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ZOOM MEETING: Monday May 3, 2021 - 7:00 p.m. Jean Allen-Ikeson - "Sarcochilus - and How to Get Them to Bloom"



Jean Allen-Ikeson

Join us at our May Zoom meeting as Jean Allen-Ikeson discusses a seldom featured small-growing genus (at least for us...) and provides information on how to grow and bloom them! Hint: Sarcochilus are related to vandas and phals. Jean Allen-Ikeson is an accredited AOS judge, National Education Coordinator for Judging, Chair of the Editorial Board and was recently honored with the Silver Medal of the AOS. She grows a mixed collection of orchids in a greenhouse about an hour north of Niagara Falls. Jean has published numerous articles in Orchids magazine including authoring the Supplement to Orchids in 2011 on Sarcochilus.

According to the American Orchid Society, the genus Sarcochilus is widespread through much of Southeast Asia and south to Australia. The attractive, flowering plants of this genus make handsome specimens when mature. When Robert Brown first described the genus in 1810, he combined 2 Greek words, sarcos (flesh) and cheilos (lip), to describe the fleshy lips. While there have been more than 150 names published in this genus, the World Monocot Checklist currently recognizes only 25 of them as distinct species, many of them formerly scattered among several genera. Sarcochilus species are mostly epiphytic, although some grow on rocks and others might be classified as semiterrestrial. The growth of true Sarcochilus species resembles that of a miniature Vanda species, although clumps are frequently formed.

There may be a Sarcochilus "deal" afoot, courtesy Fran Murphy and his Hawaiian "connections", so please watch our email boxes for details as they emerge. Our Virtual Show Table will be back, so please don't forget to send Carol Butcher your great orchid photos by Sunday, April 4th, so that Carol can have sufficient time to set up her PowerPoint presentation.. We'll see you all online!



Sarco. hartmanii - ©2009 Greg Allikas

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Genesee Region Orchid Society Virtual Zoom meeting Apr. 5, 2021

Prior to the meeting start, Donna Lipowicz, President of the Niagara Frontier Orchid Society, told us about the planned Ohio Valley Orchid Festival to be held outdoors August 27-29, 2021 on a twelve-acre site owned by a church near Dayton. Bob Fuchs will be a featured speaker. There will be food trucks, plenty of restrooms and hotel blocks reserved. Donna is their Affiliated Societies Committee chair. The website for this event is midamericanorchids.org There is also a link on the NFOS site home page where it says "click here."

Program Vice President Carol Butcher introduced speaker Peter T. Lin at 7:00 pm. There were 35 attendees for Peter's presentation about mini *Cattleya* breeding.

After the program, Carol reminded us that she needs selections by April 9 for a group order from Peter's company Diamond Orchids.

The GROS business meeting began at 8:00 pm. President Fran Murphy asked Treasurer Sue Ackerman how we stand financially. Sue said we are fine. Jeanne Kaeding asked whether it is time for renewals. Sue stated the GROS membership in the AOS is taken care of. Secretary Margery Greene said renewals for GROS members are not due until September.

Fran advised that New York State has approved the Sonnenberg show for April 23-25, 2021. They will have directional arrows for foot traffic and other safety measures in place. The Sonnenberg orchid collection looks good except for their cymbidiums. Fran asked Sonnenberg to clean out the cymbidium house so we can bring our plants there to display without mixing with Sonnenberg's plants. Fran will be there April 22 at noon for set-up. There will be no registration, and no judging.

Fran is bringing a lot of his blooming plants down and may or may not have room to bring more. Call him at 585-474-7294

about bringing plants down and timeslots for volunteers. Sonnenberg website www.sonnenberg.org has information about event tickets. There will be plants for sale at Sonnenberg.

The AOS has been conducting virtual judging. Virtual Judging is an educational exercise and does not result in official awards. See www.virtualorchids.org AOS Rep Diane Bernard had no further information as to whether there would be virtual judging of the World Orchid Show. (According to website for the World Orchid Conference www.woc23.com there will be both in-person and virtual components to the event to be held in Taiwan April 24-May 3, 2021.)

Jeanne Kaeding moved to approved the minutes for last month's meeting. Austin Miller seconded. Minutes approved.

Phil Matt confirmed he has updated Member-at-Large John Kellas's email address on the membership email list.

Diane Bernard let us know that the AOS has more webinars available. Some are members only, but the Greenhouse Chat is open to all. There is a link on the AOS website to submit questions.

Fran Murphy polled meeting participants as to their COVID-19 vaccination status to judge whether it might be possible for us to have an in-person show table outdoors or in a garage, with all vaccinated participants. Perhaps we could do this the day before our next Zoom meeting (May 3), at Jeanne Kaeding's on Sunday, May 2nd. A notice will be sent out asking for RSVP.

Fran said there have been no orchids shipped from Thailand in the last year, and there are over 30,000 flasks stuck in Thailand.

Natalie Auburn moved to close the business meeting. Diane Bernard seconded. Business meeting closed at 8:21 pm.

Zoom session concluded with a very extensive show table, with Carol Butcher's impressive slide presentation including many plants in Alan Salzman's greenhouse with pictures provided by Fran.

- Margery Greene
GROS Secretary



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GROS Virtual Show Table - April, 2021

Plant	Genus Synonym (name in horticultural use)	seed parent	pollen parent	grower
Dendrobiums				
Dendrobium (Den.) kingianum				Margery Greene
Dendrobium schuetzei				Carol Butcher
Cattleya Alliance				
Cattleya (C.) walkeriana (coerulea) 'Blue Moon'				Austin Miller
Cattleya walkeriana (alba) 'Pendentive' AM/AOS				Alan Salzman
Cattleya walkeriana (fma. tipo)				Alan Salzman
Leptotes (Lpt.) bicolor				Alan Salzman
Leptotes bicolor				Natalie Auburn
Leptotes pohlitinocoi				Margery Greene
Cattleya coccinea	Sophranitis (S.)			Mike DeVito
Cattleya coccinea ¹	Sophranitis (S.)			Mike DeVito
Cattleya trianae (fma concolor)				Carolyn Edwards
Cattleya maxima (coerulea)				Jeanne Kaeding
Cattleya mossiae 'Willowbrook' FCC/AOS				Alan Salzman
Cattleya sincorana (f. coerulea) 'Suzy'				Natalie Auburn (from A. Salzman)
Cattleya intermedia (coerulea)				Fran Murphy
Cattleya intermedia ('orlata')				Fran Murphy
Cattleya no ID 'Gift from Dwaine Levy'				Alan Salzman
Cattlianthe (Ctt.) Marcene Burns	Cattleya	Cattlianthe Trick or Treat	Cattleya lawrenceana	Jeanne Kaeding
Laeliocattleya (Lc.) Hsin Buu Lady 'KT'	Sophranilaeliocattleya (Slc.)	Laelia (L.) anceps	Cattleya Wendy's Valentine	Fran Murphy
Epicatcyclycia (Ety.) Lisa Kapon Mason	Epicattleya (Epc.)	Epicyclycia (Epy.) Mabel Kanda	Cattleya amethystoglossa	Fran Murphy
Epidendrum (Epi.) stanfordianum (album)				Alan Salzman
Epidendrum marmoratum				Austin Miller
Cattlianthe Star Mind		Guarianthe (Gur.) aurantiaca	Cattleya angereri 'Peter'	Fran Murphy
Guaranicattonia (Gct.) Lawless Gloriana	Laeliocatonia (Lctna.)	Cattlianthe Gold Digger	Guaritonina Why Not	Fran Murphy
Rhyncholaeliocattleya (Rlc.) Mount Yellowthorne 'Sun Peak'	Potinara (Pot.)	Rhyncholaeliocattleya Tapestry Peak	Cattleya Fabled City	Fran Murphy
Rhyncholaeliocattleya Digbyano-Purpurato	Brassolaelia (Bl.)	Rhyncholaelia (Rl.) digbyana	Cattleya purpurata	Jeanne Kaeding
Cattleya <i>unnamed cross</i>	Laeliocattleya	C. (formerly Lc) Lucky Charms 'SVO'	Mark Jones 'SVO'	Phil Matt
Cattlianthe Koolau Treat '#2'	Laeliocattleya	Cattleya Koolau Seagulls	Cattlianthe Trick or Treat	Jeanne Kaeding
Cattlianthe Koolau Treat '#5'	Laeliocattleya	Cattleya Koolau Seagulls	Cattlianthe Trick or Treat	Jeanne Kaeding
Rhyncattleanthe (Rtt.) Love Passion	Potinara	Rlc. William Farrell	Ctt. Trick or Treat	Sue Ackerman
Cattlianthe (Ctt.) Jewel Box 'Scheherazade'	Sophranilaeliocattleya	Gur. aurantiaca	C. Anzac (1921)	Natalie Auburn
Oncidium Alliance				
Brassidium (Brsdm.) Gilded Urchin 'Ontario'		Brassia (Brs.) arcuigera	Oncidium (Onc.) wentworthianum	Fran Murphy

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Oncidium Alliance (cont'd)				
Oncostele (Ons.) Wild Cat 'Carmela'	Odontoglossum (Odm.)	Rhynchochoste (Rst.) bictoniensis	Oncidium Parade	Fran Murphy
Aliceara (Alcra.) Tahoma Glacier 'Green'	Beallara (Bllra.)	Bratonia (Brat.) Cartagena	Onc. Alaskan Sunset	Carol Butcher
Dunningara (Dngra.) Ash Trees	Withnerara (With.)	Milpasia (Mpsa.) Sandy Gibson ²	Oncidium Tiger Butter	Alan Salzman
Oncostele unnamed cross	Odontioda (Oda.)	Rhynchochoste cordata	Oncidium (formerly Cochlioda (Cda.)) Lois Posey	Jeanne Kaeding
Miltoniopsis (Mps.) Andrea West ACC/AOS	Miltonia (Milt.)	Miltoniopsis Capitola	Miltoniopsis Doctor Ruth Ono	Carolyn Edwards
Brassidium Golden Ocelot		Onc. maculatum	Brassidium Nittany Gold	Alan Salzman
Slipper Orchids				
Paphiopedilum (Paph.) Winter Coat		wenshanense	godefroyae	Austin Miller
Paphiopedilum <i>no ID (lowii or lowii hybrid)</i>				Alan Salzman
Paphiopedilum Bulldog Group (not individually identified)				Fran Murphy
Phragmipedium (Phrag.) Taras		pearcei	boissierianum 'Maybrook' AM/AOS	Margery Greene
Vandaceous				
Phalaenopsis (Phal.) Deventeriana 'Treva'		amabilis	amboiensis	Phil Matt
Phalaenopsis Nani Mau Stripe		Kathleen Ai	Ana Hernandez	Phil Matt
Phal. no ID 'Gift from Natalie'				Alan Salzman
Phal. Pico Lady Ruby	Doritaenopsis (Dtrps.)	pulcherrima	Kuntrarti Rarashati	Phil Matt
Phal. no ID (incognita 'Homdepotiensis')				Margery Greene
Phalaenopsis Liu's Triprince 'Wilson'	Doritaenopsis	Eduardo Quisumbing	lobbii	Margery Greene
Phalaenopsis Lianher Happy Star '3E14'	Doritaenopsis	Nobby's Pacific Sunset	Sogo Yenlin	Margery Greene
Phalaenopsis Sogo Jessica 'Blush'		Liu's Twilight Rainbow	Sogo Rostris	Margery Greene
Phal. Debra McDermott		Cassandra 'Starfire'	Velvet Kiss 'True Love'	Margery Greene
Phal. Yaphon Pink Bee 'Sweetheart'		Cornustris 'KF#1' AM/AOS	Yaphon Auspices	Margery Greene
Vanda (V.) Cherry Blossom	Ascofinetia (Ascf.)	falcata	ampullacea	Natalie Auburn
Vanda Noppon Golden Dream		Chulita	Charles Goodfellow	Fran Murphy
Sarcochilus (Sarco.) Kulnura Cinnamon		Bunyip	Kulnura Rusty	Fran Murphy
Sarcochilus <i>unnamed cross</i>		Royale Pink	Camira	Fran Murphy
Pleurothallid Alliance				
Stelis (Ste.) ornata	Pleurothallis (Pths.)			Margery Greene
Cymbidiums				
Cymbidium (Cym.) devonianum				Carolyn Edwards
Cymbidium Spark Sprite 'Sparky'		Sarah Jean	canaliculation	Fran Murphy
Cymbidium <i>unnamed cross</i>		Neon Lights 'Mendel's Choice'	dayanum	Jeanne Kaeding
Cymbidium Neon Lights 'Clone Y'		Leprechaum	insigne	Jeanne Kaeding
Cymbidium Mad Gordon		Gordon Gibbs	madidum	Jeanne Kaeding
Cymbidium madidum				Jeanne Kaeding
Cymbidium Dancing Mother		Tiny Tiger 'Scotsville Spots'	madidum	Jeanne Kaeding
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Miscellaneous				
Phaiocalanthe (Phcal.) Kryptonite		Calanthe (Cal.) Rozel	Phaius tankervilleae	Fran Murphy
Stenosarcos (Stsc.) Vanguard 'Red Stripe'		Sarcoglottis (Srgt.) speciosa	Stenorrhynchos (Sten.) albidomaculatum	John Kellas
Oberonia (Ob.) rufilabris				Carolyn Edwards
Chysis (Chy.) bractescens				Alan Salzman
NOTES:				
<p>NOTES: Corrections are in bold. Correct genus abbreviation in parentheses after first appearance. All spellings per RHS. 'RHS' = Royal Horticultural Society (official hybrid registrar)</p> <p>RHS does NOT register forms, only by genus and species. Anywhere a plant is labeled 'coerulea' or 'fma coerulea' or 'alba' or 'fma alba' etc. that part of the information is omitted from the RHS registry.</p> <p>Accordingly, I have only included the form names in parentheses as horticultural identifiers.</p> <p>¹This clone was the parent of Cattleya Yellow Fire (coccinea x Wild Fire)</p> <p>²The parents originally given (Milpasia Ancon x Miltonia Lucille Gibson) are actually the parents of Milpasia Sandy Gibson.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>- Margery Greene</i></p>				

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