

Greetings, an invitation to entice your members, contacts and friends with info on the **71st National Capital Orchid Society ANNUAL SHOW and**

SALE! Over Columbus Day weekend --

NCOS will have thousands of new, exciting orchid varieties!

Thank you as always for your great help in publicizing this much-anticipated event! Best regards, Nancy Burns, PR, ncos.dmv@gmail.com

71st National Capital ORCHID SOCIETY ANNUAL SHOW!

Saturday, October 6 through Monday, October 8, 2018

at **BEHNKE NURSERIES COMPANY, 11300 Baltimore Avenue, Beltsville, MD 20701**



On Columbus Day weekend, the National Capital Orchid Society will present its 71st annual Orchid Show at the Behnke Nurseries Company — **FREE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC!** Plan to visit, see thousands of unique orchid plants in bloom, enjoy educational talks, visit our ‘Orchid Doctor’ to answer questions, visit our Sales Area with 10 top-quality vendors for plant and supply sales, and MUCH MORE! Fall is one of the best blooming seasons for orchids in DC, so come prepared for a wonderful selection of orchids to see and buy!

SHOW SCHEDULE:

(Saturday, Oct. 6 through Monday, Oct. 8)

Saturday and Sunday	9 am – 5:45 pm	Exhibit and sales area open to the public
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Monday	9 am – 3:00 pm	Exhibit and sales area open to the public
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FREE EDUCATIONAL TALKS:

Saturday, October 6

10:00 am		Guided Exhibit Tour
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11:00 am	Sarah Hurdell	Orchids 101 – The Basics
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12:30 pm	Roddy Gabel	Get Comfortable with Slippers
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1:30 pm		Guided Exhibit Tour
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2:30 pm	Stefanie Jarrell	The Dirt on Repotting Orchids
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Sunday, October 7

10:00 am		Guided Exhibit Tour
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11:30 am	Ken Meier	Choosing the Right Orchid for Your Home
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1:00 pm		Guided Exhibit Tour
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2:30 pm	Stephanie Jarrell	The Dirt on Repotting Orchids
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Monday, October 8

12:30 pm	Gene Schurg	Home Orchid Growing – The Basics
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TEN (10) SHOW VENDORS!

For additional information, contact Louis Ross -- ncos.dmv@gmail.com