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St. Patrick's Day-March 17, 2011
Wear Green!

CHANGE TIME - Saturday - Feb 26, 2011
Orchid Safari Troopers - Meet @ Nanakuli McD's at 7:30 am
Depart McD's @ 8 am

HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER No. 2011-03
HOS GENERAL MEETING

Date: **Wednesday, March 9, 2011**
Time/Place: **7:30 p.m. Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria**
(Register your plants for judging by 7:15 p.m.)
Program: **Great Silent Auction Night!**

The time is here again! Honolulu Orchid Society's great silent auction. Orchids from approximately 20 orchid growers throughout the State of Hawaii will be auctioned as a fundraiser for the HOS. Members are also encouraged to donate plants (any kine), orchid plant accessories, white elephant items, onolicious food items (have items individually packaged/ wrapped), etc. for the auction. All proceeds will be for the HOS.

Invite family and friends to this auction. Bring your \$\$\$\$ too.

MAHALO NUI LOA. Thank you to all the members, family and friends who came out to our Ohana Pot Luck at last month's general meeting. We had a great time talking story with one another and so much food that was delicious and all were winners, but all those present voted and determined the following as the best for the night. Monetary prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10 were awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place respectively and a blooming orchid plant was awarded for 4th place. Keiki plants were given to all participants not awarded. Mahalo Inge White for taking charge of this event and to all those who helped with the set up and clean up.

Main Dish:

1st: Seafood Casserole (Vivian McCoy)
2nd: Korean Fried Chicken (Carol De Witt)

3rd: Pineapple Spareribs (Rose Higa)
4th: Boneless Kalbi w/Lettuce Leaves (Ruth Chun)

Miscellaneous:

1st: Oriental Coleslaw (Audrey Yasutake)
2nd: Lilikoi-Orchid Potato Shrimp Salad on New Zealand Spinach Leaves (Inge White)
3rd: Egg Rolls (Fern/Kim Fernandez) 5 people were tied for 3rd place; therefore a drawing was done to select the winner.
4th: Tofu Salad (Hilda Takamatsu)

Dessert:


1st: Sweetheart's Chocolate Trifle (Mel Waki)
2nd: Baklava (Charlotte Yamamoto)
3rd: Broken Mississippi Mud Cake, (Norma Oshiro)
4th: Peach Crumbs Cake (David Bealer)


February 2011 Culture Awards were given to:

1st Place - Blc Burdekin Wanter 'Lakeland', owner - Fern Fernandez
2nd Place - Den Spring Brede, owner - C. S. Sato
3rd Place - Blc zui 'Waiomao Fantasy', owner - Ruth Chun
Congratulations to all!

BEREAVEMENTS. We offer our deepest sympathy to Frank Thrall and his son Lee with the passing of their beloved daughter and sister Lynn Thrall on February 10th. She was an HOS Student Judge, always accompanied her dad to orchid meetings, participated in all shows with plant registrations, service committee and judging. We will miss her beautiful smile at all our orchid functions. Thank you, Frank, for sharing your lovely daughter with us.

2011 HOS MEMBERSHIP! - LAST CALL! 2010 membership expired December 31, 2010. 2011 HOS Membership Application Form is on page 4 of this newsletter; or 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. *Thank you to the members who have submitted their 2011 membership renewals. IF WE DON'T RECEIVE YOUR MEMBERSHIP FEES, YOUR NAME WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE MAILING LIST.*

 **ORCHID SAFARI! (OBSERVE TIME CHANGE)** A safari to orchid nurseries in Waianae will be held on **Saturday, February 26, 2011**. Stops will be made at **Kogachi Orchid Nursery** (Glenn Kogachi), **Kiilani Gifts and Gardens** (Ben Cagauan), **Ben Kodama Orchid Nursery** (Ben Kodama), **Orchids of Waianae** (Masa Chen) and **Orchid Center** (Richard Takafuji). Members interested in attending the safari need to **meet 7:30 AM** at the **Nanakuli McDonalds Restaurant** located at **87-2028 Farrington Highway**. **Departure from McD is 8 AM.** Members are encouraged to car pool. Check the HOS website for updates.

 **2011 ORCHID SHOWS ARE UPON US! - SUPPORT YOUR SOCIETY THROUGH VOLUNTEERING YOUR TIME AND LABOR! THE TIME IS UPON US FOR THE 2 ORCHID SHOWS THAT ARE JUST WEEKS AWAY--WHICH IS BEING HELD SIMULTANEOUSLY ON THE SAME DAYS--MARCH 18,19,20 2011.**

If you need help with getting your plants to the shows, call Carol De Witt at 845-3749 or 845-1494 (leave message with name/phone number) so that arrangements can be made.

KUNIA ORCHID SOCIETY'S 57th ANNUAL KUNIA SHOW AND PLANT SALE - Williette Wong and Carol De Witt will be in charge of setting up a **large floor display** at this show which will be held at the Leileihua High School Gymnasium, 1515 California Avenue, Wahiawa, Hi. We ask members to **please bring your blooming orchid plants, and greeneries to the gym no later than 12 noon so that we will have enough time to complete the set up on Thursday, March 17, 2011 by 4 pm. We need assistance to set up and breakdown the display too!** PLEASE KOKUA AND SUPPORT YOUR SOCIETY! Show times - Friday & Saturday, March 18 & 19: 9 am to 5 pm; Sunday, March 20: 9 am to 4 pm (plant sales close at 3 pm).

WINDWARD ORCHID SOCIETY 31st ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW AND PLANT SALE "Orchid Mania" - Dr. Ingelia White will be in charge of setting up a **small table display** at this show which will be held at the S. W. King Intermediate School Armory (Gym), 46-155 Kamehameha Highway, Kaneohe (2 blocks North of Windward Mall). We ask members to **please bring their plants and small pot size greeneries & pe'e's hair to the armory no later than 12 noon in order to complete the set up by 5 pm on Thursday, March 17, 2011. We need assistance to set up and breakdown the display too!** PLEASE KOKUA AND SUPPORT YOUR SOCIETY! Show times - Friday & Saturday, March 18 & 19: 9 am to 7 pm; Sunday, March 20: 9 am to 4 pm (plant sales close at 3 pm).

IKEBANA INTERNATIONAL Honolulu Chapter 56 - A Golden Celebration of Ikebana: 50 Years of Friendship Through Flowers, 1961-2011 will be held March 30 to April 2, 2011 from 9 am - 4 pm and from 10 am to 3 pm on April 3, 2011 at the Academy Art Center at Linekona, 1111 Victoria Street, Honolulu between Beretania and Young Streets. FREE - OPEN TO PUBLIC. The exhibition features guest artist Kika Shibata, Riji of the Sogetsu School of Ikebana. Call 532-8741 or visit www.ikebana-hawaii.org for more information.

ORCHID SOCIETY OF MANOA 2011 ORCHID SHOW AND PLANT SALE. Due to renovations at Noelani Elementary School, there will be NO SHOW AND PLANT SALE this year at the school; however they will be holding a **ONE-DAY PLANT SALE ON SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2011 FROM 8 AM TO 2:30 PM AT ST. PIUS X CHURCH IN MANOA, 2821 LOWREY AVENUE (one block past Safeway Manoa).** They will be back at the school in 2012.

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Membership Meeting: The April 2011 General Membership Meeting will be held at Lanakila Elementary School Cafeteria on Wednesday, April 13, 2011 at 7:00 pm. April's guest speaker is Dr. Inge White who will share her venture into China in 2010.

March 2011 Officer and Board of Trustees Meeting: The Board Meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 8, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. at Aiea Elementary School in a classroom behind the cafeteria.



**HAPPY GIRL'S DAY
MARCH 3, 2011**



2011 HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

2010 MEMBERSHIP EXPIRED DECEMBER 31, 2010

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

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Student Membership - \$10.00 US Dollars (w/i United States & it's Territories only) | <u>CHECK ONE:</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Regular Membership - \$25.00 US Dollars | () NEW MEMBERSHIP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Membership - \$5.00 US Dollars | () RENEWING MEMBERSHIP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Mail Postage Service - \$20.00 US Dollars | () DONATION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Donation \$ _____ US Dollar Amount | () ADDRESS CHANGE (if applicable) |

Regular Membership Name (PLEASE PRINT) Associate Membership Name (PLEASE PRINT) Telephone Number (OFC USEONLY)

Address (street name, apartment number) (PLEASE PRINT)

Address (city, state, zip code and country) (PLEASE PRINT)

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

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COMMENTS

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HOS TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 2010. For the first time in HOS history, the HOS Board approved publication of the Society's Treasurer's Report. Treasurer Mel Waki presents the following narrative and report for members viewing.

I am happy to report that the Honolulu Orchid Society operated in the black in 2010 despite the down economy. Much credit goes to the various HOS Committees for their frugal spending and the many supporters who gave not only their time but helped the Society through donations of money, plants, food and other goods.

For the year, HOS generated \$34,245.07 in income and had expenses of \$20,899.34 for an overall positive cash flow of \$13,345.73. The income included \$7,658 from the Florence Kodama Memorial Fund established by Ben Kodama, Sr., in memory of his late wife Florence Kodama. More than ninety donations were received for this fund. The Society's 71st Annual Orchid Show which was held in October for the first time at Washington Middle School made \$5,322.26 after expenses and before taxes (the general excise tax was paid in 2011). Income included \$2,239 from a very successful silent auction held in March, \$3,355 from membership dues, and \$1,720 from fees collected from those advertising in the Na Okika Orchid Journal. \$855 was also received from many members who generously donated money to the HOS. Major expenses included \$1,181.60 for rental of the Lanakila Elementary School cafeteria, \$2,645.77 for printing of the Na Okika, \$600 for plant give-away at meetings, \$822.20 for postage, and \$575.00 for the Society's general liability insurance. The Society donated \$2,100 to Washington Middle School which used the funds to purchase badly needed folding chairs for their classrooms. A detailed breakdown of all income and expenses is attached in this newsletter.

HOS REVENUE AND EXPENSES FOR 2010

INCOME

ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW (2010)	
HOS Table Sales	\$3,544.00
Meals Sold to Vendors	\$188.00
Monetary Donations Collected at Door	\$394.00
Plant Sales Commission	\$6,634.32
Plant Sales Table Fees	\$1,500.00
Trophy Donations	\$1,305.00
TOTAL ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW (2010)	\$13,565.32
ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW (2009)	
2009 Commission and Table Fees Deposited in 2010	\$1,223.00
AUCTION FUNDRAISER	\$2,239.00
DONATIONS & CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED	
Florence Kodama Memorial Fund	\$7,658.00
Monetary Donations	\$855.00
INSTALLATION BANQUET FEES	\$2,040.00
INTEREST INCOME FROM SAVINGS AND CD ACCOUNTS	\$254.75
MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$3,355.00
MERIT AWARD FEES	\$675.00
NA OKIKA ADVERTISING FEES	\$1,720.00
SHOW PARTICIPATION DEFRAVALS AND AWARDS	\$660.00
TOTAL INCOME	\$34,245.07

EXPENSES

ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW (2010)	
Banners & Posters	\$473.73
Defrayal and Awards Paid to Exhibitors	\$850.00
Facility Rental	\$725.30
HOS Table Expenses--Orchid Mix	\$481.90
Materials and Supplies	\$174.69
Meals & Refreshment for Workers	\$689.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	\$119.24
Newspaper Ads	\$2,983.25
Show Program & Ticket Printing	\$321.95
Trophies	\$1,424.00
TOTAL ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW (2010)	\$8,243.06
DONATION TO WASHINGTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	\$2,100.00
FEES PAID TO SPEAKERS	\$300.00
INSTALLATION BANQUET	
Food and Facilities	\$1,653.00
Recognition Awards	\$144.81
TOTAL INSTALLATION BANQUET	\$2,572.99
INSURANCE--GENERAL LIABILITY	\$575.00
LANAKILA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL CAFETORIUM RENTAL	\$1,181.60
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES	\$201.08
PHOTOGRAPHY FOR MERIT AWARDS	\$382.85
PLANTS FOR GIVE-AWAYS AT MEETINGS	\$600.00
POSTAGE	\$822.20
PRINTING OF NA OKIKA	\$2,645.77
PRINTING OF NEWSLETTERS, REPORTS & HANDOUTS	\$388.09
REFRESHMENTS FOR MEETINGS	\$289.38
SHOW PARTICIPATION EXPENSES	\$65.42
TAXES (G.E.T.)	\$346.01
WEB HOSTING	\$185.89
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$20,899.34

OVERALL TOTAL \$13,345.73