

The Cape And Islands Orchid Society

May MEETING:

MAY 16, 2010 -- The Giant Potting Workshop

1:00 P M - at the ADMINISTRATION BUILDING OF THE BARNSTABLE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, 1220 Nathan Ellis Hwy, (Rt. 151) East Falmouth, MA 02536 (White fences on North side of Hwy.)

On MAY 16, 2010, the THIRD Sunday At 1 PM, CAIOS will hold the Annual Giant Potting Shindig. (NOT May 9th, as mothers become peeved at such misuse of their cherished weekend of fame.)

It's time to get potted! A big benefit for CAIOS members is free repotting at the GIANT potting workshop. It's a partial do-it yourself deal, so come expecting to get hands dirty. A reasonable number of your plants can be repotted by you and experts using our supplies. The potting is outdoors under the tent (?indoors if Nor'easter), so dress accordingly. Please bring any special pots you want to use for your own plants. Some experts will demo as time permits. No raffle or show table.

The Society again welcomes the Famous Orchid Supplyists, Jan and Ulla Jurrissen of Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies. They bring a wide range of orchid essentials including the new Michigan fertilizers for tap or "pure"(rain) water. and their new KK Special Orchid potting mix. **AND** by ordering ahead, anyone can get free delivery of any orchidaceous, desirable items. Get this, its **important to order ahead**, so, call or fax or e-mail your needs to them **in advance**, thereby saving any shipping costs! (big savings on bark shipment!)

Catalog -- www.kkorchid.com

E-Mail -- info@kkorchid.com -

Fax -- 207 439-8202,

Phone. -- 207 439-0922

Address - Kelley's Korner, Box 6, Kittery, Maine 03904.) Note that Kelley's Korner will also be selling at the Phalaenopsis Alliance Meeting on May 22, 2010 at A & P Orchids in Swansea, Mass. (see below). Would members **M-Z** take the turn to supply tasty calories for us please. (remember - May 16, the **Third** Sunday, not May 9, **AND**, we start at **1 PM!**)

When last we met: Greg Butler of Oak Hill Orchids showed the Society a wide variety of interesting species on slides and provided many of them for the crowd to buy. Some very pretty and oddly named things may grace our collections in the future.

Nearly final call for membership renewal -- Membership renewals for the Feb 2010 - Jan 2011 CAIOS Member fiscal year are due. All members who have not

renewed are requested to hop to it. If not sure you have, call Tom at 508 540-2054 to check your status.

Membership is \$20 per year, payable to CAIOS, send to treasurer;

Jack Martinelli

7 Samoset Ave.

Duxbury, MA 02332-5206

An invite!: All are invited to attend the

INTERNATIONAL PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE 2010 SPRING "FOCUS ON PHALS" DAY

Saturday, May 22, 2010 At: A&P Orchid Nursery,
110 Peters Road, Swansea, MA 02777
Telephone: (508) 675-1717 Fax (508) 675-0713

A & P Orchid Nursery, will serve as the spring venue for the Northeast IPA Region Alliance Day on Saturday, May 22, 2010. This day-long event will include keynote speaker Tom Harper, Founder, Past President, current 1st Vice President and Regional Director of IPA, speaking on The 12 Most Important Phalaenopsis Species Influencing Today's Modern Phalaenopsis Hybrids.

Joining him will be Ulla Jurrissen on Phalaenopsis Culture and Carri Raven-Riemann on The Best of the Best: New Breeding Directions from the 2010 Taiwan Show. The day will include a roundtable discussion group and a mini-auction. The fee of \$15 covers the cost of morning refreshments and a catered lunch. We welcome all orchidists, IPA members & non-members alike.

In addition, this annual event will provide you with the opportunity to purchase plants and/or supplies from the following vendors: A & P Orchids, Stones River Orchids, The Orchidphile and Kelley's Korner. (Pre-order items from vendors

PROGRAM:

9:30 - 10:00 am:	Morning refreshments. Sales area open.
10:00 - 10:45 am:	Tom Harper, Keynote Speaker: <i>The 12 Most Important Phalaenopsis Species Influencing Today's Modern Hybrids</i>
10:45 - 11:00 am:	Q & A with Tom Harper
11:00 - 11:45:	Carri Raven-Riemann: <i>The Best of the Best from Taiwan 2010</i>
11:45 - 12:00 noon:	Q & A with Carri Raven-Riemann
12:00 - 1:00 pm:	Lunch Break. Sales area open
1:00 - 1:30 pm:	Auction to raise money for future meetings
1:30 - 2:20 pm:	Ulla Jurrissen: "Outs & Ins" - on potting media and fertilizers
2:15 - 2:45 pm:	Ask the Experts: Roundtable Discussion
2:45 - 3:30 pm:	Sales area open

***** PLEASE NOTE:**

Registration, by mail or phone, is extremely important so that sufficient food can be provided for all! For further information contact:

---New England Regional Rep Carri Raven-Riemann (Region 18) via E-mail at carrir@optonline.net or Tel: 201-329-7255

---NY Regional Rep Marilyn Shapiro via E-mail at mlshap2@juno.com or Tel: 212-831-3076;

---New Jersey/Penn. Regional Rep Mitch Paroly via E-mail at hilolip@aol.com or Tel: 215-943-7516;
---Mid-Atlantic Regional Rep Les Werner (Region 15) via e-mail leswer@verizon.net
<mailto:leswer@comcast.net> or Tel: 410-793-0756.
---You can also contact A & P Orchids via E-mail at knife67@aol.com for local hotels or visit their
website (www.aandporchids.com <http://www.aandporchids.com/>) for driving instructions.
---Additional information is available on the IPA Website (www.phal.org <http://www.phal.org/>)

REGISTRATION FORM:

IPA" Focus on Phals" for SATURDAY, May 22, 2010

NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

E-MAIL _____ Enclosed is my check for ___ registration(s) at \$15 each (payable to
IPA) Send form with check : c/o Marilyn Shapiro, 235 East 87th Street, Apt 5L, New York, NY 10128.

PLEASE NOTE: You may also pay at the door but please make your reservation by calling Marilyn Shapiro at
917-881-7181 or 212-831-3076 at least 24 hours in advance so we can provide sufficient
food for everyone attending.

Vendor Pre-Order Lists Available - Please mention "IPA Pre-Order" in subject line:

the orchidPhile: (203) 329-7255 or <mailto:carrir@optonline.net> carrir@optonline.net

Stones River Orchids: (615) 771-2755 or harper_sro@bellsouth.net

Kelley's Korner Orchid Supplies: (207) 439-0922 Catalog - www.kkorchid.com

Another invite! From: Nora Beem [mailto:nbeem@tinmountain.org]

Subject: Upcoming Orchid Programs at Tin Mountain Conservation Center

Hello,

My name is Nora Beem and I am the outreach coordinator at Tin Mountain Conservation
Center in Albany, NH. I am writing because we have several orchid related programs starting in May
that we thought your organization might be interested in. Tin Mountain is fortunate enough to have
Paul Martin Brown, editor of North American Native Orchid Journal, host a number of program for us
including:

1. --an extensive Herbarium Project running May-October cataloging plant species on Tin Mountain's
140-acre Rockwell Sanctuary
2. --2 field trips to explore central NH orchids (6/20 & 7/11)
3. --*Orchids You'll Never See* slideshow illustrating rare orchid species found only on private property
(9/9)

(She had attached descriptions for the Herbarium Project and the Orchid Field Trips. Please let her
know if interested in the attachments which won't fit here.-- nbeem@tinmountain.org ed.) Let me
know if you have any questions- we hope to see you at some of our programming! Cheers, Nora
Nora Beem Outreach Coordinator, Tin Mountain Conservation Center, 1245 Bald Hill Road, Albany, NH
03818 (603) 447-6991

June Meeting: June 13, 2010, Topic forthcoming

Marni Turkel (pronounced tur KELL) is a native of the San Francisco Bay Area and has been
growing orchids since 1980. She has been an active member of the San Francisco Orchid Society since
1982. A hobbyist grower, she has been growing in two greenhouses at her home in Santa Rosa,
California. In August of 2006, her interest in dry rest plants led to the construction of a third, cold
greenhouse intended for plants that benefit from a cool, dry winter. Her main interest is in cool-
growing miniature species but plenty of larger plants have crept into the collection as well. Though the
collection has never been counted, most guesses put it at several thousand plants representing a wide

range of genera. Marni is a contributor to Orchids magazine with her series called 'Well Worth the Space' and 'Give It a Rest'. Her articles have been translated into Dutch, German, Portuguese and Swedish for international publication. Photographs of her plants have been feature in articles noted orchid publications including Orchids Magazine, Orchid Digest, Richardiana, The Orchid Review, and The Australian Orchid Review. A working potter for over 40 years, she owns and manages **Stony Point Ceramic Design** which is a pottery that produces vases, orchid planters, flower arranging containers, ceramic barrel rims and urns.

Vote: At the Workshop

1. The slate for 2010-2011

Pres Gail Barnett, VP Tom Gregg, Directors Nimtuk, Tina Balog -- The rest as below no changes.

2. By-laws changes, approved by the Board; members to approve:

- a. **Membership year;** The CAIOS Membership Year shall be Feb. 1 through Jan.31 of the following year enabling new members recruited at the Jan. Orchid Show to enjoy 12 months of membership.
- b. **Reimbursement:** The period for submission of requests from the Treasurer for expenses incurred to support CAIOS activities shall be 90 days following the initial incursion of the expense/s. Requests shall be made orally or by mail, to the Treasurer with supporting documents for which the postmark shall constitute the date of submission. Requesters are encouraged to use the USPS "Certificate of Mailing" should a definitive date of submission of reimbursement be required.

Late requests may be considered on a "case by case" basis, especially in unusual circumstances, at the discretion of the President, the Vice President/s and the Treasurer. The decision to reimburse shall be decided by a simple majority of those officers voting.

Needed: Sponsor(S) for CAIOS Show Trophies. For the 2011 Show - Jan 28-30, 2011, CAIOS Needs a "Best Vandaceous Orchid" Sponsor and any suggestions for other categories of Trophies. Our prizes are purposely good and are valued all the more for their beauty and usefulness. Call Show Chair Tina or let officers know of your interest at the meetings of May or June.

WE ARE

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Motto: Orchids ↑↑ *Wild* where **CAIOS** Reigns!

⇒ May 16, not May 9, @ 1 PM!