



# Central Jersey Orchid Society Newsletter

February 2019 Issue

## President's Message February 2019

I am writing this email before our February meeting. As many of you know we will be away. I am sure Chris will do a fine job. He has also several interesting topics to discuss at the meeting and will be very interested in your opinions. Chris has done a great deal of thinking about ways to improve and enhance our society. I am very grateful to him for all his assistance.

I also want to thank Anne for her superb effort in organizing our lovely exhibit at the NJOS show. The exhibit received a blue ribbon for which Anne and her helpers should be justly proud. Anne had many members performing various tasks. I will mention each one and I hope I do not fail to include anyone. First as special thanks to Anne's husband Paul for all his hard work and support. Also, thanks to David Carrick, Tobie Parnett, Sara Toth, Renee Jolley, Karen Kennedy, Joe Thomas, Shirley Li, Chris Bevins, and Mary Ann Koslov. I helped with orchid registration. Hopefully more of you will volunteer next year.

I am sure Beth Off gave an informative talk. Next month Bob Sprague will be giving a different type of talk. It is called "Orchid Trivia". I am curious about how the talk will be structured. It should be fun.



Lc Nacouchee 'Mission Valley' AM David Carrick

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## Meetings and Events

Meetings are held the first Wednesday of the month at the at the Johnson Education Center (D&R Greenway Land Trust) One Preservation Place Princeton, NJ 08540

**Sept:** Mary Jo Gilsdorf :“Adaptive Potting Techniques and Other Cultural Tips”. **Will have Plant for sale**

**Oct:** Greg Griffis:  
Jewel orchids and other Terrestrials

**Nov:** Allan Koch: Gold Coast Orchids

**Dec:** Holiday Party

**Jan:** Paul Sheetz: Unifoliate Cattleya, How to Identify and distinguish them

**Feb:** Beth Davis: What is a Beth Orchid?

**March:** 2019 Bob Sprague: Orchid Trivia.

**Apr:** David Rosenfeld :Growing for perfection: secrets shared to help garner cultural awards.

**May:** Annual Question and Answer Session

**June:** Annual CJOs Picnic

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# JUDGING February 2019

## Cattleya

1. Lc Nacouchee 'Mission Valley' AM  
David Carrick



- 2 Blc 'Fender's Love Song'  
Chia Lin x Love Sound  
Larry Steele

3. NOID Luann Arico



# Den/Onc

1. Den. *Dendrobium kingianum* 'Madame'  
David Carrick



2. Den Microchip Jeff Tryon

3. Bllra Marfitch 'Howards Dream' AM  
Luann Arrico



# Phal/Vanda

1. **Asco Suksamran x V Crimson Gordon**  
**Joe Thomas**



2. **Phal NODI Ed and Pam Frankel**

# Paph/Phrag

1. **Paph Hawaiian Magic**  
(Magical Venus 'Red Flares' x Varuna 'Keienz'  
Renee Jolley



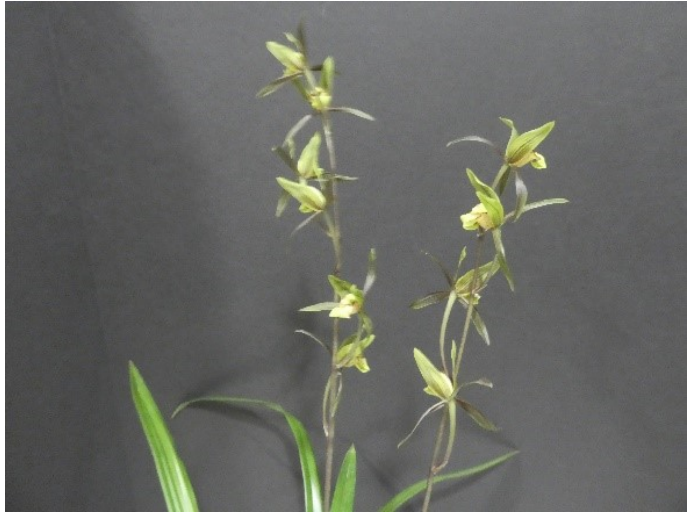
2. **Paph 'Calvert Sunrise' spicerianum**  
'Woo' x Paph 'Victoria Mariae #1'  
Tobie Parnett

3. **Phrag schlimii 'Wilcox'** David Carrick



# Species

**1. *Cym sinense* 'Yushi Zhi' Shirley Li**



**2. *Rhy gigantea* Pub var alba  
George Guzikowski**



**3. *Coelogyne gardneriana* Larry Steele**

## **Other**

**1. Stenosarcos Vanguard 'Red Stripe' Renee Jolley**



## **Orchid of the Month**



**Lc Nacouchee 'Mission Valley' AM David Carrick**

**North Jersey Orchid Society Show**

## Central Jersey Orchid Society's Display



**Congrats to the hard work by the CJOS Team a Blue Ribbon!!!!**

**In total, CJOS members garnered 9 cultural awards!**

**Renee Jolley**

Red Ribbon - (Paph. NOID);

White Ribbon - (Bsn. Maikai 'Mayumi' AM (B. nodosa x Gur. bowringiana))

White Ribbon - (Paph. Hawaiian Magic (Paph. Magical Venus x Paph. Varuna))

**David & Joan Rosenfeld**

Blue Ribbon - (Dendrobium Green Flash 'Green With Envy' CCM/AM (Andree Millar x convolutum))

White Ribbon - (Bulb. Blumei)

**John Hartman**

White Ribbon - Vanda [V.] Hawaiian Verde (V. sanderiana x V vietnamica)

**Jeff Tryon**

Red Ribbon - (Paph. Wolf's Folly (Paph. wardii x Paph. Dire Wolf)

**Anne Skalka** [

Red Ribbon - (Paph. Quasky 'Diane' x (Winston Churchill x Normandy) 'Mendenhall')

**Great work setting up the display**



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## North Jersey's Orchid Society



## **How Do You Grow?**

Each month, I would like to show a member's growing methods/conditions. We started with ours. Please send me pictures of your growing conditions (summer/winter) [edsharkf@yahoo.com](mailto:edsharkf@yahoo.com) No submission this month. Let's get some pictures of your growing space

Thank you Westhafer's for sharing you orchid growing areas



## The results of the Westhafer's hard work



## **Orchid Events**

### **Longwood Gardens Presents:**

**Free Free Free Free Free Free Free Orchid Course**

## **Everything About Orchids**

It is a Free Online Open Course

### About this Class

Join us for a new learning experience at Longwood Gardens. We are excited to present Everything About Orchids to our guests as a free online open course. Whether you are new to orchids or a seasoned grower, this class will offer valuable insights from the experts at Longwood Gardens, one of the great gardens of the world.

Here is the website to start:

<https://longwoodgardens.org/events-and-performances/events/everything-about-orchids-online-open-class>

**Dates: Now through May 6, 2019**

### **Instructors**

Greg Griffis and Peter Zale

### **Where**

Fully Online

**More at Longwood: The “Orchid Extravaganza”  
Now until March 24, 2019**



# Upcoming AOS Webinars



Our next webinar...

Tuesday, February 26th, 2019  
8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EST

**Greenhouse Chat February 2019**

Orchid Q&A



## Greenhouse Chat February 2019

Ron McHatton

Tuesday, February 26th, 2019  
8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EST

Orchid Q&A



## Choosing the best plants

Lois Cinert,

Tuesday, March 12th, 2019  
8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EST

How to pick a good orchid

**Check out last month's speaker Beth Davis' talk on the CJOS' Website It was a great talk, potting demo and discussion after. Thank you Beth**

"What is a Beth Orchid?"

**Beth Davis**

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"Let the Beauty of what you LOVE, Be what you Do." - Rumi