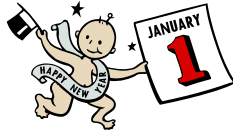


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HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE!

Jan 15 - Annual Business & Installation Banquet, Ft. Shafter Hale Ikena

HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER No. 2012-01
HOS GENERAL MEETING

Date: Sunday, January 15, 2012
Time/Place: 9:30 a.m. at Fort Shafter Hale Ikena Restaurant
Program: 2012 Annual Business Meeting and Installation Banquet

ATTENTION MEMBERS - General membership meeting normally held at the Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria on the second Wednesday of the month ***will not*** be held for the month of January. The Annual Business Meeting and Installation Banquet is our first meeting for the Year 2012.

Happy New Year to y'all! The Christmas season has come and gone and now we look forward to the beginning of a brand new year with a positive attitude and new challenges. We wish you good health and wealth!

Thank you to all who have made their reservations to attend the first business meeting and installation banquet of 2012. Are you (**yes YOU**) still pondering to attend???? **Deadline is January 6, 2012 for receipt of your reservation and payment.** Take a few minutes to fill out the reservation form enclosed in this newsletter and mail it in. **Make check payable to Honolulu Orchid Society or HOS and mail to HOS Banquet Committee, P O Box 558, Honolulu HI 96809-0558.** If you cannot get your reservation form in by January 6th, but want to attend, call Carol De Witt at 845-3749 or 845-1494 and inform her of the number and names of those attending. Provide ages of children if any is attending too. (Note: If no answer, leave message, including your name and phone number so Carol can return your call). **YOUR PAYMENT WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE BANQUET.**

An excellent Sunday Brunch Buffet includes assorted breakfast items such as crispy bacon, sausages, waffles, pancakes, scrambled eggs. build your own omelet station, lox and bagels, assorted pastries, fresh fruits, meat carving station, assorted hot entrees, assorted fresh & steamed vegetables, assorted desserts, and assorted beverages. The cost is \$30.00 per person (age 11 & above), \$16.00 per child (age 6 to 10 years old) and \$10.00 per child (age 3 to 5 years old). **Raffle tickets will be available for purchase at the banquet for \$1 each for plant giveaway.**

Reminder: Special Events Pass for entry onto Fort Shafter will be issued by the Security Guard at the entrance gate. All vehicle operators must have a current driver's license, current no-fault insurance card and current vehicle safety inspection. Passengers should also have an ID should the security guards ask for them.

December 2011 Culture Awards:

1st Place - Paph. Ilemianum B/CSA,HCC/AOS; Owner - Ruth Chun

2nd Place - Den. Jang Kum #874; Owner - Hilda Takamatsu

3rd Place - Lc. Melody Fair 'Carol'; Owner - Roy Andrade

Congratulations to all!



MAHALO NUI LOA. HO!HO!HO! Merry Christmas from Santa! Thank you to all the members, family and friends who came out to HOS' Christmas Pot Luck Dinner at December's general meeting. Buzzing was abound as everyone fellowshiped with one another and enjoyed the onolicious food brought in by those in attendance with Christmas music in the background. After dinner, all present were given the opportunity to vote for a food selection from each category that they liked the best with the highest votes being the winners. Monetary prizes of \$20, \$10 and \$5 were awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. A "Popular Names for Orchids" game was also played. Mahalo Inge White for taking charge of this event and to all those who helped with the set up and clean up. Blooming plants were given to all present.

Pupus/Miscellaneous Dishes:

1st: Baked Stuffed Mini Bell Peppers w/Jalepeno Artichoke Cheese Dip (Sherry Abe)

2nd: Crisp Fried Vegetable Egg Rolls (Ron Yamauchi)

3rd: Daikon Pickles (Takuwan) (Frances Wong)

Main Dish Entrees:

1st: Baked Wild Salmon (Calvin Abe)

2nd: Sweet and Sour Spareribs (Williette Wong)

3rd: Stuffed Eggplant (Rose Higa)

Sweets:

1st: Blueberry Cream Cheese Tart (Vivian McCoy)

2nd: Fresh Mountain Apple Cobbler (Bob Moffitt)

3rd: Chocolate Trifle (Mel Waki)

Side Dishes:

1st: Gandule Rice (Roy Andrade)

2nd: Nanohana w/Seasoned Garlic(Tips of Choi Sum) (Emiko Watanabe)

3rd: Seaweed Soba Salad (Rose Lui)

Popular Names for Orchids Game:

1st: Margaret Lin

2nd: Calvin Abe

Found at Pot Luck Dinner - Blue dish towel and 2 tongs - Call Carol @ 845-3749 to ID & claim.

WELCOME 2012 NEW MEMBERS! We welcome our newest 2012 HOS members **Fred M. Ota of Honolulu, HI (associate) and Linda & John Neese of Fergus Falls, MN.** Mahalo for joining!

DONATIONS! Mahalo to **Robert YK & Frances C Wong, Norma Oshiro, Mel & Pamela Waki, Dr. Haruyuki Kamemoto, Bernice W. Lee, Williette Wong, Charles S. Sato, and Anonymous** for their generous donations received by HOS since the start of the 2012 Membership Registration which began in October 2011. We sincerely appreciate your generous gifts!

BEREAVEMENTS. We offer our deepest sympathy to Walter S. Tsuda and his family with the passing of his beloved wife Helen N. Tsuda on December 3rd. Services were held on December 20th. We will miss her gentle ways at our meetings and orchid shows.

2012 HOS MEMBERSHIP. 2011 membership expired December 31, 2011. We look forward to new and renewed memberships within Honolulu Orchid Society. Please submit 2012 HOS Membership Application Form which is on page 3 of 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. Voluntary donations are graciously appreciated. Mahalo to all who have submitted their 2012 renewals!

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Membership Meeting: The FEBRUARY 2012 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING will be held at Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at 7:30 pm. Program is "Orchid Tips, Techniques & Other BS" by Randy Tajima.

January 2012 Officer and Board of Trustees Meeting: The Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at Aiea Elementary School in a classroom behind the cafeteria.

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

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)
Regular Membership - \$25.00 US Dollars
Associate Membership - \$5.00 US Dollars
Foreign Regular Membership - \$30.00 US Dollars (include \$5 postage for annual publication)
Donation \$ US Dollar Amount

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EMAIL ADDRESS (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

() NEW MEMBER - REFERRED BY CURRENT HOS MEMBER (PROVIDE FULL NAME)

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2012 HOS ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING AND INSTALLATION BANQUET RESERVATION FORM

DATE: SUNDAY, JANUARY 15, 2012 TIME: 9:30 am
PLACE: HALE IKENA RESTAURANT, FORT SHAFTER
COST: \$30.00 per person (age 11 & above)
\$16.00 per child (age 6 to 10 yrs old)
\$10.00 per child (age 3 to 5 yrs old)

RESERVATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: FRIDAY, JANUARY 6, 2012

NAMES OF GUEST ATTENDING (PLEASE PRINT) (print additional names on back of sheet) (include age of child by their name)

NAME OF MEMBER (PLEASE PRINT)

NAME OF ASSOCIATE MEMBER (PLEASE PRINT)

TELEPHONE NUMBER (REQ'D FOR OFC USE ONLY)

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