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# South Carolina Orchid Society

an American Orchid Society Affiliate

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The South Carolina Orchid Society meets at monthly 12:30 PM on the third Sunday at the Garden Club Councils of Greater Columbia building at Maxcy Gregg park (corner of Blossom & Pickens) in Columbia, South Carolina.

For more information, please contact the society's secretary listed above.

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## President's Message

Well, We have just completed another successful orchid show. This was the third straight year the SCOS has teamed up with Riverbanks Zoo for "Orchids on the River Banks". I am still waiting to hear some numbers and feedback from both the Zoo and the vendors, but all indications are that this show is the best so far. Friday afternoon was a madhouse. Both Saturday and Sunday started slow but by the afternoon of both days the crowds were back in full force.

A special thank you to all who helped with setup, takedown, judging and manning the membership booth. There was always someone around to lend a hand. A special thanks to Ed & Bertha Harris for putting in the society's exhibit with help from John & Sandy Lawrence.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the meeting Sunday,

STAN



## January Minutes

The Society settled in for 'business' on Sunday, January 20th to act on a number of proposals.

The first order of old business was society elections. The Nominating Committee presented a slate of potential officers with one modification from that presented in November: Barbara Nichols was added to the slate of board members. The slate was unanimously approved by those members present.

The second order of business was modification of the Society By-Laws to bring them into compliance with IRS requirements for a 501-c(3) not-for-profit educational organization. Copies of the amended By-Laws were mailed to all members in early December, 2007. David Janvrin made a motion to accept the By-Laws as amended; seconded by Bernie Gaudi. The membership passed the motion by acclaim.

Moving to new business, Treasurer Ed Harris presented the Treasurer's Report. A copy of the report was made available at the meeting and is included on the facing page. The Treasurer's Report was accepted without comment. Current funds available will be adequate to carry the Society through the show, spring auction & funding for speakers' expenses through the year.

The discussion for January was led by Stan Hutto and focused on design aspects of orchid exhibition and the features judges look for when assessing the displays. The presentation also included information on preparation of plants for display. The discussion was quite lively! Members brought in a wonderful array of orchids in bloom for enjoyment and discussion.

## February Meeting

January was a busy month for the SCOS and its members! We had our first meeting of the year (minutes above) before several lucky members sped off to South Florida for the 19th World Orchid Conference. This huge gathering is held every three years in a different location across the globe.

And, of course, as I write this we've just completed the 2008 Riverbanks Orchid Festival. More than a thousand visitors from throughout the Carolinas & Georgia descended on the Riverbanks Garden for the event. We even had attendees from as far away as Florida, Ohio, Indiana & Virginia this year!

Lucky us, Stan Hutto was at both events snapping away to bring us back pictures for a travelogue for the February meeting. While I'm quite proud of the SCOS show, I can't wait to see what went on down at the WOC in Miami!

We'll also have several guests joining us who heard about the Society at the Orchid Festival. Please be sure to make them welcome & show them what a great group of people we are.

Please remember to bring plants for the Show Table.

### 2008-09 Officers

PRESIDENT	STAN HUTTO
VICE PRESIDENT	CINDY ADAMS
SECRETARY	DAVID JANVRIN
TREASURER	ED HARRIS

### Board Members:

EDDIE WEIGLE  
JOE RHODARMER  
JOHN HARDAWAY  
BARBARA NICHOLS



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- Joint\* ..... \$20
- Student ..... \$10
- Commercial ..... \$25

\* 2 people at same address

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Membership Information  
(please PRINT clearly)

- I am an AOS member

The South Carolina Orchid Society meets in the Garden Club Councils of Greater Columbia Building immediately behind Maxcy Gregg Park at the intersection of Blossom & Pickens streets in Columbia, SC.

For Mapquest or GPS devices, use the address 1650 Park Circle, Columbia, SC.

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### Treasurer's Report, January 2008

<b>ON DEPOSIT IN BANKS (BEGINNING)</b>		\$6,695.18
Bank of America CD, 5yr, Mat. 8/5/09	\$4,030.05	
Bank of America Checking	2,665.13	
<b>RECEIPTS</b>		\$327.00
Auction Judging Ctr / Cash	\$112.00	
Dues	215.00	
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>		\$186.23
Copies & postage, ByLaws & mailings	64.23	
Filing Fee, Sec. State	10.00	
Auction Judging Ctr / Transfer	112.00	
<b>ON DEPOSIT IN BANKS (ENDING):</b>		\$6,835.95
Bank of America CD, 5yr, Mat. 8/5/09	\$4,030.05*	
Bank of America Checking	2,805.90	
<b>NET CHANGE FROM NOV. 10, 2007</b>		<b>+\$140.77</b>

\* Does not include accumulated interest of \$387.89 as of 04/04/07.

Please mail checks payable to SCOS.  
Give to Ed at the January meeting or  
mail to his home address:

EDWARD E. HARRIS, TREASURER, SCOS

DECEMBER 31

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## Notes of Note

- Jan 30 - Southeastern Flower Show, Georgia World Conference Center, Hall C, Atlanta, GA. [www.flowershow.org](http://www.flowershow.org).  
Feb. 3
- Feb. 8-10 South Carolina Orchid Society Show, Riverbanks Zoo and Botanical Garden, 1300 Botanical Garden Pkwy, West Columbia, SC. Contact: Stan Hutto, (803) 359-3680; [hucks@sc.rr.com](mailto:hucks@sc.rr.com)
- Feb. 27 - North Carolina Piedmont Orchid Society Show, Charlotte Merchandise Mart, 2500 E. Independence Blvd.,  
Mar. 3 Charlotte, NC

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