



## The Victoria Orchid Society's Annual Orchid Auction

will be held at the general meeting on **Monday April 24<sup>th</sup>** at the Gordon Head United Church Hall. There will be many lovely plants on the auction block. Last year more than 100 plants were sold and there were some fantastic bargains. Non-members are welcome. It is a great opportunity for growers to try a different species or just add to their collection.

**This sale is open to the public** and it is an opportunity to select orchids from a wide range of species, not available in local stores. Photos will be projected on a screen for those plants not currently in bloom as the plants go up for sale.

Bidding paddles and detailed instruction on the procedure will be available at the information table at the entrance to the hall. Those wishing to bid on plants must sign out a paddle and collect instructions. Attendees may browse the plants on the auction tables starting at 6:30 p.m. The bidding will start soon after 7:00 p.m.

A list of those plants currently listed for the auction by mid-April will be posted on the VicOS website. More will be added to the end of this list right up until the day of the auction, however the lot numbers listed for the original list of plants will stay the same.

