

West Shore Orchid Society

Sunday, August
18th at Columbia
Twp. Park; Route
82 & W River Rd in
Columbia Station.

12:30 Members
plant sale

1:00 Picnic lunch

2:00 Live auction

RSVP to Chester K.
before August 15th,
calling 330-467-3731

Members FREE
Guests \$2.00



West Shore Orchid Society Annual Picnic & Auction

Please join us for an afternoon of Food, Fun,
Fellowship and ORCHIDS. Chef John Rini will be
manning the grill. Members are asked to bring a
side dish or dessert to share and any orchids or orchid
stuff (books, art, jewelry etc.) you care to donate to
the sale.



Super Slipper Celebration

Saturday, October 5, 2013

Please join us to honor Barbara
Tisherman with the naming of the

*Barbara Tisherman
Slipper Orchid Collection*

Featuring:

- Slipper Orchid Speakers
- Super Slipper Sales
- Tours of Phipps Conservatory
- Plus food, fun and the
Phragmipaphium Phollies



**Sponsored by the Orchid Society
of Western Pennsylvania.**

Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens

GPS Locator Address
700 Frank Curto Drive
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

For more information and registration, visit
OSWP.org or call Norma Raiff at 412.344.5969.

A joint initiative between Phipps Conservatory and the Orchid
Society of Western Pennsylvania to create and cultivate an orchid
collection of note for enjoyment, education and research.

WEST SHORE ORCHID SOCIETY

AUGUST 2013

NEXT MEETING	Sunday, August 18, 2013
TIME	12:00 p.m. Conversation, opportunity to check out plants for sale. 12:30 p.m. Plant sale begins. This is a great opportunity to acquire plants at bargain prices. 1:00 p.m. Picnic 2:00 p.m. Auction. We will have about 30 plants from Hawaii in bud or in flower. These will include a very broad range of genera – something for every taste. Donated plants in bud or flower are usually auctioned as well.
PLACE	Columbia Park – Rte 82 and W. River Road
MENU	Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, prepared by Chef John Rini.
MEMBERS BRING	A favorite dish or desert.
CLUB PROVIDES	Table settings, hot dogs, hamburgers, pop, water, condiments and bread.
COST	Free to members, \$2.00 for guests. Pick up your bidding number for the auction.
RESERVATIONS	Call Clara or Chester Kieliszek at 330-467-3731 by Thursday August 15. Give the number in your party. We need to know how many people to prepare for.

PROGRAM

SHOW TABLE	Our show table was again fabulous in June. We had 46 plants show up for judging. There is NO show table at the picnic. We will have our next show table at the October meeting. Again, you earn 10 points for 1 st , 6 for 2 nd and 4 for 3 rd place winners. You also can win 8 points each for best species or best miniature. Anyone bringing in a plant receives 1 point for each plant brought to the show table and registered. Remember, our goal for 2013 is to get 100% participation, we are at 26%.
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ORCHID CALENDER

The Chicagoland Orchid Growers Association presents the 2013, 21st Annual Chicagoland Orchid Festival. The festival takes place simultaneously at two different orchid greenhouse locations within the suburbs of Chicago. Spanning a three day period, the greenhouses of Orchids by Hausermann and Natt's Orchids will be open to the public during the festival. For a map of these locations, [click on this link](#).

Friday, September 20th 8am-5pm
Saturday, September 21st 8am-5pm
Sunday, September 22nd 10am-3pm

The festival features a vast array of plants for sale by "guest growers," presentations by world-renowned orchid specialists, refreshments, special bargains, and the opportunity to stroll among the most exotic and beautiful plants found in nature.

The festival is sponsored by two well-known growers and certified members of the Chicagoland Orchid Growers Association (COGA). Both sites are within a 40-minute drive of each other and are run by experts in the field of orchid horticulture. To find out more about the flowers and events available at each location, contact the COGA members.

Guest Growers at Hausermann's: **Orchids Garden Centre & Nursery**
Orchid Trading Company
Ecuagera
Michel Orchid Nursery
Fox Valley Orchids

Guest Growers at Natt's: **Andy's Orchids** from Encinitas, California.
Specializing in species. Website: andysorchids.com E-mail: info@andysorchids.com Phone: 888-514-2639 Fax: 888-632-8991
New Vision Orchids from Indiana.
Specializing in Phalaenopsis, Odontoglossums and Lycastes.
Website: newvisionorchids.com E-mail: newvisionorchids@aol.com
Phone: 765-749-5809
New World Orchids from Manchester, Michigan.
Specializing in orchids from Japan.
Website: newworldorchids.com E-mail: newworldorchids@aol.com
Phone: 734-428-8182
Ten Shin Gardens Co., Ltd from Taiwan
They are specialized in exotic and rare orchid species and also intergenetic hybrids. They offer a wide range of orchid selection from Taiwan, Southeast Asia to Central and South America.
Website is www.tenshinorchids.com E-mail: info@tenshinorchids.com

Illinois Orchid Society Show

When Oct 12 – 13, 2013

Where Chicago Botanic Gardens, 1000 Lake Cook Road, Glencoe, IL ([map](#))

Description Contact: Rose Matchen 38374 N. 9th St. Spring Grove, IL 60081 847-587-6525
goldrose@att.net

Fall 2013 Mid-America Orchid Congress Orchid Show & Sale

When Oct 19 – 20, 2013

Where Dayton Art Institute, 456 Belmonte Park North, Dayton, Ohio

Description See attachment for more details/ Contact; Eric Sauer 937-212-0462 eric@rvorchids.com

WSOS Meeting

When Wednesday October 16, 2013 – 6:00 PM Conversation, 7:00 PM Speaker

Where North Olmsted Community Cabin, 28114 Lorain Road, North Olmsted

Description We will have all the details for our meeting in the October newsletter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JUNE SHOW TABLE WINNERS

GREENHOUSE Professional	First	Den farmer - Thrysiflorum	Edgar Stehli
	Second	C. skinneri	Edgar Stehli
	Third	Chilochista parishii	Wayne Roberts
GREENHOUSE Amateur	First	Onc sphacelatum	John Rini
	Second	Onc brassidium	John Rini
	Third	Paph Berenice	John Rini
WINDOWSILL & UNDER LIGHTS	First	Phrag Enmelia Arias	Bob Lum-King
	First	Epc Don Herman	Pat Corbett
	Second	Blc Pratum Green 'Splash'	Pam Everett
	Second	Dtps Mount Lip	Pam Everett
	Third	Onc Mendenhall 'Hildo'	Debbie Gotsch
	Third	Oda Hot Pants 'Hot Stuff'	Bob Galaska
FEWER THAN 20 PLANTS	First	Phal Hybrid	Marc Rothenberg
	Second	Slc Blazing Baby 'NN #3'	Keith Alexander
	Third	Paph	Marc Rothenberg
BEST SPECIES		Den amethystoglossum	Edgar Stehli
BEST MINATURE		Chiloschista lunifera	Wayne Roberts

SHOW TABLE STANDINGS FOR 2013

STANDINGS FOR 2013	Greenhouse: Pro	Points
	Edgar Stehli	80
	Wayne Roberts	64
	Greenhouse: Am	
	John Rini	111
	Under Lights/Windows:	
	Bob Lum King	59
	Allan Lund	53
	Pat Corbett	35
	Debbie Gotsch	31
	Darryl & Pam Everett	24
	Katherine Binder	20
Bob Galaska	18	
Chester Kieliszek	16	
Dave Miller	2	
Mel Goldstein	1	
Cheryl Nader	1	
Jim Thompson	1	
Teressa Nemeth	1	
Less Than 20 Plants:		
Anita Vergilii	21	
Marc Rothenberg	16	
Jerri Echols	12	
Keith Alexander	12	
Barb Brandon	5	
Robert Catino	5	
Joyce Shramo	1	

Thank you to all who brought in their blooming plants for our members to enjoy on the show table and good luck with this year's contest.

I would like to welcome the following new members to West Shore since the last newsletter went out – Karen and Roger Schlote. To keep our society growing bring a friend who likes growing things to our next meeting and introduce them to the wonderful world of orchids.

We now have 73 of our current 87 members who renewed or joined West Shore on email. Anyone not receiving a newsletter email and wanting one can request it by emailing Chester Kieliszek at kieliszec@ferro.com and I will put you on the email list.

We are again looking for plants and orchid items for the auction and plant sale. We would like society members to donate repotted divisions, plants that have not bloomed, or plants that are not wanted anymore. We normally have a pretty good selection of plants at bargain prices for sale. Anything in bloom usually is auctioned off. If you do not plan on going to the picnic, but would still like to donate a plant(s), you can drop off any donations at Edgar Stehli's greenhouse and he will transport them to the plant sale.

From the President's desk,
Greetings members,

As summer always goes by too fast, take a few moments to appreciate these dog days of August...cicadas are singing for a mate, bulbophyllums are blooming and our annual picnic and auction is fast approaching. The plants for the live auction are being selected right now in Hilo, Hawaii and will be blooming or in spike for our picnic.

The picnic's extraordinary buffet has never disappointed. The food has been as beautiful as it is tasty. WSOS will provide the entree, beverages, and disposable tableware. If you would like to "go green" consider bringing your own flatware/tableware and recycle.

This year's member table will have a silent auction of "orchid stuff" so if you have orchid artwork, books, dvd's, clothes, jewelry, etc., you'd like to donate to the society, please bring it to this important fundraiser.

We also need your PLANTS. Orchids that have not bloomed for you; have outgrown their windowsill space, or you now have duplicates of, will be sold at the member's table. Who knows? Someone else's donation can be your next ribbon winner.

Rain or shine, I look forward to seeing all of you Sunday, August 18th. Come early, stay late. Enjoy.

Teresa

Current Officers for 2013 – 2014 Contact Information

President:	Teresa Nemeth	gardenguru@centurytel.net	440-233-8757
Vice President:	Wayne Roberts	rfs@orchidmix.com	440-236-5571
Treasure:	John Rini	jrini@sbcglobal.net	216-990-4960
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Trustee:	Edgar Stehli	edgarstehli@sbcglobal.net	440-838-5757
Newsletter:	Chester Kieliszek	kieliszec@ferro.com	330-467-3731
Librarian:	Allan Lund	allan.lund320@gmail.com	
Show Chairs:	Wayne Roberts & Chester Kieliszek		
Immediate Past President	Chester Kieliszek.		

SAVE THE DATE: ORCHIDS 'N ART OCTOBER 19-20, 2013

Have you ever thought of attending a Mid-America Orchid Congress? The Greater Cincinnati Orchid Society & the Miami Valley Orchid Society will host the Fall Mid-America Orchid Congress at the Dayton Art Institute October 19-20, 2013.

The host societies are planning a fantastic weekend for those who register. In addition to AOS judged exhibits and regional vendors, interesting lectures by nationally recognized speakers have been scheduled.

Don't miss the gala banquet and the fun-filled auction on Saturday night

The topic to be discussed at the Affiliated Societies Breakfast is "Energize Your Local Society by Utilizing the Resources of MAOC."

Registration information will be on the Mid-America Orchid Congress web-site.

www.midamericanorchids.org The host hotel is the Crowne Plaza Hotel (\$109 plus tax per night.) Registrants can enjoy a Preview Party on Friday night. Additional events offered to registrants & spouses include tours of the Dayton Art Institute & the Museum of the United States Air Force.

West Shore is thinking of setting up a display at the Mid-America show in Dayton. We are looking for volunteers to drive to Dayton on Friday, October 18th with the needed display props and orchids, set up our display and then bring the props and orchids home on Sunday, October 20th. People can volunteer to either take or bring back or both. If we have enough interested volunteers, we will set up a display. If you are interested, please contact Chester Kieliszek (330-467-3731 or kieliszekc@ferro.com) as soon as possible as we have to make arrangements with the societies putting on the show to see if we can acquire an area to set up a display.

We again are thinking about setting up a booth at the Cleveland "Great Big Home & Garden Show" at the IX-Center. Last year we took a vote and it was over whelmingly in favor of setting up the display. When it came time for members to staff the booth we had a hard time getting enough members to commit to taking a 3 hour shift to fill the 9 day event. Many members had to work multiple days. We will again take a vote at the picnic and would like to have a count of volunteers to staff the booth. It's a lot of fun and you don't have to be an expert on orchids to volunteer as we have information pamphlets with growing information on them as well as our show flyer to pass out. If you can't answer a question, refer the individual to our show in March to talk to the experts. We try to have an experienced grower working with any new volunteers. This is the best means of advertising our show. You have to pay for parking, but you get in for free and can enjoy the show either before or after your shift, so please think about volunteering.

The society owns well over a hundred orchid books and pamphlets which members can borrow at any time and then return them when finished. Allan Lund is our new Librarian and he has the collection at his home in boxes. We are looking for some well build preferably wooded shelving at a bargain price (donations accepted) so he can make the collection more accessible. As soon as we update our listing of books to include those donated to the society by the late Al Gugeler, we will publish the list for all to use. In the meantime, if you are looking for an orchid book on a certain topic, give Allan a call 216-543-7176 and he can bring them to one of our meetings.

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www.orchidsandart.com

OCTOBER 19-20, 2013

The Dayton Art Institute
456 Belmonte Park North
Dayton, Ohio 45405

Special Events:

Friday Night Preview Party

Saturday Night Gala Banquet,
Auction & Keynote Address by
Angela Mirro

Sunday Only Tripod Photo Time
& Orchid Photography Lecture

Spouse Tours:

Dayton Art Institute
&
Museum of the
United States Air Force

Host Hotel:

Crowne Plaza Hotel
33 East Fifth Street
800-593-5447

Show Room Rate: \$109 + tax

The Greater Cincinnati Orchid Society
and the
Miami Valley Orchid Society
in partnership with
The Dayton Art Institute
Welcome you to the

FALL 2013
MID AMERICA
ORCHID CONGRESS

ORCHID SHOW & SALE

SPEAKERS
SATURDAY

Chris Purver

Eric Young Orchid Foundation, United Kingdom
"Oncidiinae at the Eric Young Orchid Foundation"

Erich Michel

Michel Orchid Nursery, Indiana
"The Genus Phalaenopsis in the 21st Century"

Holger Perner

Hengduan Mountains Biotechnology, China
"Paphiopedilum- Their Culture and Propagation"

Angela Mirro

Botanical Artist, New York
"Orchids in Art and Illustration"

SUNDAY

Holger Perner

Hengduan Mountains Biotechnology, China
"Dendrobiums of China"

Lynn O'Shaughnessy

American Orchid Society Judge
& Photographer, Michigan
"Orchid Photography"