

*Riverside-San Bernardino Counties*  
***The Inland Orchid News.***

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Regular meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month.

Regular meetings include:

Plant Judging 7:15pm

Meeting 7:30pm

Speaker 7:45pm

Refreshments & Judging Results 8:45pm

Opportunity 9:00pm

**Meetings are held at the  
San Bernardino County Museum  
Second Thursday of each month  
Show-N-Tell @ 7:15 pm  
Meeting @ 7:30 pm**

**We are pleased to have an encore of a very favorite speaker for the month of December. Mr. Peter Lin will be speaking to us about "Twelve Months of Orchids".**

Peter started growing orchids over 25 years ago, but then stopped due to school and starting a career. It wasn't until about 9 years ago that the orchid "bug" came back and he is now heavily involved once again! He is an accredited judge with the American Orchid Society, and a hybridizer of mini-catts. He enjoys meeting with other orchid enthusiasts, and can often be found at various orchid shows and societies around the country.

Due to limited growing space, Peter likes to specialize in miniature orchids, both species and hybrids, and has received numerous AOS awards. His other interests in orchids include Dendrobiums, Angraecoids, and Neofinetias. He maintains a collection of a thousand or more orchids at his home in Southern California in 3 small greenhouses, as well as indoors.

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As this is our Holiday Pot Luck, please bring a side dish to feed 6 people, your own table service and a beverage of your choice. The society will be furnishing the turkey, ham, mashed potatoes, and stuffing. If you have a favorite beverage, wine for example, you may bring this.

We will have a centerpiece judging and the winner will get first pick from the opportunity table in January 2015. The opportunity table will be furnished by Peter Lin so buy lots of tickets as he provides an outstanding table!

## November Show-N-Tell Winners

## Standard Catts

Cult-G/S Collins

1<sup>st</sup>-Jamie Stewart2<sup>nd</sup>-Jamie Stewart3<sup>rd</sup>-G/S Collins

## Miniature Catts

Cult-

1<sup>st</sup> -Jamie Stewart2<sup>nd</sup> -Karl Trisler3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Cymbidiums

Cult-

1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Mini Cymbidiums

Cult -None

1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Dendrobiums

Cult -

1<sup>st</sup> -Jamie Stewart2<sup>nd</sup> -Jamie Stewart3<sup>rd</sup> -Karl Trisler

## Species

Cult -Dann Dunst

1<sup>st</sup> -Dann Dunst2<sup>nd</sup> -Bob Laughlin3<sup>rd</sup> -Dann Dunst

HM-Karl Trisler

## Odonts/Onc.

Cult-Nessa Rosenbaum

1<sup>st</sup> -Jamie Stewart2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Paphs

Cult-Jamie Stewart

1<sup>st</sup> -G/S Collins2<sup>nd</sup> -G/S Collins3<sup>rd</sup> -Nessa Rosenbaum

## Vanda

Cult-Jamie Stewart

1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Phalanaeopsis

Cult -

1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> -3<sup>rd</sup> -

## Other

Cult -

1<sup>st</sup> - Karl Trisler2<sup>nd</sup> - Bob Laughlin3<sup>rd</sup> -Karl Trisler

HM-Dann Dunst

**Enjoy having some refreshments?**

Bring a treat and receive a free raffle ticket for the general raffle. Both snacks and beverages are most welcome.



**Don't forget!**

Our annual open house is coming!

Dec. 6 & 7, 2014  
9 am - 4 pm

*Casa de las Orquideas*  
170 S. Nardo Ave.  
Solana Beach, CA 92075  
858.755.7572  
casa@orquideas.com



for more information, check  
[www.orquideas.com](http://www.orquideas.com)



George Hatfield owner of **Hatfield Orchids** will again be selling his award quality Cymbidiums at Yamada Company (706 W. Gardena Blvd in Gardena) from September 2014 to June 2015. Sale will be on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

A hands on potting demonstration will be held at 11:00 a.m. If you have cultural problems with your Cymbidiums bring them to the sale so we can evaluate and give you advice.

Suspect virus, bring a cutting of the leaf in a plastic bag and we will test for virus (\$5.00 per test).

**Sale Dates**

Sept. 13, 2014	Feb. 7, 2015
Oct. 18, 2014	Mar. 21, 2015
Nov. 8, 2014	Apr. 11, 2015
Dec. 20, 2014	May 9, 2015
Jan. 10, 2015	June 6, 2015

**70th Santa Barbara International Orchid Show**

March 13-15, 2015  
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

**Earl Warren Showgrounds**  
Santa Barbara, California

Highway 101 &  
Las Positas Road

**ANDY'S ORCHIDS**

**HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE**

December 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>

Friday & Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Andy's Orchids will be hosting an open house in conjunction with The Greater San Diego Orchid Growers. Other participating vendors include Sunset Valley Orchids & Casa De Orquideas. They will be hosting open houses simultaneously with ours, so come make a day - or even a weekend - of it. Thousands of beautiful and rare plants to see and purchase. Get your Christmas shopping done early!

Join us for refreshments!

**DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR BONUS BUCKS!!!**

[www.andysorchids.com](http://www.andysorchids.com)

**Roster Changes and Additions**

**New members:**

Nikki Campbell  
501 N. 9<sup>th</sup> Street  
Colton, CA 92324  
909-219-5312

[Ncampbell1@hotmail.com](mailto:Ncampbell1@hotmail.com)

John & Yasmin Hall  
35223 Juniper St.  
Yucaipa CA 92399  
909-790-7285

**Welcome new members! We hope that you will find the society to be a fun and educational way to learn more about growing orchids.**

**Roster Corrections:**

Denise Kles e-mail  
[DKles1@hotmail.com](mailto:DKles1@hotmail.com)

Tom Gibbs phone is:  
951-654-1437  
[Tdg070@verizon.net](mailto:Tdg070@verizon.net)

**Please make the necessary corrections in your roster.**

**Don't have a roster yet? See Linda Lang at the meeting to get one.**



Images courtesy of Janet Roberson of the "Ranger". Thank you Janet!

Many of you have shown a desire to visit the San Diego Orchid Nurseries as in past years. Why not get a car pool set up and go!! What a great way to visit with fellow orchid enthusiasts and see the beautiful nurseries and how they grow their orchids. Above are only a few of the nurseries open that weekend, make a day of it and have a good time.



**Advertising Rates:**

**Half page**

Approx. 4.5" x 5.5"  
\$7.50 per issue

**Business card**

Approx. 2" x 3.5"  
\$5.00 per issue

All ads **MUST** be camera ready or a graphics fee will be charged.

In our efforts to conserve our funds for the society, anyone wishing to receive the newsletter by email (Microsoft Word format or PDF) please contact Sandy Collins (909) 794-7426. This not only saves the society postage, it also saves time on printing, folding & mailing our newsletters.



Lc. Stephen Splendor - Stewart



Lc. Beaumesnil 'Parme' Collins



Lc. Liptonii 'Snowflake' Collins



Dend. Marcie Girl - Jamie Stewart



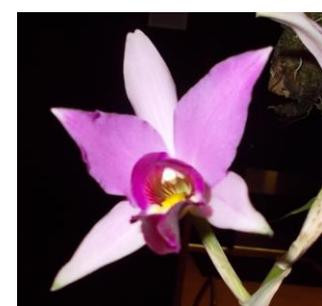
Paph. Freckles - Nessa Rosenbaum



Paph. Noirmont - Jamie Stewart



Cirr. Medusa - Dann Dunst



L.anceps - Bob Laughlin



Zygo "Braburn" Bob Laughlin



Cirr. Fascinator - Dann Dunst



Masd. Maui Dean - Dann Dunst



Onc. Twinkle - Nessa Rosenbaum



Onc. Alosuka - Jamie Stewart

## Officers 2014-2015

President: Don Phillips  
 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Open  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President: Nessa Rosenbaum  
 Board Secretary: Laura Gerdwagon  
 Membership Secretary:  
 Linda Lang  
 Treasurer: Sandy Collins (909) 794-7426

### Appointments

**Auction: OPEN**  
**Greeter: OPEN**  
 Hospitality/Kitchen: Various Groups  
 Newsletter: Sandy Collins  
 Plant Sales: Jamie Stewart  
 Raffle Tickets: Laura Gerdwagon  
 Speakers: Micaela Solis  
 Sunshine: Jim Neuhalfen  
 Parliamentarian:  
 AOS/Orchid Digest: Sandy Collins  
 Southland Rep:  
 Equipment: Nessa Rosenbaum  
**Historian: OPEN**  
 Spring Show

## Board Members

Pat Engel, Linda Lang, Tom Biggs  
 Laura Gerdwagon, Tayna Cupino,  
 Nessa Rosenbaum, Jim Spence,  
 Ron Lang

It's that time again; time to renew your membership in the Riverside/San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society. Membership includes great meetings with awesome speakers, a monthly newsletter, plant opportunity table, web site, visiting with fellow enthusiasts. See Linda Lang at the meeting to pay your \$25 for another great year

### Hosts and Hostesses Needed!

Volunteer members are always needed to help host kitchen duties. Hosting will include preparing coffee, set-up and clean-up of refreshments and assisting in keeping track of kitchen inventory. If you are able to donate your time at any of the regular meetings, please signup at the meeting or contact

### Remember:

Support your local orchid growers and tell them you are a member of the Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society. Who knows...you may receive a discount!

## Newsletter Editor

Deadline for newsletter submissions is the last Sunday of the month.  
 Contact:

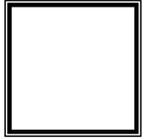
Sandy Collins

## Board Meeting

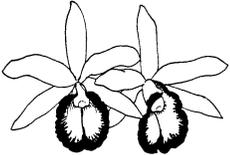
The next board meeting will be held on Sunday, January 25, 2015 @ 3:30 pm at the SB County Museum. The board meetings are held on the fourth Sunday of the month and the general society membership is always welcome. If you are a board member and you are not able to attend please notify Don Phillips



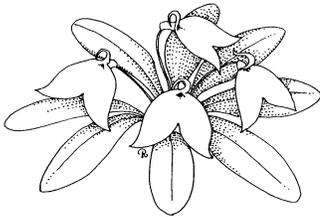
**RSBCOS**  
P.O. Box 10423  
San Bernardino, CA  
92423



**December 2014  
Newsletter**



**Meetings are held at  
San Bernardino  
County Museum  
2024 Orange Tree Ln.  
Redlands, CA 92374**



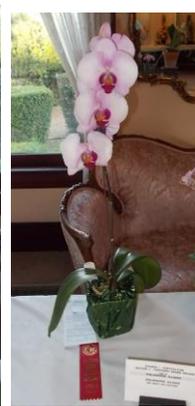
Some of the beautiful Orchids and Displays @ the Garden and Floral Arrangers Guild @ The Kendall Place November 8-9, 2014.



Arrangement by Ron Lang



Phal entered by Paul Bechtel  
Grand Prize Winner



Phal entered by Collins



Paph entered by P. Bechtel



Entry by Micaela Solis



Nice arrangement for Fall.

**Celebrating our  
63<sup>th</sup> year!**

### **About Our Society...**

The Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society (RSBCOS) was founded to further the understanding and appreciation of orchids by its members locally and to aid in a worldwide effort to improve man's knowledge of them.