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**Manatee Orchid
Society**
Bradenton, Florida



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The Manatee Orchid Society of Bradenton Florida

Invitation

If you are fascinated by the exotic beauty of orchids and would like to learn more about how to grow them successfully in our Florida climate, the Manatee Orchid Society invites you to attend our monthly meetings.

We meet on the Second Tuesday of each month at 7 PM at the Bradenton Woman's Club at 1705 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida.

Typically, we have a short business meeting, followed by a fellowship/networking break and light refreshments. This is usually followed by a guest speaker or cultural program, a members orchid display, and often, a raffle. You also will have a good opportunity to acquire surplus member plants at reasonable prices. This is an excellent way to increase your collection.

If the guest speaker is a grower, they will often bring unusual and beautiful plants we can purchase.

A newsletter is published monthly.

For current information, go to:

www.manateeorchidsociety.com

More about us...

We are a non-profit society, affiliated to the American Orchid Society. We were founded in 1962, dedicated to:

- Provide opportunities to enjoy and appreciate the beauty of the many varieties.
- Promote the wider cultivation and propagation of orchids by practical demonstration and extending knowledge.
- Particularly also promote knowledge of their ecological requirements.
- Provide a forum for disseminating research results and the latest taxonomical thinking and
- Promote fellowship among those interested in orchids.

Various society activities are held annually including field trips, an officer inaugural dinner, displays/shows, visits to greenhouses, local shows and nurseries, picnics and social events at members homes.

We also maintain an extensive orchid library for member use.

Membership Application

Name _____ Phone: _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Dues: Individual/\$25 Family/\$30 Junior/\$10 Organization/\$30 Life/\$200