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No WOS meeting for the month of December,

Instead we are having our annual Christmas Party at the Sakura Restaurant at Olomana Golf Links on December 6th.

Message from your President

Aloha everyone!

We had a great turn out for our Silent Auction night. I would like to thank Scot and the rest of you who help make this event possible. I would also like to thank all of you that donated not only of your time but your handmade goods, onolicious baked goods and lots and lots of orchid plants.

Many of our members still have not paid their dues. I realize that life gets very hectic and it may be something you overlooked. You are very precious to us and we would hate to have to drop you off our mailing list. If you no longer receive your newsletter it may be because your dues were not paid. If you are not sure, please give me a call and I will check for you. Call me @236-4104. We truly would like you to continue being part of our family and to enjoy our fellowship as well as broadening your knowledge in growing orchids.

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Hospitality Fran Craft I would like to thank Clem for his lecture at our last workshop. We had a packed house and many went home with lots of plants. It's a great feeling to know that the

Windward Orchid Society is doing a great service to our community in fulfilling our mission.

I would like to wish you all a Happy Holidays from myself and the board of the Windward Orchid Society.

Ahui hou! Dot Sakamoto President

Orchid Workshop for December:

This months orchid workshop presenter will be Hazel Basuel, who loves to share her knowledge of orchids with others. She will be talking about "Growing and Caring for Cymbidium's". The WOS workshops are held at our President Dot Sakamoto's House. If you need directions, please call Dot at 236-4104.

Upcoming Events:

- Dec. 3rd No Gen. Mtg
- Dec. 6th WOS Xmas Party at Sakura Rest. At Olomana Golf Course Links
- Dec. 13th-Orchid Workshop on Cymbidiums
- Jan. 7th Gen.
 Mtg at Ben
 Parker Elem.
- Dec. 10th Orchid Workshop





Melekalikimaka Everyone! The Annual WOS Christmas party is this coming week!

Date: Saturday, December 6, 2008

Location: Sakura Restaurant (at the Olomana Golf Links)

(Just past the Bluffs in Kailua, as you heading for

Waimanalo)

Time: 5:00 PM—9:00 PM

Cost: \$20.00 per person (Members/Non-Members)

Bring: A Grab Bag (Valued at \$5.00)

Music by: Joe & Ella Keohohou, Hal Cyrino and Lillian Kapteina

Ukulele) (Guitar) (Keyboard)

Menu: Japanese Yakisoba, Broke Da Mouth Pulehu Short Ribs, Island Toss Salad, AKA Mochiko Chicken, Ono Macaroni Salad, Fresh Misoyaki Salmon, Ultimate Cheese Cake with Caramel Sauce, Tropical Fruit Punch, Hot Tea, Coffee and Ice Tea.

****Final Notice****

Have you forgotten to pay your WOS 2008-2009 membership dues? You are a very important WOS member and we'd hate to lose you as a member due to an over site. We are sending this final reminder as the grace period has expired (You don't want to lose all your WOS benefits). If you aren't sure, you can call Dot at 236-4104. You can send your payment and renewal form to:

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Windward Orchid Plant Sale at Windward Mall

If you are interested in buying some really beautiful orchid plants for yourself, to give away or know someone who'd like to get some; you've got to go down to Windward Mall on December 20th or 21st. Some of our members have reserved an area in the mall and have been there every first Saturday selling orchids, giving advice to people and recruiting new members for the Windward Orchid Society.

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HONOLULU ORCHID SOCIETY 69TH ANNUAL ORCHID SHOW "ORCHID HOLIDAY"

It was the last show of the year for and the various orchid societies did not disappoint orchid novices - masters. In fact the theme of the HOS show lead us into Thanksgiving and Christmas spirit! The WOS display won **2nd overall in the display category** and **the "Best Show Theme Display".** We also garnered a total of 13 awarded plants of which 2 were awarded HOS Awards. Kudos to all WOS members who assisted in the set-up and take-down of the WOS display. Here is a list of the awarded plants and some photos:

Show Trophies and Awards

Lt. Gov's Award - Best Show Theme Display

2nd Place - Best Display Category

Best White Cattleya - Blc. Ong-Ty-Ngo 'Koko Head'

Best Yellow Cattleya - Blc. Beverly Blietz 'Karen' AM HOS/AOS

Best Other Color Cattleya - Lc. Dinard 'Andrea'

Best Vanda in Show - V. sanderiana v. alba

Best Yellow Dendrobium - Den. Burana Fancy 'Lake View Green'

Best Single Flowered Paphiopedilum - Paph. Hsinying Agogo

Best Multi-Flowered Paphiopedilum - Phrag. Living Fire

Best Oncidium/Multi-Generic - Onc. Makalii x sarcodes

Best Spathoglottis - Spa. Primrose

Best Minature in Show - Den. Maiden Charlotte

Best Species - Ceratostylis, rubra 'Elizabeth' CCM HOS

Best Flowering Specimen Plant - Ceratostylis, rubra 'Elizabeth'

CCM HOS

Best Minatures in Minature Displays - Den. Maiden Charlotte

Scot & Karen Mitamura

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Foster Botanical Garden

Scot & Karen Mitamura

Elizabeth Chang

Elizabeth Chang

Scot & Karen Mitamura

Betty Oshima

K & I Tonokawa

Elizabeth Chang

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HOS Merit Awards

Den. Burana Fancy 'Lake View Green' AM - 80.9 pts. Ceratostylis, rubra 'Elizabeth' CCM HOS - 84.2 pts. Scot & Karen Mitamura Elizabeth Chang











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