



Sunrise Orchid Society

Affiliated with the American Orchid Society

January 2019

LOCATION CHANGE

This month's meeting will be held on

January 15, at 7:30pm

Nob Hill Soccer Club Park

10200 Sunset Strip

Sunrise, FL 33322

(Corner of Sunset Strip and Nob Hill)

Snack Table

Anna Guillotte, Carmen Hosein,
Marlene Isaacs, Eugenie Johnson,
Pat Kerulis, Indira Kunjbehari

JANUARY'S SPEAKER:

Daryl Venables

This month we will be learning all about Tolumnias. Daryl started growing orchids at a very early age, 9 years old to be precise. It all started with a trip to the local orchid show so his father could give some paperwork to one of his colleagues and it was love at first sniff! He quite literally fell in love with them even before he even saw his first plant. As him and his father were waiting in line to pay their entrance fee, this smell hit him unlike anything he had ever experienced before. It turned out to be *Dendrobium kingianum* and still to this day, when he smells one in bloom he is immediately back home in Africa in his little greenhouse at the back of the house. They joined the orchid society that day and he can still hear his father saying "Just my luck... another expensive hobby, lucky me!"



As the years went on his interest in orchids only grew stronger, and his other hobbies quickly disappeared, much to the secret delight of his father. Before he knew it, he had his own nursery, was importing orchids from around the world and attending orchid shows as a vendor. When he was 19, he moved to Miami, Florida and for some unknown reason ended up working as an insurance claims adjuster for a Fortune 500 company. He was completely miserable and never could seem to find the time to devote to his orchids until one day he said enough was enough, he quit his job and went back into orchids (the scariest move he has ever taken). He has grown just about every orchid you could imagine in the 30+ years of his addiction, but Tolumnias have always held a very special place in his heart. Tolumnias are incredibly easy to grow, but also sadly very misunderstood.

CLUB NEWS

- If you are a PAID member and did not attend the Holiday Dinner Party, your last chance to pick up your holiday plant will be during our January meeting.
- If you have any orchids in bloom bring them to our January meeting for Show and Tell, and for our display during the show. Make sure that plants are show ready (cleaned, staked, and bug free.)
- Volunteers are needed to help set-up and breakdown our display table at the Fort Lauderdale Orchid Show this month. Please speak to Laurajean if you are able to help.

SUNRISE ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL/APPLICATION

DATE: _____ **FEES: 20.00/person**

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

email address: _____ @ _____ NEWSLETTER

AVAILABLE BY EMAIL ONLY

Completed form and payment may be returned at general meeting or mailed to
Indira Kunjbehari 10421 NW 18th Dr Plantation, Fl 33322. Thank -you

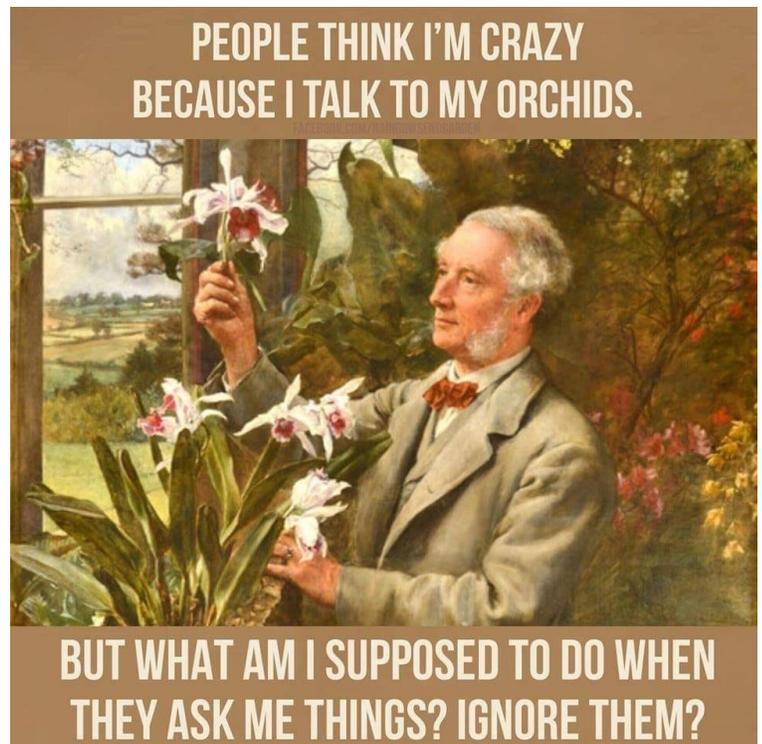
GROWING TIPS FOR JANUARY

Excerpted from [Florida Orchid Growing: Month by Month](#) by Martin Motes.

- Water judiciously only early in the day
- Run plants on the dry side to preserve the possibility of using water for cold protection
- Check irrigation system in anticipation of cold
- Flush excess fertilizer salts from cattleyas and other sympodials
- Spray for mites, then spray again in 7-10 days.

Please see the two attached documents on this email:

- Winter Dormant Orchids Requiring a Dry Rest
- Cold Tolerance of Warm Growing Orchids



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UPCOMING EVENTS

The 2019 Tamiami International Orchid Festival

When: Friday-Sunday, January 11-13, 2019 from 10am to 6pm daily.

Where: Miami-Dade County Fair Expo Center 10901 Coral Way (S.W. 24th St) Miami, FL 33165.

Tickets: Advance Purchase- \$10 At the door- \$12



The 61st Orchid Paradise Fort Lauderdale Orchid Show

When: Friday-Sunday, January 25-27, 2019 from 10am to 6pm daily.

Where: War Memorial Auditorium 800 NE 8th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

Tickets: Some members have a limited amount of pre-sale tickets. Tickets will be \$15 at the door.

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