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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

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Newsletter

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Orchid News November 2021

At least the local orchid vendors have got the holiday spirit. I see two upcoming Open House events at SVO and Andy's. This is good news! Plus, it looks like the Santa Barbara International Orchid Show will be live and in person in March. And that will be followed shortly by the South Bay Orchid Show and Sale. People are obviously in the right spirit, now we just need a break from the virus. I know of two cases, in which people were exposed to someone, who had gotten the vaccine only to turn up with the virus. And I thought orchid viruses were bad! I am taking a positive attitude, being thankful for what we do have, and contemplating filling the empty niches on my orchid bench in the near future. Happy Thanksgiving!

President's Message

Hello everyone, Happy Thanksgiving. I would like to wish you and your families a safe and fruitful Thanksgiving. Pat and I will be hosting 21 vaccinated family members for Thanksgiving Dinner. My recovery from back surgery is going quite well. My doctor has directed me to walk as therapy for recovery. I have been walking up to 2 1/2 miles a day and feeling pretty good. No lifting, twisting or golf for a few months. From last month if you read the newsletter we will probably be starting up our regular meetings starting January 2022. I have not received any definitive direction from Long Beach yet, but I will keep everyone informed through the newsletter. Enjoy your holiday.

John

Member's Orchids



Lc. Wrigleyi (from Stewart's). Russ Nichols



Cattleya luteola. Russ Nichols



Paph henryanum. Russ Nichols



SIGMATOSTALIX (aka ORNITHOPHORA) radicans BRAZIL....more flowers this year than ever before! LSW

Lynn Wiand



S. radicans close up. Lynn Wiand



Cattleya trianii (first bloom in 10 years). Russ Nichols



Den. bigibbum.. Russ Nichols



Brassavola glauca. Russ Nichols



Stanhopia wardii Bloomed in August with 3 spikes...this is a bonus LSW

Lynn Wiand



DENDROCHILUM magnum 14 spikes LSW Lynn Wiand



Cattleya maxima (lowland variety). Russ Nichols



BULBOPHYLLUM rothschildianum 'Adoribil' FCC/AOS Isw This guy smells like something DIED !!!

Lynn Wiand



Another Cattleya maxima (lowland variety). Russ Nichols



Lynn Wiand

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

Sunset Valley Orchids Open House, 1255 Navel Pl., Vista, Saturday Dec. 4, 9 AM to 4 PM Andy's Orchids Open House, 734 Ocean Ave., Encinitas, December 10-12, 10 am - 4 pm Santa Barbara International Orchid Show, Earl Warren Showgrounds, March 11-13 South Bay Orchid Society Show and Sale, Palos Verdes Art Center, March 19-22

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 2019 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2021. If you need supplies or want to shop for orchids, please consider these vendors first. They helped us, maybe we can help them, and get some great orchids too!

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