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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

July 2014

## The Culture of Vandas in Southern California

Douglas Overstreet

**Program Starts at 7:00 p.m.**

**Monday, July 28, 2014**

Douglas Overstreet was born and raised in southeastern New Mexico. Mr. Overstreet comes by his interest in plants and animals naturally. His family has been American farmers since 1684. He began growing orchids at the age of 10. The first orchid he purchased in 1972 was *Cattleya Trimos*, a primary hybrid between *C. trianaei* and *C. mossiae*. The first orchid he flowered was a *phalaenopsis* hybrid.

Doug moved to California in 1975 and continued his love affair with orchids. In 1984, his collection began to grow by leaps and bounds with his first professional job. He also became an active participant in the local orchid community. Over the years, Doug has served on the Board of the Orchid Society of Southern California, is a Past President and active board member of the Southland Orchid Show Committee. He is a former Ribbon Judging Chair for OSSC and is an Accredited American Orchid Society Judge in the Pacific South Region. Doug has written several articles for *Orchid Digest* and has served on the Editorial Committee of that publication as Assistant Editor. In 1998, he wrote, produced and hosted *Anyone Can Grow Orchids...Even You!*, a how-to video about growing orchids in the home. Currently, Doug owns and operates Nature's Bounty Orchids, a small boutique nursery serving the southern California hobbyist and gift plant community through local certified farmer's markets.

### Refreshments

Last names starting with **I through R** please bring refreshments.

## President's Message

Thanks to everyone who continues to support our society by attending our monthly meetings. Harry Phillips from Andy's Orchids gave an outstanding presentation on growing miniature orchids. Thanks Janell for organizing another great program.

Doug Overstreet will be talking about growing vandas - something I certainly need to know. Unfortunately I will not be at our next meeting due to attending my grandchildren's theater production. Hope you will be able to attend.

We recently had a board meeting and the key points discussed were:

1. Our new contract from city of Long Beach had no increase in fees
2. Michele Dobard reported that our society has over \$8,000 in our treasury
3. We would like to create a Facebook page for our society. Anyone with expertise please contact me.

We are starting to organize our annual October auction. As was the case last year the auction committee will be chaired by Mong Noiboonsook. Please talk to Mong at our July meeting if you are interested in helping.

John

### South Coast Orchid Society

Ribbon Judging Results

June 23, 2014

#### **Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)**

First	Laelia purpurata var. alba	Don Goss
First	Laelia purpurata var. flamea	Espie Quinn
Second	Epidendrum ciliare	Espie Quinn
Second	Epidendrum veroscriptum	Roberta Fox
Third	Myc. Mem. Louise Fuchs 'Weesle'	Don Goss
Third	Encyclia hanguryii x Laelia gouldiana	Kathy Synsteliën
Culture	Epidendrum Summerhayesii	Lynn Wiand
Culture	Pr. prismatocarpa alba	Kathy Synsteliën

#### **Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)**

First	Cymbidium Anstralia	Agnes Nguyen
Second	Cym. Rotheasay Butterfly	Wilma Tawagon
Culture	Cym. Anstralia	Agnes Nguyen

#### **Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)**

First	Dockrilla wassellii	Jim Hoyle
Second	Dendrobium Roy Tokunaga	Espie Quinn
Third	Dendrobium bracteosum var. tanii	Roberta Fox
Culture	Dockrilla wassellii	Jim Hoyle

#### **Pleurothallids (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)**

First	Masdevallia Redshine 'Sheila'	Don Goss
Second	Masdevallia Charisma	Don Goss
Third	Physosiphon tubatus	Lynn S. Wiand
Culture	Pleurothallis tribuloides	Lynn S. Wiand

#### **Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)**

First	Vanda Paki (suavis x cristata)	Wilma Tawagon
Second	Neofinetia falcata 'Kin Ro Kaku'	Espie Quinn
Third	Neofinetia falcata 'Oh Na Mi Sei Kai'	Espie Quinn

**Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)**

- First Psychopsis Memoria Bill Carter
- Second Gomesa croesus
- Third Oncidium Golden Sunset

- Roberta Fox
- Roberta Fox
- Agnes Nguyen

**Paph & Phrag (Cyrtopodioideae Subfamily)**

- First Paphiopedalum lowii
- Second Paphiopedalum St. Swithin
- Second Paphiopedalum Topsy Turvey 'Twister'
- Third Paphiopedalum Scorpio (Berenice x Esquirolei)
- Third Paphiopedalum Avalon Lovestone

- Lynn S. Wiand
- Lynn S. Wiand
- Don Goss
- Lynn S. Wiand
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**Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)**

- First Angraecum magdalenae
- Second Mystacidium capense
- Third Gastrochilis japonicus
- Culture Podangis dactyloceras

- Jim Hoyle
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- Roberta Fox

**Other Genera**

- First Cirr. Elizabeth Ann 'Buckleberry'
- Second Lycaste skinneri var. ipala
- Third Maxillaria tonsbergii 'Spooky' AM/AOS

- Espie Quinn
- Roberta Fox
- Don Goss

Thanks to Lynn S. Wiand, Mong Noiboonsook, 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.

**June Meeting Ribbon Judging Photos**

Thanks to Roger Kroll for the photography.



Oncidium Golden Sunset



Paphiopedalum Topsy Turvey 'Twister'

**Upcoming Events**

See our website for flyers: [www.southcoastorchidsociety.com](http://www.southcoastorchidsociety.com).

Newport Harbor Orchid Society Exotic Plant and Orchid Festival, Westminster Mall, August 22-24  
 Fascination of Orchids, South Coast Plaza Village, September 27-28

**Our August 2014 regular monthly meeting date is August 25, 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 2013 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2014.**

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**More Orchids from Our June Meeting**  
Thanks to Roger Kroll for the great photography.  
Thanks to our members for the wonderful flowers.



*Laelia (Cattleya) purpurata*



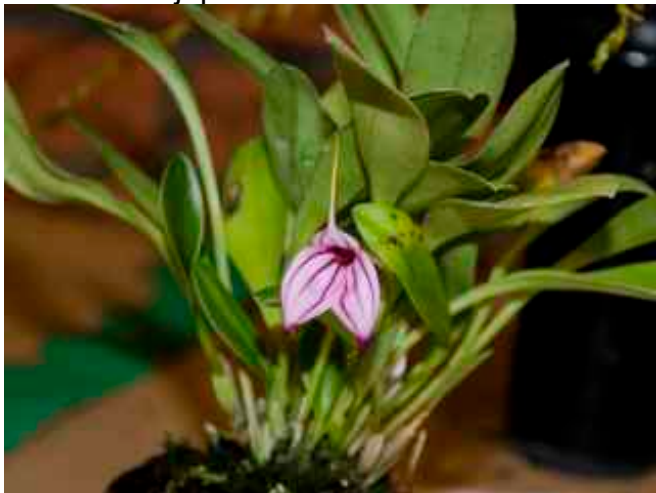
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*Gastrochilus japonicus*



*Lycaste skinneri* var. *ipala*



*Masdevallia Charisma*



*Vanda Paki* (*suavis* x *cristata*)





Blc. Cherry Susane



Psychopsis Memoria Bill Carter



Dendrobium cinnabarinum



Paphiopedalum villosum 'CDM'



Mystacidium capense



Epidendrum (Pfani x Raisenforum)