

Orchid Society of Greater Kansas City
Meeting Minutes
February 10, 2019

There were several new members attending the meeting. Alisha and Mel Cole, Diana & Roy, Annie Heath and Heidi.

Dues were due at the meeting. If you are unsure if you have paid check with Jean Rogers.

Shows & Exhibits:

Still have not received a bill from the hotel should make somewhere between \$1,500 and \$4,000 on last year's show.

Orchid Society of the Ozarks show is March 1st through March 3rd. Set up is the afternoon of February 28th.

Springfield Orchid Society show is March 15th through March 17th

Omaha Orchid Society show is March 22nd -24th

If you have plants that you would like to send to any of the shows. Doug & Beth Martin collect the plants on the Kansas side and Mark & Joy Prout collect them on the Missouri side.

Two of Doug Martins native orchids won AOS awards.

Bill Thoms will be doing a presentation on Bulbophylums for our March program, he will also have plants to sell or you can pre order.

We have a library that you can check out books from if you would like. There are also current issues of Orchids from the AOS and Orchid Digest.

The Mid America Orchid Congress 2019 Spring Meeting is this weekend in Lansing, MI in connection with the Greater Lansing Orchid Society Show and Sale. It is being held at Michigan State University Plant & Soil Conservatory. Dennis Whigham is presenting a program on Native Orchids: Ecology and Conservation and Leon Glicenstein is doing a program on A Few Habenarias and Some Relatives.

Beth Martin is checking into show venue options.

Our auction is April 28th.