

Cape and Island Orchid Society

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March Newsletter

Notice of meeting

March 10, 2024
12:30 - 3 PM

St. David's Episcopal Church
205 Old Main St.
South Yarmouth, MA 02664

Annual Potting Workshop



Bring a plant or two that need repotting to this month's meeting as its time for our annual potting workshop. *We will have Orchinata bark (3 sizes) and sphagnum moss for sale. No supply vendor will be present so bring your own pots (to be safe, one size larger and one size smaller than the pot your plant is in).* Repotting will start after a short business meeting. Remember that meetings are open to all (membership not required) and this is a great meeting to bring that friend that is just getting started in orchids.

Several of our experienced members will setup repotting stations and will demonstrate their techniques for potting a variety of orchids and provide instruction on the do's and don'ts of successful orchid repotting.

As always visitors are welcome, you are encouraged to bring blooming plants for the show table and we will have raffle plants available. Members with last names starting A-K are encouraged to bring a main or side dish to share and those with last names starting L-Z are encouraged to bring an appetizer or a dessert.

Please note the change in meeting venue

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Announcements

Society display at the Nutmeg State Orchid Society, March 16-17, 2024.

Bob Findlay has volunteered to lead the installation of the society display. Forest Henderson has volunteered to help. Set up is on Friday March 15th, 2024 at the West Hartford Meeting & Conference Center. Plants can be dropped off at the March 10th monthly meeting. If you have an interest in helping installing or taking down our society display, please let him know.

Society display at the Connecticut Orchid Society, April 19-21, 2024. The venue will be Bristol Senior Center and we will need a team to install and take down a display. Plants can be dropped off at the April 14th monthly meeting. If you have an interest in leading or helping installing or taking down our society display, please let a society officer know.

Apologies for the abbreviated newsletter and email only copy but the Findlay-Lyon household was overwhelmed by circumstances