



# Windward Orchid News

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Windward Orchid Society's Next Meeting is scheduled for  
**Wednesday, July 6, 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

## Exotic Paphiopedilums.....AKA Lady Slipper Guest Speaker: Larry Kamiya



Our July speaker Larry Kamiya has a special passion for Paphiopedilums orchids. His plants have won many HOS/AOS awards. An avid Orchidist for over 30 years, he has grown many different types of orchids, hybridized orchids, featured speaker, 2010 WOS president, trustee, 2001 Orchidist of the year and a very active member. Larry's the Executive Manager of Windward Mall and he has a love for painting, you should see his paintings (great artist)!!!

Newly Elected WOS President Dot Sakamoto, Officers and Trustees takes the Oath of office and are ready to tackle the challenges ahead. They want to ensure that WOS stays focused on educating it's members on basic orchid culture (planting, fertilizing, nurturing, watering, proper maintenance (pests, viruses, diseases)), so that they can truly enjoy their orchids and bring them out for judging and for our displays. Also in a strange, but new twist, Walter Hiraishi asked the WOS membership to also take an Oath of membership to support and get more involved with the society through leadership roles, joining a committee, assisting in show display set-up and clean up, being a speaker and finally getting to know your fellow members through sharing of your orchid knowledge or sharing what your interest in orchid culture.

### Upcoming Events:

- ◆ July 6, 2011 Gen Membership Mtg. 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
- ◆ July 9, 2011 Orchid Workshop 9:30 am at Dot's House
- ◆ Aug. 3, 2011 Gen Membership Mtg. 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
- ◆ Aug. 13, 2011 Orchid Workshop 9:30 am at Dot's House

#### WOS Officers (2011-2012)

**President** Dot Sakamoto    **Vice-President** Hazel Basuel    **Recording Secretary** Jane Laninga  
**Treasurer** Sheron Harwood    **Corresponding Secretary** Craig Nakahara

#### Trustees

Elizabeth Ajifu    Ruby Hiraishi    Walter Hiraishi    David Kagawa    Karen Kim    Adam Kono  
Scot Mitamura    Lorenzo Ordinado    Toni Walker

**Director** Larry Kamiya    **Membership** Michele Young & Grace Nishigaya    **Hospitality/Refreshments** Fran Craft

**Ewa Orchid Club Show**

July 8 - 10, 2011

Ewa Elementary School Cafeteria  
Renton Road in Ewa

Friday, July 8, 2011, 9 AM - 6 PM

Saturday, July 9, 2011, 9 AM - 6 PM

Sunday, July 10, 2011, 9 AM - 3 PM

**Do you want to get more involved with in WOS?**

We have many, many opportunities for you to volunteer in: show chairperson or co-chair, Various committee (membership, hospitality, historian, Spring show, activities/excursions, workshops, etc.

We are all volunteers and it only takes a little of your time. Share your talents and skills, by contacting by calling Dot Sakamoto at 236-4104

**Aiea Orchid Society's Orchid and Plant Show**

**Best Society Display 1st Place - Windward Orchid Society**

- Best Ascodentrum or Hybrid - Ascda. Yip Sum Wah 'Flame' FCC/AOS (Chester Shimizu)
- Best Oncidium Alliance - Brs. gireoudiana 'Rainforest' HCC/AOS (Scot & Karen Mitamura)
- Best Single-Flowered Paphiopedilum - Paph. (Hilo Jewel x Hsinying Citron) (Randy Tajima)
- Best Species - Bulb cumingii (Larry Kamiya)
- Best White Cattleya - Lc. Nicole hary 'Majestic' AM/AOS (Scot & Karen Mitamura)
- Best White Dendrobium - Den dearei (Wilbur Chang)
- Best Other Color Dendrobium - Den. Topaziacum (Larry Kamiya)

**2011 Merit Awards**

**Bulb. Cumingii CCM/HOS (83.0pts) Owner Larry Kamiya**

(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

- 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

Paid by: \_\_\_\_ Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_

## 2011 WOS Installation and Recognition Banquet

The WOS Installation and Recognition Banquet started off slow in the planning, due to no banquet facilities being available, however a suggestion of using the King Intermediate Cafeteria turned out to be a diamond in the rough. The WOS board members provided the table decorations and just by luck the King Intermediate School Cafeteria had color fish hanging by the ceiling. 92 WOS members came to the Banquet and enjoyed a fabulous Hawaiian dinner (w\ poki & squid luau). Everyone went home with lovely blooming orchids. Special Awards went to Maxine Lee and Fran Craft (Co-Orchidist of the Year) and David Kagawa (Orchidist of the Decade). It was a truly fulfilling year for outgoing President Larry Kamiya and his board members. See photo's on website!

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King Intermediate  
school's Cafeteria

