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## **HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER No. 2011-10** **HOS GENERAL MEETING**

Date: **Wednesday, October 12, 2011**  
Time/Place: **7:30 p.m. Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria**  
(Register your plants for judging by 7:15 p.m.)  
Program: **"From the Beginning"**  
Speaker: **Bill and Hilda Takamatsu**

The husband and wife team of Bill and Hilda Takamatsu will talk on the life cycle of orchids from seed pod to blooming plants. Bill and Hilda have grown orchids for many years in Salt Lake. They are very active members of many orchid societies on the island. Bill is currently the president of Lahui Okika (orchid species club).

Venture into this meeting to view the "beginning life of orchids". Invite family and friends who want to learn about this culture and as a reminder—bring your notebook and pen to take notes.

**MAHALO NUI LOA.** Thank you Ralph Nakama for the enlightened presentation on Tillandsia Culture. Your vast knowledge of the tillandsia is remarkable and everyone present appreciated the mini tillandsia wreath. Thank you to all the members, family and friends who participated in last month's meeting too.

We also thank the following members and Refreshment Committee who brought in goodies to share with those in attendance at our September meeting – Audrey Yasutake & Barry DeBlake – Orange Jello Mochi; Charlotte Yamamoto – Jello Cream Cake; Jackie Lai – Boiled Peanuts; Calvin & Sherry Abe – Chocolate Chip Cookies & Peanut Butter Cookies; Diane Wong – Pineapple Cake; Ken Ching - Banana Bread; Star Fruit w/Li Hing Powder - Wilbur Chang; and Norma Oshiro - Popcorn and Refreshment Committee – Bologna & Cheese Sandwiches, Fresh Cut Watermelon and Grapes, Juice and Water.

### **September 2011 Culture Awards:**

1st Place - Lyc macrophylla x Jackpot 'LB', owner -Ken & Aileen Ching  
2nd Place - V. Princess Mikasa 'Sapphire' AM/AOS, owner - Calvin & Sherry Abe  
3rd Place - Lc Tokyo Magic x C. Summer Bouquet - owner - Roy Andrade  
Congratulations to all!



**IT'S SHOW TIME NOW!** Honolulu Orchid Society's 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Orchid Show and Plant Sale "Planet Orchid" is on Friday, October 7 and Saturday, October 8 (9:00 am – 5:00 pm) and Sunday, October 9 (9:00 am – 3:00 pm) (Plant Sales close at 2:00 pm on Sunday) at Washington Middle School, 1633 South King Street. Admission is FREE. Ample parking available, with easy access from South King Street, just before the school's basketball court area and Zippy's. Orchid Culture Lectures are as follows: Friday, October 7, 2011 – 10:00 am – General Orchid Culture, 1:00 pm – Honohono Orchid Culture; Saturday, October 8, 2011 – 10:00 am – Dendrobium Orchid Culture, 1:00 pm – Cattleya Orchid Culture; and Sunday, October 9, 2011 – 11:00 am – Honohono Orchid Culture

**2012 HOS MEMBERSHIP** - Wow! Where has the year gone by! Calendar year 2011 is almost over. **Current membership expires December 31, 2011.** We look forward to new and renewed memberships within Honolulu Orchid Society. Please submit 2012 HOS Membership Application Form which is printed below on this newsletter. Mahalo!

**2011 ORCHIDIST OF THE YEAR** - Stimulate your brain with thoughts of who you would like to recommend and provide justification for.

**Membership Meeting:** The October 2011 General Membership Meeting will be held at Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria on Wednesday, October 12, 2011 at 7:00 pm.

**September 2011 Officer and Board of Trustees Meeting:** The Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 13, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at Aiea Elementary School in a classroom behind the cafeteria.

HOS OFFICIAL WEBSITE IS: [www.honoluluorchidsociety.org](http://www.honoluluorchidsociety.org) (VISIT THE WEBSITE FOR PERIODIC UPDATES)

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**2012 HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION**

2011 MEMBERSHIP EXPIRED DECEMBER 31, 2011

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

- Student Membership - \$10.00 US Dollars (w/i United States & it's Territories only) CHECK ONE:
- Regular Membership - \$25.00 US Dollars ( ) NEW MEMBERSHIP
- Associate Membership - \$5.00 US Dollars ( ) RENEWING MEMBERSHIP
- Foreign Mail Postage Service - \$20.00 US Dollars ( ) DONATION
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