

Maryland Orchid Society
Board Meeting October 12, 2006

In Attendance : Lee & Ann Lundy, David & Margaret Smith, Laura Sobelman, Tom McBride, Lorie Lee-Young, Gary Smith, Bill Ellis, Hilda Sukeman, Anne Minkowski, Valerie Lowe, Cy Swett, Aaron Webb, Lou & Barbara Buck, Barry Woolf, Clark Riley

Meeting called to order at 7:30pm

Minutes from previous board meeting were voted on and approved.

Committee Report

Auction

The MOS auction will be held on Saturday, Nov. 25th. This year the auction will end at 4pm instead of 5pm. Postcards will be mailed to notify members. There will be approximately 250 orchids for sale, anyone with plants to donate please contact Bill Ellis, Aaron Webb or Gary Smith.

Library

Ann Minkowski reported that there is no space available for new books so she will reorganize the library. The Board approved her decision.

Away Show

Valerie reported that the MOS received multiple awards at the NCOS show this year. Among those were the ODC Award, Best Mature Exhibit and Best Society Exhibit. Thanks to all the member who loaned their plants

Spring Show

There will be a show committee meeting on October 26th.

Program

Barry is asking the Board and Members for suggestions on speakers for the upcoming year. If anyone would like to see and hear a particular speaker please contact Barry.

Newsletter

The newsletter went out electronically last month and was beautiful. If members did not receive one by email they can print out a copy of the color newsletter by going to the MOS website. Deadline to submit information is the 1st of each month.

Education/Activities

Eric Wyles has agreed to help with the education committee. Gary Smith and Lorie Lee-Young will take over the activities for the interim.

Show Table

Tom reported that the MOS averages 100 plants on the show table per meeting. Tom submitted a proposed budget, the Board voted and approved the budget.

MOS Budget

The treasurer and controller discussed the budget in detail. A preliminary budget was voted on and approved by the board.

The next Board meeting will be Thursday, January 11, 2001 at 6:30pm at the Lundy's Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30pm