

# Windward Orchid News

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Windward Orchid Society's Next Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 1, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. in the King Intermediate School Cafeteria

The Orchid Workshop with Scot Mitamura will start at 7:00 p.m. Don't forget to bring your blooming plants to share with your fellow members

### ORCHID REPOTTING EVENING

Rather than a speaker for the August 1st meeting, we will have a Hands-on Orchid Repotting Evening. This has been popular in the past, and especially at Dot's last Saturday workshop. We all go home with our handiwork.

The board will provide everything except clippers, so please bring your own and make sure to have your name on them.

We will break up into groups, led by board members. We'll announce procedures at the meeting. Fun, Fun, Fun!!!!

### President's Message:

Aloha Everyone

I apologize for not attending our last membership meeting. I had to attend a meeting on Maui. I am sure Hazel did a great job taking my place. Those of you that were able to attend the Installation Banquet know it was a night to remember. I am officially President again for another year and will continue to do my best.



We had a full house at the last workshop. We had a hands on repotting session. What every you could repot you got to take it home, let me tell you I saw boxes full with orchids. I plan to do it again at the August workshop, so if you did not come to the last one, be sure to come to the next one. Hope to see all of you at the next membership meeting.

Ahui Hou! Dot Sakamoto

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### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

General Membership Meeting King Intermediate School Cafeteria Wednesday; August 1, 2012 7:30 p.m.

Orchid Help Session with Scott Mitamura King Intermediate School Cafeteria Wednesday; August 1, 2012 7:00 p.m. Bring your sick orchid!

General Membership Meeting King Intermediate School Cafeteria Wednesday; September 5, 2012 7:30 P.M.

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# Honolulu Orchid Society Show "Galaxy of Orchids"

October 5-7, 2012

Washington Middle School Cafeteria 1633 S. King Street Honolulu, Hawaii

Friday, October 5, 2012 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 6, 2012 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



Sunday, October 7, 2012 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Drop off plants at Dorothy Sakamoto's home on Thursday, October 4, 2012 before 11:30 a.m. Leave Dorothy's home at 11:30 a.m. For more information on set up time, call Dorothy Sakamoto at

236-4104.

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## 合合合合合合合合合合合合合合合合合合 A Orchid Workshop on Saturday, August 11, 2012

We will feature a continuation of the hands-on Repotting of Dot's Orchids, anything you can repot .....you get to take home and grow!!! Session begins at 9:30 am, at Dot's House, 45-663 Luluku road in Kaneohe. For more information, please call Dot Sakamoto at 236-4104.

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### **WOS Corner:**

Our July General Membership Meeting was well attended by 92 members!

House Rule #1 - When a guest speaker is doing his/her presentation, we ask that you be courteous and attentive.

New members, if you have a question about your orchids, please bring them in and we will gladly try to answer any questions you have about them. Please come to the 7:00 pm workshop or come and see Craig Nakahara (fluorescent green WOS shirt)

### AUCTION NIGHT:

November 7, 2012 King Intermediate School Cafeteria 7:30 p.m.

Donations are welcome.

# **CONGRATULATIONS!**

WOS 2012 Orchidist of the Year: Craig Nakahara

WOS 2012 Orchidist of the Decade: Bill and Hilda Takamatsu





Orchid Tip for August: The long summer days are when our orchids are growing the most; so now is the time to make sure that our orchids are well watered and fertilized. A healthy happy orchid is a well fed orchid!

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