

Mobile Area Orchid Society

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Auction

At this meeting we will auction off several of the orchids left over from the Christmas Party. Bring cash or check and be ready



B/c, George King

'Southern Cross'



Meeting 01/08/2015 location is at Christ United Methodist Church 6101 Grelot Rd. Mobile room A201 at 6:30PM. See last page for link to map and directions.

Up coming orchid shows

Gulf Coast Orchid Society: 01/30/2015 - 02/01/2015

Times: Friday Noon-7pm, Saturday 11am-7pm, Sunday 11am-3:30pm

Location: Gautier Convention Center, 2012 Library Lane, Gautier, Ms.

Mobile Area Orchid Society: 27 February through 01 March 2015.

Friday 8AM to 5PM. Saturday 8AM to 5PM. Sunday 9AM to 3PM

Bellingrath Gardens and Home 12401 Bellingrath Gardens Rd. Theodore, Al.

This is the last meeting before the Gulf Coast Orchid Society show. Please look at your orchids and give us an idea of how many you may be able to enter into our display. Remember that our display is only 50 square feet and in some cases we may have to limit the number of orchids in the display. Please bring your orchids and let the Show Chair and the persons installing the display make the decision.

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From the Presidents Desk

Happy New Year Everyone!

It is my hope that you ended 2014 on a pleasant note, and my prayer that you are getting 2015 off to a good start.

Last year was definitely a learning (and trying) year for most of us, with pests, disease, and growing in general. But hey, we have overcome! Haven't we?

I am looking forward to the coming year with you and our orchids because each year is better than the last. So let's each of us start this year with a great positive attitude about MAOS and how we can help it to prosper.

Happy Growing!

See you Thursday.

Beverly



Program for 01/08/2015

Since the Gulf Coast Orchid Society show is right around the corner this month's program is on preparing for the show. Glen will advise us on filling out the entry tag (which must be on each orchid to be judged) and preparing the orchid for the show. The second attachment in the email contains tags for you to cut out and practice on. If you are not sure how to fill out the tag then write down the name of your orchids and their parentage (check orchid whiz, or Google it) and we will work on it at the meeting. Remember we want the entry tag and the name tag on the orchid when it is placed in the exhibit.

Don't forget to send me pictures of your orchids or favorite article for our website and newsletter.

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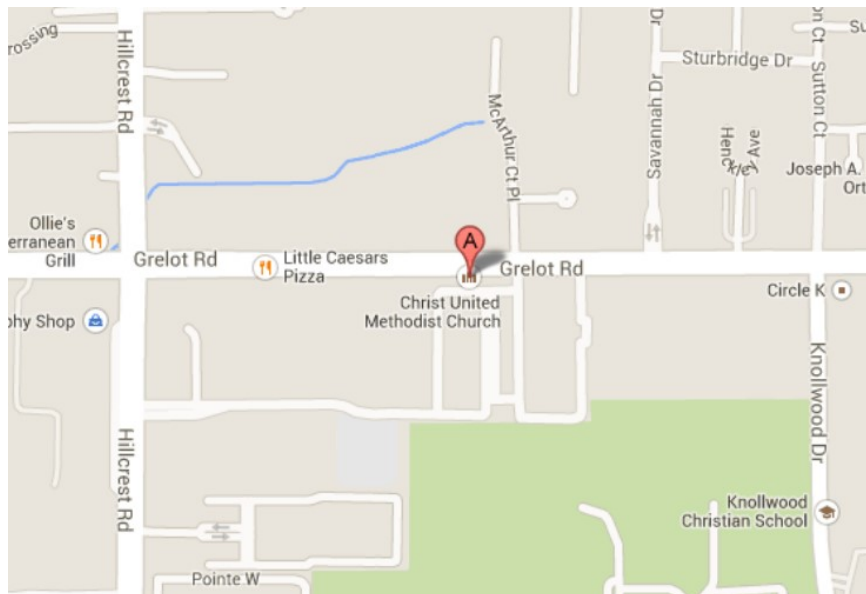
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Remember Show and Tell. Bring your blooming orchids and share your information about the orchid.

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Christ United Methodist Church map

Click [here](#) for a larger campus map of Christ United Methodist Church Room A201 directly behind the Sanctuary. You may be able to enter the building at the end opposite the Sanctuary. This is where Beverly and I entered last time we were here in room A204.



The picture on the right is from the MAOS 2014 show where we won the **Show Trophy for the most Outstanding Exhibit.**

How about a repeat!

We need your orchids for the GCOS and MAOS shows.

