



KAIMUKI ORCHID SOCIETY

November 2011

Orchid Safari Tours: Please contact Steph Miwa at 383-9466 if you are interested in attending the Safari Tours. She will help coordinate the details of each tour for the KOS members. KOS will join the Ewa Orchid club members on the tours.

The first tour is October 29, 2011 and will be to the Waianae nurseries. We can meet in Kaimuki before driving out to meet the Ewa members in the Kapolei Longs parking lot at 8:30 am. Then head to Kiilani gifts & gardens which is Dr. Bernie Cagauan's Nursery. Then we will go to Kogachi's Nursery.

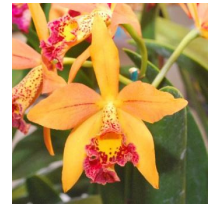
The next tour will be Nov 19, 2011 to Puanani Orchids in Waimanalo then to H&R Nursery. We can meet the Ewa members at the Waimanalo Jack in the Box at 8:30 am. The two Nurseries are just up the road.

We will need the participation of at least 10 members from each club to get the nurseries to open on a Saturday and let us come again.

Happy Halloween!



Due to the services for Richard Takafuji on November 1st there may be an impact on our November program in that scheduled speaker Ken Ibara may not be able to attend our function. However, AOS judges will be at our meeting for orchids judging and commentary. As an alternative to the speaker, a hands on planting demo may be conducted by Kean and Alan.



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PLANTS OF THE MONTH:

American Orchid Society Judging. We have four categories for culture awards:



Noname
(M. Watanabe -
Category 1)



Blc Merrily Murison
"Larry"
(D. Hayashida -
Category 2)



Blub Jersey
"Elizabeth"
(Wilbur Chang -
Category 3)



C. Angel Bell
"Suzie" AM/AOS
(Beaudine Ma -
Category 4)

UP COMING EVENTS:

Nov 1 - Hawaii Pacific Orchids (Ken Ibara) - TBA
Dec 6 - Pot Luck Dinner

~ Announcements ~

Services for Richard Takafuji, long time orchid grower and proprietor of Orchid Center, will be held at 6:00pm, Tuesday November 1st, 2011 at Hosoi Mortuary. Our warmest condolences to the Takafuji family.

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Aloha! We would like to get feed back or suggestions from our members. If you have interesting articles or helpful tips to add to our Newsletter, please email Jill Cavanaugh at JCavanaugh@hawaii.rr.com or call 732-2993. Mahalo.