

# Missouri Valley African Violet Council NEWSLETTER

Winter 2021



## President's Message...

Greetings All,

I hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving with your family. My family held a reunion in Memphis, and it was really nice to be with all of them.

Hopefully the coming year will bring some hope of overcoming this pandemic so that we will be able to have meetings and shows and allow us to get together as a group once again.

Now is a good time to be putting down leaves and repotting plants for shows and sales in the coming year. Please let Scott know if your club is planning a show and/or sale this coming year.

I wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Nancy Moerer, President

## A Word From Our Convention Chair and Treasurer...



#### "A Carnival of Violets"

The report for the treasury is a short one, we again have not had much for activity. Timing was terrible with the delta virus breakout in the Omaha and Kansas City area which forced us to postpone our fall show.

The hotel was very understanding and worked with us to reschedule for 2022. They did ask for a \$500 down payment, though, to hold our reservation, which we will get back when we actually have our show. The only expense that I am aware of and will be coming up soon will be our AVSA insurance, that will be \$252. I have not checked on our invested savings since June so I was not able to update that on that report.

Let's continue to hope we will have a more normal year in 2022.

#### Randy G Deutsch, Convention Chairman & Treasurer

## From the Editor...



Hi Everyone! I was able to attend my first show in what seems like forever. Heart of America Gesneriad Society had their show and sale in October along with their local begonia society. I will share some photos on the next page. I have a few babies coming up from a begonia leaf I started from that weekend and of course a new tray of gesneriads that have settled happily into their new home.

The show was wonderful, but I had almost forgotten how valuable the

in between times are— catching up with everyone once everything's in place while waiting for placement... eating together inevitably sharing growing tips and your favorite varieties and stories from past shows... once judging is over, watching over the sales room, having one-on-one conversations and getting to know surprising things about the people you grow and share plants with. These are my favorite parts of our events and I hope we have more very soon.

Take care of your plants, yourselves and each other.

#### Scott Ammann, Newsletter Editor

## A Few Photos from the Heart of America Gesneriad Society

## Show and Sale...





Above: Streptocarpus 'Drake' grown by Linda Hall Left: Columnea linearis 'Purple Robe' grown by Linda Hall Below: Winners table and showroom



## Upcoming Shows and Events

**Nothing for now...** But stay tuned!



Income Statement			
11/30/2021			
REVENUES:			
Sales	\$ 51.00		
Over/Short Cash Box	\$ -		
Less: Sales Tax	\$ -		
Total Sales		\$ 51.00	
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Spring Meeting	\$ -		
Auction	\$ -		
Awards	\$ 143.50		
Fall Show Registration	\$ -		
Fall Show Banquet Fall Show School	\$ -		
Fall Show School	\$ -		
	\$ - \$ 367.50		
Membership Dues Interest	\$ 367.50		
Total Other Revenue	- Φ	\$ 511.00	
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Total Revenues		\$ 562.00	
EXPENSES:			
Insurance	\$ -		
Dues/Fees	\$ -		
Spring Meeting	\$ -		
Speaker Expenses	\$ -		
Fall Show Expenses	\$ 500.00		
Fall Banquet Expenses	\$ -		
Reimburse Sales	\$ 40.80		
Fall Judges's School Expenses	\$ -		
Awards	\$ -		
Donations	\$ -		
Website Expenses	\$ -		
Historian Expenses	\$ -		
Newsletter Expenses	\$ -		
Bank Charges	\$ -		
Total Expenses		\$ 540.80	

Balance Sheet 11/30/2021		
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Checking Account Savings Account	5,650.36 5.00	
Meeting Cash Box	5.00	
	-	
Prepaid Expense Charles Schwab CDs	-	
Charles Schwab CDs	8,319.75	
Total ASSETS:	13,975.11	
Prepaid Fall Show-Downpayment	(500.00)	
Deferred Awards	143.50	
Total Current Liabilities:	<u>(356.50)</u>	
NET ASSETS:		
Unrestricted Net Assets	14,331.16	
TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS:	13,975.11	
NOTE:		
Charles Schwab CD's;		
Balance 6/30/19 = \$5,817.05		
Balance 8/31/19 = \$5,812.07		
Add 2K 10/16/19 = \$7,812.15		
Balance 10/31/19 = \$7,826.92		
Balance 12/31/19 = \$7,873.16		
Balance 03/31/20 = \$8,089.87		
Balance 09/30/20 = \$8,320.08		
Balance 10/30/20 = \$8,299.22		
Balance 4/30/21 = \$8,306.37		

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