

Riverside-San Bernardino Counties
The Inland Orchid News.

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Regular meetings are held on the 2nd 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 Mr. Fred Clarke from Sunset Valley Orchids as our speaker for the January meeting. Fred Clarke started Sunset Valley Orchids in 1995 as a natural outgrowth of a hobby that began 27 years earlier. Sunset Valley Orchids is a "Boutique" style nursery where we are dedicated to providing excellent customer service and breeding superior orchid hybrids for the orchid enthusiast. Sunset Valley Orchids is located in Vista, California about 35 miles north of San Diego and 50 miles south of Los Angeles. The nursery has grown considerably over the last few years and we are now exceeding 45,000 sq. ft. of greenhouses space.

SVO are plant breeders of award quality orchids and their efforts are focused in the development of new and interesting lines. They provide unique hybrids and species in several genera including; Cattleya, Catasetinae, Paphiopedilum, Australian Native Dendrobium, and a few others in limited numbers like Sarcochilus, Zygopetalum and Stanhopea. All our plant offerings are produced in our laboratory and grown from seed here at the nursery. The lab processes over 200 new hybrids annually resulting in 2000 re-plate flasks.

SVO plants are selected on strict criteria of robust growth and ease to flower. This is accomplished by selecting the most vigorous growing plants throughout the growing process of; flasking, community trays, and growing on in pots. This grading results in the strongest and best plants for both customers and for their own future breeding.

Fred is a popular speaker on many orchid subjects and travels extensively around the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Latin and South America. He is available to give talks and provide plant tables to Orchid Societies and Garden Clubs. Sunset Valley Orchids is open most Saturdays, Sundays and by appointment.

Fred is an accredited American Orchid Society Judge in the Pacific South Judging Region. Orchids from Sunset Valley Orchid have received hundreds of AOS awards, including 8 that have received the highest honor, the 'First Class Certificate'.

Fred's topic for the night will be Australian Dendrobiums and Sunset Valley Orchids will be furnishing the opportunity table. Make sure to get lots of raffle tickets as these orchids are wonderful.

No December Show-N-Tell

Standard Catts

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Miniature Catts

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Cymbidiums

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Mini Cymbidiums

Cult -None

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Dendrobiums

Cult -

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Species

Cult -

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Odont/Onc.

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Paphs

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Vanda

Cult-

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Phalanaeopsis

Cult -

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Other

Cult -

1st -

2nd -

3rd -

Enjoy having some refreshments?

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



Orchid Plant Clearance Sale

Saturday and Sunday
January 24 & 25, 2015
10AM - 3:30PM

The Rowland Collection is having
a FINAL CLEARANCE SALE!

12446 Georgian Street
Garden Grove, CA 92841

Cymbidiums, Dendrobiums, Paphs,
Cattleyas, Mounted Plants,
Bromiliads, Clivias, and More
including Miniature Cymbidiums

This may be your very last chance to own
a piece of this World Famous Collection!

For More Information and or Directions Call:
Theo (714) 345-6578 or Roberta (949) 735-0699

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

Orange County Orchid Society

ANNUAL ORCHID AUCTION

EVERYONE WELCOME!

CYMBIDIUMS - CATTLEYAS
PHALAENOPSIS
PAPHIOPEDILUMS
DENDROBIUMS - ONCIDIUMS
SPECIES
AND MANY OTHER GENERA
ORCHID SUPPLIES

GOOD VALUES
AND LOTS OF FUN
REFRESHMENTS

Yorba Linda Public Library
Community Room, lower level
18181 Imperial Highway
Yorba Linda, CA 92886

Information:
Eddie Culrich - 714.991.8661
eculrich@att.net
Susau Scheffler - 714.777.9553
chefny3@gmail.com



Wednesday
January 21, 2015
6:30 p.m.
Preview
7:00 p.m.
Auction Begins

Orchid Show and Sale

February 21-22, 2015
Orchids-R-Easy Classes All Weekend

Sales: Sat & Sun 10-5
Show: Sat 12-5 & Sun 10-5
Location: Torrance Cultural Arts Center
3330 Civic Center Dr., Torrance, CA

- Buy direct from commercial growers
- See award winning orchids
- All day demonstrations on orchid care and repotting

Admission: \$7 Adults
Free Parking

For all show information and a map to the show and sale:
www.southbayorchidsociety.com

Roster Changes and Additions

New members:

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

Ncampbell1@hotmail.com

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

Tom Gibbs phone is:
951-654-1437

Laura Gerdwagon
951-205-3777

Please make the necessary corrections in your roster.

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





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.



Dinner getting started



Speaker Peter Lin and his mom



Pat Engel was in attendance as well as



Tom Gibbs



Max Fisher & Jamie Stewart Denis Kles, Joe Kles, Ron Lang, & Jim Neuhalfen



Laura Gerdwagon, Linda Lang, Tayna Cupino, Michael Madrigal, Jim Spence, Steve Morgan and Betty Chambers all in attendance as well.



Officers 2014-2015

President: Don Phillips
 1st Vice President: Open
 2nd Vice President: Nessa Rosenbaum
 Board Secretary: Laura Gerdwagon

Membership Secretary:
 Linda Lang (951) 663-5237
 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, Nessa

Rosenbaum, Jim Spence, Ron Lang

Tayna Cupino, Tom Gibbs

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 28, 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 @ 951-685-4009 or donzbxr@netscape.net



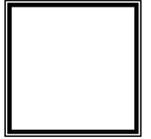
Dues are Due!

That's right, due are due January 1, 2015 for the coming year. This includes the great meetings with fabulous speakers, a functioning web-site maintained by our own Jim Spence as well as a monthly newsletter either mailed or e-mailed to you. Please see Linda Lang to pay your dues now! Still only \$25 for the year – a great bargain.

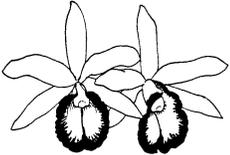
Remember:

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!

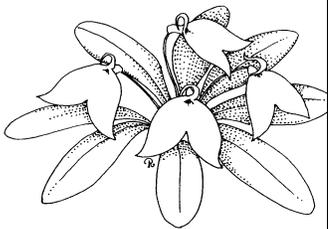
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San Bernardino, CA
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Newsletter



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



Plant opportunity table and the start of a great pot luck dinner for the holidays.

Plant opportunity table and the start of a

Celebrating our
63th 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.