

ILLINOIS ORCHID SOCIETY

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WHO: Illinois Orchid Society
WHAT: Annual Spring Orchid Show
WHEN: February 23-24, 1991
WHERE: Chicago Botanic Garden
Lake Cook Road, east of Eden's, Glencoe

1991 SPRING SHOW: All information regarding the show is contained in the Show Chairman's message and the Schedule of Events in this *Newsletter*.

JANUARY MEETING: Special thanks to **Marguerite Webb** for her most interesting talk and slide show on miniature species and/or Masdevallias.

1991 DUES: If your copy of this *Newsletter* contains a dues envelope, it means that we have not received your 1991 dues. According to the *Bylaws*, your name will be removed from the membership list as of January 31. If your dues are received before the next *Newsletter* is mailed, there will be no interruption in service. If you decide not to renew at the present time, we thank you for your support and hope you will join us again in the future.

BANQUET INFORMATION: The banquet will be held on Saturday, February 23, at 8:15 p.m. at the **SHERATON NORTHSORE HOTEL**, beginning with a cash bar at 7:30 p.m. after the AOS Regional Judging. The per-person charge is **\$25 for either a steak or fish dinner**. Please use the order form from another page of this *Newsletter* to make your reservation.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Sue Golan 708/234-6311

On some of these cold, grey January days, the sight of orchids blooming on a windowsill or light cart seem like a portent of better days to come.

Speaking of better days, I wonder if any of you has any **INFLUENCE** on February 22 through the 24th. About 50 degree weather would do. I am not talking big miracle or new weather records, just three lovely days and, for heaven's sake, **NO SNOW!** See what you can do. You have plenty of time for rain dances, sacred fires, tea leaves whatever.

See you at the show. Be there.

SHOW CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Howard Frank 708/205-9660

Our Spring Show is just around the corner. Have you volunteered to help? If not, pls. call me ASAP.

FRIDAY, February 22: 8 a.m. til ...

a. IOS DISPLAY: If you do not have your own display, bring your blooming plants for the IOS exhibit. Make sure your plants are clearly marked with your name and address, as well as the proper name of the plant. Do **NOT** just leave your plants. See **Cathy Bloome, Exhibit Chairman**, before leaving your plants. All plants for the IOS exhibit must be at the Botanic Garden by 11 a.m. on Friday.

b. SECURITY: People are needed for Security and to help unload our out-of-town exhibitors.

c. HOSPITALITY: Anyone who can, please bring a donation of bakery goods to be shared with our visitors and helpers during the day on Friday.

d. JUDGES/CLERKS DINNER: On Friday evening at 6:00 p.m. we have our traditional pre-judging dinner. Judges, clerks, exhibitors and IOS society workers are invited to this dinner. It is traditionally "pot luck". **Dave and Jean Jones**, co-chairs of this event, graciously provide and cook the meats for this dinner, as well as other comestibles. In order to balance salads and desserts, we will call those who have volunteered with a needed dish. If you have not volunteered but plan to bring something, please call Maggie Kuntz to find out what is needed.

IOS POINT SCORE ACCUMULATIONS

JIM SPATZEK, chairman - (708) 498-4638

MONTHLY JUDGING: Ninety-one plants were exhibited by 22 members at the January meeting. There were two special awards. A cultural award was presented to **Bob Wolf** for his superbly flowered plant of *Dendrochilum glumaceum*. **Laima Sahagian** won Plant-of-the-Month honors with her Vanda hybrid, Mevr. Velthuis alba 'Orchidglade Snowcap'.

The point scores include everything through the January meeting. Other first place ribbons awarded are as follows:

C. Thompson	<i>Oncidium lietzi</i>
S. Golan	<i>Odontonia Susan Kaufman</i>
	<i>Chysis bractescens</i>
	<i>Paphiopedium villosum</i>
	<i>Paphiopedilum Oriental Artist</i>
	<i>Phalaenopsis Cloud of Butterflies</i>
	<i>Oerstedella centradenia</i>
G. Freeman	Slc. Little Hazel 'Lea'
	Bc. Mai Kai
	Paph. (Dayton Fine x Pink Ridge)
T. Franczak	<i>Saccolabium quisumbingii</i>
M. Casserly	<i>Cattleya</i> (Elizabeth Carlson x Bob Betts)
M. Schmidt	<i>Phalaenopsis equestris</i>
S. Maloney	Phal. (Lady Pearl x Prairie du Sac)
	<i>Paph. bellatulum</i>
M. Nichele	<i>Vanda Rothschildiana</i>
	Lc. Mini Purple
	Bc. Mai Kai 'Mayumi'
	Paph. Holdenii 'Jac'
C. Bloome	<i>Renanthera monachica</i>
	Phrag. Cardinale 'Birchwood'
D. Clausen	<i>Cattleya Schofeldiana</i>
	Odcdm. Tiger Hamburen 'Chestnut'
W. Losert	Phal (Sweet Memory x Deventeriana)
R. Wolf	<i>Dendrochilum glumaceum</i>
	<i>Calanthe rosea</i>
	<i>Masdevallia Angel Tang</i>
T. Saranskas	Blc. (Xanthette x Primate) x Susan Stromsland
M. Kuntz	<i>Dendrobium bellatulum</i>
	<i>Masdevallia bicolor</i>
	<i>Ionopsis paniculata</i>
N. Radcliffe	<i>Vuykstekeara Cambria 'Plush'</i>
L. Sahagian	<i>Dend. (cruentum x trigonopus)</i>
	<i>Lepanthes excobariana</i>
	<i>Dend. Alice Iwanaga</i>
	<i>Dend. Little Orient</i>
	<i>Renanstylis Queen Emma</i>
	<i>Dend. Charm</i>
	<i>Dend. Stardust</i>
	<i>Haemaria discolor</i>
	(<i>Rhyn. coelestris</i> x <i>Aseda. Nancy Knap</i>)

LIGHTS

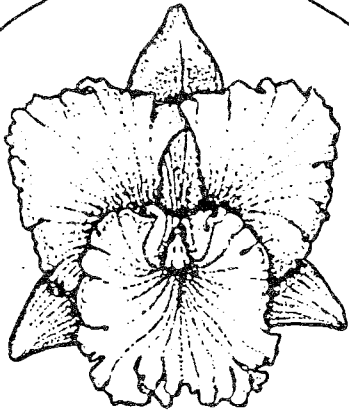
M. Nichele	221
M. Schmidt	161
J. Edwards	142
S. Swann	105
C. Bloome	70
P. Kralik	55
S. Maloney	46
W. Losert	40
J. Pupelis	30
B. Glowacki	27
D. Clausen	25
L. Cinert	22
K. Vrabel	16
K. Langwell	14
C. High	12
T. Franczak	11
W. Krahl	10
M. Casserly	10
J. Badali	5
M. Millman	5
W. Anderson	5
E. Juracic	3

GREENHOUSE

O. Leupi	635
L. Sahagian	595
S. Golan	462
G. Freeman	283
J. Mullen	191
M. Kuntz	148
R. Wolf	100
J. Coutts	85
G. Steuben	82
J. Spatzek	66
L. Soule	45
N. Radcliffe	42
J. Stubbings	36
C. Thompson	35
C. Hartman	30
J. Sikora	25
C. Cloud	20
S. Kroeber	20
H. Labinsky	18
F. Cogswell	17
S. Dux	10
T. Saranskas	10
R. Minnis	5
C. Dubenic	5

COMMERCIAL

A. Klehm	1209
Fox Valley	329
River Kwai	160
Hausermann	120
CYPS, ETC.	70
Inverness	60
EFG Orchids	60



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Saturday, February 23

Sunday, February 24

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Photographers 7:30 to 9:00 a.m.

See dozens of exhibits!

See hundreds of blooming orchid plants!

Listen to exciting presentations!

Learn how to grow orchids!

**Sale of plants by professional and amateur
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Show set-up (Thursday after 4 p.m.)	8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Plant registration closes	5:00 p.m.
Judges' & Exhibitors' supper	6:00 p.m.
Show judging	7:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1991

Show open to photographers	7:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
Show open to public	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Plant sales	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

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Video (45 minutes) <i>Growing Orchids Under Lights</i>	11:00 a.m.
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SHOW TEAR DOWN

4:15 p.m.

AOS JUDGING RESULTS: Though the December results were previously reported, we now have confirmation that both plants were previously named. Here are the December results again:

EFG Orchids	Slc. Christopher Hausermann EFG HCC - 77 pts.
Hausermann	Dtps. Inverness Firebrand 'Purple Fire' HCC - 78 pts.

The results of the January judging at Glencoe are:

EFG Orchids	Blc. (Blc. Mukwonago x Lc. Drumbeat) 'EFG' HCC - 77pts.
Hausermann	Paph. Voodoo Magic 'Red Fox' HCC - 76 pts.
L. Sahagian*	Opsistylis Suree 'Kamiya' AM - 84 pts.
A. Klehm, Grower	Paph. Maudiae 'Hampshire' AM - 86 pts.

*This was Laima's first AOS award and she received it on her birthday. Congratulations!

AOS JUDGING AT MADISON SHOW: The results of the AOS judging at the Madison Orchid Growers' Show, also held on January 26, are:

CYPS, ETC:	Paph. (ciliolare x Vintner's Treasure) 'ETC. ETC.' HCC - 77 pts
Fox Valley	Paph. Oriental Venus 'Fox Valley Orchids' HCC-78 pts.

Congratulations to all on their accomplishments! Please bring your quality plants to the AOS judgings. As Laima will tell you, it is the only way to get an AOS award. The next judging is Saturday, February 23, 1991. However, since most of your plants will be in the IOS show, there is also a judging in conjunction with the show on Friday night, February 22, 1991, immediately following show judging.

Jim Spatzek

SHOW CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE (continued):

e. JUDGING: Clerks are needed to assist the judges at the show. Judging begins at 7 p.m. To volunteer, call **Joe Koss** (708/945-0879). Be sure to wear comfortable shoes since the evening will be a long one.

SATURDAY, February 23; 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

a. SECURITY: As previously discussed.

b. PLANT SALES: Call Howard Frank to volunteer for either Saturday or Sunday. The sales area will be open until 5 p.m. on both days even though the show closes at 4 p.m.

c. IOS INFORMATION TABLE: Call Howard Frank to volunteer.

d. AWARDS BANQUET: No volunteers needed here. Everyone is invited to spend an evening with orchid enthusiasts. You may bring guests, of course.

SUNDAY, February 24; 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

a. SECURITY: All day.

b. PLANT SALES: All day.

c. IOS INFORMATION TABLE: All day.

d. TEARDOWN AND CLEANUP: At 4:15 we will need everyone who can help to be at the Garden to make sure our out-of-town exhibitors and guests will get out as quickly as possible.

As you can see, volunteers are needed all the time. Please do your part in making this show the big success we expect it to be.

BANQUET RESERVATION REQUEST FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Number of dinners: _____ \$25 ea. Amount enclosed: _____

Make check payable to Illinois Orchid Society and mail to Maggie Kuntz, 1119 Camile Avenue, Deerfield, IL 60015.

Please indicate choice of Strip Steak _____ White Fish _____

DATES TO REMEMBER

1991

- February 16-17: Batavia Show
- February 23-24: IOS Spring Show at CBG
- February 23: AOS Judging at CBG
- March 17: Monthly IOS Meeting at CBG
- March 23: AOS Judging at CBG
- March 25: Board Meeting at the Jones'
- April 21: IOS Greenhouse Tour
- May 19: Open House at Klehm's
- June 22-23: Judging Seminar at CBG; AOS student presentations 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. (no plant judging)
- July 21: Monthly IOS Meeting at CBG
- August 18: Picnic at Oak Hill Gardens
- September 27-29: IOS Fall Mini-Show at CBG
- October 27: Monthly IOS Meeting at CBG
- November 17: Monthly IOS Meeting at CBG

CLOSING DATE FOR MARCH NEWSLETTER

Please submit copy for the March Newsletter by February 28 to Heddi Schellbach, 3825 Jarlath, Lincolnwood, IL 60645-1015 or via FAX @ 312/440-7494.

IOS SHOW SALES: You may pre-register log numbers by calling Jay Mullen @ 708/432-4684. Only healthy plants will be accepted. Plants should carry price tags of even dollar amounts only.

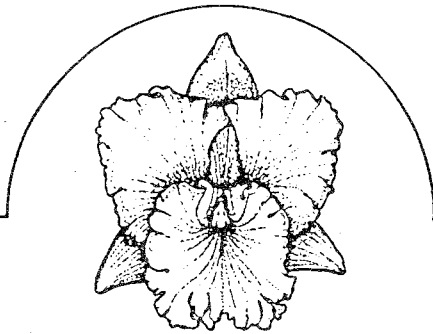
BATAVIA SHOW: Call Howard Frank for drop-off locations. Setup is Friday, February 15. As always, we expect to have a good/large IOS display.

GREEN BAY SHOW: The Green Bay show is April 12-14. Anyone interested in going, pls. call Howard Frank for information. We need someone to set up IOS display.

APRIL TOUR OF GROWING FACILITIES: If you are interested in opening your growing facilities (under lights, windowsill or greenhouse), please send a detailed map with written directions, from north or south, to Heddi Schellbach, 3825 Jarlath, Lincolnwood, Il 60645-1015. The tour will take place on **Sunday, April 21**, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

NEXT BOARD MEETING: The next Board meeting is scheduled for Monday, March 25, at the home of Jean and Dave Jones. All Board members and committee chairmen are encouraged to attend the meeting which is scheduled to start at 7:30 p.m. If you cannot attend or need directions, please call Jean or Dave.

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