

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**

**Meetings are held at the
Lawrence F. Hutton Community Center
Second Thursday of each month
Show-N-Tell @ 7:15 pm
Meeting @ 7:30 pm**

We are pleased to have Mr. Dann Dunst as our speaker for May, Dann's topic is going to be on building and maintaining terrarium orchids.

Terrariums are a beautiful and creative addition to any home. Growing orchids in them, however, presents some challenges, as most orchids have rather specific growing requirements. Dann will present all the aspects of setting up an orchid friendly terrarium. He will also present his knowledge and experience of obtaining the right kind of orchids to use in a variety of terrariums, from warm and humid to house temperate, to hanging glass terrariums. Dann will also be bringing some examples to show.

Dann has two greenhouses, one warm growing and one cool rowing, and has been growing orchids for many years. His interest in orchids started with Cymbidiums, and then he gradually added a collection of Vanda, Miltonia, Paphs and Phrags and of-course the Plueorthallids in which he currently has over 150 plants of that genera - mostly Masdevallia and Dracula. Dann says when he first saw a Masdevallia he thought it was some kind of a "space plant," and immediately fell in love with them, but soon realized the challenges of growing them in Inland areas. Always up for a challenge, he set up a cool growing greenhouse and the rest is history.

Dann is a past President of the RSBCOS, a member of the Board of Directors for the SGVOH, past District Director of the Palms to Pines District of the CGCI. He attended the World Orchid Conference in Miami Florida in 2008 and the WOC in Singapore in 2011. Dann is a retired middle school teacher, and aside from raising orchids, maintains several aviaries where he keeps exotic species of pheasants, doves, finches, starlings and other soft bills



April Show-N-Tell Winners

Thank you all who participated in our annual auction. Without your help and support this once a year event would not have been successful. To all those who did the running around picking up plants and spent your time and gas, thank you. Those of you who were instrumental in making sure the auction went off well, thank you. To those who dedicated their time and effort during the auction, you are thanked for the dedication you showed during this event.

Standard Catt

Cult – G&S Collins
 1st-Morgan & Spence
 2nd-Jamie Stewart
 3rd-

Miniature Catt

Cult-Jamie Stewart
 1st –Nessa Rosenbaum
 2nd –G&S Collins
 3rd –Dann Dunst
 H/M-L. Johnston

Cymbidiums

Cult-
 1st –Karl Trisler
 2nd –
 3rd –

Mini Cymbidiums

Cult –Bob Laughlin
 1st –Karl Trisler
 2nd –Bob Laughlin
 3rd –Bob Laughlin

Dendrobiums

Cult –
 1st –L. Johnston
 2nd –Dann Dunst
 3rd –

Species

Cult –Jamie Stewart
 1st –Dann Dunst
 2nd –Karl Trisler
 3rd –Bob Laughlin
 H/M-Dann Dunst

Odont/Onc.

Cult-Larry Johnston
 1st –Larry Johnston
 2nd -Ron Lang
 3rd - Bob Laughlin
 H/M-Bob Laughlin

Paphs

Cult-Karl Trisler
 1st –G&S Collins
 2nd-Dann Dunst
 3rd –G&S Collins
 H/M-Karl Trisler

Vanda

Cult-Karl Trisler
 1st –Betty Chambers
 2nd –Karl Trisler
 3rd –Karl Trisler
 H/M-Betty Chambers

Phalanaeopsis

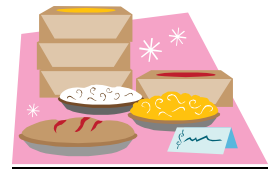
Cult –G&S Collins
 1st – Karl Trisler
 2nd –
 3rd –

Other

Cult – Karl Trisler
 1st – Dann Dunst
 2nd- Bob Laughlin
 3rd –Dann Dunst
 H/M-Jamie Stewart

Enjoy having some refreshments?

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



Garden and Floral Arrangers Guild
Invites you to the Guild's



Fairy Garden Festival

- * Fairy Garden Demonstrations
- * Fairy Garden Hands-on Workshop
- * Fairy Garden Tour
- * Ladybug Release
- * Bubbles
- * Garden and Floral Exhibition
- * Unique Vendors - Plants Plus
- * Fun (Free) Programs for Kids
- * "Ask the Experts" Seminars
- * Opportunity Drawings
- * Garden and Floral Treasures
- * Plus Goodies and More



Saturday-May 16, 2015
10:00 am to 4:00 pm
Historic Kendall Place
120 E. Palm Ave. Redlands, CA 92373

Come be a part of this FANTASTIC EVENT!

EVENT Ticket (DONATION) Adults - \$5.00 Children (12 and under) - FREE

'Create Your Own' Fairy Garden HANDS-ON WORKSHOP Supply FEE - \$15.00

Space is LIMITED for this Workshop. RESERVATIONS REQUIRED by MAY 9th

- Must bring own container not to exceed 14" in diameter -

PLEASE CALL 909 885-7808, or 909 794-6293 for Reservations or information

EVENT Tickets will be available in Redlands at Precious Times Antiques, Gerrards Market

And at the Festival.

To learn more about the Guild, please visit

www.CaliforniaGardenClub.com/GardenFloralArrangersGuild

or www.facebook.com/GuildOnTheGo

Garden and Floral Arrangers Guild is a Redlands-based 501(c)(3) educational non-profit organization

ORCHID AUCTION

Preview at 6 PM
Auction Begins at 7 PM
Free Admission & Parking

**May
21,
2015**

San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists
Los Angeles County Arboretum &
Botanic Garden
301 North Baldwin Avenue
Arcadia, CA 91066



Upcoming Event: Our annual Installation and Awards Dinner!! Dinner will start at 6pm with the awards ceremony and installation starting at 7:30 pm. Dann Dunst will be our Master of Ceremonies. The society will be providing the chicken so if you great cooks would bring something to compliment the chicken. Winner of the centerpiece judging will get first pick from the July opportunity table. Who is going to get the coveted "Member of the Year" award? Who are the winners of the Show-N-Tell for the year? Come and find out and bring your appetite.

Roster Changes and Additions

New members:

Susan Medrano
3920 San Benito
Ave.
San Bernardino, CA
92407
909-887-3465
Smedrano22@road
runner.com

Frankie Sexton
2432 3rd Ave.
Muscoy, CA 92407
909-205-0138

New E-Mail

Glenn Stall
Gstall1929@gmail.
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.





Apple Blossom – Stewart



arpophylum-Laughlin



Worsley x cinnebarina –Spence/Morgan



Claudona Raja – Trisler



Drac. Verticulosa – Dunst



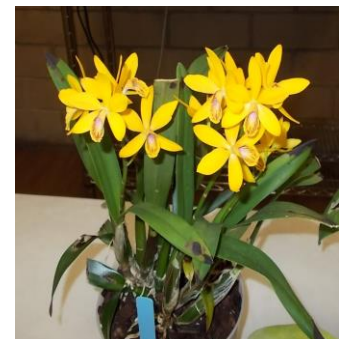
Phal Red Zuul – Collins



Royal Walk - Stewart



Vanda – B. Chambers



Seagulls Tangerine – Rosenbaum

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.

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: Jim Spence

Board Members

Pat Engel, Linda Lang, Tom Gibbs,
 Tanya Cupino, Laura Gerdwagon,
 Nessa Rosenbaum, Jim Spence,
 Ron Lang, Sandy Collins

Dracula verticulosa - Dunst



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

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 third Sunday of the month.
 Contact:

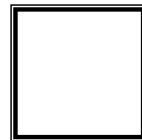
Sandy Collins

Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be held on Sunday, May 17 @ 3:30 pm at the L.F. Hutton Colton Community Center. 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
Due to the holiday, the board meeting was changed to the 17th.



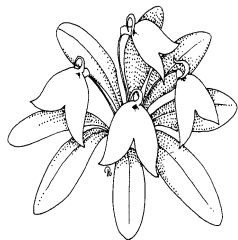
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San Bernardino, CA
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**May 2015
Newsletter**



**Meetings are held
at Lawrence F.
Hutton
Community
Center
660 Colton Ave.
Colton, CA 92324**



**Celebrating our
63th year!**

A big thank you to the following vendors who made our auction such a success.

Kalapana Tropical (orchids@kalapanatropicals.com),
Norman's Orchids (orchids@orchids.com),
Cal Orchids (calorchid@cox.net),
Odom's Orchids (odomsorchids@comcast.net),
SBOE (sboe@sborchid.com),
Casa de las Orquideas (casa@orquideas.com),
Lico Orchids (nicoorchid@aol.com),
Sunset Valley Orchids (fred.clarke@worldnet.att.net),
Ed Wise.

Please remember to order orchid plants from these vendors who supported our society auction. Without their help we would not have an auction.

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.