



Delaware Orchid Society

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Annual Banquet: Tuesday, June 12, 2012 **Speaker: David Off, Waldor Orchids** **Topic: "Orchid History of New Jersey"**

David Off joined the family business Waldor Orchids in 1997. He is currently Assistant Greenhouse Manager and Customer Service Representative for Waldor Orchids. David oversees Waldor's renowned classic cattleya collection. He has been instrumental in the development of their website and internet sales.

David married his wife Sarah in 2002. They have two sons, Daniel and Clayton, who are being trained as the fourth generation of orchid growers.

David will have some plants from Waldor Orchids for sale during the banquet



Den. Chrysotoxum—Best Grown
Duane & Judy Erdmann



C. skinneri var. alba
Duane & Judy Erdmann

THE DELAWARE ORCHID SOCIETY

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Delaware Orchid Society Meetings are held the second Tuesday each month (except June, July and August) at Emmanuel Presbyterian Church, 1006 Wilson Road, Wilmington, Delaware at 7 PM. Visitors are always welcome. June is our annual banquet held at another location (TBD) and July and August is our summer recess.



Check out our website!

www.delawareorchidsociety.com

Doors open: 7:00 p.m.
Social/Judging 7:30 – 8:00 p.m.
Business Meeting: 8:00 – 8:15 p.m.
Speaker: 8:15 – 9:00 p.m.
Show Table/Raffle/Door Prizes: 9:00

DOS CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JUNE 12- DOS BANQUET

PLACE: GREENVILLE COUNTRY CLUB
Speaker: David Off, Waldor Orchids
Topic: "The Orchid History of New Jersey"

JULY AND AUGUST - GENERAL MEETING BREAK

SEPTEMBER 10 - DOS GENERAL MEETING

PLACE: EMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Speaker: Alan Koch, Gold Country Orchids

SEPTEMBER 15 ORCHID SEMINAR & REPOTTING CLINIC

PLACE: DELAWARE SEED AND GARDEN SUPPLY
TIME: 10:00 AM—NOON

DECEMBER 1 ORCHID SEMINAR & REPOTTING CLINIC

PLACE: DELAWARE SEED AND GARDEN SUPPLY
TIME: 10:00 AM—NOON

Elections will take place at the banquet. The nominating Committee presents the following slate of officers for 2012-2014:

President: Pam Downs

Vice-President: John Rogan

Treasurer: Joel Balogh

Secretary: Olivia Landis

And the following slate of directors for 2012-2015:

Duane Erdmann

Harry Kutch

Mary Ann Ulmann

AOS Corner

This month I thought I would give a sampling of some of the information one can obtain from the AOS website. More in depth information is available to AOS members by logging into the webpage with your own name and password. Below, however, is an excerpt from the monthly checklist section – probably one of the more widely visited areas of the website.

Cattleya - Cattleyas this month require careful attention to their watering and fertilizing needs owing to characteristically high temperatures. Evaporative cooling is a must in areas of the country where it is effective. Where it is not (the more humid regions), care needs to be paid to proper venting to keep temperatures within reason. Bottom vents in conjunction with top vents provide enough rising airflow to help keep plants cool. Increased air flow lessens humidity and dries plants out more quickly, necessitating more frequent damping down and watering, in areas where high humidity is not a problem. Higher light and heat indicate more fertilizer. The growths your plants are making now are the source of this autumn, winter and spring's blooms, so applying adequate fertilizer this month is the best way to ensure future blooms. Higher temperatures and humidity may also lead to fungal or bacterial rot problems, so it is important to closely observe your plants for any early indication of problems. Pests are also at a high point this month for the same reason.

Paphiopedilum - Cooling and air circulation are especially critical in these two months to prevent stress and avoid disease problems. Watering needs to be closely monitored to ensure that plants do not dry out. Warmer-growing hybrids will be at the peak of their blooming, with attention needing to be paid to staking of spikes. Look for water lodging in growths, which can rot emerging spikes and lead to the loss of the entire growth.

Cymbidium - Summer can be the most rewarding season for cymbidiums. Growths should be coming strong now. The leaves of the new growths are best when they are broad and fairly stiff. The color should be a light green to nearly yellow. Early flowering varieties should be showing flower spikes, so move the plants into a cooler area with lower light. For mid-season varieties, lower the dosage of nitrogen to assist in spike initiation.

-- Taken from the American Orchid Society Website – All About Orchids – Monthly Checklist – July and August

There are also a number of videos and articles that are available to the public and many more to the AOS Members.

Lynn Fuller, Chair
AOS Affiliated Societies Committee

Future Regional Orchid Events

June 8—10: Shore Orchid Festival—Silva Orchids

June 20, 2012: Mid-Atlantic Judging Center, 7:00 pm—10:00 pm. Fairmont Park Horticultural Center, 100 N. Horticultural and Montgomery Drs., Philadelphia; send cut flowers to: Walter Off, Waldor Orchids, 10 East Poplar Ave., Linwood, NJ 08221

June 22, 2012—Waldor Orchids Summer Sale

Sept 15th: Orchid Seminar and Repotting Seminar, 10 am- Noon, Delaware Seed and Garden Supply, LLC

September 29, 2012, 24th Annual Delaware Valley Orchid Council Speakers' Forum, Mt. Laurel, NJ (Early bird registration closes August 29, 2012)

MAY SHOW TABLE RESULT

GREENHOUSE

Den. chrysotoxum "Best Grown"	Duane & Judy Erdmann
Rstp. hybrid	"
Rstp. trichoglossa	"
Zo. (vultriceps X dodsonii)	"
Coel. massangeana	"
Paph. Susan Booth	"
C. skinneri var. alba	"
Cty. Leaf Hopper	"
Chysis aurea	"
Epi. Alexia	"
Gongora tricolor	John Rogan
Phrag. Bel Croute	"
Paph. Leroy Booth	"
Unk. Encyclia	Henrietta Reiter
Odcdm. Catatante 'Pacific Sun Spots'	"

NON-GREENHOUSE

Porroglossum mucosum	Duane & Judy Erdmann
Phal. cornu-cervi	"
Phal. Bastianii	"
Paph. (Pine Glow X wenshanense)	Pam Bowman
Paph. Prim Susan	"
Phrag. Andean Fire 'Sol Fenick' AM/AOS	Bee & Sol Fenick



Gongora tricolor
John Rogan



Paph. (Pine Glow x wenshanense)
Pam Bowman

SHORE ORCHID FESTIVAL

Held at Silva Orchids

NOW IN JUNE

Friday, June 8 - Sunday, June 10, 2012 • 10:00a.m. to 5:00p.m.

Guests to include

• Andy's Orchids	• Little Brook Orchids	• Orchid Phile
• Black Jungle Terrarium Supply	• Main Street Orchids	• Piping Rock
• Brennan Orchids	• Oakhill Gardens	• Seed Engel
• Cal-Orchid		• Silva Orchids
• Canaima Orchids		• Stony Brook Orchids
• Fishing Creek		• Suwada Orchid Nursery
• J&L Orchids		• Ten Shin Gardens
• Kelley's Kerner Orchid Supplies		• Waldor Orchids

Bus & van groups welcome Easy access from major highways

Free orchid workshops on Saturday & Sunday for beginners & experienced growers
Food vendors on site • Rain or shine • All activities tented

635 Wayside Rd. • Neptune, NJ • 732-922-2635
Visit our website for more information www.silvaorchids.com

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Paph. Leroy Booth
John Rogan



Phal bastianii—Duane & Judy Erdmann



Paph. Susan Booth
Judy & Duane Erdmann



Odcdm. Catatante 'Pacific Sun Spots' -
Henrietta Reiter



Phrag. Andean Fire 'Sol Fenick' AM/AOS
Bee & Sol Fenick

June Banquet Directions
Tuesday, June 12th @ 7:00 pm
Greenville Country Club
annual celebration of all things orchids

From I-95 headed North

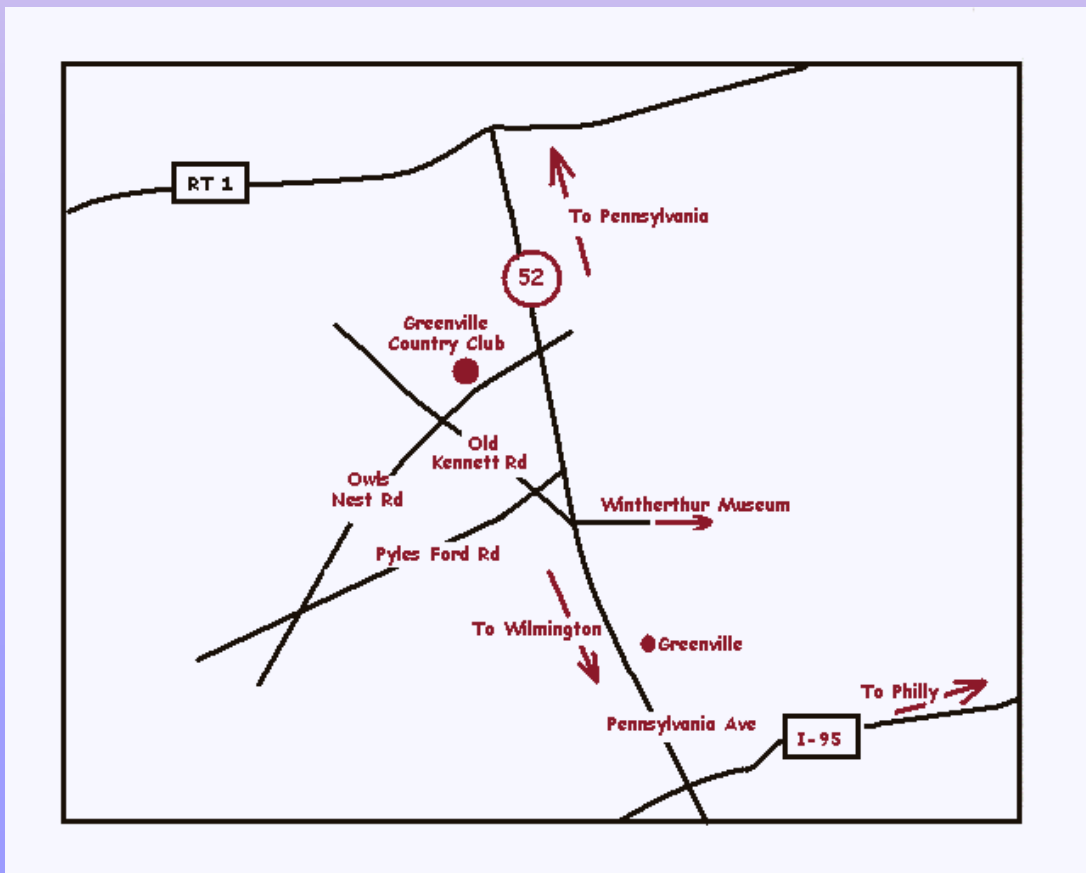
Exit at Delaware Ave, Route 52 North. Proceed North 52 for approximately 5 miles to the Winterthur Museum. At the entrance to the Museum is a traffic light. Turn left at the light onto Old Kennett Road. Go to the 2nd stop sign (approx ¾ mile). Turn Right onto Owls Nest Road. We are the 5th driveway on the left at the top of the hill.

From I-95 headed South

Exit at Delaware Ave, Exit 7B. At the first light turn right onto Route 52 North. Get into one of the two left lanes. Route 52 (Pennsylvania Ave) veers to the left almost immediately. Follow instructions above.

From Route 1

Turn onto Route 52 South. Proceed approximately 4 miles though a small town called Centreville until you reach the Winterthur Museum. At the entrance to the Museum is a traffic light. Turn right at the light onto Old Kennett Road. Go to the 2nd stop sign (approx ¾ mile). Turn Right onto Owls Nest Road. We are the 5th driveway on the left at the top of the hill



24th Annual Delaware Valley Orchid Council Speakers' Forum **September 29, 2012**

Featured Speakers

Harry Phillips	Andy's Orchids Fascinating Miniatures	Encinitas, CA
Roger Cole	Arbec Orchids The New Rodrumnia Alliance (Tolumnia & Rodriguezia)	Queen Anne, MD
Courtney Hackney	Hackneau's Art and Orchids Classic Cattleyas	Jacksonville, FL
Chris Rehmann	Immediate Past President of The American Orchid Society Future of The AOS	NJ

Schedule of Events

8:30 am– 10:00 am	Coffee, Tea, Pastry (Sales Open)
10:00 am – 11:00 am	Guest Lecture
11:00 am – 12:00 noon	Guest Lecture
12:00 noon – 1:15 pm	Hot and Cold Buffet Lunch
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm	Guest Lecture
2:15pm – 3:15 pm	Guest Lecture
3:15 pm – 4:00 pm	Plant Raffle/Sales Open

Vendors

Andy's Orchids
Arbec Orchids
Hackneau Orchids
Lois Duffin Orchids
Stony Brook Orchids
Waldor Orchids
J&L Orchids

Location: Wyndham Hotel, Mt. Laurel, NJ
From NJ Turnpike: Take exit 4 to Rte. 73 South.
From I-295: Take Exit 36A to Rte 73 South (Berlin).

Register for our early-bird raffle by August 29, 2012 and you are automatically entered into The Earlybird Raffle with a chance to win an orchid valued over \$125.

Advance Registration Required

Return the bottom portion of this form along with payment in full to:

Michael Kauffman
222 Blue School Road
Perkasie, PA 18944

Checks payable to DVOC
Your check is your receipt
Sorry....NO refunds

Yes! I(we) plan to attend. Enclosed is my check
For _____ registrations at \$44.00 per person

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____ (Please print clearly)

Delaware Orchid Society
c/o Lynn Fuller
1401 Pennsylvania Ave, # 1604
Wilmington, DE 19806



Waldor Orchids Linwood, NJ

**Waldor Orchids Annual 2012 Summer Sale
June 22th & 23th**

Friday and Saturday 9 AM—5 PM
10 E. Popular Ave. Linwood, NJ 08221-2526
Phone: 609-927-4126

**20% off all
plants &
supplies**

The Summer Sale is for their retail customers at the Linwood location and our website . Due to their busy schedule during the sale, they are unable to accept any of our customer's plants for re-potting. Also, plant combinations and decorating with curly willow may not be possible.

For more information go to www.waldor.com