

| Central Florida Orchid Society <u>cflorchidsociety.org</u> 2nd Monday, July 8 at 6pm set up, 7pm program Meeting Location: <u>Harry P. Leu Gardens</u> 1920 N Forest Ave., Orlando 32803 | Lori Erlacher, Vice President <u>lori@am-sourcing.com</u> (407) 291-7078 Honorarium: \$150 Accommodations: Club will Book/Pay for Hotel Raffle Plants: \$50 worth of plants, speaker's choice |
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| Jacksonville Orchid Society www.jaxorchidsociety.org 2nd Tuesday, July 9 at 7 pm Meeting Location: <u>Garden Club of Jax</u> 1005 Riverside Ave., Jax 32204 | Lois Rasmussen, Vice President <u>lolarn@bellsouth.net</u> (904) 584-4430 Home, (904) 315-9284 Cell Honorarium: \$150 Accommodations: Member's Home Raffle Plants: none required |
| St. Augustine Orchid Society <u>www.staugorchidsociety.org</u> 2nd Wednesday, July 10 at 6:30 pm Meeting Location: <u>Watson Realty</u> 3505 US 1 South, St. Augustine 32086 | Sue Bottom, Vice President - Programs <u>sbottom15@gmail.com</u> (904) 797-4360 Home, (904) 501-0805 Cell Honorarium: \$150 Accommodations: Sue and Terry Bottom's Home Raffle Plants: \$50 in plants, speaker's choice |

Computer Facilities: If you have a formal presentation, many societies have a computer set-up so all you need is a stick drive to put into the computer. If you developed your program using a Mac, save it to a Windows format. The computer setup cannot open the Mac version. Bring your laptop loaded with your programs just to be safe.

Accommodations: Each Society will provide you with meals and overnight accommodations while you are visiting. They will make arrangements with you before the meeting date.

Raffle Plants and Sales Table: We urge you to bring plenty of heat tolerant plants to the Sales Table because our club members are orchid addicts. All sales receipts are yours. Our speakers are generally quite pleased with the enthusiasm of our members.

Travel Expenses: Each Society typically pays one third of the travel expenses in addition to the standard honorarium. Travel costs are expected to be no more than \$150 per club.

Program Selection: Each club will contact you and let you know what talk they would like to hear. Tom's list of talks includes:

Orchid Growing Tips and Tricks: What the Experts Would Tell You if You Asked (Culture basically...) From Heavenly Blooms to Roadkill Perfumes: Fragrant Orchids and What the Experts Didn't Tell You Warm and Fuzzy Slippers: Not Just Your Mothers Bedroom Shoes Anymore The Wonder Down Under: A "Good on ya, mate!" to Native Australian Orchids The Big Bang Theory: *Phalaenopsis equestris* and Its Hybrids I ♥ Dendrobiums: And Why You Should ♥ them Too. The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly: Latouria Dendrobiums We Love to Hate Baker's Dozen: My Top Thirteen Orchids for Southern Growers Phalaenopsis Section Esmeralda: Bewitching Doritis Species and Hybrids The BBC in America: Not *Downtown Shabby*, but Brazilian Bifoliate Cattleyas

Preorders: If you have a preorder list or set policy for preorders, you can forward it to me and I'll distribute it to each of the clubs.

Breakfast Preferences: The speaker will let us know his breakfast preferences before the meeting date.