

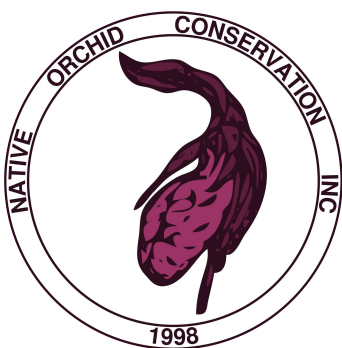


Secrets of our Wild Orchids

A presentation by Marilyn H.S. Light

Our wild orchids have many secrets. They know when to emerge and bloom. They have cryptic ways to attract pollinators. They can regulate their reproduction to minimize stress. With knowledge gained through studies of *Cypripedium*, *Epipactis*, *Platanthera*, *Pogonia*, and *Spiranthes*, this presentation will reveal how and why orchids behave the way they do.

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Hosted by Native Orchid Conservation Inc., at our annual Open House on Wednesday, October 25th, at the Dakota Lawn Bowling Club at 1212 Dakota Street. Raffles and refreshments will be available to attendees. Doors open at 7:00 PM, meeting starts at 7:30 PM

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