

PUMPKIN CAKE (from Hawaii Bakes)

3 cups all purpose flour
1 cup vegetable oil
1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, melted
3 cups canned pumpkin pie filling
3 cups sugar

2 tsp baking soda
1 1/2 tsp baking powder
1 tsp cinnamon
6 eggs

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Oil spray a 9 x 13 inch baking pan. In a large bowl, beat together all ingredients, mixing well until combined. Pour batter into prepared pan, spreading evenly.

Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes.

Makes 24 servings.

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November 11 - Veteran's Day



November 27 - Happy Thanksgiving

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1) Membership Meeting: The December 2014 General Membership Meeting is from 6:30 - 9:00 pm at Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria on Wednesday, December 10, 2014. Program - Family Night Christmas Holiday Pot Luck

2) November 2014 Officer and Board of Trustees Meeting: The Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 11, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at Aiea Elementary School in a classroom behind the cafeteria.

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HOS GENERAL MEETING

Date: Wednesday , November 12, 2014
Time/Place: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria
Program **"GMO Orchids at the 21st World Orchid Conference
in Johannesburg, South Africa"**
Speaker: **Dr. Ingelia White**

Ten year results of transgenic orchid research conducted by Agripharmatech students were presented at the 21st World Orchid Conference in Johannesburg on September 9 - 13, 2014. Inge White will lead us through the development of this collaborative research project. She will also discuss the spectacular orchid exhibitions during the conference. After that, her former student, Leslie Baker will be presenting her scientific research poster.

The meeting will begin promptly at 7:00 PM. Guests are more than welcome to attend. There is ample free parking in front of the cafeteria. Refreshments will be served.



.....Honolulu Orchid Society's Show "the Orchid Gem"

The 75th Annual Show transformed the Washington Middle School Cafeteria into an imagery of the Orchid Gem as interpreted by each orchid society's display put up by Hui Okika O'Kunia (1st Place), Windward Orchid Society (2nd Place), Aiea Orchid Club (3rd Place), Ewa Orchid Society (4th Place), Hawaii Kai Orchid Society (5th Place), and Honolulu Orchid Society (host).

Sincerest and warm mahalo to Ben Kodama Sr. and Ben Kodama Jr of Kodama Orchid Nursery for allowing Honolulu Orchid Society to prepare and package the Orchid Mix sold at the show. We appreciate your generosity of time and the use of your facilities and equipment. We also thank Weylen & Ong Wong (non-members) for the use of their pick-up truck in hauling the packaged mix back to town and Ben Sills for holding the mix in storage prior to the show.

Our sincerest and warm mahalo to the 23+ trophy and award donors who made it possible with their generous donations to recognize and award a trophy for the outstanding "best of" flowering orchid plant categories throughout the 6 displays, the 50+ individuals who volunteered their time and services and to all the orchid societies and vendors who rendered their hard work, time and generous support to make Honolulu Orchid Society's 75th Show a success at the Washington Middle School Cafeteria. We express our heartfelt appreciation to all those who donated various items, baked goods and other foods to the HOS Table and to those who also brought in foods which was enjoyed by all volunteers and sellers. **You each served willingly in the assignment given and we truly appreciate your dedicated help.** Mark your calendar for next year's show as reservations have been made to hold HOS's 76th Show during the period October 9 to October 11, 2015.

Special thanks to our Show Committee: Co-chairs: Ben Sills and Williette Wong; Plant Sales/Treasurer: Mel Waki; Layout: Ben Sills; Awards: Robert Moffitt; Registration: Nancy Woltmon & Ruth Chun; Lecturers: Ben Kodama, Jr.; Publicity, Japanese media: Nancy Woltmon and Charlotte Yamamoto.; Overall media coverage: Marissa Maemori; Manpower: Carol De Witt; Hospitality: Vivian McCoy; HOS Display: Williette Wong; HOS Sales Table: Ruth Chun ; Membership: Ron Yamauchi; Clean-up: Ikaika Peltier.

Best in Show (Florence Kodama Memorial Trophy) was given to Den. Hibiki 'Vi'; Owner - Violet Yamaji, displayed in the Aiea Orchid Club Display.

Awards were given to the following in the HOS Display:

Best White Dendrobium (Yoshito & Jean Inouye Memorial Trophy) - Den. Enobi Purple 'Splash'; Owner - Pam Waki

Best Oncidium(Equitant Variegata or Rodricidium) - Rrm. (Dynamo x Moonmist); Owner - Pam Waki

A Merit Award was given to the following at the show:

Blc. Pink Diamond CR/HOS (78.0 pts); Owner - Larry Yamamoto

Congratulations Larry!

NAME RECOGNITION. Members, if you assisted, shared refreshments at meetings or at shows, helped with the display set ups, breaking downs, exhibited your blooming plants and greenies and/or props, but your name was not listed, please note that it is not intentional. We greatly appreciate your donations, services and sharing of your plants. Every effort is made to observe who is present and helping out at the meetings and shows while I am also doing other society related "stuff", or pitching in with our display too...but sometimes you are missed inadvertently. Should this happen, please see the Correspondence Secretary at the next General Membership meeting and the correction will be made in the following month's newsletter. Mahalo for your patience and understanding.

October 2014 Culture Awards - No awards given as there was no general membership meeting in October.

DONATIONS. Mahalo to **Hilton & Laura Lui** for their generous monetary donation. We sincerely appreciate your generous gift.

DECEMBER 2014 GENERAL MEETING - An old-fashioned Ohana Holiday Pot Luck will be held at our December General Membership Meeting. Let us all gather in the Lanakila Cafeteria, have fun and laughter and enjoy each other's company. Members bring in whatever favorite food items you would like to share. If no can cook or bring food--that's okay, just bring yourself and enjoy the evening with us anyway! We make do with what we have to offer. Paper goods and Beverage will be provided by HOS Refreshment Committee Label your utensils and serving dishes you personally bring with your name. Please bring food items in by 6:30 pm so as to allow time for set-up in order to start eating by 7 pm.

2014 ORCHIDIST OF THE YEAR - Nominations are now being accepted for 2014 Orchidist of the Year. Submit written justification that showcase the individual's outstanding attributes that qualifies the person as Orchidist of the Year. Mail to Honolulu Orchid Society, P O Box 558, Honolulu HI 96809-0558 or turn it in to a HOS Board Officer at the General Meetings. Deadline is NLT the December 2013 General Meeting.

2015 HOS MEMBERSHIP - 2014 calendar year end is coming to a close! **Current membership expires December 31, 2014.** We look forward to new and renewed memberships within Honolulu Orchid Society. Please submit 2015 HOS Membership Application Form which is included in this newsletter; or you may see Carol De Witt at the General Meeting for a form. Please return completed form with current mailing address and other information as requested (include the mailing label from your newsletter or journal) with your check made payable to Honolulu Orchid Society and mail to HOS Membership Committee, P O Box 558, Honolulu HI 96809-0558. Mahalo!

GENTLE REMINDER: Members -- **should you move** -- please download from the HOS website a copy of the HOS membership registration form and submit your change of address to us or inform us through email or a short letter. It would help expedite address changes versus finding out upon return of your newsletter from the post office which sometimes do not have a forwarding address.

HOS Website - Have you visited our website lately? Go to honoluluorchidsociety.org and check out the site. Members may contribute to the site by sending their info to hos558@yahoo.com. Members should **subscribe to the HOS website** by inputting their email address in the subscribe column. When you subscribe, you will get immediate notification of any new posts on the website.

2015 ANNUAL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP BUSINESS MEETING AND INSTALLATION BANQUET. The Officers and Board of Trustees will be sworn into office at the first General Membership Annual Business Meeting and Installation Banquet of 2015 which will be held at the Fort Shafter Hale Ikena Restaurant on Sunday, January 18, 2015. We look forward to the membership attending, so keep this date open, submit your reservation form, which is included in this newsletter, with payment and we'll see you there.

2015 HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

2014 CALENDAR YEAR MEMBERSHIP EXPIRE DECEMBER 31, 2014

visit HOS website: www.honoluluorchidsociety.org

PUT AN "X" BY THE MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY AND/OR DONATION (add FOREIGN MAIL, IF APPLICABLE)

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2015 HOS ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING AND INSTALLATION BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

DATE: SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 2015 TIME: 9:30 am

PLACE: HALE IKENA RESTAURANT, FORT SHAFTER

- COST: \$30.00 per person (age 11 & above)
\$20.00 per child (age 6 to 10 yrs old)
\$15.00 per child (age 3 to 5 yrs old)

RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2015

NAMES OF GUEST ATTENDING (PLEASE PRINT)

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NAME OF MEMBER (PLEASE PRINT)

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