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**Triad Orchid Society
meets the second
Sunday of each
month at the AB
Seed Education
Annex near the
Piedmont Triad
Farmer's Market
8432 Norcross Rd.
Colfax, NC 27235
at 1:00 PM**

**Hope everyone had a Happy Christmas and hear's
to a wonderful New Year!**

Triad Orchid Society Officers for 2017:

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January 8, 2016 Meeting

The Big Moving Party

Join us for our big move to the AB Seed Education Annex 8432 Norcross Road, Colfax, NC 27235). Bring your muscles and your vehicles to pack up and transport all of the Triad Orchid Society belongings and move them to our new venue. We will have lunch after the move at the Moose Cafe next to AB Seed at the farmer's market. The society will provide a \$10 stipend to offset your lunch costs to anyone who helps with moving items from our current space to the new one. You are welcome to bring your own money if you would like to order more for lunch (and don't forget to tip your server). Let's get 2017 started off right in this great new space. The easiest way for most folks to get to the new space will be to take I-40 and exit on the Sandy Ridge Road exit. Head towards the Farmer's Market and take a right (on Norcross Road) just past the Shell station on your right.

Membership Dues for 2017

Single or Family membership, \$25 per year

Please submit the membership form and dues to Gay Sharpe for the 2017 year by our February meeting to continue receiving the newsletters.

The Triangle Orchid Society will not be holding a show this year due to conflicts with dates at the Daniel Stowe Botanical Gardens and the travel schedule of some of their show coordinators.

Orchids on the Riverbanks Festival

Our next show will be Orchids on the Riverbanks Festival, the South Carolina Orchid Society Show and Sale. The South Carolina Orchid Society, Ikebana International Chapter 182 and Riverbanks Botanical Garden present Orchids on the Riverbanks Festival. The show will take place from February 11-12, 2017. Admission to the show is free with the purchase of admission to the Riverbanks Zoo & Botanical Gardens. You can purchase tickets via this link ([Riverbanks Zoo & Botanical Gardens Tickets](#)) to save around 15% off admission at the gate.

Show hours:

Friday, February 11th -- 1PM to 5PM

Saturday, February 12th -- 9AM to 5PM

Sunday, February 13th -- 9AM to 5PM

Volunteers are still needed for this show. If you are interested in helping out with setup or breakdown or you have any flowering orchids you would like to have entered, please contact Will Bottoms (wbottoms@qwrh.com). This is a long drive, but the show is pretty spectacular and they usually have some great vendors as well. It's been a lot of fun to get to do these shows, but the more help we have the better our overall display will be!

March of Orchids

March of Orchids, presented by the The Triad Orchid Society, will run from March 4th through the 6th at the AB Seed Education Annex. Admission will be \$5 for adults. At our meeting on February 12th we will discuss volunteer needs and other details about the show. If you have an idea of someone who may be willing to donate a prize to our raffle, please send the information to Will Bottoms (wbottoms@qwrh.com) along with an idea of what goods or services they generally provide. The raffle will be dependent upon the number of donations we can procure. Remember that we will need many more flowering orchids and other non-flowering plants for our exhibit at our show in March because we put in a much larger display. Be prepared to bring any plants that you have in bloom that you are comfortable leaving in our care. The more plants, the better our display will be!

Show Table Awards - December 11, 2016: Judge : Janette Harris

Cattleya Species	Name
1 -- Barkeria dorotheae	1. Dorcas Brogdon
2 -- Barkeria palmeri	2. Dorcas Brogdon
3 -- NA	3.
Small Cattleya Alliance	
1 -- Epicatanthe Butterfly Kisses	1. Steve Davis
2 -- Rlc. Memoria Shirley Moore	2. Steve Davis
3 -- C. Purple Cascade 'Beauty of Perfume'	3. Steve Davis
Large Cattleya Alliance	
1 -- NA	1.
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Phalaenopsis	
1 -- NA	1.
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Paphiopedilum	
1 -- Paph. Macabre Contrasts	1. Will Bottoms
2 -- Paph. (Skip Bartlett x Chad Moore)	2. Annette Hastie
3 -- Paph. Whitemoor 'Noriton'	3. Janice Milheim
Phragmipedium	
1 -- NA	1.
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Dendrobium	
1 -- Den. nobile type	1. Janice Milheim
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Oncidium	
1 -- Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'MN#1'	1. Annette Hastie
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Vandaceous	
1 -- Angraecum Lemförde White Beauty	1. Annette Hastie
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Cymbidium	
1 -- NA	1.
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Miscellaneous	
1 -- Masdevallia nicaraguae	1. Chad Greene
2 -- NA	2.
3 -- NA	3.
Best Species -- Barkeria dorotheae	Best Species -- Dorcas Brogdon
Best Specimen -- Epicatanthe Butterfly Kisses	Best Specimen -- Steve Davis
Best Flower -- Angraecum Lemförde White Beauty	Best Flower -- Annette Hastie

