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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

November 2015

Expert Orchid Panel
by
SCOS Award Winners
Program Starts at 7:00 p.m.
Monday, November 23, 2015

This month we have convened a panel of our best growers to tell us how they do it and answer questions we may have about growing techniques, tools, and local environments. From which orchids to grow in our personal growing conditions to selecting orchids offered for sale to potting, watering and fertilizing, we all have questions. Each new orchid brings slightly different requirements; can we lump orchids together and treat all in a group with the same methods? This is your chance to learn how these people have been able to cope with the vagaries of orchid growing, and what makes them successful growers.

Roberta Fox, Don Goss, Mary Lee Gray, Lynn Wiand and Espie Quinn will form our panel, moderated by our President, John Reyes. These folks have proven their prowess, winning SCOS awards in the yearly ribbon judging competition, and gathering AOS awards as well. Listen for recommendations that apply to your growing area, and ask questions to bolster your knowledge and improve your orchids.

Refreshments

Last names starting with **Q through Z** please bring refreshments.

President's Message

Happy Thanksgiving!! Have a great holiday with your friends and family.

Thanks to everyone who participated in our annual auction either by working or buying plants. The auction moved quickly without a hitch. Elaine's use of the credit card scanner with an assist from our bank streamlined the check out and pay process. Thanks again to a great auction team.

It is that time of year again, when we renew our membership for 2016. Please consider renewing early to help establish our roster and mailing lists for next year. Come and enjoy our last meeting and renew your membership if you haven't already.

November is our last regular meeting for the year; bring your plants for ribbon judging and enjoy a robust discussion by a panel of expert growers November 23rd. See you on Monday, the 23rd.

John Reyes

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Ribbon Judging Results

September 2015

Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

First LC Lource Lunn

Second C. Portia

Third BKC. Guaman City

Culture Laelia sanguiloba

Wilma de Guzman

Agnes Nguyen

Espie Quinn

Roberta Fox

Paph & Phrag (Cyrtopodioideae Subfamily)

None submitted

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

First Dendrobium bracteosum

Second

Third

Culture Dendrobium macranthum

unknown

Agnes Huang

Pleurothallids (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)

None submitted

Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)

First

Second Phalaenopsis equestris var coerulea

Third Phalaenopsis Arakaki fancy

Roberta Fox

Doris & Lawrence Arakaki

Angraecoids

First Aerangis articulata

Second Aerides quinquevulnera

Third Aerangis mystacidii

James Hoyle

Tom/Celsa Rue

Wilma de Guzman

Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)

First Ascocentrum Mona Church

Second Phalaenopsis equestris var coerulea

Third Phalaenopsis Arakaki fancy

Doris & Lawrence Arakaki

Roberta Fox

Doris & Lawrence Arakaki

Culture Mokara Salaya Red

Tom/Celsa Rue

Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)

First Colm. Wildcat "Red Ruby"

Espie Quinn

Second Oncidium Pacific Panache "Kenny Boy"

Tom/Celsa Rue

Third Miltonia regnellii

Roberta Fox

Culture Oncidium Pacific Panache "Kenny Boy"

Tom/Celsa Rue

Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)

First None submitted

Other Genera

First Catasetum Loveva

Bill MacCorkle

Second Bulbophyllum echinolabium

Roberta Fox

Third Cochleanthes amazonica

Brian Hench

Culture Nageliella purpurea

Wilma de Guzman

Thanks to Espie Quinn, Roberta Fox and Russ Nichols for judging.

Categories (sub tribes) based on 'Home Orchid Growing' by Rebecca Northern

AOS Award Photos

We are catching up on our presentation of AOS Awarded orchid photos in this month's newsletter.

See Feb, Mar, & April photos below.



Cattleya schilleriana 'SVO' HCC/AOS



Paph. Stone Crazy Beauty HCC/AOS

Upcoming Events

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

Orchid Odyssey, San Diego Zoo greenhouse open to the public, November 20, December 18

Orchid Society of Santa Barbara Fall Show & Sale, Santa Barbara, November 21-22

Andy's Orchids Open House, 734 Ocen View Avenue, Vista, December 4-6

Casa de las Orquideas Annual Open House, 170 S. Nardo Ave., Solana Beach, December 5-6

Sunset Valley Orchids Open House, 1255 Navel Place, Vista, December 5-6

Orange County Orchid Society Auction, Yorba Linda Public Library, January 20, 2016, 6:30 p.m.

Our December 2015 Christmas Potluck and meeting date is December 14, 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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**AOS Awards Photographs
Long Beach, December 2014**

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

February 2015



Vandachostylis Pinky
'Midnight Pearls'

AM/AOS 86 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Cattleya coccinea 'Tokyo
Crown'

AM/AOS 84 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Oncidium San Damiano
Dugger 'Rustic Canyon'

HCC/AOS 75 pts.

Exhibited by Dr. Howard
Liebman



Oncidium N.R. 'Rustic
Canyon'

HCC/AOS 75 pts.

Exhibited by Dr. Howard
Liebman



Paphiopedilum Stone
Crazy 'Beauty'

HCC/AOS 78 pts.

Exhibited by Tim
Culbertson

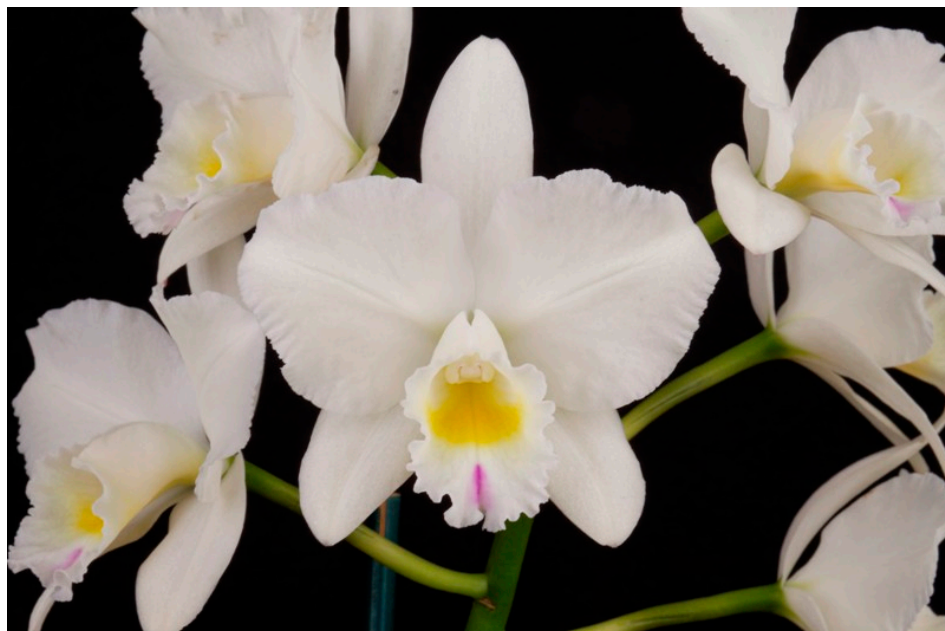


Dendrobium Bright Angel
'Loren Batchman'

AM/AOS 82 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids

March 2015



Rhyncattleanthe (Potinara)
Forbidden Love 'Exception'

AM/AOS 80 pts.

Exhibited by Outhay
Viengkhou



Laelia (Schomburghkia)
undulata 'Michelle Hoang'

HCC/AOS 79 pts.

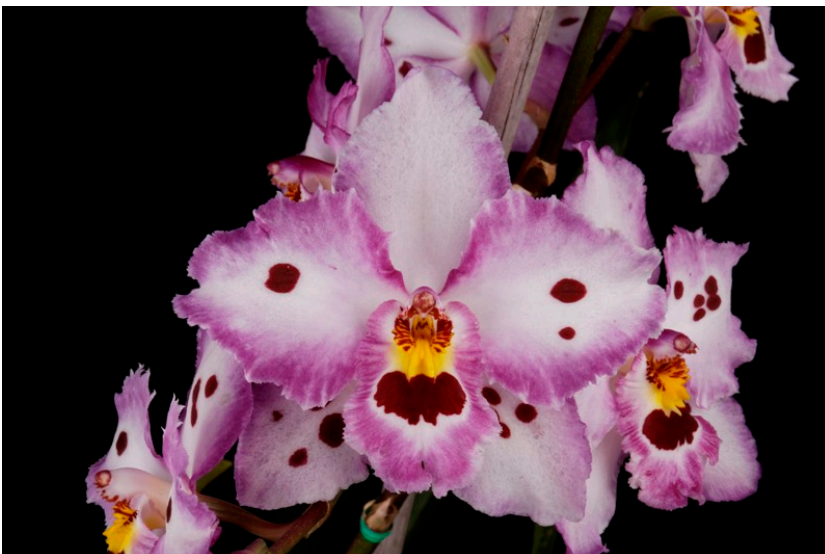
Exhibited by Agnes Nguyen



Aerangis Zipper 'Diamond Orchids'

HCC/AOS 78 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Oncidium Petulant Prince
'Rustic Canyon'

AM/AOS 82 pts.

Exhibited by Howard
Liebman

April 2015



Leptotes bicolor 'Florence'

FCC/AOS 90 pts.

Exhibited by Peter T. Lin,
Diamond Orchids



Cattleya schilleriana
'Sunset Valley Orchids II'

AM/AOS 83 pts.

Exhibited by Fred Clarke



Phalaenopsis Haur Jih
Fancy 'China Doll'

HCC/AOS 78 pts.

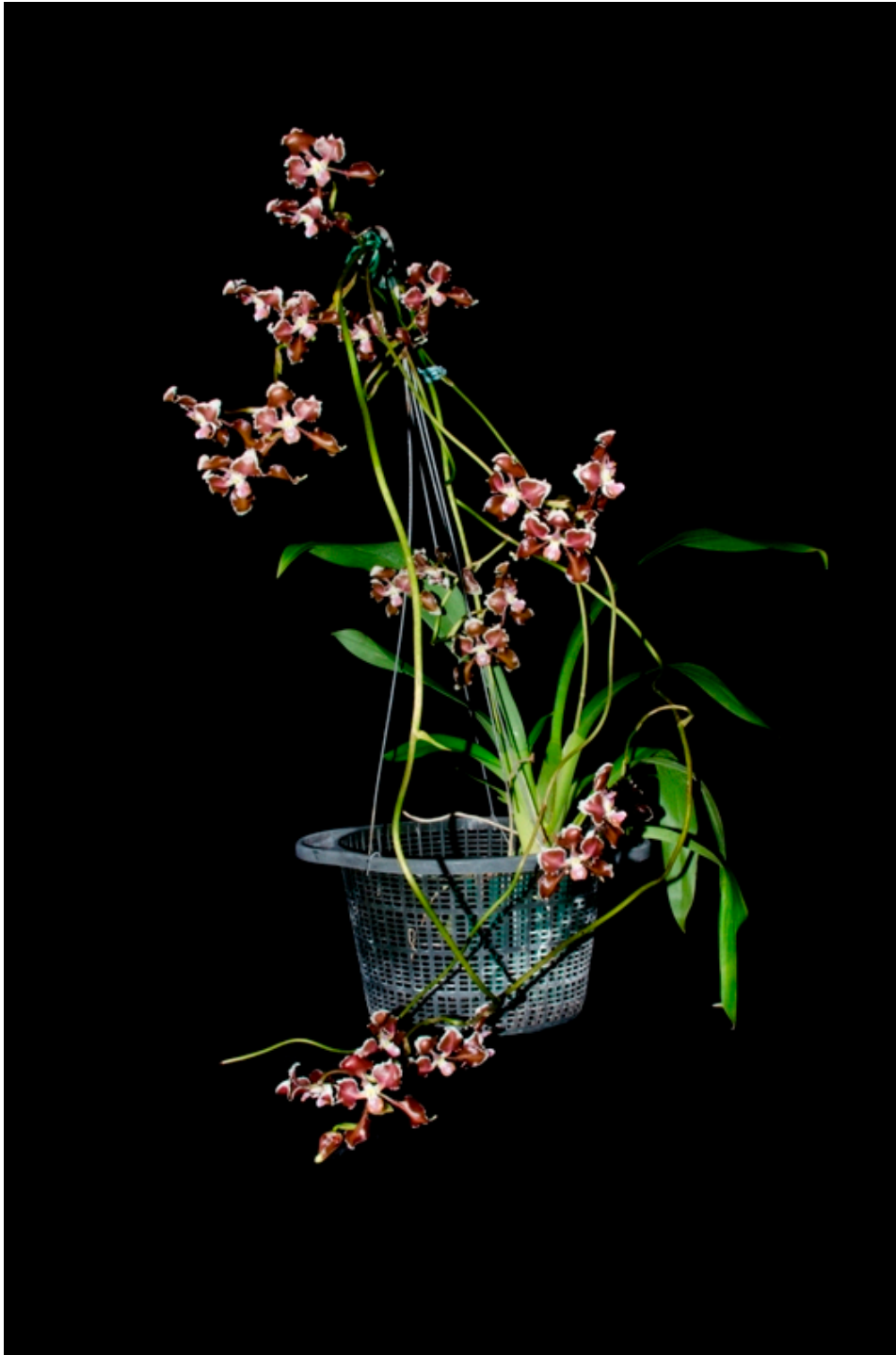
Exhibited by Glenn F. Stall



Cyrtorchilum geniculatum
'Rustic Canyon'

CHM/AOS 81 pts.

Exhibited by Dr. Howard
Liebman



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'Rustic Canyon'

CHM/AOS 81 pts.

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Liebman