

HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MONTHLY NEWSLETTER No. 2020-04

HOS GENERAL MEETING

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Speaker:

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Honolulu Orchid Society's general membership meetings and activities are cancelled until further notice due to the current coronavirus concerns. We will inform you of our next meeting when we are given the "green light" to resume our activities. Mahalo for your patience and understanding.

In the mean time, stay calm and strong. Enjoy your plants.....

MAHALO NUI LOA. Mahalo **Ben Kodama Jr** for chairing HOS Great Annual Silent Auction last month and obtaining the great selection of plants. Your efforts are appreciated in making 2020's annual auction the best ever--a great success once again at March's General Membership meeting. We also thank all who assisted Ben in getting the plants delivered to our meeting site. Thank you to the **20+ nurseries statewide, Akatsuka Orchid Gardens, Volcano HI; Bromeliads Hawaii, Calvin Kumano Orchids, Pearl City HI; Carmela Orchids, Hakalau HI; H&R Nurseries, Waimanalo HI; Hawaii Hybrids, Hilo, HI; Island Sun Orchids, Keaau HI; Kalapana Tropicals, Kurtistown HI; Kawamoto Orchid Nursery, Honolulu HI; Kiilani Gift and Garden, Kodama Orchid Nursery, Kogachi Orchids, Kenneth Konishi Orchids all of Waianae HI; Koolau Farmers, Kaneohe HI; Neuman's Nursery, Olomana Orchids, Kaneohe HI; Orchid Eros, Mountain View HI; Orchid Works, Hakalau HI; Pacific Island Nursery, Keaau HI; Penny's Orchids & S&W Orchids of Waianae HI; Tropical Orchid Farm, Haiku HI; Quintal Farms, Kurtistown HI; and Winning Orchids, Mountain View, HI** who donated plants and orchid related items for the auction. Appreciation is also extended to members who also brought in plants, various orchid plants and miscellaneous items and food items for the auction - **Calvin & Sherry Abe** - Fried Mochi; **Adam Almeida** - Cattleya plants; **Roy Andrade** - Compots; **Ruth Chun** - Melaleuca "Tough & Tender" Concentrate, Canned Sardines, Fig Newton Bars; **Mat & Shelby Goo** - Heliconia stems & Pele's Hair; **Linda Inouye** - Succulent plants; **Jackie Lai** - Boiled Peanuts; **Alfred & Sharon Lock** - Pumpkin Mochi; **Dorothy Nakama** - Banana Bread; **Kathy Sakuda** - Banana Butter Mochi & Walnut Banana Bread; **Jan Takamiya** - Mamaki stalks (cuttings), Pothos Kokedama, Dendrobium anosmum 'Purple Pride', Dendrobium anosmum (miniature white), Succulent mixed variety plant and Eschaueria Afterglow plant; **Carol Takayama** - Sansevieria Starfish snake plant (succulent); **Mel Waki** - Tolumnia (equitant oncidium) plants & Bulbophyllum; **Pam Waki** - blooming tillandsias & large tillandsia; **Williette Wong** - 8" Ceramic Ginger Pots & Assorted tillandsias; **Charlotte Yamamoto** - Cornbread, Oatmeal Chocolate Chip Cookies & Party Mix; and **Larry Yamamoto** - Phragmipedium plants & Vanda orchid hybrid

Mahalo to the following members, friends and Refreshment Committee who brought in a great assortment of goodies to share with those in attendance at our March meeting - **Williette Wong** - Fresh Pineapple; **Ruth Chun** - Supreme Pizza; **Kate Leonard & Ian Sandison** - Pulled Pork w/Sweetbread Rolls; **JoAnn & Bob Higuchi** - Asst Chips; **Charlotte Yamamoto** - Teriyaki Meatballs; **Inez Brunson** - Asst Mini Cheesecakes; **Carol De Witt** - Doritos Ranch Style Tortilla Chips; **Jan Takamiya** - Banana Lumpia; **Kathy Sakuda** - Beef Broccoli w/Hong Kong Style Noodles & Tofu w/Ginger Sauce; **Hans Kashiwabara** - Fried Chicken; **Calvin & Sherry Abe** - Brownie Bites; **Sharon & Alfred Lock** - Dessert Madalines; **David & Karen Buote** - Curry w/Mixed Grain Rice; **Jacqueline & Sharon Hurd** - Crispy Gau Gee; **Ann Geschwandtner** - Butter Cake; and **Refreshment Committee** - Fresh Pineapple, Strawberry Lemonade and Water. Your donations are truly appreciated! And as a reminder to all who bring refreshments in -- please inform our Refreshment/Hospitality Committee of what you bring to share when you drop off your item at the refreshment table. Much appreciated!

We also acknowledge all who helped with the set up and breakdown and to all of you who were in attendance and supported this fundraiser.

2020 HOS MEMBERSHIP - IF YOU KNOW YOU HAVEN'T RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 2020, PLEASE DO SO NOW!
MUCH APPRECIATED! 2019 membership expired **December 31, 2019**. We look forward to calendar year 2020 new and renewed memberships within Honolulu Orchid Society. Submit the 2020 HOS Membership Application Form which is included in this newsletter; or you may see Carol De Witt at the General Membership Meeting for a form. **Please fill in your email address when completing the form or indicate "none" if you do not have an email address.**

Please return your completed form with current mailing address and other information as requested on the form with your check made payable to Honolulu Orchid Society and mail to HOS Membership Committee, P O Box 558, Honolulu HI 96809-0558. Mahalo! New members who joined since late September 2019 are current for calendar year 2020.

REMINDER TO MEMBERS: INFORM HOS OF YOUR NEW MAILING ADDRESS WHEN YOU TEMPORARILY AND/OR PERMANENTLY MOVE; otherwise you will miss receiving your monthly newsletter and yearly Na Okika journal -- 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 or see Carol @ the meeting. Temporary movers, please inform HOS when you return to your permanent address.



KUNIA ORCHID SOCIETY's 65th Annual Kunia Orchid Show and Plant is cancelled. Thank you Carol De Witt for volunteering to chair the planned floor display.

WINDWARD ORCHID SOCIETY's 40th Annual Spring Orchid & Plant Show "There's No Place Like the Windward Side" is cancelled. Thank you Adam Almeida for volunteering to chair the planned tabletop display.

We thank all who would have helped with plants & set up at the shows! ♡

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2020 HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION

2019 CALENDAR YEAR MEMBERSHIP EXPIRE DECEMBER 31, 2019

visit HOS website: www.honoluluorchidsociety.org

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

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