

## About Us

The Southern Tier Orchid Society (STOS) was founded the 1960s and began to blossom in 1986, when an enthusiastic group of orchid growers arrived to the gorgeous Finger Lakes Region of New York and stimulated the society's growth. Presently the club membership includes about 70 people who come from a radius of 70 miles or more. Our monthly meetings, now in our new location in Vestal, NY, are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month from Sept - May. In Jan and Feb we do Zoom meetings. Our meetings include either an invited speaker, workshops, or twice a year (spring and fall) a plant auction, to bring orchids to members and funds to the club. Most years an American Orchid Society (AOS) judged orchid show is held in spring. The club also displays in the CYNOS show in the fall and GROS in the spring.

Membership is \$20/year/family and includes a free orchid at our Holiday Party in December. We hope to restart our summer picnic this year. More information can be found on this website. We hope to welcome you as a new member to our Society.

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