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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

February 2015

Cymbidium Flasking, Virus Testing, and Repotting by Miki and Karl Batchman, Casa de Las Orquideas

**Program Starts at 7:00 p.m.
Monday, February 23, 2015**

Our speakers this month are Miki and Karl Batchman. Appropriate to the season, they will cover two aspects of Cymbidium orchid care. Miki will discuss flasking and other things that happen in the laboratory, including virus testing, and Karl will demonstrate basic cymbidium repotting and care.

Casa de las Orquideas is a small family-owned orchid nursery specializing in cool-growing genera such as cymbidiums and zygopetalums. The business was founded by Loren Batchman in 1976 and is located in the coastal San Diego area. The business was passed down to Karl and Miki Batchman in 2011. Miki Batchman has been doing the lab work for the business, as well as designing displays, for several years. Karl has worked in the nursery for most of his adult life.

Cymbidiums come to us from South East Asia and nearby Pacific islands. They may be divided into three groups: larger flowered, cooler growing species requiring requiring cold nights and larger day/night differences to flower; intermediate growing species that do not require cold nights; and warm growing species that with pendant inflorescences. Cymbidium hybrids, combining the best of species features, are among the easiest orchids to grow outdoors in Southern California.

Casa de Las Orquideas will supply the opportunity table. Look for some great Cymbidiums!

Refreshments

Last names starting with **A through H** please bring refreshments.

President's Message

We had a great meeting in January with Fred Clarke speaking on *Catasetums*. Fred's talk gave us a better understanding of this orchid species - both the range of colors and the care and growing methods. Fred also provided a spectacular flowering plant table.

I'm writing this message before the Newport Harbor Show which is on February 13 -15. Hopefully many of you attended the show at Westminster Mall and helped us with the society display.

Karl and Miki Batchman from Casa de las Orquideas, Loren Batchman's son and daughter, will be speaking at our February 23rd meeting. Hope to see you there.

Remember that the 2015 membership dues need to be paid as soon as possible. If you have not yet paid, please bring to the February meeting or send it by mail. You can download the membership form from our SCOS website. Membership is still only \$20 per family.

Thanks for your support,
John Reyes

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Ribbon Judging Results

January 26, 2015

Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

First	Lc Angel Heart x Pot. Buran-Beauty	Espie Quinn
Second	Soph. coccinea	Lynn S. Wiand
Third	Laelia canariensis	Roberta Fox
Culture	Lc Angel Heart x Pot. Buran-Beauty	Espie Quinn

Paph & Phrag (Cyprpedioideae Subfamily)

First	Paph. glaucophyllum	Tony Glinskis
Second	Paph. tranlienianum	Lynn S. Wiand
Third	Paph. Coro Beauty	Lynn S. Wiand
Culture	Paph. King Charles (Wawona Maiden x charlesworthii)	Espie Quinn

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

First	Dendrobium Micro Chip (aberrans x normanbyense)	?
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Pleurothallids (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)

First	Masdevallia caesia	Jim Hoyle
Second	Masdevallia Copper Angel	Jim Hoyle
Culture	Masdevallia Copper Angel	Jim Hoyle

Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcantinae Subtribe)

None submitted

Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)

First	Oncidium Mayfair 'Trinity'	Bill MacCorkell
Second	Maxillaria picta	Lynn S. Wiand
Third	Tricocentrum (Oncidium) cavendishianum	Roberta Fox
Culture	Maxillaria picta	Lynn S. Wiand

Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)

None submitted

Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)

First Cym. High Sierra x Pure Love
Second Cym. Snow Ball Cascade
Third Cym. Snow Court
Culture Cym. Snow Ball Cascade

Bill MacCorkell
Marylyn Paulsen
Bill MacCorkell
Marylyn Paulsen

Other Genera

First Dendrochilum tenellum
Second Dendrochilum javeriense (javerii)
Culture Dendrochilum tenellum

Lynn S. Wiand
Roberta Fox
Lynn S. Wiand

Thanks to Brian Hench, Lynn S. 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.

January Meeting Ribbon Judging Photos

Thanks to Roger Kroll for the photography.



Lc Interceps coerulea



Oncidium Mayfair 'Trinity'

Upcoming Events

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

Cool Growing Orchid Society Auction, Garden Grove, February 11, 6:30 preview

Newport Harbor Orchid Expo, Westminster Mall, February 13-15

South Bay Orchid Society Show and Sale, Feb. 21-22 - CANCELLED

Pacific Orchid Exposition, Fort Mason Center, San Francisco, February 20-22, 2015

Long Beach Amateurs Auction, St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, Long Beach, March 9, 6:00 p.m. preview

Santa Barbara International Orchid Show, Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara, March 13-15, 2015

San Diego Orchid Society Show and Sale, Scottish Rite Event Center, March 27-29

Our March 2015 regular monthly meeting date is March 23, 2015

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 2014 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2015.

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



Sophronitis coccinea



Masdevallia caesia



Dendrochilum tenellum



Paphiopedilum Nittens



Paph. Wawona Maiden x charlesworthii



Trichocentrum cavendishianum



Cym. High Sierra 'Green Glory' x Pure Love



Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'



Paphiopedilum tranlienianum



Phragmipedium besseae



Dendrochilum javeriense



Maxillaria picta

**AOS Awards Photographs
Long Beach, January 2015**

Thanks to Arthur Pinkers for the fine photography and awards information.



Paphiopedilum Colonel
Sanders 'Sunset Valley
Orchids'

AM/AOS 85 pts.

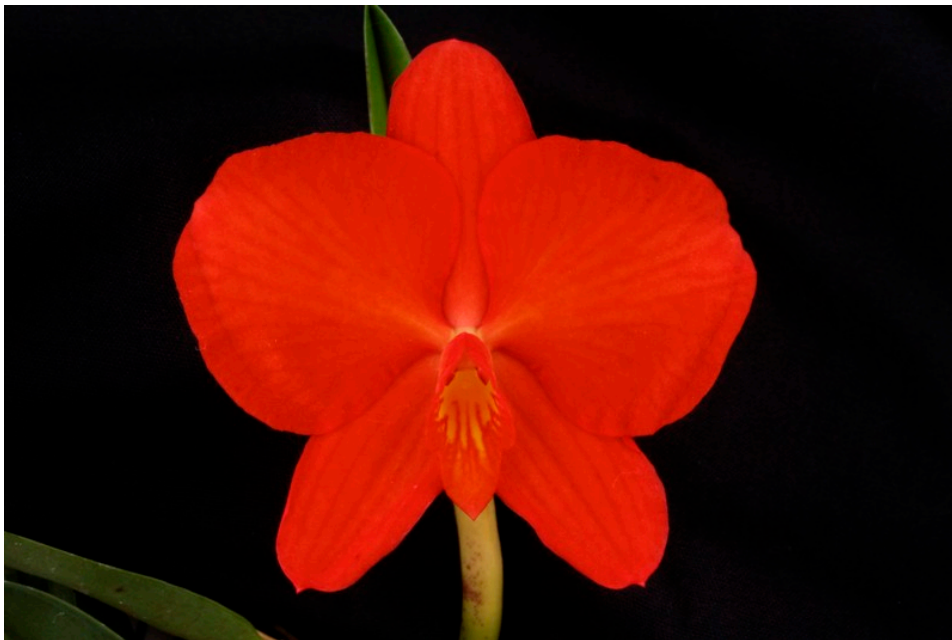
Exhibited by Fred Clarke,
Sunset Valley Orchids



Cattleya praestans 'Brandi'

AM/AOS 86 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Cattleya coccinea 'Becky B'

AM/AOS 81 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Fredclarkeara Dark There
After 'SVO Winter's Night'

FCC/AOS 92 pts.

Exhibited by Fred Clarke,
Sunset Valley Orchids



Cattleya wittigiana 'Tokyo Jewel'

HCC/AOS 76 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids