

Central Jersey Orchid Society Newsletter

November 2023 President's Message

Dear Members,

December is coming with anticipation of sheaths filling with the promise of beauty. Show season begins with the North Jersey Orchid Society show at Douglass College, January 12th through the 14th. Then comes The DeepCut show in Holmdel so, mark your calendars for February 16th to the 18th, and the very wonderful Southeastern Pennsylvania Orchid Society (SEPOS), the date to be announced. We're participating in all the shows this year. Volunteers will be needed as well as plants for the display. Many growers have won AOS awards at these events and the vendors are awesome. A huge thank you to all the members who attended, bought and organized our annual auction. The auction was well attended with 20 of our members there plus approximately 25 other non members. 100 + plants were sold, and the Buy it Now table was a real success. Our financial results will be presented by our treasurer, Matt Pagano. Preparations have begun for our holiday party. Invitations were emailed last week. If you are a paid up member, and haven't received your invitation please see Tobie Parnett. Only paid up members and their guests attend. Please make a pot luck choice. The club will provide the main entrée.

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Please see Luanne Arico to order a shirt. We need six more orders to submit to the vendor as the minimum order is 12. I loved seeing members in their shirts at the auction! Please let our November speaker, Kim Fedderson, know if you want him to bring with him anything from his nursery, Fair Orchids. He has many vandaeous orchids, as well as excellent paphs and phrags. See you on November 16th!

Anne Skalka, Pres. CJOS



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Open one Saturday/month (see below), 10:30ам - 3:00рм Greenhouse: 324 Three Bridges Rd, No sign at the road. Hillsborough, NJ 08844

Do NOT send mail to this address!

Snail mail (USPS): 144 Leland Ave, N. Plainfield, NJ 07062 Approximately once a month email updates go out, listing new arrivals, what is about to bloom, and usually some one of a kind plants; including availability of divisions from my breeding plants.

If you would like to be included on the <u>mailing list</u>, please send a message to fairorchids@aol.com.

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Meetings and Events 2023

Arrive at 6:30. Meeting will start at 7:00PM Meetings are held the **Third Thursday** of the month.

September: Greg Griffis "The Terrific Terrestrials"

October: CJOS Auction

Nov: Kim Fedderson from Fair Orchids

December: Holiday Party

January: Sergey Skoropad

February: TBA

March: TBA

April:

May: "Ásk the experts"

June: CJOS Picnic

Officers and Committees:

President - Anne Skalka

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Details (Maps and Pictures) of Meeting Location on Pages 8-11

October 2023 CJOS Auction

Thank you David Rosenfeld for being the Auctioneer



We projected orchid blooms for the auction plants.

Peristeria elata "David's Dove"





C. mossiae v. alba

A table at the auction

<u>Treasure from our garden sheds.</u> A great way to pass on garden supplies to CJOS members. A mini fundraiser for the society.



A great way to show your support for CJOS. Fo more information on the shirts contact Luann Larico at: Larico@comcast.net





Upcoming Webinars



Brassavola

Beth Martin

Wednesday, November 15th, 2023 8:30 PM EST

AOS Accredited Judge Beth Martin presents Brassavola, a beautiful and graceful orchid



AOS Greenhouse Chat with Ron McHatton Ron McHatton

Thursday, November 16th, 2023 8:30 PM EST

by November 13, 2023.

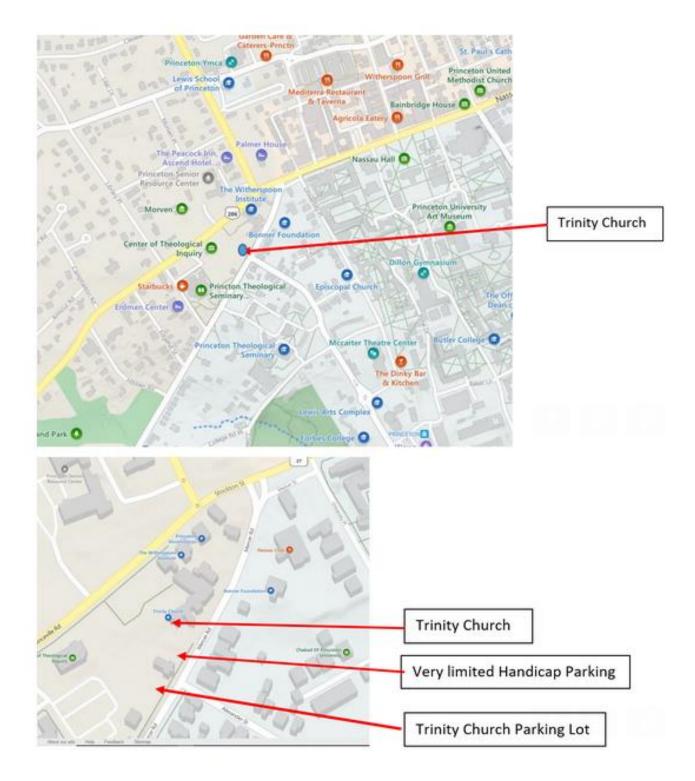
Join Dr. Ron McHatton as he answers your questions about all things orchids. Please send your question and pictures to Sandra Svoboda at greenhousechat@aos.org

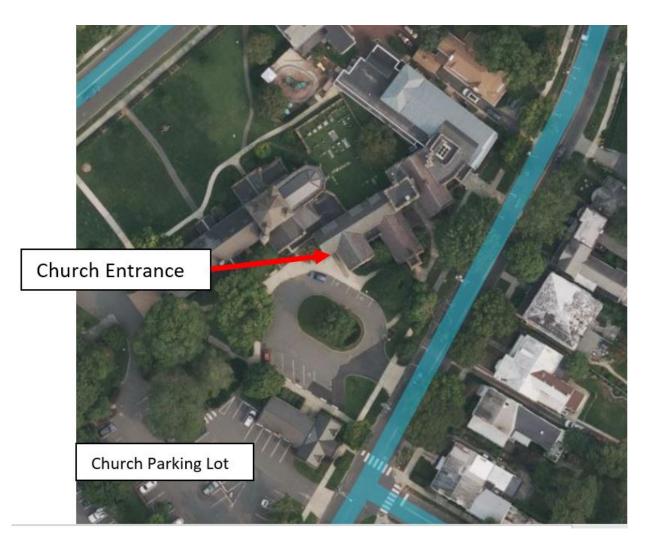
Go to AOS.org for Webinar links and information on orchid culture and care. While you are visting their site, please join AOS. Support this worthy organization.



CJOS Meeting Location Trinity Church 33 Mercer St, Princeton, NJ 08540-6893 (using 47 Mercer St for GPS may pinpoint the parking lot better)

Here are some map locations and pictures (next few pages) to help find the new location. Here is one of the easiest ways to pin point the new meeting location: It is almost directly opposite Alexander Rd. Since it will probably be dark, I have included a few night time pictures of the meeting location.









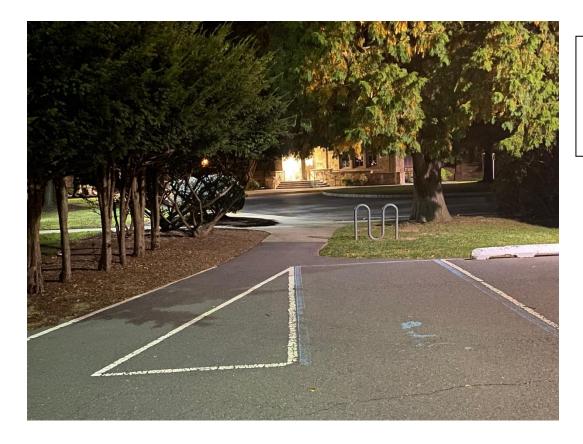
Night Time pictures of meeting location



This view is looking south on Mercer St (away from downtown Princeton) note the crosswalk just before the entrance to the Parking lot.



This view is looking north on Mercer St (toward downtown Princeton)



This view is in the parking lot facing toward the meeting entrance door.

This view is the door (the one that is brightly lit, straight ahead) for the meeting entrance

