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Regular Meeting Schedule
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Table/chair setup, plants in place
Ribbon judging starts at 7:00 pm
Culture session
Speaker starts at 7:30 pm
Opportunity drawing
Table/chair teardown
Doors close at 9:30 pm

South Coast Orchid Society

Newsletter

Founded in 1950

December 2013

Christmas Party and Potluck Dinner

Monday, December 16, 2013 (Third Monday)

Please arrive by 6:30 p.m.

You, your spouse, friend, or significant other are invited

Happy Holidays! The year is drawing to a close and its time for our annual Christmas Party and Potluck Dinner. Due to a shortened holiday season, we are meeting on the **third Monday** of December to celebrate another fantastic year and look forward to the next. Please arrive by 6:30 p.m. so we can have a short meeting at 6:45 and start the festivities promptly at 7:00 p.m. Bring one of your winter bloomers to brighten up the table.

SCOS will provide the meat course (turkey and ham), plates, utensils, punch, and coffee.

Please bring the following to share with 8-10 people, or call Maria Van Kooy to coordinate so we have enough of each for everyone:

Vegetables A to G

Desserts H to P

Salads Q to Z

Gift Exchange

Join the fun. Bring a gift for the Gift Exchange with a value of about \$10.
The gift is optional; come with or without - it is always fun for everyone.

President's Message

As we approach Christmas and the New Year I would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Holiday season with your friends and family. Your support of our society has been great and has allowed us to have another fantastic year, which included our monthly speaker programs, our visit to the Huntington Library to view their Orchid Collection, our orchid auction, and last but not least the talk Orchids of Bhutan at our November meeting by Sandra Tillisch Svoboda, the President of AOS. I hope to see you all at our holiday dinner on Monday, December 16th. Remember it is a week early due to Christmas.

I also would like to thank Sandra for taking the the time to come and speak to our society during the very busy week of Thanksgiving. It was a great talk and I also had an opportunity to visit with her over dinner and discuss all things orchids related to AOS and local orchid societies. Thanks again Sandra.

I would like all our members to consider getting more involved in SCOS either as an officer or board member. If you have any questions or interest please contact me or any of our board members listed on the front of this newsletter. Those of us who have been officers and board members would welcome your involvement and new ideas to keep our society interesting and informative.

Make sure to pay your annual dues for 2014. The dues are still only \$20 - what a great deal! Membership is due January so you may pay at the Christmas dinner or at our January meeting

Hope to see you Monday, December 16th.

John Reyes

Ribbon Judging

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Ribbon Judging Results

November 26, 2013

Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

First Laelia anceps ('Ultimo' x 'Rustic Royalty')

First Blc Cornerstone 'Yuan Gui'

Second Encyclia polybulbon

Second Rlc. Hawaiian Prominence 'Carmela'

Third Slc. Michael's Charm

Culture Encyclia polybulbon

Culture Isabella virginalis

Brian Hensch

Doris & Larry Arakaki

Lynn S. Wiand

Don Goss

Espie Quinn

Lynn S. Wiand

Doris & Larry Arakaki

Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)

First Cymbidium Isle 'Flamingo'

Second Cymbidium erythrostylum

Don Goss

Lynn S. Wiand

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

First Dendrobium farmeri

Second Dendrobium Maiden Charlotte

Third Dendrobium sanderianum (aka sanderiae)

Tom Rue & Celsa Sanchez

Espie Quinn

Lynn S. Wiand

Pleurothallids (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)

First Masdevallia Pat Akehurst

Don Goss

Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)

First Phal. No Name Doris & Larry Arakaki

Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)

First Miltonia spectabilis v. moreliana Don Goss
Second Coelogyne mooreana Doris & Larry Arakaki
Third Trichocentrum splendium (aka Oncidium splendium) Espie Quinn
Culture Wils. Tigersetta 'Wild Court' Tom Rue & Celsa Sanchez

Paph & Phrag (Cyrrpedioideae Subfamily)

First Paph. Red Lightning Don Goss
Second Phrag. Don Wimber Lynn S. Wiand
Second Paph. World Leader 'Tito' Don Goss
Third Paph. gratixianum Lynn S. Wiand
Culture Phrag. schlimii Lynn S. Wiand

Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)

none submitted

Other Genera

First Cleisocentron merrillianum Lynn S. Wiand

Thanks to Lynn Wiand and Russ Nichols for judging.

Categories (subtribes) based on 'Home Orchid Growing' by Rebecca Northen

Thanks to Jay's Internet Orchid Species Photo Encyclopaedia for correct spellings of genus and species names.

November Meeting Ribbon Judging Photos

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the photography. See more photos in the online newsletter:
www.southcoastorchidsociety.com



Dendrobium farmeri



Coelogyne mooreana

Upcoming Events

See our website for flyers: www.southcoastorchidsociety.com.

Orange County Orchid Society Annual Auction, Yorba Linda Public Library, January 15, 2014

Newport Harbor Orchid Expo 2014, Westminster Mall, February 7-9, 2014

South Bay Orchid Society Show and Sale, Torrance Cultural Arts Center, February 15-16, 2014

Pacific Orchid Exposition, Fort Mason Center, San Francisco, February 21-23, 2014

Santa Barbara International Orchid Show, Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara, March 14-16, 2014

Our January 2014 Meeting date is January 27, 2014

Meeting Location

The South Coast Orchid Society holds monthly meetings, usually on the fourth Monday of the calendar month, at the Whaley Park Community Center in Long Beach, CA. Whaley Park is on Atherton, just off Bellflower Blvd. near the Long Beach State University campus.

Vendor Sponsors

The South Coast Orchid Society thanks these commercial vendors for their generosity and support of our 2012 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2013.

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More November Meeting Photographs from Mong

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