



OCTOBER 2011

NEWSLETTER

Founded in 1963
Affiliated with the American Orchid Society

In 1963, the Eastern Airline Orchid Club was "formed to foster good fellowship through the common love of orchids in all their forms and varieties: to share both the knowledge and techniques or culture and the mystery and beauty of the plants and flowers."

Visitors Always Welcome

NEXT MEETING: Friday, October 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Florida International University, South Campus
Wertheim Conservatory, Next to the Greenhouse
Tamiami Trail, (S.W. 8th Street) and S.W. 112th Avenue

(All Meetings are held on the third Friday of each month at 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Happy Halloween!!

It's October and a noticeable change in our weather can't be far behind. Our days are noticeably shorter. You can still report those Cattleyas and Dendrobiums that are showing new roots and a cutback on heavy watering is due, along with a cutback on your fertilizing, if you have been doing it weekly.

Next month, November, is our **BIG EVENT!** It's the EALOC Annual Auction, our only fund raising event of the year. Your Board members are already working hard setting up the details and arranging to have a selection of great orchids for auction. As always, our goal is to have great blooming plants.

See you at our October meeting.

Your President,
Danny Lutz

MEMBERSHIP



DUES ARE PAST DUE!!!

There are members who have not renewed their membership. It can be paid at the upcoming meeting to be eligible to get a holiday plant at our December party. If your membership card (the white one) has an expiration date of 6/10, then, you have not renewed. Please mail Barbara Lutz a check made out to EALOC for \$12.00 per person. Her address is 10442 Catalonia Ave, Coral Gables, FL 33134.

NEW MEMBERS



There were no new members this month.

REFRESHMENTS



Suellen and Dean Powell generously will be providing the refreshments. Yum! Thank you!!!

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If you have any additions, deletions or corrections, please email Chris Rawls at ccrawls@bellsouth.net or call him at 305-253-6715.

SUNSHINE



Lori Wigley recently had been hospitalized. She is now home. Cards and calls are always appreciated.

If you know of anyone else under the weather, please call Diane Dickhut at 305-385-4007. She will send a card from the club members.

PLANT RAFFLE



Plants this month were donated by the EALOC.

OCTOBER PROGRAM



The speaker will be Carlos F. Segrera. He will be speaking on "Orchids in the Garden".

He is currently president of C.S. Orchids, Inc., a family owned and operated orchid maintenance and sales company. They specialize in special occasion orchid flower arrangements, special event flower decorations, plant leasing for offices and homes, and private collection maintenance.

He is past President of the Pan American Orchid Society, and member of the South Florida Orchid Society, Eastern Airlines Orchid Club, Coalition for Orchid Species, South Dade Orchid Society, and, also, the American Orchid Society. Additionally, he is involved in the organization of the Redland Orchid Festival.

RIBBON WINNERS



Blue Ribbons

Bill Harward

- ❖ *Cadetia Taylori* (species)

David Foster

- ❖ *Cirr. Lepidum* (species)
- ❖ *Broanthevola Florida Sunset* (B. Maria del Carmen x Grt. Why Not)

COMING EVENTS



EALOC MEETING.....Oct 21

Redlands Professional Orchid Growers Open House Sale and Classes.....Oct 21-23

End Daylight Savings Time.....Nov 6

Palm Society Sale at Fairchild.....Nov 5-6

Fairchild Ramble.....Nov 11-13

EALOC YEARLY AUCTION.....Nov 18

Thanksgiving.....Nov 24

EALOC Holiday Party.....Dec 17

Check out Palm Hammock's website for a list of events and classes on orchid growing, vegetable container gardening ponds and special events, just to name a few.

www.palmhammock.com



EALOC AUCTION

November 18th will be our annual auction. A great selection of orchids to expand your collection, and oh, so many flowers for great gifts for Thanksgiving and all those parties in December will be available!