

ILLINOIS ORCHID SOCIETY NEWSLETTER

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**The IOS Spring Show & Mid-America
Congress are just around the corner!
It's not too late to VOLUNTEER!**

March is DISAS

The March 16, 1997, meeting at the Chicago Botanic Gardens will feature a

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speaker whose specialty is bog plants--not just orchids. **Warren Stoutamire** is retired from the biology department of the University of Akron. It just so happens that one of the bog plants is a South African orchid genus, *Disa*.

I've seen only one blooming *Disa*, and it almost knocked me out--brilliant color, large size flowers, and outrageous shape! But it's almost unknown in local cultivation. Dr. Stoutamire will share his knowledge and expertise with us in growing this unusual orchid. It may be the perfect thing for the over-waterers among us.

Please join us and have your display and sales plants in place by 12:00 Noon in the multi-purpose room. Lecture and slides will be presented in the Linnaeus Room. Workshop is at 12:30PM. The program begins about 1:15 PM. Please bring your baked goods to the hospitality table. Let us preview what you will share with us at the Mid-America hospitality table.

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American Orchid Society Judgings

The judgings of the American Orchid Society Chicago Judging Center are held monthly in the Linneaus Room of the Chicago Botanic Garden, Glencoe, IL, on the 2nd Saturday of the month (unless otherwise announced and published in the AOS Bulletin & also see below). Please **note** that the **March Judging** is on the **fourth Saturday** due to a conflict.

You are encouraged to bring you blooming plants to be considered for an American Orchid Society Award.

March 22, 1997	1:00PM
April 11, 1997	9:00PM
May 10, 1997	1:00PM
June 14, 1997	1:00PM
July 12, 1997	1:00PM
August 9, 1997	1:00PM
September 13, 1997	1:00PM
October 18, 1997	9:00PM
November 8, 1997	1:00PM
December 13, 1997	1:00PM
January 10, 1998	1:00PM



IOS Members Exhibit

It's time for the Mid-America Congress and the Illinois Orchid Society Spring Show, which means a really big show. I know lots of members don't have the time or quantity of plants to do your own exhibit so we always have a special **IOS Member's Display**--this is the Society's

display. I encourage everyone, especially members new to the Society or that only have a couple of very nice plants in bloom to drop your plants off to help create the Illinois Orchid Society Display.

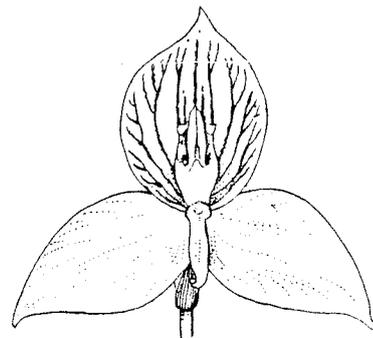
Some Tips on What to Do:

- **Groom your plants!** Remove all dead leaves and old blooms. Wash the foliage. Stake bloom inflorescence for good display. And most of all, look for pest and disease problems. Any suspicious looking plants will not be exhibited.
- Make sure that you and anyone else can read the plant label. An orchid without a name at a show will get passed for judging no matter how great it is.
- Bring your plants to the Botanic Gardens on **Thursday from 10:00am to 9pm or Friday from 8:00am to 12 noon.** If you come later there is no guarantee that your plants will be included in the display. **Don't** leave your boxes unless you talk with me first or they be missing by Sunday evening.

As long as you're at the Gardens, stay awhile to help out even if you only have a half hour. It's the best way to meet other members.

Pickup your plants on Sunday at 5:00pm. Hope to see you and most important, hope to have your blooming plants to make the IOS display the best in the Show.

Cathy Bloome



Disa

Tribe Orchideae
Subtribe Disinae

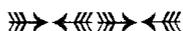
Disa is a terrestrial herb with tuberous roots. Its stems are unbranched and leafy. Leaves are scattered along flowering stem or on separate sterile shoots. Inflorescences are terminal, one to many flowered. The flowers are resupinate, variously colored and very showy.

There are about 130 species of Disa, widely spread in tropical Africa--particularly East and South Central and in South Africa with only four species

in Madagascar and the Mascarene Island.

The derivation of the name *Disa* is obscure but H. Bolus suggested that it derived from the Latin *dis(dives)* (rich), in allusion to the beauty of the flowers.

The genus was described by Petrus Jonas Bergius in 1767 in *Descriptiones Plantarum ex Capite Bonae Spei*.



Orchid Conservation '97

From June 5-8, 1997, and international conference on conservation of orchids will be held in Sarasota, Florida, sponsored by the Marie Selby Botanical Gardens and The Orchid Conservation Committee Inc.

This is an opportunity to participate in orchid conservation in a constructive, positive format with discussion by some of the world's leading experts on orchid conservation methods, issues, regulations, and innovative "grassroots" projects. The proceedings of the conference will be published in *Selbyana*, and a one-year subscription is included. Among the speakers and their topics are:

Carlo Balistreri
"CITES and its Ramifications"

Carson Whitlow
"A Philosophy of Conservation"

James Ackerman
"Pollination Biology and Bottlenecks"

Lawrence Zettler

"Symbiotic Seed Germination"

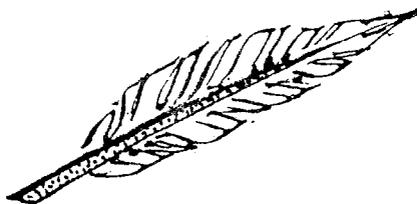
Eric Hagsater
"Conservation in Mexico"

Raul Rivero
"Conservation Education in Costa Rica"

Richard Warren
"Practical Conservation in Brazil"

For additional information on the conference, hotels, and registration, contact:

The Marie Selby Botanic Garden
811 South Palm Avenue
Sarasota, FL 34236
(941) 366-5731, Ext.10
Fax: (941) 366-9807



President's Message

by **Leo Schordje**
(847) 746-9355

Did you ever think the dry and academic world of orchid taxonomy would be populated by such lively personalities as **Guido Braem**? Hope you enjoyed him as much as I did.

This is the Last Meeting before the Mid-America Congress and our Spring Show.

I am happy to say so far we are having a good response to our pleas for help with the show. We have only about one quarter of the volunteers we need. Not enough, but it is still early. We need more people to volunteer! If you've never done so, it is a great way to get to know your fellow IOS members. That is how I first got to know many of the members. If only half of the IOS membership each volunteered to do something for just 4 hours over the course of the weekend, all the jobs would be covered. So please, let's all get involved and see if we can make this show one of the best yet. Fill out the enclosed volunteer form or give **Sue Golan** or **Jim Spatzek** a call.

Hey, enough of my pleas for help. Now let's get on to the fun part. How would you like to sit down, have dinner and socialize with a bunch of the country's top orchid growers, researchers, and hobbyists? How about at something where everyone loosens up and acts like 'real people'. Send in your reservation for the Mid-America Banquet on Saturday evening, April 12, following the Mid-America Auction. I never seem to have enough time to talk to everyone that I'd like to talk with at the meetings; if you come to the banquet you'll get to have dinner with....**ME!** Not everyone considers this a good thing but I do! It's a great chance to relax, have a few drinks and catch up on what's happening with everyone. Bring a guest, even if they are not orchid people; they won't be bored! There's food,

drink and dance. It's a great evening in my book! This evening is **NOT** for the IOS officers and judges and speakers from out of town. **THIS DINNER IS FOR YOU**--the regular members. Please come as I think you will really enjoy it.

One of the aspects of the Mid-America this is different from our usual shows is that there is a program of speakers and activities available only to registered participants. These speakers are at the hotel, not at the Garden and are not open to the general public. See the article in this newsletter on the speakers, auction and other activities. We've put a lot of work and money into setting up this line-up of speakers. Take advantage of it. **REGISTER!** This is a great opportunity; find out what's the cutting edge in orchids. Check it out. (P.S. I saw the registrant's bag--it's worth the price of admission alone!)

That about wraps it up. I hope to see so many volunteers next month that we'll have trouble getting all the names. Even if it's for just a few hours, any help will be appreciated. Thank you all!

P.S. Get well wishes--I talked to Joan and John Emmerich, our Kenosha members, after the February meeting. John is home and doing pretty good. We hope to see you back soon, John.



Future IOS Board Meetings.....

Ed Gamson 3/10/97
Lois Cinert 5/12/97

To get to Ed Gamson's, take Rte 22(Half Day Road) East from Rte. 41 to Summit. North(right) on Summit. After the stop sign, it's the second driveway on the right--2823!



Calendar -- Upcoming Events

3/15-3/16/97	Northeastern Wisc. Orchid Grower's 10th Anniversary Show, Greenbay Wisconsin
3/22-3/23/97	Springfield Missouri Orchid Society Show North Towne Mall Springfield, MO
3/22-3/23/97	Michigan Orchid Society Palm Sunday Show, Laurel Park Place Mall, Livonia, Michigan
4/4-4/6/97	Iowa Orchid Society Show, Duck Creek Plaza, 852 Middle Road, Bettendorf, IA
4/11-4/13/97	IOS Spring Show & Mid-America

4/13/97	Orchid Congress; Chicago Botanic Garden & Deerfield Hyatt Hotel International Phalaenopsis Alliance Meeting, Deerfield Hyatt Hotel
5/3-5/4/97	Orchid Society of Minnesota Show Blaine, MN
9/27-9/28/97	Wisconsin Orchid Society Show, Mitchell Park Domes Milwaukee, WI.
10/11-10/12/97	Fall Mid-America Orchid Congress & Orchid Society of St. Louis Show
10/18-10/20/97	Illinois Orchid Society Fall Mini Show, Chicago Botanic Garden, Glencoe, IL
11/14-11/15/97	Kansas City Orchid Society Show.



Report of the Awards Committee

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Here's the eight report of the 1996-97 contest year and included in the point totals are ribbons from the January meeting at the Garden and awards from the monthly AOS Judging held at the CBG.

Lorraine Heyden....
Odcdm. Black Beauty
'Lorraine's Pretty Baby'
AM/AOS
Ron Illian....
Laelia virens 'Casper'
CBR/AOS

Carole Thompson....

Bulbophyllum fuscum
'C o c o a'

CBR/AOSTom Franczak....

Paph.insigne v.
sanderianum'Gladiator'
AM/AOS

Carole told me that she brought her *Bulbophyllum* to judging because she learned her lesson from past scoldings in this report. Score one for the curmudgeon. And then there is my award...about three years early considering the frequency with which I get awards. Actually, I feel good for the clone and good for whomever it was that first found it, appreciated it, and named it. This is another of the plants that's been in the hobby for years. Many of us know the plant was far above average and can be glad that it finally got presented for judging when it was in peak bloom. So, good for everybody that has a division of this clone (many of you do). It's every bit your award as much as mine (feel free to chip in towards the \$30 publication fee, too).

We brought 121 plants to the January meeting--72 grown in the greenhouse and 49 grown under lights. There wasn't a Plant-of-the-Month selected from the greenhouse offerings but **Sherry Maloney's** *Colmanara Wildcat* took that honor in the lightstand division. It was carrying so many flowers that it was top heavy. (May all our plants have that problem!)

FIRST PLACE RIBBONS:

Greenhouse

G. Calilao & Jim Wortman

Rhyn.gigantea alba

Paph(moquetianum x
chamberlainianum)

Joe Dixler

Chondr. lendyana

Max. porphyrostele(??)

Calanthe cardioglossa(??)

Rodriguezia lanceolata

Paph. Rosy Dawn

Cischweinfia pusilla

Phrag(besseae x pearcei)

Oncidim flexuosum(??)

Tolumnia boringuinensis(??)

Paph. venustum

Onc. Sharry Baby

Sue Golan

Odontoglossum rossii

Comparettia macroplectron

Paph. Raisin Pie

Sophia Harris

Angraecum Veitchii

Lc. Pixie Gold

Calanthe(Hexham Gem x St.
Aubin)

Calanthe Grouville

Cymbidium Pipeta

Bob Hoel

Epi.secundum

Oncidium Gower Ramsey

Cattleya, Unknown Hybrid

Maggie Kuntz

Dend.aggregatum v. majus

Vandofinetia Blaupunkt

Bob Morrison

Haemaria discolor

Phrag. Longifolium

John Stubbings

Oncidium splendidum

Phal. Fairy Charm

Phal.Cottonwood Charm

Carole Thompson

Pleurothallis mathildae

Dryadella edwallii

Aerangis luteo-alba v.
rhodosticta

Gastrochilus bellinus

Oerstedella centradenia

(??) If owner's identification is correct, these plants are species that are not recognized to be in cultivation through 1995. Such plants should be brought or sent to AOS Judging to be considered for possible CBR Award.

Lightstand

Michael Cornwall

Paph.(sukhakulii x

hainanense)

Tom Franczak

Paph.insigne sanderianum

'Gladiator' AM/AOS

Ron & Joan Hale

Phal. amabilis

Sherry Maloney

Colmanara Wildcat

Willy Losert

Phal.Francis Melendez

'Krull Smith'

Phal. Red Devil 'Mona'

Phal.(Alysha's Delight x
Rousserole)

Phal.Orchid World 'Trenton'

Phal.Lin's Liqueurica

Phal.Little Fly

Phal.Be Tris

Phal.Zuma Chorus 'Dorothy'

Phal.(Abendrot x Nancy
Gordon)

Schoenorchis fragrans

(*Rhyn.coelestis x Asctm.*
ampullaceum)

Lorraine Meyer

Angraecum leonis

Nancy Jean Schoo

Haemaria discolor

Leo Schordje

Paph. Freckles

Calanthe, Unknown species

Ken Vrabel

Paph. Maudiae-type hybrid

Chris & Renee Welch

Brassavola Little Stars



Point Score Accumulations through January 31, 1997 GREENHOUSE CATEGORY

G. Calilao &

J. Wortman 82

Jack Coutts 44

Joe Dixler 834

Sue Golan 956

Sophia Harris 608

Jodi Hirt 588

Bob Hoel 121

Maggie Kuntz 49

Barry Lubin 10

Jerome & Virginia

Mestdagh(*) 11

Jay Mullen 50

C & E Oslakovic(*)	116
Rhonda Peters	300
Nicola Radcliffe	32
Bill Rogerson	480
Laima Sahagian	769
Jim Spatzek	5
John Stubbings	154
Gerald Stueben	74
Carole Thompson	495
Bob Vonderohe	11
Bob Wolf	289
Wally Zielinski	22

LIGHTSTAND CATEGORY

Kim Aaron	33
Walter Andersen	1
Kim Anderson	59
Barb Bennett(*)	41
Cathy Bloome	231
Olga Boor	20
Dipen Chemburkar	17
Lois Cinert	38
Michael Cornwell	40
K & I Dixler	134
Tilda Dulman(*)	10
Joel Edwards	63
John & Joan Emmerich	25
Tom Franczak	149
Ron & Joan Hale	37
Charles High	114
Ed Hoyas(*)	3
Cheryl Kwiatkowski(*)	32
Eric Lador(*)	3
Willy Losert	363
Sherry Maloney	245
Lorraine Meyer	54
Bil Nelson	30
Diana Nielsen(*)	61
Marsha Ramsay(*)	16
Mel Schmidt	45
Nancy Jean Schoo(*)	20
Leo Schordje	149

Art & Ann Sellmer	6
Cindy Smith(*)	30
Laura Stanley	16
Ken Vrabel	80
Chris & Rene Welch	37
Susan West	31
Norman Wolff	1

(*) indicates new member for pur-poses of the 1996-97 Competition Year.

**Answer for Quiz#4**

The questions was: **What two characteristics are unique to Cypripedium, Selenipedium, Paphiopedilum and Phragmipedium?(Hint: there are more than 2 such characteristics.)**

I am really surprised this time because I received only one answer which was not correct. I thought that this quiz was the easiest because the answer way easy to find in Pridgeon or any other orchid book. Reading about these genera shows that they all belong to the *Cypripediodeace* subfamily(the more primitive subfamily in the orchid family). The characteristics unique to the subfamily are: 1. The pouch(slipper) which is formed by the labellum; 2. Having two fertile stamens with 2 pollinia each, rather than one stamen(stamen is the male part of the flower

consisting of the anther and filament); 3. The pollinia are not fully formed so the pollen is smeared on the insect. 4. Having a third stamen which is sterile and is called the 'staminode'; and, 5. Having the 2 lateral sepals fused into a 'synsepal'. There may be more unique characteristics but I asked for only two. I hopw that the next quiz will be easier!

Winners Club Members:

Lorraine Meyer	3*
Steve Peters	2*
Joe Dixler	1
John & Joan Emmerich	1*
J. & V. Mestdagh	2
Diana Maxwell	1
June Eguro	1

(The digit indicates the number of correct entries; * indicates a lucky club member).

**QUIZ # 5**

What is the role of the pouch(slipper) in the *Cypripediodeace* subfamily?

Please send your answer to:

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311 Albright Court
Vernon Hills, IL 60061

or E-mail to:

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or to:

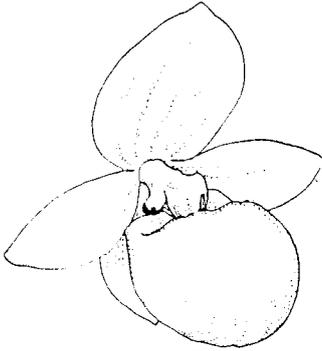
EricLad@AOL.com

(preferred method)

or fax to:

(847) 938-2346

or give it to him during the meeting.



Q & A

I guess it must have been a dry month. I did not receive any questions so I have one. One of my Cattleyas came down with a flack sticky leaf. At first I saw a large black patch on the leaf which I immediately cut off. On the next day, however, the whole pseudobulb and the remainder of the leaf were also black and sticky. A few days later another leaf and pseudobulb came down with it. It looks like 'black rot' which is caused by the fungus *Phytophthora*. However, I remain suspicious because it developed too quickly and only in one leaf at a time. Also, the humidity in the house is much too low for *Phytophthora* to be happy. Anybody know what else it may be and what remedies I should use?

Please send your help or questions to the same old Eric Lador.



The Lord's Prayer is less than 70 words long. Lincoln's Gerrysburg Address is 286 words. There are 1, 322 words in the Declaration of Independence. The government document regulating the sale of cabbage is 26, 911 words.

--National Review



New Members:

Robert Bannister	DesMoines Iowa
Donald Doak, Jr.	Chicago
Tony Gaus	Chicago
Barbara & Lawrence Kostecka	Hampshire
Pete Peterson	Wauwatosa WI
Deborah Stevens	Naperville
Kevin Wall	Rosemont
Margaret Wylie	Chicago

Welcome! Hope to see you at all the meetings and helping at the Mid-America Congress & IOS Spring Show!



Registrations & Banquet Reservations

Registrations & Banquet Reservations have been very slow in coming in, especially from the Officers,

Directors, and Members of the Illinois Orchid Society. Support your Society and learn by attending the events. The chairmen will hold the special registration price of \$35 for all members of the IOS registering before April 1, 1997.

Can we count on your support and cooperation?



SHOW COMMITTEE-- Special Request

We need the help of 1 or 2 special volunteers. Lucinda Webb, an owner of J&L Orchids will be exhibiting at our Show. We need someone to pick her up and take her back to the airport. Pick-up is Friday, April 11th at 9:05 am, and she leaves on Sunday, April 13th at 8:15 pm. If you could pick up Lucinda & her plants, please call Sue Golan @ (847) 234-6311. Please help us on this one!!!! Thanks!!!!!!!!!!!!

Help--One More Time

Your Show Chairmen and Society ask one more time for you to volunteer, in advance, to help during the Spring Show & Mid-America Congress.

Please don't say, "Oh, they know I'll be there all the time to help". Honestly, unless to tell us we really don't know and we really worry and we're too old for more gray hair. If you'll be around Friday, Saturday & Sunday--let us know you will be there. Whether at the Show or at the Hotel we need members who care to lend a hand. You're probably tired of hearing this but we won't stop until we know it's taken care. This is a time for the IOS to shine for our out-of-town guests. Help us, help them!

Another volunteer sheet is enclosed; please use it. The registration form is also enclosed for the Congress and the Banquet. Send your check. Don't read about how great the show was in the May issue of this newsletter. Be part of the excitement.

What ELSE do we need from our members? On Friday evening, there is a dinner for the Judges and the Clerks. This year the food will be catered, but we need your desserts. We want to have a spectacular dessert table. Would you call and let us know you will be a large a dessert as your can afford to make? Too many times members make a commitment to bring something and then don't. We count on your response and food. If you don't really intend to bring a dessert, don't call & volunteer to do so. This event is very large in scope and it is based on your commitments as well as those of others.

A list of the committee chairman will appear in the show issue of this newsletter so you will know who to report to!

Thanks for reading this and more importantly, thanks for responding with your help. We'll see you at all the weekend events.

Sue Golan
Jim Spatzek



ILLINOIS ORCHID SOCIETY SHOW & MID-AMERICA ORCHID CONGRESS

VOLUNTEER SIGN UP, APRIL 9-13, 1997

The jobs listed and described below are all very important to the success of this show. Please fill in the name of the job(s) you would like to do, next to the time you will be available (i.e., Sat. April 12 1-5:00pm-Raffle). If you can't work for the hours listed, please indicate what hours you can work. Thank in Advance for all your help.

Please note: There are two locations, the Botanic Garden and the Hyatt Deerfield (Lake-Cook Rd. & 294)

Botanic Garden Only:

TABLE SET-UP-(Wed., 4:00PM-8:00PM) involves putting skirts on tables, labeling exhibit spaces, etc.--Use your hidden creative powers.

PLANT REGISTRATION(Thurs.2:00PM-9:00PM & Fri. 8:00AM-3:00PM)--Helping exhibitors register plants, organizing registration slips, entering data into the computers.

HOSPITALITY(Fri.8:00AM-5:00PM, Sat. 9:00AM-12:00PM) Keep hospitality area clean and set-up with fresh coffee, juice, soft drinks, bagels, coffee cakes, etc. Of course you have to be hospitable too!!!

TRAFFIC(Thurs 10:00AM-9:00PM & Fri. 8:00AM-3:00PM) Grunt Work! Help with the unloading of plants--Be the first to stick your nose into the blooms!

INFORMATION TABLE(Sat.8:30AM--5:00PM) & Sun. 9:00AM-5:00PM) Answer questions about the IOS and encourage people to join. Potentially sell cut dendrobiums to the public. Also will act as the **Volunteer Desk**--a place for volunteers to check in as ask where to go . This will also be the **What Do I Do With It Table**--giving purchaser's some idea how not to kill the plants they purchased **and.....convince them the way to learn is by joining the IOS.**

RAFFLE TABLE(Sat. 8:30AM-5:00PM; Sun.9:00AM-4:00PM) Convice passers-by to take a chance on the raffle plants. Ex-used car salespeople a real help in this job!

FLOOR HOST/HOESSTESS(Sat 8:30AM-5:00PM, Sun.9:0AM-5:00PM)--Wonder through the exhibit araea making sure the orchids are properly respected; answer visitor questions where possible & act as a general IOS goowill ambassador. Look Important!! Answer Questions!! Tell People Where to Go!!

TEAR DOWN(Sun.5:00PM-WHENEVER) The Real Grunt Work! No special talent needed. Load vehicles. Volunteer and watch hundreds of people trying to get through the same door at the same time--really a lot of fun.

PLANT CHECK(Sat.& Sun.9:00AM-4:30PM) See the plants you didn't buy & hold them for purchasers going through the show one more time. Also known as "Will Call".

IOS SALES TABLE(Sat. & Sun., 9:00AM-5:00PM) Need to be able to conceptually tell someone what a plant is, or what it will look like(with a straight face). Also be able to stand for long periods--they always seem to forget chairs.

<p>Wednesday, April 9</p> <p>4:00PM-8:00PM _____</p> <p>Thursday, April 10</p> <p>10:00AM-2:00PM _____</p> <p>2:00PM-6:00PM _____</p> <p>5:00PM-9:00PM _____</p> <p>Friday, April 11</p> <p>8:00AM-1:00PM _____</p> <p>12:00PM-5:30PM _____</p> <p>4:00PM-9:30PM _____</p>	<p>Saturday, April 12</p> <p>7:30AM-9:30AM _____</p> <p>9:00AM-1:00PM _____</p> <p>1:00PM-5:00PM _____</p> <p>Sunday, April 13</p> <p>8:30AM-1:00PM _____</p> <p>1:00PM-5:00PM _____</p> <p>Tear Down Time _____</p> <p>OTHER _____</p>
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NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

Please return this form to: SUE GOLAN, 599 West Old Mill Rd, Lake Forest, IL 60045: Fax: 847-234-6311

HYATT DEERFIELD:

Friday, April 11

9:00AM-1:00PM Work the registration table and sell IOS Pins & Sweat Shirts. Register attendees.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

1:00PM-5:00PM Work the registration table and sell IOS Pins & Sweat Shirts. Register attendees.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

12:00PM-4:00PM Work in hospitality suite greeting attendees.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

4:00PM-8:00PM Work in hospitality suite greeting attendees.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

Saturday, April 12

9:00AM-12:00PM Work the registration table and sell IOS Pins & Sweat Shirts. Register attendees
YES _____ Other Hours _____

9:00AM-12:00PM Work in hospitality suite greeting attendees
YES _____ Other Hours _____

12:00PM-4:00PM Work in hospitality suite greeting attendees
YES _____ Other Hours _____

8:00AM-12:00pm See that meeting rooms are set-up & attendees taken care of.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

3:30PM-5:30PM Set-up flowers & votive candles in dining room. Arrange various things at each place
for dinner.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

Sunday, April 13

7:30 AM-11:00AM Oversee Affiliated Societies Breakfast. See that meeting rooms for Congress &
International Phalaenopsis Alliance Meetings are set-up.
YES _____ Other Hours _____

NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

Please fax or mail this form to SUE GOLAN as shown on the reverse.

AND.....

**THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR VOLUNTEERING TO HELP
MAKE THIS SHOW & CONGRESS A GREAT SUCCESS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**



Registration Form
Spring Mid-America Orchid Congress & Illinois Orchid Society Show
April 11-13, 1996
Hosted by the Illinois Orchid Society
Chicago Botanic Garden
Glencoe, Illinois

Please type or print clearly!

Date _____

(1) _____
Name to appear on Badge_____
Telephone Number(2) _____
Name to appear on Badge_____
Telephone Number

Address _____ City _____ State/Province _____ Zip _____

Society Affiliation _____ Current Office _____

Do you wish to judge?(1) _____ Status _____

Do you wish to judge?(2) _____ Status _____

Do you wish to clerk?(1) _____ Status _____

Do you wish to clerk?(2) _____ Status _____

Do you wish to exhibit? _____ Sales(a tasteful minimum 25sq.ft.required) _____

REGISTRATION FEE: \$30.00 each through March 1, 1997. \$45.00 if postmarked after March 1, 1997. Congress registration includes registration package, lectures, and hospitality.

<u>NUMBER OF REGISTRANTS</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
_____	Congress Registration	\$30.00/\$45.00	_____
_____	Saturday Evening Banquet	\$40.00	_____
_____	Affiliated Societies Breakfast	\$16.00	_____
	Total Enclosed		_____

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