



Englewood Area Orchid Society

Newsletter

March, 2007

Minutes

February 12, 2007 Meeting
Christ Lutheran Church, Englewood

The meeting was called to order by President Pam Bombadieri at 7:00pm. New members JoAnn Carroll, Elaine Miller-Sanchez, Ann Blaha, and Sharon & Carl Invaek were introduced.

Pam thanked everyone who helped with the Venice Show, and noted that our display took 3rd place, and that Joe Crook took a bottle of champagne home. Eleven members had plants in the display, and there were lots of ribbons.

The expenses and income expected with our March show were discussed, and the membership voted to keep the show free rather than charging \$2.00 for admission. Also discussed were the availability of greenery, the need for committee heads and volunteers. The list of vendors and societies that had signed up was read.

John Masters introduced the speaker: Karen Harper of Orchid Mania, who spoke on dendrobiums.

Ted Kellogg and Karen Harper commented on the plant table.

Raffle prizes were awarded and the meeting was dismissed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lynda Strum

EAOS Recording Secretary



Meeting

March 12, 2006

**Speaker: Ted Kellogg,
Preparing Your Plants for
Show**

March 23 & 24 ... EAOS Orchid Show

April 9 Indian River

May 14 Orchids, etc.

June 11 Summer Dinner Meeting

and Plant Swap

Treasurer's Report

As of 2/20/07

Checking Account

1/7/07 Balance 3,801.31

Deposits (1) 1,198.00

Checks (10) (1,989.23)

2/20/07 Balance 3,010.08

Savings Account

Balance 12/31/06 2,012.00

CD's

Balance 3/10/05 1,052.63

Roger Perrault,
Treasurer

There will be a Show Meeting at 6 PM on March 12th before our regular meeting. All committee chairs and interested parties who are available are asked to attend.

The agenda is:

The Show and what you need to do .

Pam

An Arts and Crafts table will be set up for judging at the EAOS Show. So, please get your items together. You may bring them in on Thursday 3/22 after 11 AM. The theme should be predominately orchids.

From the

President's Desk



Our next meeting is March 12th and in prep for our March show on 3/23 and 3/24, Ted Kellogg will help us with the ins and outs of plant prep, etc. (Orchid Show 101). We will also use the time to review what happens at a show. Yes, we will have a raffle, too, no fear. And John Masters

Press Coverage

We will have a member of the press at our March meeting to take some photos and do a piece that will hit just before our show.

It's free advertising for us, soooo, I hope everyone will make the "Show and Tell" table as special as possible.

is coordinating another plant swap for the June meeting. A plant swap is when you bring in something you want to swap with someone else. This is helpful when you've divided a plant and would like to swap for something you don't have.

Remember, this is when Ted will help us prepare our plants for the show.