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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

March 2016

## Integrated Pest Management for Orchids

by

**Dr. Thomas C. Quick**

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

**Monday, March 28, 2016**

Dr. Thomas C. Quick is the Global Sales Manager for GROW MORE Inc. He manages sales and new product development for fertility and pesticide products for high value fruit, turf, ornamental, and vegetable crops. In addition, Tom has an active role in product registrations, with a primary focus on global Organic Products. Prior to this fertilizer business, Tom was the Vice President of the Agricultural Division of Eco Soil Systems Inc., with responsibility for Product Development, Management and Marketing of the TerraViva Bioject Programs used on farm and on golf course fermentation of beneficial microbial products and organic soil amendments in agriculture, in the USA, Mexico and Australia. Tom was recently a founding board member of OFAC, The Organic Fertilizer Association of California and is the active Vice Chairman of that organization.

Dr. Quick received his BS in Entomology from UC Riverside, and Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin in Integrated Pest Management (IPM). He has worked internationally for over 30 years in applied microbial pest control and is recognized globally for his work with microbial pesticides based upon *Bacillus thuringiensis*. Tom's previous work at Mycogen Corp. was instrumental in the development and marketing of the first genetically engineered microbial insecticide. Prior to joining ESSI, Tom worked at Abbott Laboratories as the International Manager of Biopesticides and was successful in promoting the use of selective insecticides for food and disease control.

Dr. Quick is a passionate teacher and throughout his academic and business career his presentations have inspired and promoted the development of IPM and sustainable integrated production programs. Tom's ability to effectively communicate technical information to diverse audiences has lead to the successful commercial development of safe and selective Ag. products.

### Refreshments

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

## President's Message

Spring is coming and many of my orchids are in bloom. Be sure to check all your plants to see if they are starting to spike with all this warm weather. So much for our Southern California El Nino!

We had a great meeting in February. Arthur Pinkers, from our judging room, gave an excellent presentation on Miltoniopsis. Awards were presented for plant judging. This year instead of receiving certificates or plaques, winners were awarded gift certificates for Andy's Orchids. Thanks to Janell for making that possible. Certificates of appreciation were given to Maria Van Kooy and David and Marylyn Paulsen for providing outstanding hospitality at our monthly meetings and Christmas dinner. Russ Nichols presented me with the Orchid Digest Diamond Award. Thanks to all who attended.

I am sad to let you know that Ann Wilson, one of the founding members of SCOS, passed away peacefully in February. Ann was one of the nicest people in our society and she continued to follow SCOS on her computer by reading our monthly newsletters. She was a kind and generous person that will be greatly missed.

Have a Happy Easter with your friends and family. Hope to see all of you on Monday, March 28.

John Reyes

### South Coast Orchid Society

Ribbon Judging Results

February 22, 2016

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

First	Leptotes harryphillipsii	Roberta Fox
Second	Rth Booton D'or x C. Seagull	Bill MacCorkell
Third	Dialaelia Mozoguchi 'Princess Miko'	Kathryn Synsteliën
Third	Lc. (C. schilleriana x Lc. Blazing Treat)	Kathryn Synsteliën
Culture	Laelia (Schomburgkia) moyobambae	Roberta Fox

#### **Paph & Phrag (Cyprpedioideae Subfamily)**

First	Paph. Leeaunum (4)	Lynn S. Wiand
Second	Paph. tranlienianum	Lynn S. Wiand
Third	Paph. (Autumn Sun x Giant Stone) #1	Lynn S. Wiand
Culture	Paph. Leeaunum (2)	Lynn S. Wiand

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

First	Den. (Gilleston Jazz 'Steven' x (Tosca x Rutherford Starbright))	Bill MacCorkell
Second	Den. Aussie Treat	Mary Bell
Third	Den. bellatulum	Jim Hoyle

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

none submitted

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

none submitted

#### **Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)**

none submitted

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

First Oncidium onustum

Roberta Fox

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

First Cym. Nut 'Red Beauty' (sinense x Red Beauty)

Mike Kusik

### **Other Genera**

First Pterostylis curta

Roberta Fox

Second Dendrochilum wallisii

Lynn S. Wiand

Third Unknown orange species

Lynn S. Wiand

Culture Dendrochilum tenellum

Lynn S. Wiand

Thanks to 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.

### **February Meeting Photos**

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the excellent photography.

(For more photos, see our online newsletter at: [www.southcoastorchidsociety.com](http://www.southcoastorchidsociety.com).)



Dendrochilum tenellum



Cymbidium Nut 'Red Beauty' (sinense x Red Beauty)

### **Upcoming Events**

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

Central Coast Orchid Show and Sale, Arroyo Grande, April 2 (9 to 5), 3 (10 to 5)

Cool Growing Orchid Society Annual auction, Garden Grove, April 13, Start 7:00 p.m.

Orchid Odyssey, San Diego Zoo orchid greenhouse open 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

So. Cal. Spring Garden Show, South Coast Plaza, April 28 to May 1

Palomar Orchid Society Sale and Auction, The Pavilion, Lake San Marcos, April 30, 9:30-3:00

**Our April 2016 regularly scheduled monthly meeting date is April 25, 2016**

## 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 2015 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2016.**

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**More Ribbon Judging Photos from Our February Meeting**

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the great photography.

Thanks to our members for the wonderful flowers.



Coelogyne Cristana



Dialaelia Mozoguchi 'Princess Miko'



Orange species (lost tag)



Pterostyllis curta



Paphiopedilum group photo



Laelia (Schomburgkia) moyobambae

## **South Coast Orchid Society Recognizes Outstanding Members**

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the photography.

At our February meeting, we recognized our members, who have made a significant contribution to the South Coast Orchid Society. We presented our annual awards for orchids of outstanding quality displayed each month in our competitive Ribbon Judging. We also presented service awards for consistently maintaining a high level of quality in our ongoing activities. Finally, we presented this year's winner of the Orchid Digest Diamond Award.

Among the competitors in our monthly Ribbon Judging, Lynn Wiand's orchids are always in contention for top honors. She participates in each of our ten Ribbon Judging competitions throughout the year. She displays orchids that are consistently well grown, healthy in appearance, and at or near their flowering peak. She also brings in multiple orchids in multiple categories, proving the breadth of her cultural expertise. First Place for 2015, and the Phil Plocher Award, went to Lynn S. Wiand.

Espie Quinn received Second Place for 2015. She brings a great variety of large, showy, well grown orchids to our meetings. Her specimen orchids and eye-catching flowers are a pleasure to see each month. She frequently discusses her culture techniques, but she is always the master. Congratulations Espie.

Roberta Fox received Third Place for 2015. Roberta is an accomplished grower. She cultivates a wide variety of species, that always add interest to our Ribbon Judging displays. She often receives culture awards that reflect a careful attention to the needs of her orchids from different regions of the world. Well done, Roberta.

Jim Hoyle also received a Third Place Award for 2015. Jim tends more toward those smaller, mostly species, orchids that are often referred to as botanicals. He grows many beautiful Pleurothallids, but also brings in orchids in other categories. Jim's plants are often seen on his unique mounts, that he makes for his orchids.

This year we also recognized two members, who have served on the Board of Directors, and assumed duties that are needed to keep our society functioning month after month. Maria Van Kooy is the Chair of our Hospitality Committee. She can always be found at each meeting serving hot and cold drinks and refreshments. She and Marylyn Paulsen pull together the refreshments for all the monthly meetings, for our auction meeting, and for our Christmas dinner. In addition, Marylyn now serves as the society Secretary. Many thanks to both.

Last, but certainly not least, the Board of Directors presented this year's Orchid Digest Diamond Award to our President, John Reyes. John brings his love of orchids and pleasant manner to each meeting to keep us functioning. He readily opens his home to board meetings (giving some of us a chance to see his well grown orchids). He has represented the South Coast Orchid Society in other venues, giving talks about the society and about growing orchids. He is a gifted designer of displays put on by SCOS at various orchid shows. and his calligraphy makes every orchid just that much more special. For his enduring service to SCOS, we were pleased to present the Orchid Digest Award of Excellence to John Reyes.



2015 First Place overall in the Ribbon Judging competition, and winner of the Phil Plocher Award



2015 Third Place overall in the Ribbon Judging competition (tie)



2015 Third Place overall in the Ribbon Judging competition (tie)

The Orchid Digest "Diamond Award" (aka Award of Excellence) was presented to our current President, John Reyes. We see John in all these pictures, doing his duty as the face and voice of SCOS, presenting awards to others. For his long tour of duty, his contributions to our orchid show displays, and his promotion of orchids in the greater community, the SCOS is proud to present to John the Diamond Award for outstanding service.



Marylyn Paulsen receives Service Award



Maria Van Kooy receives Service Award