

Orchid Growers and Suppliers

Most of these growers welcome visitors, however, please confirm the date and time of your visit in advance.

Larry's Orchids

Lawrence Smith
50630 Bell Fort Ct.
New Baltimore MI 48047
586-648-8290
larrysorchids.com

Little Frog Farm

Rob Halgren
P.O. Box 261
Stockbridge MI 49285
517-851-4472
littlefrogfarm.com

Michel Orchid Nursery

Erich Michel
250 E Greencastle Rd
Mooresville IN 46158
317-831-6902

Natt's Orchids

Prayool and Anchalee Inboriboon
24645 W 103rd Street
Naperville IL 60564
630-904-0947
nattsorchids.com

Oak Hill Gardens

Mr. Greg Butler
37W 550 Binne Rd
Dundee IL 60118
847-428-8500

Orchid Inn Ltd.

Sam Tsui
18218 US Hwy 150
Bloomington IL 61704
309-662-2386
orchidinnusa.com

Porter's Orchids

Bill Porter
10868 N Royston Rd
Grand Ledge MI 48827
517-622-4188
portersorchids.com

Roberts Flower Supply

12390 Root Rd
Columbia Station OH 44028
440-236-5571

Windsong Orchids

Mr. Shane Fletcher
14N456 Facility Rd
Sycamore IL 60178
847-683-2139

Windswept in Time

Edgar and Kim Stehli
8066 Skyline Drive
Broadview Hts, OH 44147
440-838-5757
Email: edgarstehli@sbcglobal.net

Zephyrus Orchids

John Doherty
2533 Byng
Windsor, ON, Canada N8W361
zephyrusorchids.com

Orchid Talks

These 30-minute talks are free and include a variety of orchid topics for the beginning to experienced orchid enthusiast. They will be held in the lower level.

Saturday, January 24

11 am: How to Purchase and Care for an Orchid, Kirt Oliver, GVOS
1 pm: How to Grow Tropical Slipper Orchids, Marilyn Goodson, GVOS
3 pm: How to Repot an Orchid, Jacki Kropf, GVOS

Sunday, January 25

1 pm: Easy Orchids, Alice Otter, GVOS
2 pm: Organic Pest Control for Orchids, Jade VanderVelde, GVOS
3 pm: How to Repot an Orchid, Jill Wood, GVOS

Show Tours

At 2 pm meet near the Grand Valley Orchid Society's hospitality table and see some of the most fascinating and beautiful orchids in the show.

Kids' Art Corner

From 1-4 pm, kids can create an orchid picture using colorful paper. Located in the Grand Atrium.

Welcome

The Grand Valley Orchid Society and Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park would like to welcome you to our annual Orchid Show for 2009.

All of the orchids, exhibits, artwork, and collectibles are judged on Saturday morning by a panel of international judges. Ribbons and trophies are awarded to the best orchids in their class. Trophies are also awarded to the best exhibits. The highly coveted American Orchid Society Award, which recognizes cultural merit and outstanding flower form, is awarded to orchids that are the "best of the best" on an international level. GVOS sincerely thanks the participants and judges who have braved the cold to help make our show a success.

If you have any questions, our Orchid Society members are roaming about the show just hoping you will ask them.

Frederik Meijer Gardens and Sculpture Park

Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park features Michigan's largest tropical conservatory; the nation's most comprehensive carnivorous plant house; five-acre children's garden and other outdoor gardens; indoor galleries with groundbreaking sculpture exhibitions; the Midwest's most significant outdoor sculpture experience; a café and a gift shop. For more information on membership at Meijer Gardens contact the membership office at 616-977-7689

Grand Valley Orchid Society Membership Application
Annual dues are \$15 for an individual and \$25 for a family membership.

Individual Membership Family Membership

Name (please print)

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Email address

Are you currently growing orchids? Yes No

If yes, where do you grow them?

On a windowsill In a greenhouse Under lights Other

Are you interested in specific types of orchids? If so, which ones?

Please complete the form and turn it in at the Grand Valley Orchid Society information desk during the show or mail it to:

GVOS, c/o Joan Shipalia, 2139 Chesapeake NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49505

Grand Valley Orchid Society Mission

We, the members of the Grand Valley Orchid Society, seek to further the enjoyment of orchids through education by means of pictures, plant demonstrations and in the sharing of cultural information. We also desire to be good stewards of our environment in order to preserve orchids, and their habitats for the pleasure of future generations.

About GVOS

The GVOS meets monthly, September through May, at Meijer Gardens, 1000 East Beltline Avenue. Our meetings include review of orchid related events in the area, discussion of new ideas in the orchid world, occasional plant sales, display and discussion of members' plants and frequent guest speakers.

Our library of books and videos is available at most meetings. Our newsletter gives details of events, articles, orchid news and much more.

Check the GVOS website for more information. grandvalleyos.org

Contact GVOS

President: Mei Ling Clemens
231-766-0136

Member Chair: Larry Larkin
269-795-3646



The Grand Valley Orchid Society Presents the 11th Annual

Orchid Show

Saturday & Sunday
January 24-25, 2009

Orchid Displays:

Saturday and Sunday Noon-5 pm

Orchid Vendors:

Saturday 9 am-5 pm, Sunday Noon-5 pm

Free lectures for the novice and advanced orchid grower



FREDERIK MEIJER Gardens & Sculpture Park