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"Newberry"*

South Carolina Orchid Society

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September Program— Sunday 15th, 12:30 PM

“Beyond the Pot”, Bridget Uzar, Carter & Holmes

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Bridget will give a hands on class on how you can mount an orchid. You can mount orchids in a variety of ways, on wood, on rocks, in slatted baskets, etc.

Mounted orchids take a little different care, but many types of orchids prefer this method as it more resembles their natural environment. Bridget will provide tips on how to mount and grow and help your plants thrive using this method.

There are several options for the class, and you can make your own mounted orchid.

Bridget will be arriving at 11:30 AM and will have plants for sale. Among these will be bare root mountable Brassolaelia Yellow Bird and Phalaenopsis Meen Estrella for only \$7.50 each. She will accept Cash, Check, or Credit Card.

Bridget will also have mount kits available. These consist of a cedar plank, fishing line, a tag for the plant, and sphagnum moss. @ \$3.50 each

- You can purchase either a plant (s), kit(s) or both
- You can bring your own mount(s) and buy plants
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- You can bring your own mount and plant and we will provide the moss.
- You can choose to just watch and learn as others make their new mounted orchids.

UPCOMING ORCHID EVENTS

Triangle Orchid Show “Fall for Orchids” (Raleigh) Sept. 12-15th
- Plant pick up 8th to 10th

Triangle Orchid Show

SCOS will be participating in the upcoming Triangle Orchid Show. The event is Friday 9/13 to Sunday 9/15.

Any blooming orchid is welcomed as long as it is tagged, named, pest, and disease free. All plants that go into the display will be eligible for show and AOS judging. Clay Owens will be coordinating plant pick up Sun. 9/8 to Tues. 9/10. Please contact Clay immediately @ jester0711@aol.com and include your name, phone #, plant name, and photo.

General Meeting Information

The South Carolina Orchid Society meets at 12:30 PM on the third Sunday of each month at the Garden Club Council building, 1605 Park Circle, Maxcy Gregg Park, Columbia, SC. There is a short business meeting, an orchid program, raffle plants, and a Show and Tell Table.

Visitors are welcome.



Vanda Motes Blue Yonder



Treasurer's Report Sept. 1, 2024

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Money at the end of June	\$8,624.96
Speaker Fee	-\$100.00
Venmo - Raffle	\$653.50
July Raffle	\$82.00
Membership (s)	\$40.00
returned check	-\$30.00
AOS Trophy & Fees	-\$130.00
Money at the end of August	\$9,140.46



Above: Cattleya White Reception



Above: Vanda tessellate alba 'Karina Motes' x sib



Above: Vanda Foxy Lady x Vanda Miami Mandarin



Above: Vanda My EmiLu (Vanda Miami Velvet x Vanda Miami Mandarin)

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<http://southcarolinaorchidsociety.org/>

Also check out our Facebook and Instagram pages

The American Orchid Society is there for You!

www.aos.org

FREE Webinars & Greenhouse Chats

Join the global community of orchid-growers on AOS' one-of-a-kind webinars where orchid experts share the latest in orchid research and valuable information on caring for your orchids.

The next Webinars:

Tues., Sept. 10th @ 8:30 PM EST New and Novel Hybrids at the Longwood Gardens, and how to grow them.

For more information on this program, culture info, and events of interest to orchid growers.
<http://www.aos.org/>

July Program

Mark Reinke gave a very informative presentation on the hybridization of Cymbidiums, and growing Cymbidiums in the south. Mark had several Cymbidium divisions as well as new Cymbidium hybrids for sale.

August Program

Many of our members took the trip up to the Pisgah Forest to visit Looking Glass Orchids on August 17th. There was a special 25% discount to SCOS members, and many plants made their way back to South Carolina and new homes. We hope to see them blooming at our show and tell soon!



Above: Vanda Nancy Bloomfield



Above: Vanda Udomchai Beauty



Above: Vanda Ploenpit Blue

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Above: Papilionanda Naoki Kawamura (two different plants)



Above: Perreiraara Bangkok Sunset