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JANUARY MONTHLY MEETING

8:00 pm Monday, Jan. 13, 2014
Atlanta Botanical
Garden, Day Hall

Deb Delmas, Heart of Dixie
Orchid Society
"Appreciating Furan"

Deb Delmas of the Heart of Dixie Orchid Society in Huntsville will present the program, "Appreciating Furan" based on her 92 point FCC awarded educational display in April 2012 at Heart of Dixie Orchid Show "Furan" or "Wind Orchid" is a Japanese name for *Vanda (Neofinetia) falcata*. Grown in ancient times only by nobility or the rich...this species with its many variations was highly sought after and cultivated. Deb's program will explore the history, the varietal types, and the



A well grown example of a beautiful color form of Vanda falcata

growing culture of these beautifully fragrant orchids. There will be plants for sale at the meeting including several forms

of the species and a selection of charming hybrids made from it.



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Events Calendar

January

11- American Orchid Society monthly judging, Atlanta Judging Center, 2 pm, ABG basement workshop

13 - Atlanta Orchid Society Monthly Meeting, ABG, Day Hall – 8 p.m.

Deb Delmas, Huntsville, AL
“Appreciating Funan” (*Neofinetia* syn. *Vanda falcata*)

February

7-9 – South Carolina Orchid Society Show, Riverbanks Botanical Gardens, Columbia, SC

8 - American Orchid Society monthly judging, Atlanta Judging Center, 2 pm, ABG basement workshop

13 - Atlanta Orchid Society Monthly Meeting, ABG, Day Hall – 8 p.m.

Thomas Mirenda
Orchid Collection Specialist
Smithsonian Institution

21-23 – Deep South Orchid Show, Savannah Mall, 14045 Abercorn St., Savannah, GA

March

7-9 – The Atlanta Orchid Show
Day Hall, Atlanta Botanical Gardens.

8 - American Orchid Society monthly judging, Atlanta Judging Center, 2 pm, ABG basement workshop

29-30 – Western NC Orchid Show, NC Arboretum at Bent Creek, Asheville, NC

29-30 – Heart of Dixie Orchid Society Show, DoubleTree Suites, 6000 Memorial Pkwy, Huntsville, AL

President's Message



I'd like to wish everyone a Happy New Year and offer my personal aspiration that it be a prosperous and fulfilling one for all of our membership! I am honored to serve as your president for a second time. Newer members might not be aware that I also held this executive position back in 2007. Hopefully the previous experience will give me a head start in working with your new and returning board members and volunteers to make sure we advance the goals of the Atlanta Orchid Society as successfully as possible in 2014.

As our by-laws state: “The purpose of the Atlanta Orchid Society shall be to bring together through a common bond persons interested in orchids; to create a forum for the discussion and public education concerning orchids; to encourage all orchid activities of interest to the enthusiast, including the holding of orchid shows; and to procure and disseminate information as to the methods of culture, hybridization, propagation, and conservation.”

In our final meeting of 2013, your board voted to use our budgetary surplus for the year to make donations to several organizations that advance those goals, including our “parent” organization, the American Orchid Society, the Atlanta Judging Center, Orchid Digest, the International Phalaenopsis Alliance, the native orchid conservation program of the Atlanta Botanical Garden and Jay Pfahl, who operates the free online encyclopedia known as Orchidspecies.com. While the amounts may have been relatively modest, we take pride in knowing we have extended our reach beyond our own realm of annual activities and events.

Perhaps the most important of those events will soon be here, the Atlanta Orchid Show and Sale of 2014, scheduled for March 7-9, with set up on March 5th and 6th. This is the one time of the year when we show the region what we are all about and it is vital both to our public image and expanding our membership. I implore all of you to volunteer a bit of your time to help make this event a success. Our Show Chairs Danny Lentz and Roy Harrow will be detailing the various needs we have at our next two meetings so be ready to offer them your assistance.

It is also time to look through your collection and begin to pre-groom plants that might be in flower for the show. This year we will be installing blooming orchids in the Lobby as well as Day Hall, so our needs are greater than ever. Utilizing this location will be an exciting opportunity to direct more visitors to our main displays and sales areas as well as help our fund raising raffle and membership efforts.

This month, Deb Delmas of the Heart of Dixie Orchid Society will be presenting a great program on *Vanda* (*Neofinetia*) *falcata*. To my knowledge this will be the first time we have had a program on this fascinating species and its hybrids and I look forward to seeing you all there!

Minutes of the December 2013 Meeting of the Atlanta Orchid Society

Date: December 9, 2013, 7:00 pm

Location: Fellowship Hall, Rock Springs Presbyterian Church

Attendance: 41 people

The meeting was preceded by the annual potluck holiday dinner.

Maureen Pulignano called the meeting to order and thanked everyone for the delicious food. She also thanked the following for their service to the society during the year: Gary Collier - chair of the nominating committee, Greg Smith – chair of the annual auction, Barbara Barnett – chair of the spring show, Terry Glover – organizer of the monthly raffle, Lynne Gollob – new member mentor, Ellen Brand – refreshment chair, Geni Smith – membership chair, Clark Weisner – treasurer, Nancy Newton – secretary and Mark Reinke – vice president and newsletter editor.

Gary Collier uninstalled the following outgoing officers and trustees: Clark Weisner – treasurer, Geni Smith – past president, Maureen Pulignano – president, Mark Reinke - vice president. Outgoing trustees Laurel Burrows and Hal Morrison were not present and were uninstalled *in absentia*.

The following officers and trustees for 2014 were then installed by Gary Collier: Mark Reinke – president, JoJo Stickney – vice president, Jason Mills – treasurer, Nancy Newton – secretary, Maureen Pulignano – past president and Carson Barnes – trustee. David Kessler – trustee was installed *in absentia*.

The motion was made, seconded and passed to approve the minutes of the November monthly meeting as published.

Doug Hartong, Barbara Barnett, Mark Reinke and Carson Barnes performed the ribbon judging. Mark Reinke presented the ribbons.

President, Maureen Pulignano, adjourned the meeting.

The meeting was followed by the silent auction and the holiday gift exchange.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Newton, Secretary

A O S C O R N E R

Lynn Fuller, Chair
Affiliated Societies Committee

The Trustees and Members meeting was held in Coral Gables with most of the meetings being held at Fairchild Botanic Gardens (the new home of the AOS). It was a great opportunity to get to know Fairchild and for Fairchild to see what the AOS is about. A nice show was arranged by the Coral Gables Orchid Society and at the AOS judging, awards were given to many local orchidists. In conjunction with the meetings, a number of AOS awards were presented. The Distinguished Affiliated Society Award (DSSA) was given to the Orchid Society of Western Pennsylvania for their volunteer commitment to Phipps Conservatory in Pittsburgh. An article will be forthcoming in *Orchids* about their joint project whereby they will be assisting in the establishment of an historic slipper orchid collection. An AOS Gold Medal was given to Harold Koopowitz for his dedication to orchids in conservation, biology, hybridizing and publishing; Two AOS Silver Medals were bestowed upon Aileen Garrison and Jose Izquierdo in recognition of their service to the AOS judging system. Leon Glicenstein was recognized with an AOS Fellow for his outstanding scientific, horticultural and hybridizing in addition, Leonid Averyanov was recognized with an AOS Fellow for his work on Vietnam orchids. Two Hybridizing awards were presented to Milton Carpenter for his work with Oncidiinae and warmth-tolerant cymbidiums and to Gene Crocker of Carter and Holmes for his art-shade cattleyas.

Anyone wishing to be considered for judging at the 21st WOC in South Africa, must submit their application to do so by December 31,

2013. There will be no late registrations considered. In addition, discounted registration ends on December 31, 2013. For more information or to register, go to www.woc21.org.

Save the date for the Spring Members and Trustees meeting to be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota, April 30 through May 4, 2014 in conjunction with their show – Orchids – A Growing Obsession. This event will be held in conjunction with meetings of the Mid-America Orchid Congress, the Slipper Orchid Alliance, the International Phalaenopsis Alliance, Pleurothallid Alliance and Angraecoid Alliance.

Wishing you all the best during this holiday season and for a happy 2014.



Join the Atlanta Orchid Society

Membership in the Atlanta Orchid Society is \$30 for individuals or \$45 for households. Yearly membership runs January 1-December 31. Anyone joining in the third quarter will get a 50% discount on the current year's membership. Anyone joining in the fourth quarter will purchase a membership for the following year. You can join at one of our monthly meetings, contact the society's Treasurer (see page 2) for a membership application, or complete an application online at our website: www.atlantaorchidsociety.org

For directions to the Atlanta Botanical Garden, please visit their web site at www.atlantabotanicalgarden.org

Atlanta Orchid Society Monthly Ribbon Winners December 2013

Comments and photos by
Mark Alan Reinke

Class I – Cattleya Group

**Blue – *Cattleya Pole-Star x Iodigessii*
– Gary Collier & Mark Reinke**

This attractive and well-presented hybrid shows the strong influence of *C. briegei*, one of the parents of *C. Pole-Star* and therefore a grandparent in the cross. The yellow color in that species can be quite dominant through the generations even when confronted with a lavender species such as *C. Iodigessii*. A strong upright spike with well-spaced flowers is another trait passed down from this brightly colored, small and upright growing species that comes from well exposed rock ledges in Brazil. We picked this seedling up off the bench at Carter & Holmes Orchids a number of years ago and we are surprised that they have never registered it, though perhaps there were few plants in the cross and we got the best one! It is a good rebloomer, producing flowers any time a growth develops regardless of the season. We have crossed it back to *C. Pole-Star* in an effort to reduce the size while still maintaining a strong spike and good presentation. Our expectation is not only for yellows, as in this parent, but also splashes, flares and overlaid zones of orange or red on many of the progeny. Both parents in this cross benefit from bright conditions, intermediate temperatures with a 20 degree range between night and day, and perfect drainage allowing mature plants to dry completely before receiving water again.

**Red – *Cattleya percivaliana*
'Mendenhall-Summit,' AM/AOS –
Gary Collier & Mark Reinke**

**White – *Rhyncolaeliocattleya*
California Girl 'Orchid Library' – Matt
Matsumoto**



Cattleya Pole-Star x Iodigessii – Gary Collier & Mark Reinke

**White – *Leptotes harryphillipsi* – Ken
& Cora Ramborger**

Class II – Cymbidium Group

No Entries

Class III – Dendrobium Group

**Blue – *Dendrobium laevifolium* –
Gary Collier & Mark Reinke**

This is the same plant that won a blue ribbon in the August, 2013 show table, attesting to the longevity of the blooms of this charming miniature species from the South Pacific. It also won a blue ribbon in the Alabama Orchid Show in September! See the September, 2013 newsletter for a detailed description and cultural information.

**Red – *Dendrobium lawesii* var.
bicolor – Gary Collier & Mark
Reinke**

Dendrobium lawesii is another "must have" species that is only now beginning to be more commercially

available to orchid lovers in the United States. It comes from both northern Papua New Guinea, and Bougainville Island, a smaller, but mountainous land mass about 300 miles to the east. It is found growing on the underside of tree branches or low on tree trunks in shady conditions, at elevations ranging from 2500 to more than 6000 feet above sea level. However, being at the Equator means that, despite its mountain habitat, it is an intermediate grower that tolerates our warm months well with frequent watering, shade and good air movement. While we have found the plants grow fine in pots and small baskets in our greenhouse conditions, they excel mounted on Kool-Logs, the invention of our member Larry Mayse. These porous vessels keep the roots cooler in the hottest months through evaporation. They also help prevent the roots from drying out, a condition this species resents. Slender growths arise from impossibly small bases and extend slowly over several years to a length of up to 18 inches. Small neatly arranged leaves



Dendrobium lawesii var. *bicolor*
Gary Collier & Mark Reinke



alternate along their entire length. In nature, the plants grow in a pendent fashion. But they can be staked upright if space is an issue and will still flower just as well. Because blooms only occur on older, usually leafless growths, this species is slower than some to reach flowering size, but will eventually become a wonderful specimen with time. Check out the August, 2013 newsletter to see award photos of a plant grown by members Pete and Gail Furniss, which received a Certificate of Cultural Excellence. It had more than 50 clusters of flowers scattered up and down many of its mature canes. The blossoms are tubular in form, with a flared end and occur in clusters of up to a dozen or more from nodes opposite where a leaf had grown. The plants have no specific bloom season and produce flushes of long lasting flowers off and on throughout the year. It takes many years before all the potential flowering points of a single growth have been exhausted, so only remove growths that are obviously dried and dead. There are many color forms ranging from solid purple and solid red to bicolor combinations of those colors with orange yellow or white tips. There is even a very rare

white form. This orchid would do well alongside phalaenopsis and oncidiums, or in the shade of cattleyas or other intermediate growing types and is worth trying for its unusual and beautiful qualities.

Class IV – Epidendrum Group

Blue – *Bardendrum* Nanboy Pixy 'Cherry Moon,' HCC/AOS – Lynne Gollob

This same plant received a blue ribbon at the January meeting earlier this year. Check the February, 2013 newsletter for a detailed description and cultural information.

Red – *Barkeria obovata* – Jason Mills

This rarely seen, diminutive species occurs in scattered locations from Mexico to Panama, always in seasonally dry forests where rainfall is very light to almost non-existent for five months each year, typically from December to May. Growths are

generally six inches or less in height, topped by an inflorescence that can add another 10 inches in well grown examples, and be adorned by up to 50 small flowers on a main stem and several side branches. The flowers do not open fully in most plants and are frequently cleistogamous (self-pollinating) as a result of the rostellum being partially or totally absent. This feature usually separates the pollenia from the stigmatic surface, preventing blooms from pollinating themselves. *Bark. obovata* often inhabits disturbed areas along roads and fields in its natural habitat, growing in twiggy scrub or at the base of cacti. The thick roots are well adapted to soak up any scant moisture available from dew or quick showers during the dry season. Plants are most easily managed when grown mounted, and watered with frequency while new growths are developing during late spring through summer, then much

more sparingly the balance of the year. The delicate flowers require close inspection to reveal their intricate lip patterns.

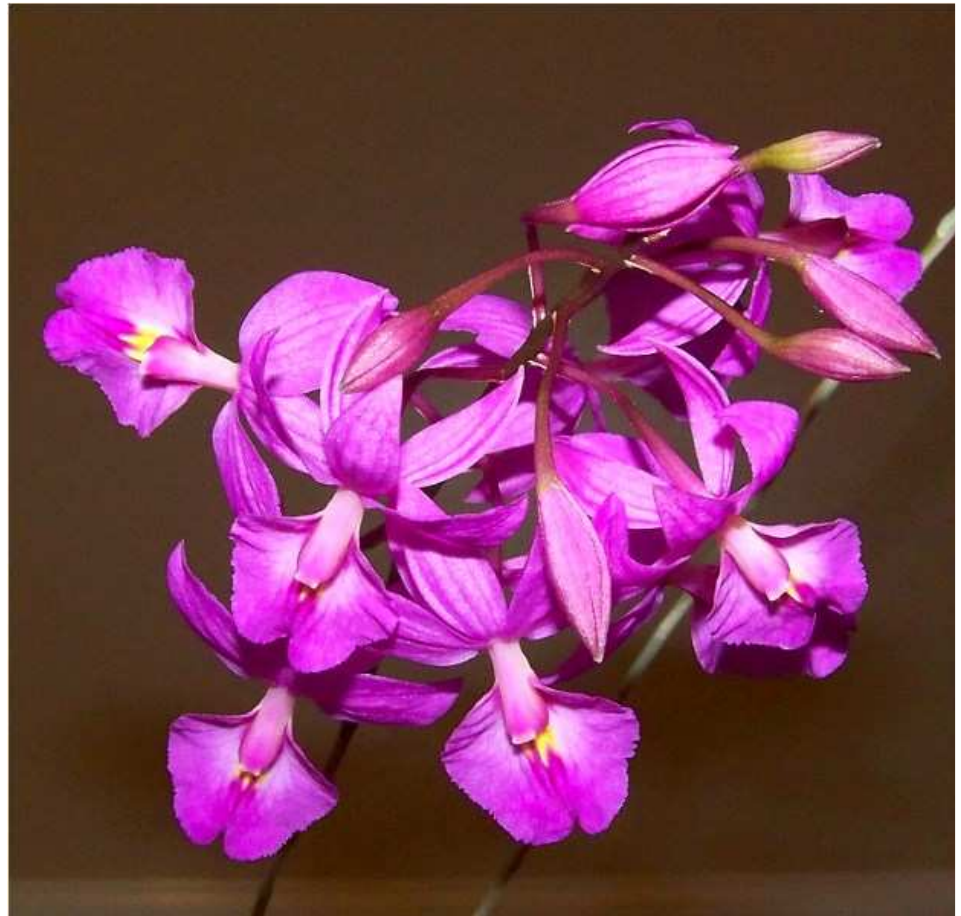
Class V – Oncidium Group

Blue – *Oncostele* Wildcat
'Chadwick,' AM/AOS – Lynne Gollob

Of the nine species which make up the genetic background of this hybrid, all but one have been placed in *Oncidium* at the present. The outlier is *Rhyncostele uroskinneri*, one of the grandparents, which was formerly known as *Odontoglossum uroskinneri*. Thus the current nothogenus for the grex is *Oncostele*. *Ons.* Wildcat was introduced more than two decades ago by Rod McLellan Company of San Mateo, CA, but remains as popular as any hybrid in the Oncidinae due to the many fine forms available, which, when well grown, give a stunning and long lasting display with each bloom cycle. A number of the forms currently available were the result of mutations which occurred in tissue culture. This universal high quality of each of these variations is attested to by the 50 or more AOS awards that have been granted thus far. While not difficult to grow, this hybrid will do best when given frequent water and regular feeding, using a well-draining, but somewhat moisture retentive media accompanied by diffused light of medium intensity and vigorous air movement. Expect flowering at any time of the year from recently matured growths. Back off on watering slightly once flowering is completed until new growths begin to develop. Since we like to water frequently, we find that plastic net pots, normally meant for hydroponic cultivation, provide the perfect drainage in our greenhouse environment to allow the plants to flourish. Most growers repot into fresh media every year for optimal root growth.

Red – *Oncidium* Tsiku Marguerite –
Lynne Gollob

White – Oncidinae hybrid unknown – Roy Harrow



Bardendrum Nanboy Pixy 'Cherry Moon,' HCC/AOS – Lynne Gollob



Oncostele Wildcat 'Chadwick,' AM/AOS – Lynne Gollob

Class VI – *Cypripedium* Group

Blue – *Paphiopedilum sukhakulii* – Maureen Pulignano

This unique species from northeastern Thailand was only botanically described in 1965, and was immensely popular for several decades following its introduction into commerce. In the ensuing years it has earned more than 170 awards from the AOS including five First Class Certificates. Perhaps the excitement has run its course as it is becoming far less commonly seen in collections as the species itself, although still very present in spirit through the more than 1800 hybrids descended from it. The typically single flower can be more than 5 inches across and has wide, heavily spotted petals that, in the best examples, are held on a perfectly horizontal plane. Besides the normal color form in which the distinguishing markings are laid out in deep purple over the background, there is an album form that is entirely white and green, and an aureum form with a brighter yellow-green hue. The flowers are held above especially attractive, tessellated leaves. This species prefers moderate shade, with good air movement, regular watering in summer, but somewhat less in winter. In the wild there is little rainfall at that time, but the wide daily temperature swing allows for frequent dew. Nights in the 50's during the resting season will help promote blooming. While it is described as a winter to spring bloomer, records show flowering in every month, with one peak in February and March and a second one in October and November.

Red – *Paphiopedilum* Memnon – Roy Harrow

White – *Phragmipedium* Les Dirouilles – Maureen Pulignano

Class VII - *Phalaenopsis* Group



Paphiopedilum sukhakulii – Maureen Pulignano



Aerangis luteoalba – Roy Harrow

No Entries

Class VIII - *Vandaceous* Group

Blue – *Aerangis luteoalba* – Roy Harrow

Please check the September, 2011 newsletter for a detailed discussion on this wonderful African species.

Blue – *Rhynchostylis gigantea* var. *alba* – Jason Mills

As befitting its species name, *Rhy. gigantea* is the largest growing of the four recognized species of the genus. It occurs in hot lowland forests from Myanmar to Vietnam, that are semi-deciduous in the winter dry season and is a warm grower, preferring to stay above 60 degrees at night, though it is tolerant of 50's in winter as long as day time temperatures warm up. The plant produces a stout stem with two ranks of tough arching leaves with tone-on-tone longitudinal striping. It can slowly reach a height of two feet or more, and will produce additional growths from the base as it matures. The arching stems of thickly set, highly fragrant flowers are showy, but not particularly long lived, usually occurring between December and March, with older plants producing several inflorescences at once. The most common color form has intense purple spotting over a white background, though there are forms that, at least in cooler temperatures, will bloom solid red-purple. The *alba* variety exhibited is pure white with a touch of pale green surrounding a yellowish column. This orchid has been widely crossed with other vandaceous species with typically attractive outcomes. However, for the last decade nearly all of the registered hybrids have been produced by Thai growers and are not widely available in the United States. In addition to warm to hot temperatures, *Rhynchostylis gigantea* prefers very bright diffused light, and frequent watering and fertilization during the growing season, with much less of both from December through March. It resents disturbance and insists on perfect drainage so a plastic vanda basket is ideal, with no media included if you can provide at least daily watering in summer, or large, very long lasting medium if you cannot.

Red – *Gastrochilus retrocallus* – Nancy Newton & in memory of David Glass

Class IX – Miscellaneous



Dendrochilum tenellum – Maureen Pulignano

Blue – *Dendrochilum tenellum* - Maureen Pulignano

There are as many as 150 *Dendrochilum* species scattered across Southeast Asia and the Philippines, but to date, no hybrids exist. This particular species comes from the mountains at between 3000 and 5000 feet on various islands of the Philippines and is therefore an intermediate grower preferring temperatures from the 50's to the 80's. Its name means the "Very Delicate *Dendrochilum*" and aptly describes both the thin grassy foliage and the arching inflorescences, thick with many, tiny, yellowish to greenish flowers. It likes to grow mounted, as is the case with the exhibited plant, since it does not enjoy soggy conditions at its roots. However, during the growing season it should receive frequent watering. While less moisture is needed in winter, plants should still not go long periods without.



Rhynchostylis gigantea – Jason Mills

Red – *Dendrochilum filiforme* – Ken & Cora Ramborger

Monthly Ribbon Judging Quarterly Winners and 2013 Yearly Wrap-Up



Each Blue Ribbon awarded to a plant you bring into the meeting and enter in the ribbon judging is worth 5 points, Red ribbons are worth 3 points and White ribbons, one point.

The quarterly winners each receive a \$25 check from the club, and the annual winner receives a \$75 check!
Congratulations!

A member can win only one quarter per year, so in some quarters the honor may default to the next highest point winner.

First Quarter

Carson Barnes – 52 points

Second Quarter

Maureen Pulignano – 36 points

Third Quarter

Gary Collier / Mark Reinke – 32 points

Fourth Quarter

Lynne Gollob – 23 points

YEARLY WINNER!

Carson Barnes – 167 points

TOP TEN POINT EARNERS FOR THE YEAR 2013

- Carson Barnes – 167 points**
- Gary Collier / Mark Reinke – 99 points**
- Maureen Pulignano – 85 points**
- Lynne Gollob – 75 points**
- Geni Smith – 50 points**
- Nancy Newton – 48 points**
- Cora / Ken Ramborger – 44 points**
- David Mellard / Sal Marino – 41 points**
- Roy Harrow – 36 points**
- Jarad Wilson – 26 points**

2014 Orchid Show

Our annual show is coming up at the beginning of March. Co-chairs for the show are Danny Lentz (dblgongora@bellsouth.net) and Roy Harrow (r2h748@gmail.com). The show will be held from Friday March 7th through Sunday the 9th with setup on Wednesday and Thursday. As always we will need people to pitch in and help with the event. We will have sign-up sheets for volunteers at the January and February meetings. Things we'll need help with include show setup/takedown, clerks to assist with Friday morning's ribbon judging, staffing society tables to answer questions and recruit new members, exhibit setup, and various other activities. If you're interested in helping with things like plant registration or show publicity please let us know.

This year our show will still be mainly in Day Hall, but we will also have some things going on in the Visitor's Center. We would like to have society tables in both places to provide information about our society and answer questions, which will take a larger number of volunteers than we have needed in the past.

We will also have a non-judged display of plants in the Visitor's Center. If you don't care about having some of your plants judged please let us know that we can use them in either display. This is also a good opportunity to show off any plants you have without labels. Since they aren't being judged they don't need to be identified.

Our group of vendors will be similar to last year. Andy's will not be coming this year, but Orchid Inn is returning after not being able to make it last year. A complete list will be in the February newsletter.

We look forward to working with everyone to put on another great show this year, and will be sharing more details at the next couple meetings and next month's newsletter.



RECENT ACTIVITY OF THE ATLANTA JUDGING CENTER

The following awards were granted at recent sessions of the AOS judging center. They are provisional awards pending publication by AOS. Certificates of Horticultural Merit and Certificates of Botanical Recognition are also provisional pending identification by an AOS certified taxonomist prior to publication of the award.

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Dendrobium shiraishii 'Lev', HCC/AOS, 79 pts., Aleksandr & Viktoriya Kumok, Memphis, TN



Rhyncolaeliocattleya Prada Green Deluxe 'Panther Creek', AM/AOS, 82 pts., Barney & Aileen Garrison



Lycaste Corrimal 'Spicy Gumper', AM/AOS, 80 pts., Forrest Brem, Memphis, TN



Mormodes (Jumbo Bacia x Virgen del Valle) 'Swamprad', AM/AOS, 80 pts., Mark Mills, Memphis, TN (Provisional pending RHS registration)



Oeonia volucris 'Snow Bunny', HCC/AOS, 79 pts.,
Carson Barnes



Bulbophyllum stormii 'Swamprad', CHM/AOS, 82 pts.,
Mark Mills, Memphis, TN
(Provisional pending SITF verification)



Pleurothallis helleri 'Chasus', CBR/AOS,
Charles & Susan Wilson, Hernandez, MS
(Provisional pending SITF verification)



Phaleanopsis I-Hsin Fireball 'KH6586#1', HCC/AOS, 79
pts., Stones River Orchids, Franklin, TN

IN BLOOM AT MARBLE BRANCH FARMS

C. Snow Blind 'Kenny' x *walkeriana* 'Pendentive'

This plant came off the raffle table at one of our meetings as an unbloomed seedling.

