- ◆ This is your opportunity to be a *TBOS Orchid Ambassador*. Volunteer to work the show!
- ◆ See page 9 for copy of TBOS Show Flyer.

Show Time! Progress Report ~ Orchid Holiday

This is one of the most exciting events that our society is involved with and it is the biggest fundraiser for our society. There are many parts that bring this whole event all together; beginning with the gauging of interest from the membership to help host a show, to choosing an available date, to getting theme ideas along with renting a suitable venue to hold the event. Much planning and expense go in to making this a successful show for the society, vendors and guests that attend. There are so many things that factor in to making it successful, starting with you, the membership TBOS volunteers, and your willingness to make it all happen. We definitely need you ! Please plan to set aside a few hours of your weekend to come out to the show and help. Outside of the vendor sales areas this show is entirely staffed by our Society.

Recent reports from the Show Chairman indicate that the floor plan for the show hall is ready, the post cards to notify past attendees are being prepared and committees are working hard on all of their assignments. Be sure to mention our event in all of your friendly circles. Even if your crowd outside of the society doesn't grow orchids, this show is sure to please them in other ways with the beautiful orchid displays arranged by our vendors, to the free lectures and workshops available, to having the opportunity to learn how to grow orchids first hand from knowledgeable growers that are eager to share their culture!

As a TBOS member you get in to the show free. If you volunteer to work the show TBOS provides food for you while you take a break from your duties. Come on out!

Guest Speaker ~ Chapman on Growing Cymbidiums

Our February 19th speaker will be Charles Chapman from Chapman's Orchids and Exotic Plants. Charlie Chapman was an Industrial Engineer for 30 years and has been involved with growing orchids for 20 years. For 6 of those years, Charlie was a plant broker. He has been a commercial grower for the past 4 years. Chapman's Orchids grows Cymbidiums, Vandas, Cattleyas, Catasetums, Cycnoches, Ludisia discolor, Paphiopedilum, and Oncidiums. The topic for our February meeting will be **All about Warm-Growing Cymbidiums**. His presentation will include potting, fertilizing and general growth habits. Prepare your questions to ask Charlie and to share with your fellow members. You might want to challenge yourself to grow warm growing cymbidiums after this discussion. www.chapmansorchids.com

February 2009

OrchiDates

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 State Fair Begins Now 'Til 16 Feb.	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Take Down State Fair	18	19 TBOS Meets 7 p.m.	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

President's Place

Greetings and Happy Valentine's Month! February is the month of love and romance, and what could be more romantic than a beautiful orchid bloom? Especially if it is a gift from that special person.

I received my first, (a complex Paphiopedilum), on Valentine's Day, 1980, from my husband, Ric. The next month for my birthday I got a beginner's collection from Orchid Jungle. It was the beginning of our love affair with these very special plants.

If any of you have a story that involves romance and orchids, please submit it to me, and we will include it in the next newsletter. This is a great chance to share with fellow members!

This past month we had a very interesting presentation by Ed Bugbee about his travels

in Mexico and Mexican orchids. We look forward to this month with Charlie Chapman speaking about cymbidiums.

Just a reminder that the meeting now starts at 7 PM. Get there a little early to put your blooming beauties on the Bloom table and make your selections for Member's Choice Award and Best Novice. Also, don't forget to bring something for the Hospitality table, or perhaps the Donation Box, if you don't have a chance to bring something. Hope to see all of you there!

This very cold weather we have been experiencing has caused all of us concern. Those who grow outdoors have had to be creative in protecting your plants. Many have the arduous task of bringing all of them indoors, (and having a few little lizards as house guests). (more Pres. pg. 3)

Feb. 5-16

Florida State Fair

Tampa Bay Orchid Society Display
05 Feb. through 16 Feb.

Contact: Dory Gallagher
(813) 907-7025

Feb. 12 @ 7:00 P.M.

Florida West Coast Orchid Society

Speaker: Jeff Higal

Contact: Bob Barrett
(727) 726-1697

Feb. 14 @ 1:30 P.M.

AOS Judging

Leu Gardens, Orlando

Contact: Marv Ragan
(904) 213-4560

Feb. 19 @ 7 P.M.

Tampa Bay Orchid Society Member Meeting

Speaker: Charlie Chapman of
Chapman Orchids on Cymbidiums

Contact: Dory Gallagher
(813) 907-7025

Feb. 24 @ 10:00 A.M.

Tampa Orchid Club

Speaker: Charles Chapman,
"Catasetums, Cynoches,
& Cymbidiums"

Contact: Sue Barnum
(813) 281-2126

Feb. 24 @ 7:30 P.M.

Ridge Orchid Society

Contact: Bill Byrd
(863) 859-5060

Feb. 25 @ 7:30 P.M.

AOS Judging

Tampa Garden Center, Tampa

Contact: Ken Roberts
(813) 752-8719

March 2009

OrchiDates

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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President's Place (continued)

Even those with greenhouses have had to be extra diligent in monitoring temperatures and keeping propane tanks full, or whatever method of heating you use. Only people who are really in love with orchids will take all these measures.

Be sure to go out to the State Fair and see our fantastic display. Sign up to "sit" the Fair, get a free ticket and spend the rest of the day seeing all the exhibits. Enjoy the entertainers and most of all the Fair food!

Happy Growing, Dory Gallagher



**Our supply trailer needs a home.
It is about 7' wide by 16' long.**

This trailer holds the supplies for our displays and for our annual show. TBOS is looking for a place to park it/store it in the off season and in between shows. Ric & Dory have towed the trailer to Sarasota and the Fair. After the Fair if there are no volunteers it will be taken to a storage facility. Ric & Dory have volunteered to pay the first month rent, after that the Society will be responsible for storage fees. If you or anyone that you know (does not have to be a TBOS member) would be willing to store the trailer please contact Dory Gallagher.

- Mar. 12 @ 7:00 P.M.**

West Coast Orchid Society
Speaker: Dr. Tom Nasser on
"Bulbophyllums"

Contact: Bob Barrett
(727) 726-1697

- Mar. 13-15**

Tampa Bay Orchid Society
Annual Show and Sale
"Orchid Holiday"

Bayanihan Arts & Events Center
14301 Nine Eagles Dr. Tampa
Contact Show Chair:
Patty Cartwright
(813) 989-9357

- Mar. 14**

Tampa Orchid Club
Orchid Workshop @ 9:00 A.M.
Annual Auction @ 10:00 A.M.

USF Botanical Gardens
Contact: Doris Cook
(813) 963-7454

- Mar. 14 @ 1:30 P.M.**

AOS Judging
Leu Gardens, Orlando
Contact: Marv Ragan
(904) 213-4560

- March 19 @ 7 PM**

Tampa Bay Orchid Society
Speaker: Donna Sitton on
Phalaenopsis
Contact: Dory Gallagher
(813) 907-7025

- Mar. 24 @ 7:30 P.M.**

Ridge Orchid Society
Contact: Bill Byrd
(863) 859-5060

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*Minutes of the meeting taken
by Carole Bennett, Secretary*

There's

Never

Enough

Minutes

In

A Day!

Naples Orchid Society with Naples Rotary
will present for 2009, "Orchid Treasures"
our 36th annual show and sale

Friday, March 27th 3-6:30pm

Saturday, March 28th 9am-5pm

Sunday, March 29th 12-4pm

McSpadden Hall, Naples Church of Christ
5200 Crayton Rd., Naples, Florida

Admission \$6, or
ticket plus raffle for large HD TV \$10

go to www.naplesorchidsociety.org
for more info, map and \$1 off ticket coupon
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239-403-7155

Tampa Bay Orchid Society Meeting Minutes ~ Jan. 15, 2009

Recorded by Carole Bennett, Secretary (and Eileen Hector)

Dory Gallagher, President, called the meeting to order at 7:04P.M. The minutes from the November, 2008 meeting as published in the December Newsletter were accepted.

A discussion followed in which it was stated that Jeanne Martin did not resign from the Website chairman. She would like someone with more expertise to pick up that duty, but has not resigned as stated in the newsletter.

Membership: Jane Corbett reported that three guests signed in this evening.

Treasurer: Jim Brunton reported Total Revenues of \$3,368.80, Total Expenses of \$546.42. Resulting in a net profit of \$2,822.42. There was \$5531.47 balance in the checking account with a net income of \$572.17 for December.

Education: Scott Baggett introduced Charles Ochipa who gave an educational program on the care of orchids. It included a discussion of ways to make a wood shade house to chemicals suitable to cure or prevent diseases.

Dory asked for more people to sponsor trophies for our show in March. Trophies will cost \$30.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

AOS Patty Cartwright reported that the December issue of *Orchids* has an article by Bill Thoms. AOS also has some good subscription offers.

Florida West Coast Orchid Society: Bob McKinney reported that next month Michael Collin is giving the education class on floral arrangements using orchids. The FWCOS is having their auction in April.

Sunshine: Jeanelle Hires sent a sympathy card to Carole Bennett on the death of her

mother.

Program: Next month's program will be a Cymbidium Workshop by Charlie Chapman from Chapman's Orchids

Distribution and Exchange: Corrine Arnold reported that the January raffle plants are from Featherstone and Del Favero. The vandaceous types are from Del Favero.

Hospitality: Gary Krotz thanked the membership for bringing in food for the November meeting.

Library: Robin Saunders said TBOS has the December and January issues of "Orchids".

Publicity: Pimpa Hoontrakul sent press releases to TV stations. A person will speak on TV in April.

Community Service: Gary Krotz reported that TBOS donated \$50 and collected 199 pounds of food for Metropolitan Ministries.

Displays: Patty Cartwright showed some slides of our recent display at the Sarasota show. Dory Gallagher announced that TBOS had won first place for our display. Dory gave out the ribbons to TBOs members whose plants had won awards.

There were no reports from the following committees: Orchid Digest, Plant Sales, Correspondence, Newsletter, Field Trip, Yearbook, Historian

Program on Mexican orchids by Ed Bugbee of Featherstone Orchids

After the refreshment break Cartwright made announcements about the discount offer for the Orchid Wiz program and the Jan. 31st deadline for the order. Patty gave out advertising flyers for our show in March.

(more MINUTES see page 5)



Anne Boldrick
With Jan. Member's Choice
Rhy. gigantea 'Spots'

*During the
refreshment break be
sure to cast a vote for
your favorite blooms!
Sign the card to be
eligible to win a
raffle plant!*



Stan Puc
With Jan. Novice Award
Lc. Aloha Case 'Ching Hua'

Meeting Minutes (continued)

She also announced dates for other area orchid society shows taking place in Jan. and Feb.

January 16-18 - Fort Lauderdale Orchid Society Show ~ 23-25 - Manatee River Orchid Society Show (Bradenton) ~ 23-25 - Southwest Florida Orchid Society Show (Ft. Myers) ~ **February** 7-8 - Venice Orchid Society Show

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

President Gallagher announced that the TBOS supply trailer needs to find a parking spot. If anyone can park/store the trailer on their property between shows, please contact Dory Gallagher 813-907-7025 rgallagher1@tamapbay.rr.com

TBOS Auction will be held on a weekend day in May and the general public is invited. Exact date to be determined. Help will be needed to coordinate this event. Please contact Jeanne Dyer. rjdyer@mac.com or 813-960-9781. We

will also have a regular member meeting May 21st.

Joytsna Sharma from the University of FL would like to do an article about TBOS involvement in the Pagonia Project for Orchids magazine. A motion was made and passed to allow the article. Gallagher is expecting a call back from Sharma to finalize plans for the article. The article may include photos of members involved with the project.

NEW BUSINESS No new business proclaimed.

After Business Meeting: Raffle held of donated orchid plants.

Bloom Table reviewed by Patty Cartwright and Nancy Losgar. Anne Boldrick's Rhy. gigantea 'Spots' was awarded Member's Choice this meeting.

Stan Puc's Lc. Aloha Case 'Ching Hua' AM/AOS was chosen Novice Award this meeting

The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

Monthly Bloom Table ~ Member's Choice ~ Novice Award

Name of Plant	Owner
Species	
Rhy. gigantea 'Red'	Anne Boldrick
Rhy. gigantea 'Spots'	Anne Boldrick (Member's Choice)
V. coerulea	Stan Puc
Zeuxine strateumatica	W.L Cook
Angcm. eburneum	Barry Reese
Epidendrum stamfordianum var. Sherice	Barry Reese
Hybrids	
Slc. Elegant One	Anne Boldrick
Paph. Spotglen X spicerianum	The Gallagher's
Lc. Aloha Case 'Ching Hua' AM/AOS	Stan Puc (Novice Award)



2009 TBOS State Fair Display
"Touchdown Tampa Bay"
An Orchid Fan Fest

We are ALL Volunteers

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Treasurer

Position Open-Your Name Here!

Our State Fair Display

State Fair Results! A number of us went out to the State Fair Grounds this last weekend and put in the TBOS display. It turned out really nice and you can all be proud of our Society's participation. We came in at 4th place, which was very good considering the competition. That place along with the set up fee gives us \$350 for the Society. Combined with awards from other displays, the display committee brought in \$420. The budget for these events was \$600, and we are still under budget. Putting in displays brings a good bit of publicity for our Society and helps educate the public. Also a great opportunity to get to know fellow members better and have a good time! Great job to all of you who worked on any of these projects!

I want to thank those who came out to help. First of all, my husband Ric, who pulled the trailer there and was such a help in so many areas. A big thanks to Patty Cartwright, Julio and Eileen Hector, Nancy Losgar, Anne Boldrick, Tina Callen, Scott and Jean Baggett, Carole Bennett as well as a very special recognition to our 1st V.P., Jeanne Dyer, who worked way before, during, and after, to make up all the signs and labels that really made the display "pop". She spent a lot of time running around to get supplies, and came up with very professional looking signs and labels.

Several of this group have also made trips after the display went in to put in finishing touches. Thanks to all of the members who loaned plants for the display: Patty Cartwright, Nancy Losgar, Anne Boldrick, Scott and Jean Baggett, Carole Bennett, Jeanne Dyer, Betty Burkam, James Van Koolbergen, and Joan McLain. Ric and I also put in a few.

Thanks to those of you who have offered to "sit" the Fair for the duration of 12 days. We asked you to answer questions about orchids and the Society, hand out Show flyers and cultural sheets, and Society business cards.

Want to also say a big thanks to those who volunteered to let us use their homes as drop off points for plants to use in the Fair display.

These include Susan Ogle, Anne Boldrick, and Corrine Arnold. Thanks to all of these members for this valuable service.

Thanks also to Kathy Cox, who at the last moment arranged for new business cards to be printed. This is a good opportunity to draw in new members. Again, Thanks and Congratulations to All of You! Dory Gallagher

If you have never helped out with an orchid display, next time, be brave and come on out and see what's happening at the fairgrounds. Our participation in the fair display is a little different than other society displays. The focus here is more on giving the general public an education in orchid culture. We are allowed more creative expression when it comes to the display theme. This is a chance to make our creativity along with our orchids shine.

The State Fair affords TBOS an opportunity to reach out to at least 490,513 people. That is the number of people that visited the 2008 Florida State Fair through its 12-day run last year. You know that somewhere in that number there were folks that wanted to learn more about growing orchids.

Volunteer representatives of TBOS that attend the fair display get to meet some of the most amazing people from all over the country. We act as Orchid Ambassadors while we hand out American Orchid Society culture sheets, promote our own organization and annual show as well as answer questions about orchids from the passing crowd. One of the most popular and frequently asked questions is "How do you get them to flower again?". The answer of course, is "Join your local orchid society!".

During SHOW SEASON we all have an opportunity to get involved with displays by either helping with set-ups and tear downs, by offering our homes as drop off points or by showing our plants. Join Us Next Time! It's FUN!

Editors Note



Choose a title from the TBOS library. We have a wide selection of Orchid books.

Benefits and

Responsibility of

Society

Membership

Our Volunteers

are the

Best!



Contribute to our
Tasty Refreshments!

The Library ~ Check It Out!

Available To ALL Members

Tampa Bay Orchid Society maintains a very good collection of books and periodicals about orchids for members to check out from month to month. If you are looking for something specific, remember to take a moment to view our selection. New titles are frequently added and our society budgets annually for new purchases. If you know of a particular title you would like to see in our library be sure to mention it to a member of the Board of Directors or request it from the TBOS librarian.

There are current copies of Orchids, the official bulletin of The American Orchid

Society and Orchid Digest. Both publications offer informative articles and beautiful orchid photography. Once you browse through these magazines you will be inspired to become a member of both organizations just so you can get all the latest information on a regular basis!

Member **Robin Saunders** is our TBOS Librarian. She would be happy to assist members with a selection of books to help you broaden your understanding and knowledge of all things orchid. She also accepts donations of books, if you are interested in adding to the TBOS library.

Hospitality and Refreshments

TBOS is known for its great hospitality table. Whether at our monthly meetings or at our Annual Show and Sale, every member can count on the refreshments to be plentiful and tasty! Members **Gary Krotz and Susan Ogle** put on this wonderful spread every meeting. We all look forward to that refreshment break!

Members are encouraged to bring their favorite dish, side dish or dessert to share with other members and guests each month.

As we are gearing up for our Annual Show & Sale scheduled for the 13-15 March, we

provide food for all of our vendors and volunteers each day of the show and during set-up before opening day. We depend on you, the membership to help with this effort.

We ask that you please arrange for your food contribution by signing up on the volunteer list. Crock Pot and casserole dishes are also favorites and easy to manage throughout the day.

Remember that when you work the show your meals will be provided and there is always something good for everyone!

Treasurer's Report ~ Up to Date

As of January 31, 2009 the month of January brought in \$1,307.34 in revenue and incurred expenses of \$862.18, resulting in a gain for the month of \$445.16. The checking account balance at the end of January was \$5,954.79.

TBOS is seeking a member volunteer to fill this position until next election in May. If you are interested please contact Dory Gallagher.

A Look to the Future ~ Meeting Programs

Apr 16 Avril Wick- Topic to be Announced **May 21** Paul Phelps- Phelps Farms Orchids



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in the Orchid Press

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our interest in orchids.

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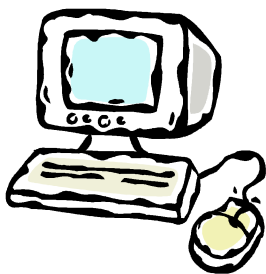
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Membership ~ Education

The **Corbett's** greet you each month at the door and welcome you to sign-in. During the meeting a member's name is drawn from those issued a drawing ticket at the sign in table. SO members, please be sure to wear your TBOS name tag and sign in at the meeting to be eligible to win an orchid.

Our Education Brief arranged by member **Scott Baggett** is a mini-program presented during the meeting by a fellow member that has tidbits, tips or tales on how to grow our orchids better. If you have something to share about how you successfully grow your orchids contact Scott.

Distribution & Exchange ~ At The Drawing Table

When you hear that big booming voice (member **Ric Gallagher**) calling out your winning ticket number, keep in mind that those orchids were donated by the advertisers you see in this newsletter. They support our society by providing us an opportunity to get some great plants while we support the society by purchasing raffle tickets.

The plant that you get when you wear your

name tag or when you bring in a refreshment and also when you vote for Member's Choice on the Bloom Table are all a benefit of membership in the Society.

TBOS member **Corinne Arnold** has volunteered to make sure that these plants arrive at our meeting each month. This month our raffle plants are from Chapman and Palmer Orchids.

Rays of Sunshine ~ Greetings, Condolences, Get Well

Member **Jeanette Hires** sends out cards to society members that have had been hospitalized, had an illness or lost a loved one.

If you know of someone that needs a little cheering up and a reminder that TBOS has been thinking of them let Jeanette know.

Orchids on the Internet

www.aos.org The American Orchid Society web site is so full of information for orchid growers at any level of expertise and if you are a member of AOS there is a Member's Only section.

<http://tech.groups.yahoo.com/group/TampaBayOrchidSociety/> This is actually a Yahoo Group list created especially for Tampa Bay Orchid Society members to communicate between meetings. There are 33 members on the list. It is free to join.

www.orchidboard.com An Orchid Forum that includes book reviews, classified ads, gallery, glossary and so much more.

www.orchidworks.com Here you will find hundreds of orchid photos of stunning flowers from both AOS judging and private collections.

www.orchidmall.com The Orchid Mall© is a listing of links to various informational and commercial sources about orchids.

www.orchidwiz.com Review the world's most complete and accurate orchid research software. Updated through December 2008 with the Royal Horticultural Society's (RHS) Sander's hybrid registrations and American Orchid Society's (AOS) awards. This is the most current data available in any software.



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ORCHIDbabies, LLC was born in 2002 when we restored a classic 25 X 60 Lord and Burnham greenhouse to prime condition, and added an office and micro propagation lab on the front. This business grew out of a hobby that grew to include the exciting work of hybridizing and the opportunity to breed beautiful award-winning plants.

Earl is a retired engineering professor who likes to build and grow, and is interested in the technical side of orchid production. A genetic carryover from his botanist father may have provided the inspiration.

Phyllis is a musician/educator who missed her calling as a CPA. As business manager she loves learning about databases and web design.

Located in central Alabama we are on the on the Little Cahaba River, which flows into the Cahaba River. The Little Cahaba has just been designated for

Our Featured Grower

consideration as the first Alabama Wild and Scenic River.

Because of our great love for nature and conservation, all our new crosses begin with the name "Cahaba," honoring this great free-flowing river. In May and June we enjoy the spectacular displays of the beloved Cahaba Lily which thrives on the river's shoals.

The ORCHIDbabies laboratory has been developed to support both seed and tissue culture. With our emphasis on Phragmipedium hybridizing considerable effort has been focused on determination of ploidy for our stud plants and seedlings.

Plant genetic and growth characteristics are very important for the average hobbyist and for judging. Triploids typically have the larger flowers and good growth characteristics, therefore desirable as windowsill plants. Diploids and tetraploids are fertile and useful for breeding. The ideal plant (Paphs and Phrags) for the beginner blooms sequentially over months, is compact, and easy to grow.

Growing award-potential slipper seedlings is the focus of the Orchidbabies greenhouse. We have bought flasks of Phrags and Paphs from well known breeders from the US that range from blooming size to compotted seedlings. The ORCHIDbabies laboratory will primarily supply the ORCHIDbabies' seedling pipeline. Excess flasks will often be offered for sale to interested growers.

All the way from Alabama, the **Bailey's** will be at OUR show in March.

Tampa Bay Orchid Society, Inc. presents

March 13 Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

March 14 Saturday 9 a.m. -5 p.m.

March 15 Sunday 10 a.m. -4 p.m.

at

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- *Orchid Supplies*

To enter Orchids for American Orchid Society Judging or Ribbon Judging, plants should be registered on March 13th from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

All awarded trophies and ribbons will be on display during the show Saturday and Sunday

*For additional information visit our website at
www.tampabayorchidsociety.com*



Orchid potting/repotting available
Refreshments available

\$5.00 Admission ~ Ample Free Parking
(includes raffle ticket for daily drawings)

Become a member at the show! Admission is free to all Tampa Bay Orchid Society Members!

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