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Regular meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month  
San Bernardino County Museum  
2024 Orange Tree Lane, Redlands, CA. 92374

## **HOLIDAY POTLUCK DINNER**

**Thursday December 10, 2009**

**5:30pm Setup-6:00pm Social-6:30pm Dinner  
7:15pm Judging - 7:30pm Program**

## **HOLIDAY POTLUCK MEETING**

**SPEAKER**

**PETER LIN**

**Topic:**

## **2009 JAPAN GRAND PRIX INTERNATION ORCHID FESTIVAL**

Peter's presentation this year will be on the 2009 Japan Grand Prix International Orchid Festival held in the Tokyo Dome, Tokyo. This show is well known for international winners, beautiful, extravagant displays and huge cash prizes.

Peter Lin is a well known speaker and grower specializing in miniature orchids and is a hybridizer of mini-cattleya. An AOS Award recipient, Peter maintains a collection of several hundred orchids in two small greenhouses and an indoor growing area.

Peter will be providing the raffle table at this meeting and always has a great selection of plants for sale.

## **HOLIDAY CENTERPIECE COMPETITION**

Bring your table centerpiece to the Holiday Potluck. The winner will receive a plant from the Raffle Table. All centerpieces must contain orchids.

## **RSBCOS MEETING CALENDAR**

<b>DECEMBER 10th</b>	<b>Holiday Potluck Supper.</b>
<b>NO DECEMBER BOARD MEETING</b>	
<b>JANUARY 14th</b>	<b>General Meeting</b>
<b>JANUARY 17th</b>	<b>Board Meeting</b>

**NEED GOOD REFERENCE BOOKS?**

Check out books from our Library Holdings.

Contact Mark Gerhard (909 875-7834)

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**VISITORS**

Nice to see our members  
**Mr. & Mrs. Gutierrez**

**Our next Board Meeting will be held on Sunday January 17th, 2010 at the UCR Botanical Garden. All RSBCOS members are invited to attend. Board members unable to attend should notify the Secretary.**

**NOVEMBER Show & Tell Winners**

Prepared by Karl Trisler

**Standard Cattleya**

Cultural - Jim Wheeler  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Gaston Imai

**Miniature Cattleya**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Paul Mahoney

**Standard Cymbidium**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - None  
2<sup>nd</sup> - None  
3<sup>rd</sup> - None

**Miniature Cymbidium**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - None  
2<sup>nd</sup> - None  
3<sup>rd</sup> - None

**Dendrobium**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jamie Stewart  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Jim Wheeler

**Odontoglossum/  
Oncidium**

Cultural - Jim Wheeler  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Dann Dunst

**Paphiopedilum**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - None  
2<sup>nd</sup> - None  
3<sup>rd</sup> - None

**Phalaenopsis**

Cultural - Paul Mahoney  
1<sup>st</sup> - Paul Mahoney  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Paul Mahoney  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Paul Mahoney

**Vanda**

Cultural - Jim Wheeler  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Dann Dunst  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Jim Wheeler

**Other Genera**

Cultural - None  
1<sup>st</sup> - Jim Wheeler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Dann Dunst  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Karl Trisler

**Species**

Cultural - Karl Trisler  
1<sup>st</sup> - Karl Trisler  
2<sup>nd</sup> - Karl Trisler  
3<sup>rd</sup> - Mary Banks

**THANK YOU**

**Thank you to Doug Overstreet for speaking at the November general meeting. A big thanks goes to all who volunteered their time and effort to make Orchids in the Park II a beautiful show this year. Thanks to RHIS Floral Design Group for all they did to make Orchids in the Park II a success. The arrangements were all beautiful and added so much to the show.**

**MEMBERSHIPS RENEWALS ARE NOW DUE!**

Please see our membership chairman, Joe Kles at the next meeting to renew or renew by mail. Send checks to P.O. Box 10423 - San Bernardino, Ca. 92423-0423  
Attn: Joe Kles

## UPCOMING ORCHID SHOWS AND EVENTS

**December 5th, 2009**  
Sunset Valley Orchids Annual Open House  
1255 Navel Place—Vista, Ca.  
www.sunsetvalleyorchids.com

**December 5th, 2009**  
Rudvalis Open House  
6595 Black Rail Road  
Carlsbad, Ca.  
760 438-2121

**March 6th & 7th, 2010**  
South Bay Orchid Society  
Spring Show & Sale  
Torrance Cultural Center  
www.southbayorchidsociety.com

**R.S.B.C.O.S. Annual Auction**  
**Feb. , 2010**  
More info to come!!

**December 5th, 2009**  
Casa de las Orquideas Annual Open House  
170 Nardo Ave. Solana Beach, Ca.  
www.orquideas.com

**February 12th-14th, 2010**  
Newport Harbor Orchid Society  
'Oceans of Orchids'  
Show and Sale  
Westminster Mall-Westminster, Ca.  
www.nhos.org/shows/2010/home.html

**Mariposa Garden**  
**Show Day Specials & New Releases**  
**Jan. 9th, Feb. 13th, Mar. 20th,**  
**Apr.17th - 2010**  
6664 South Street  
Lakewood, Ca. 90713  
www.mariposagarden.com

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### Enjoy having some refreshments?

Bring a treat and receive a general raffle ticket for that evenings raffle. Both snacks and beverages are welcome.

### PENNY PINES

Congratulations and Thank You! We raised \$28.14 for the replanting of burned National Forest. For more info on the Penny Pines program see [www.gardenclub.org](http://www.gardenclub.org)

**Deadline:** Those wishing to have an announcement placed in the newsletter should get the information to the editor at the **beginning of the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the month.**  
Contact: Karl Trisler at 951 652-8015 or [leetrisler@roadrunner.com](mailto:leetrisler@roadrunner.com)

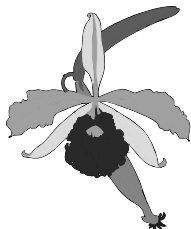
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	<p><b>Rio Mojave Orchids</b>  <b>Plants and Supplies</b>        Larry Johnston, (760) 948-1532        P.O. Box 401472, Hesperia, CA 92340  <b>All prices include sales tax</b></p>	
<p><b>Dyna Gro – Fertilizers</b>        Grow- 7-9-5 Half pt.: \$5 &amp; Qts.: \$13        Bloom- 3-12-6 Half pt.: \$5. &amp; Qts.: \$14        Pro-Tekt- Half pt.: \$5 &amp; Qts.: \$10        Nutricote 13-13-13 Slow Release: \$13        Mag-Pro Qts.: \$11        PH-Down Qts.: \$8        KLN- Half pt.: \$10 &amp; Qts.: \$30  <b>Grow More – Fertilizers</b>        Bloom Formula 6-30-30 (Blue)        1 ¼ #: \$5, 3#: \$11        Grow Formula 20-10-20 (Green)        1 ¼ #: \$5.00, 3#: \$11  <b>Superthrive</b> 2 oz.: \$7, Pt.: \$34  <b>Orange Guard</b>        Pest Control Spray Bottle \$9  <b>Physan 20</b>        Half pt. \$5, Pt. \$8, Gal. \$34  <b>Neem Oil</b> Half pt. \$8, Qt. \$21  <b>Phyton 27</b> – Systemic Disease Control        2 oz. \$18  <b>Hozon Siphon Mixer</b> \$22</p>	<p><b>Rexius</b> – Orchid Bark (small, med or large bark)        4 Qt. Bag \$2    2 Cu. Ft. Bag \$13  <b>#3 Pearlite/Sponge Rok</b> 4 Qt. bag \$20  <b>Coconut Husk Chunks</b>        ¼ - ½ in. size 4 Qt bag \$5        ¼ - ½ inch and ½ - 1 inch in bales:        ½ cu ft bale \$12    1 cu ft. bale \$22  <b>AAA Grade New Zealand Moss</b>        150G \$7, 500G \$13, 1000G \$24  <b>Pots</b> – Plastic        2.5” – 7.5” Clear &amp; Colored (Call for prices)  <b>Net Baskets</b> – Black plastic with wire hanger        4” 2/\$3, 6” 2/\$5, 8” \$3, 10” \$4  <b>Wire Hangers (clip onto pots)</b>        18 in. \$1, 24 in. 2/\$3  <b>Hooks</b> 18 in. “S” hooks 2 for \$1  <b>Dragonfly Clips</b> 10 for \$2  <b>Books</b> Many to choose from  <b>Plants- Seedlings &amp; Blooming Size</b>        Cattleyas &amp; Allied                      Oncidium &amp; Allied        Phalaenopsis                                Angraecum &amp; Allied        Dendrobiums                                Some Asst. Species</p>	