



Windward Orchid News

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Windward Orchid Society's Next Meeting is scheduled for
Wednesday, October 5, 2011
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 me

Growing a Specimen Plant "Aka Monster Plant" *by Roy Tokunaga*

Did you ever go to an orchid show and see a "Monster" specimen orchid plant and wonder how many years it took to grow it? Well you're in luck, we were very, fortunate to secure Mr. Roy Tokunaga as our featured speaker for the October WOS meeting. It just so happens to be one of his many talents and he will give you some pointers on growing a "**MONSTER SPECIMEN**" plant. He is a graduate from the University of Hawaii in 1973, with a bachelors in education (high school biology). Never got to teach as he was recruited by Ernest Iwanaga to start an orchid lab. He spent his first 7 years cloning and germinating orchids. He left in 1981 to start up H&R Nurseries in Waimanalo with Harry Akagi. He is an accredited AOS judge and has been hybridizing for about 30 years with several thousand hybrids delivered. Most of his work has been hybridizing Dendrobium and Cattleya Alliance.

Orchid Workshop on Saturday, October 8, 2011 All WOS members are welcome to attend our monthly orchid workshop, you can even bring a friend. Just a friendly reminder to all members; although the workshop teaches basic culture for the beginners, we would still like to encourage our novice and master growers to come and share there experiences growing orchids. 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

Upcoming Events:

- ◆ Oct. 5, 2011 Gen Membership Mtg. 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
- ◆ Oct. 8, 2011 WOS workshop at Dot's house at 9:30 am
- ◆ Oct. 7 - 9, 2011, Honolulu Orchid @ Washington Intermediate Sch
- ◆ Nov. 2, 2011 WOS Auction Nite 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm
- ◆ Nov. 12, 2011 WOS workshop at Dot's house at 9:30 am

WOS Officers (2011-2012)

President Dot Sakamoto **Vice-President** Hazel Basuel **Recording Secretary** Jane Laninga
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Message - WOS Membership Comm.

Do you have a WOS membership card? Did you miss place it? New members did you receive one, upon signing up? Are you receiving the WOS newsletter? Are you given a nametag at our monthly meetings?

If you said, "NO" to any of the questions, please come and see us at the next general membership meeting on October 5th.

**New Products Show at NBC
Fri, Oct. 14 - Sun., Oct. 16, 2011**

We are still in need of volunteers to help man the booth. We are trying a different strategy to get a head start on recruiting more members and for building a more positive relationship, and of course to promote our Spring Show. Contact Larry Kamiya at 235-3290 or email him at larry96744@hawaii.rr.com

72nd Annual Orchid Plant and Flower Show Presented by the Honolulu Orchid Society

"PLANET ORCHID"

Date: Friday, Oct. 7th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday, Oct. 8th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday, Oct. 9th 9:00 am - 3:00 pm

*Plant sales end at 2:00 pm on Sunday

Location: Washington Middle School Cafe

WOS show chair - Rae Ordinado

Set-up is on Thursday, Oct. 6th @ 12:00 pm

Bring plants to Dot's by 11:00 am or take them to

Washington Inter by 12:00 pm

Clean up on Sunday, Oct. 9th @ 3:00 pm

(Cut off and return)

Renewal ____

WOS Application

New Member ____

Mail to: Windward Orchid Society, Inc. P.O. Box 23, Kaneohe, HI 96744

Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone No: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Date _____

Amount Enclosed (check one):

- Regular Membership (July 2011 to June 2012) \$20.00
- Regular and Associate (Spouse) Membership (July 2011 to June 2012) \$30.00
- Associate (Spouse only) Membership (July 2011 to June 2012) \$10.00
- Lifetime Membership \$200.00

For WOS Membership Chairperson use only:

Paid by: ____ Check No. _____ Cash: _____ Membership No. _____

2011 WOS Christmas Party

WHEN: Sunday, December 4, 2011
WHERE: Marine Corps Base Hawaii (MCBH) The Club at Koa Malina
TIME: 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Cost: \$30.00 per person

Menu: **Salad:** Chinese Chicken Salad, Oriental Dressing; Island Style Potato Macaroni Salad, Rainbow Jello; Fresh Fruit Salad & Berries in Season (tossed in Honey Yogurt Lime Dressing)
Entrée: Kalbi Style Beef; Chinese Style Roast Chicken; Mahi Mahi Meuniere, Pork Chow Mein
Dessert: White Cake with Buttercreme Frosting
Buffets are served w/Steam White Rice; Vegetable du Jour; Sweet Bread Rolls with Butter; Iced Tea, Kona Blend Coffee and Hot Tea.

Please bring a \$5.00 gift if you would like to participate in the Grab Bag exchange. We will be having piped in music and a raffle road for orchid plants. Each member(s) and guest(s) who DO NOT have access to Marine Corp Base Hawaii please provide the following information, or you will NOT be granted access to the base.

Name(s) print ,first & last, Driver's license OR State ID numbers for all guest 16 years and older:

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$30.00 X _____ = \$ _____

Please submit your payment by November 18, 2012 – No exceptions. Bring your payment to the General Membership Meeting or mail it to: Windward Orchid Society, P.O. Box 23, Kaneohe, HI 96744

Dress code: Men – slacks and collared shirts preferred, dress shorts permitted. Not hats, no rubber slippers. Women-dresses, slacks or skirts and collared or sleeveless shirt (no spaghetti straps) dress shorts permitted. No rubber slippers.

Men and Women – No athletic attire, swimwear or T-shirts permitted. No outside food or beverage allowed. Food cannot be left out for more than 1 & ½ hours from initial service time on the contract. No food or beverage is allowed to be removed from the facilities due to food safety concerns and order from NAVMED.

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