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President's Message

Spring has sprung and blooms are coming in hot. My growing room has not seen as many blooms as last year, after a July catastrophe that had me losing my entire AV and gesneriad collection and throwing away a third of my collection in December due to INSV.



Minh Bui, MAAVS President

Some of you have reached out to me and are going through the INSV nightmare yourself. Know that all of us at MAAVS are on high alert and hopefully some of you were able to take advantage of the partially subsidized INSV test roll out these last couple weeks. Stay vigilant and continue to monitor your plants regularly. Please take a look at the INSV article on page 14.

This year's MAAVS convention promises to be packed full of events and wonderful exhibits. Please take a look at the treasurer's report on page 6 in this issue, where you will see the cost of holding our annual convention in November exceeded our income. This is the fiscal reality that many organizations like our's now face as the market tries to compensate for lost revenue throughout the pandemic. Of course, this means the increased cost will be passed onto our members. To help with the situation, I encourage you to save by registering before the September 1st early bird deadline. We are working closely with the hotel to finalize the last few items that will make it onto the registration form, and will make that available ASAP to reduce any potential economic hardship.

Though this year's convention is secured, we are now on the lookout

for a new and hopefully more affordable location and option for MAAVS 2024. If anyone has any pointers or suggestions, or would like to head a campaign for the search, please let me or one of the other board members know.

The problems we experienced in January regarding access to our web sites www.maavs.org and www.midatlanticafricanvioletsociety.org have finally been resolved, and everything is working fine.

Finally, with AV and gesneriad shows almost every weekend this spring, please remember to have fun, be safe, and quarantine your precious purchases! Please utilize the MAAVS Facebook group page to showcase your plants, grow room, and introduce yourself. These safe spaces were created for you, so please use them!

Cheers, Minh Bui, MAAVS President
minhbui82@hotmail.com

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Former MAAVS Presidents:

Diane Richardson	1991 - 1995
Sue Hoffmann	1995 - 1999
Linda Abplanalp	1999 - 2001
Ken Barbi	2001 - 2005
Rodney Barnett	2005 - 2007
Rich Follett	2007 - 2011
Joan Santino	2011 - 2015
Brenda Petry	2015 - 2017
Sue Hoffmann	2017 - 2022
Minh Bui	2022 - Present

Affiliate Activities



Affiliates, please keep us updated with your activities so we can publish them.

- Richmond AV Society Show and Sale at the Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden in Richmond, Virginia, **April 1 - 2, 2023**
- Delaware African Violet and Gesneriad Society Display and Plant Sale Saturday, **April 1, 2023** 10 AM to 4 PM Boscov's Department Store Christiana Town Center Route 273 Christiana, Delaware, 19702 Info: Bobbie LaFashia rlafash@comcast.net
- Tidewater AV Society Show and Sale at the Botanical Gardens in Norfolk, Virginia, on **April 22 - 23, 2023**
- AVS of Springfield Show and Sale at the Marple Public Library in Broomall, Pennsylvania, **April 29 - 30, 2023**
- Garden State AV Club Show and Sale at the Mercer County Community College, 1200 Old Trenton Road, West Windsor, NJ, Saturday: Noon - 4 PM. Info April Van Ness bvanliz@aol.com on **May 6, 2023**
- Baltimore AV Club Show and Sale (Location TBD) Info Rodney Barnett rbscmn@comcast.net on **May 12 -13, 2023**
- AV Club of Burlington County Annual Judged Show and Sale at the Burlington County Lyceum of History and Natural Sciences 307 High Street, Mount Holly, NJ. Info Blanche Renz bfrenz2000@yahoo.com, **May 20, 2023**
- AVSA Convention in Atlanta, GA on **May 28 - June 4, 2023** africanvioletsocietyofamerica.org/particpate/2023-convention
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MAAVS Collection Rosette

The MAAVS Collection Rosette for an exhibit consisting of three African violets of the same type (standard, miniature, semiminiature, trailer [standard, miniature, or semiminiature], or species) is available to affiliate clubs.

These plants must be entered by a MAAVS member and need not be AVSA-registered varieties. Each plant will be point scored in accordance with *The African Violet Society of America Handbook For Growers, Exhibitors, and Judges 2022 Edition*, and awarded a ribbon as merited. To exhibit, you **must** be a MAAVS member.



For an Affiliate to order a rosette, please contact **Minh Bui** at 1311 Ardennes Avenue, Rockville, MD 20851, and remit **\$5.00** with each request. If you have unused rosettes from previous years, you may request new score sheets at no cost, use the score sheets from the AVSA Entries Program, or download score sheets from www.midatlanticafricanvioletsociety.org For additional information, or to check on a request, call me at 301.442.2679, or E Mail me at minhbui82@hotmail.com

2022 MAAVS Actual Income & Expenses

2022 Income

Bank Account Interest	\$ 83.38
Membership Dues	540.00
MAAVS Rosettes for Affiliates	0.00
Convention Income (See Note 1)	7,888.00
Advertising	70.00
MAAVS Pins	5.00
Lanyard Name Tag Pouches	10.00
Silent Auction	605.00
Sales Tables	216.00
Cash Awards	1,625.00
Meals	3,367.00
Registration	1,480.00
Tours	510.00
Total 2022 Income	\$ 8,511.38

2022 Expense

Bank Account Related Charges	\$ 208.05
AVSA Annual Membership Dues	35.00
New Web Domain Name and Hosting Change	76.95
MAAVS Memo (Toner, Postage, Paper, etc.)	276.37
Insurance	0.00
Convention Total Cost (See Note 1)	11,554.13
Hotel Costs for Meals, etc.	7,307.37
Refund to Leslie Sweezey	200.00
Postage	128.48
Vista Print	313.18
Name Tags	16.21
Convention Booklets	267.54
Judges and Clerks Gifts	195.00
Cash Awards	2,075.00
Tours	540.00
Hospitality	108.54
Ribbons	358.13
Head Table	44.68
Total 2022 Expense	\$12,150.50

Respectfully submitted by, Linda Stinnette, Treasurer

2022 loss of \$ 3,639.12 was covered by the MAAVS Treasury
(\$ 12,150.50 - \$ 8,511.38 = \$ 3,639.12)

Note 1: Our Convention loss of \$3,666.13 is the cause of our annual budget loss
(\$ 11,554.13 - \$ 7,888.00 = \$ 3,666.13)

2023 MAAVS Budget

Expected 2023 Income

Bank Account Interest	\$ 1.23
Membership Dues (Note 1)	1,700.00
MAAVS Pins	5.00
MAAVS Rosettes for Affiliates	5.00
Contributions from Life Members (Note 2)	1,708.14
Lanyard Name Tag Pouches	10.00
Convention Income (Note 3)	10,547.50
Total Expected 2023 Income	\$13,976.87

Expected 2023 Expenses

AVSA Annual Membership Dues	\$ 35.00
MAAVS Memo (Toner, Postage, Paper, etc.)	276.37
Insurance	408.00
Convention Total Cost	13,257.50
Hotel Costs for Meeting Space	\$ 2,250.00
Vendor Tables	450.00
Skirting Tables	980.00
Meals	5,062.50
Ribbons	200.00
Advertising	200.00
Mailing Awards Letters	100.00
Convention Booklet	270.00
Judging School Expenses for Joyce Stork	400.00
Judges and Clerks	200.00
Goodie Bags	175.00
Staging	200.00
Cash Awards:	2,770.00
Member funded awards	2,000.00
Best MAAVS Collection	50.00
2 nd Best MAAVS Collection	20.00
Best in Show Horticulture	50.00
Best in Show Design	50.00
Best in Class (\$10.00 each)	600.00

Total Expected 2023 Expenses **\$13,976.87**

Respectfully submitted by, Linda Stinnette, Treasurer

Note 1 -- Membership Dues will increase as of March 1, 2023, to \$25 for members; and \$30 for Joint, Commercial, and Affiliate members.

Note 2 -- Minh will be sending letters for Life Members asking for their financial support.

Note 3 -- Convention Meal costs will not be subsidized in 2023, Convention Registrations fees will be set at \$55 for Early Bird Registrations and after September 1st will be \$65, and Commercial and Ways and Means table fees will increase to \$30 per table.

MAAVS Bank Balance (with all convention checks cleared) as of January 24, 2023, is \$ 7,908.71



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zoom Board of Directors' Meeting on February 11, 2023

February 11, 2023, Meeting was called to order by President Minh Buhi at 5:10pm with 9 members in attendance. The minutes from the 12/18/2022 zoom meeting were read.

Ken Barbi spoke about our websites and gave a brief rundown of the issues with the current hosting service (iPage.com). Their service interruption is currently being investigated by the Federal Trade Commission and the FBI Cyber Crimes Division. He has transferred the hosting of our two websites (and Dixie's web site) to another company (InMotionHosting.com) so that MAAVS shares the cost for hosting websites with Dixie through the service he uses. MAAVS can now be found under www.MAAVS.org or www.midatlanticafricanvioletsociety.org

Linda Stinette provided a report of \$7,908.71 as the account balance as of January 24, 2023, our deposit for the hotel has already been paid for November 2023 and all the expenses paid out for the 2022 convention have cleared out account.

Sandy Pines reported that the 2023 contract with the hotel has been signed and she has a contract for 2024 (securing dates of October 30 through November 3, 2024). For the 2024 show they offered a room rate lock in at \$122. Only a \$3.00 increase over the 2023 rate, all other prices would be the same. At this time the board has decided to hold off on signing the contract for 2024 as there are some concerns about having the funds to have a show in 2024.

It was brought up that Sandy will not be holding the position of Convention Chair for the 2024 year and that we would need someone to volunteer and begin working on plans for the location if we want to have a show in 2024.

Old Business:

Advertisement postcards will be printed to advertise the show and sent out to vendors to send out with orders and be sent out to shows to hand out at their local shows.

INSV test kits, it was confirmed that we have met and exceeded the number of tests needed to get the discount rate, Minh is going to reach back out to the company and see what the discount rate will be with the number of tests he is going to order. Minh will be sending out an email to the affiliate club

members that placed their order with the final price per kit as well as an estimated ship date, right now he is anticipating that to be early March.

The Facebook poll showed that the 2023 show theme will be Violets in the Animal Kingdom, Sue H. made a motion to follow through with the online vote and Ken B. seconded it and was agreed by all. Linda K. will work with Sue H. to update the show schedule and submit it for approval.

New Business:

Minh reviewed the balance sheet from the 2023 show and pointed out that the show costs MAAVS a total of \$ 3,441 and that if we did not increase prices to raise \$ 5,441 we would not be able to afford to hold a show in 2024.

A motion was made by Jackie L. that the price increases below would go into place immediately, the motion was seconded by Linda K. and all attended agreed.

Membership dues \$25.

Joint Membership dues \$30.

Commercial Membership dues \$30.

Affiliate Membership dues \$30.

Convention registration fee would be \$55 - early bird rate, \$65 after a date that will be determined soon.

It was also agreed that MAAVS will no longer pay any percentage of the meals for the members at convention, we estimate that this will save us approximately \$600 to \$700.

Linda K. will print the posters at no cost for the hotel to be displayed to bring attention to the show, this should save us about \$150 to \$200.

Sue H. brought up a concern about the commercial vendors not charging sales tax and this is going to be investigated moving forward.

Other ways to raise funds were discussed, Linda K. mentioned a raffle, Jackie L. mentioned a sort of make-n-take project event for anyone that signs up and pays a small fee, this would be opened to the public and advertised with a sign up required prior to the show. Ken B. mentioned sending a letter to life-

members asking for donations, Minh will draft and email a personal letter to the life-members.

There will be another board meeting held on April 15th at 5pm via zoom, a link will be sent out much closer to the date.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:58pm.

Respectfully submitted, Jackie Leitzel, Secretary

Board of Directors' Meeting on December 18, 2022

Zoom Meeting called to order at 2:12 by President Minh Bui with 11 members attended.

Treasurer report given by Linda Stinnette the balance as of November 21, 2022, bank statement is \$9,361.08 – all hotel expenses from the show have been paid

New Business:

It was agreed upon that Minh will revise the artwork on the postcard for advertising the show. Postcards will be printed and sent out to different affiliate clubs to pass out at their shows as well as sent to vendors to send out with their orders. A motion by Linda Stinnette was made to approve this and seconded by Rodney Barnett. In 2022 a total of 750 postcards were ordered.

2023 Convention will be held in Baltimore MD, Jackie Leitzel made a motion to lock in the hotel for the 2023 convention at the same hotel and was seconded by Linda Stinnette – all approved.

The hotel wanted \$130/night Sandy was able to negotiate it down to \$119/night. A total of 77% of the rooms have to be booked, we don't anticipate that being an issue as we hit our target in 2022.

Vendor/Ways and Means table rentals will be going up to \$30 per table verse 2022 rates at \$15 per table.

In 2022 we were not charged for linen rentals we will be charged in 2023 and the rental fee will be \$25.65 per table increasing the cost for 2023 by \$1,256.85

The hotel has guaranteed us a minimum of 3 handicap rooms, they wanted to charge us for electricity into the sales room for the vendors, Sandy was able to negotiate that out.

Vendors were happy with the sales in 2022, and Sandy will check with the hotel to see if they will give us any kind of discount if we book 2024 with them as well.

It was discussed that we would offset some of the added costs by raising the Registration Fee to \$45 and that there will be a \$5 charge to enter the show for non-registered attendees. A sign-up sheet will be set up for MAAVS members to take turns setting at the entrance welcoming guests and collecting the entry fee.

2023 show dates will be November 2nd through 4th and a judging school will be offered and held on November 1st.

Sandy Pine agreed to maintain her position as show chair for the 2023 show, but this will be her last year in doing so.

Linda Kilby and Minh Bui will be co-chairs again for the 2023 show. Rodney Barnett will hold the position of Judges Chair again in 2023.

Joyce Stork will be joining us to handle the judging school.

Jackie Leitzel will download the show software to serve as a backup if needed.

A change to the convention guide will be made to state that a digital copy of the show/yearbook will be emailed out to members that do not attend show instead of a hard copy being mailed out to cut down on costs, unless they are a member that has requested the memo be sent out via mail.

Linda Stinnette discussed the 501 c and what that qualifies us for, Sue Ramser recommended Linda reach out to Terri Post with AVSA and give an update when one is available.

Minh talked about INSV and the test kits, an email will be sent out the first week of January by Jackie Leitzel to all affiliate clubs with the information about the test kits and see how many members would be interested in them. It was also brought to our attention that Marie Glass (Black Oak Violets) has detected that she has INSV and discarded a lot of her inventory.

At 3:53 pm Minh closed the meeting.
Respectfully submitted, Jackie Leitzel, Secretary

General Membership Meeting on November 12, 2022



Sue Hoffmann, current president, opened the meeting at 3:00pm.

Linda Stinnette gave the proposed budget for the next year. Sharon Long read the zoom meeting minutes from 2021 for Barbara Greenawalt. There were no corrections. Rich Follett made a motion to approve with Linda Abplanalp second the motion. The membership unanimously approved the minutes.

Rich Follett volunteered to fill the open position of parliamentarian. Sue Hoffmann accepted his offer.

Linda Kilby gave this report on the MAAVS show: 29 members exhibited, 203 horticultural exhibits, 35 design exhibits, 162 blue ribbons in horticulture, 41 red ribbons in horticulture, 17 blue ribbons in design, 13 red ribbons in design, 3 white ribbons in design, and 2 exhibits were not judged. Minh said there are a lot of awards to be given out tonight at the dinner meeting.

Jackie Leitzel gave this membership report: 6 new members, 9 affiliate memberships, 8 commercial memberships, 83 current members from last year which is an increase of 5, and there are 34 memberships set to expire in December 2022.

La Donna Hopson gave a good report on the Ways and Means which gave the club \$605.00 from the sale, and someone had given the \$5 as a donation to MAAVS.

Sandy Pine gave a brief report on the ongoing negotiations with this hotel for next year. She said several things have gone up, but she was still working with the hotel on the pricing.

Sue Hoffmann announced the slate of officers for the next 2 years: President: Minh Bui, Vice-President: Rodney Barnett, Secretary: Jackie Leitzel, and Treasurer: Linda Stinnette. She asked for any other nominations, but there were none. Bill Schmidt made a motion to accept the slate of officers, and Kitty Hedgepeth seconded the motion. The general membership voted unanimously for the slate with no one against.

Minh Bui and Linda Kilby both wanted to be show co-chairmen next year in 2023.

New Business:

The question was raised about having a photo exhibit in the next show. It was said AVSA does not have a scale of points to judge photo exhibits, and since we are an AVSA show we can't have it judged, but we could have it as an exhibition. The show committee will decide on it.

Rodney Barnett said he thinks we need to pick two hotels, one in north and one in south, that work for us and alternate between the two. It would make it easier for the convention chair who has to look for a hotel. We also need to be aware of the dates for other violet show to not have conflicting dates for shows. The advertisement for the show needs to have increased local advertisement to bring in more traffic for the vendors and show. He pointed out that our dues have not increased since the beginning and all other costs have increased for MAAVS so we need to consider a increase in dues. These are things that the new board will consider.

Motion was made for adjournment, and accepted.
Respectfully submitted, Barbara Greenawalt, Secretary

Impatiens Necrotic Spot Virus (INSV) by Ken Barbi

Several members have reported receiving African violets from commercial sources that are infected with the Impatiens Necrotic Spot Virus (INSV) in the Fall of 2022 in the Mid-Atlantic states and Florida.

This virus has been diagnosed in African violets and other gesneriads, and has **no cure**. It is transmitted by notorious **THRIPS**. It has wiped out entire greenhouse stocks of several commercial growers, and destroyed entire members' collections. Its symptoms mimic other common problems we have faced over the years such as mites, poor culture, water spots, leaf mottling, etc.



Recently purchased INSV infected African violet
courtesy of Dr. Minh Bui

The problem is something we all need to know about, particularly how to combat the virus. The only positive way to determine if your suspect plants have INSV is to perform a test. Test kits are available from a number of sources. Once you determine a **single plant** in your collection has the virus, you can be sure all your plants are at

risk if you have thrips which carry the virus. ***Destruction of infected plants*** is the only cure, and control of thrips is the key to prevention. ***Some members are destroying their entire collection.***

So now you say, I have tried everything to kill those little bugs. Science has come to the rescue in the form of an insecticide called ***Avid***. There are other products as the chart below from AVSA shows. I thought it important enough to bring it to your attention. If you want more detail, there is a fine collection of research from the University of Massachusetts, Texas A&M, and Colorado State Cooperative Extension On-Line. Search the internet for “Impatiens Necrotic Spot Virus” for more articles. But ***ACT NOW*** to save your collection.



INSV infected African violet leaf courtesy of Dr. Minh Bui

Pesticide	Kills	Label recommended applications	Vol. of Product needed to make 1 gallon of spray sol'n, per Label directions [1]	Target conc'n of Active in Spray Solution (%)[1][2]	Cost of Product [3]	Cost to make 1 gallon of spray solution (\$) [1]	Product Volume
Abamectin , same as Avid (2% Avermectins, Liquid)	cyclamen mites, leafminers, thrips, aphids [4]	3 times, 7 days apart	0.08 oz, 2.37 ml	0.0013 [4]	\$93.20 per quart	\$0.23	1 quart, 960 ml
Conserve SC (11.6% Spinosad, Liquid)	thrips and many other insects [5]	5 times per season (max); reapp'n: 5 days (min)	0.10 oz, 2.96 ml	0.0181 [5]	\$183.75 per quart	\$0.57	1 quart, 960 ml
Akari SSC (5% Fenpyroximate, Liquid)	cyclamen mites. Suppresses mealybugs [6]	3 times, 5 - 7 days apart	0.24 oz, 7.2 ml	0.0093 [6]	\$166.50 per quart	\$1.25	1 quart, 960 ml
Dominion 2L (21.4% Imidacloprid, Liquid)	thrips, aphids, fungus gnats, mealy bugs [7]	Begin later app'n prior to 1st pest population and reapply as needed	0.015 oz, 0.45 ml	0.0025 [7]	\$27.95 per 27.5 oz bottle	\$0.02	27.5 oz, 825 ml
Mantra 1G (1% Imidacloprid, Granules)	thrips, aphids, fungus gnats, mealy bugs [8]	Apply 1/4 - 1/2 level (less) per 3.5 - 8 wpt. pot. As needed.	Granules	Granules [8]	\$46.00 per 5 lb jug	\$0.02 per 31/2" pot	5 lb, 2270g

1. When the label suggested two acceptable rates, the higher rate (2X) was used to obtain these numbers.
2. Target % concentration of spray solution = [Volume (ml) of Product specified on Label for 1 gallon of Spray solution] X [% Active in Product] / 3840 ml.
3. Prices as of Nov, 2012. The products were purchased at Hummert, except for Dominion 2L, bought online at domyownpestcontrol.com.
4. Nufarm Abamectin Specimen Label: <http://www.cdms.net/LData/9QR002.pdf>.
5. Dow Consolve SC Specimen Label: <http://www.cdms.net/Label/24P002.pdf>.
6. SaPRO Akari SSC Specimen Label: <http://www.entomology.umn.edu/cas/minis/akari.pdf>.
7. Dominion 2L Specimen Label: http://www.domyownpestcontrol.com/mada/Dominion_2L_label.pdf.
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