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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

April 2017

Angraecum Orchids by Peter T. Lin

Monday, April 24, 2017
Program starts at 7:00 p.m.

Peter Lin will tell us all about the genus *Angraecum*. Learn about the many different species and some of their culture requirements.

Peter started growing orchids over 30 years ago, but then stopped due to school and starting a career. It wasn't until about 12 years ago that the orchid "bug" came back and he is now heavily involved once again. He is an accredited judge with the American Orchid Society and a hybridizer of mini-catts. He enjoys meeting with other orchid enthusiasts, and can often be found at various orchid shows and societies around the country. He also has hundreds of photos of his orchids that he maintains on Flickr. You can view them by typing this address into the internet:

<http://www.flickr.com/photos/minicatt/collections/>

Due to limited growing space, Peter likes to specialize in miniature orchids, both species and hybrids, and has received numerous AOS awards. His other interests in orchids include *Dendrobiums*, *Laelias*, and *Neofinetias*. He maintains a collection of a thousand or more orchids at his home in Southern California in 3 small greenhouses, as well as in the house under fluorescent lights.

Refreshments

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

President's Message

Since we are now in full Spring season it nice to see all the blooming plants in my garden. I have been pretty busy with my garden and my orchids trying to make sure that they are properly fed and protected from pests this is the time to get the upper hand on them. I hope you are all enjoying spring as well.

I really enjoyed last months presentation by Anika Ballent. Ocean pollution control is sometyhing we all should be aware as well as implementing procedures to lessen our impact on the environment.

We had a Board meeting at my house on 4-13-17. Mong Noiboonsook reported that the net profit from our Oct 2016 auction was \$ 3,625. Thanks to members who helped make this a big success. Elaine Murphy reported that we currently have \$ 10,108 in our treasury.

The Board voted to adopt the following:

Silent auction rules.

- 1) Members may bring a maximum 4 plants to sell on the silent auction table per meeting.
- 2) Proceeds will be 70% to the seller and 30% to SCOS.
- 3) The silent auction slip has to have the members full name on the sheet unless the full amount is being donated to SCOS.

Exchange of ribbons for tickets in the show table drawing

- 1) Members may exchange up to 4 ribbons for tickets in the show table drawing, 1 ticket for each ribbon up to 4 maximum per meeting.

Last but not least Peter Lin will be our speaker this month so don't miss out, see you at the meeting

John Reyes

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Ribbon Judging Results

March 27, 2017

Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

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| First | Slc. Hsin Buu Lady "YT" | Una Yeh |
| First | Catt. Mem Grant Eichler | Lynn S. Wiand |
| Second | Lc. [C. trianaii 'Cashews' FCC/AOS x L. alaorii 'SVO11'] | Barbara Lamb |
| Second | Pot. Haw Yuan Gold 'Yuang Kang #2' | Una Yeh |
| Third | Schom. Curly Head | Una Yeh |
| Culture | Epi. Snow White | Agnes Nguyen |
| Culture | Epi. magnoliae | Lynn S. Wiand |

Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)

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| First | Cymbidium Lamberday 'Tangerii' | Agnes Nguyen |
| Second | Cymbidium Lady Sara | Glenda Urmacher |

Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)

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| First | Vanda lamellata | Espie Quinn |
| Second | Holcoglossum subulifolium | Lynn S. Wiand |
| Third | Vanda [unknown] | Agnes Nguyen |
| Culture | Phal. [Yushan Sunset Sweet x (Zuma's Pride x Carribean Sunset)] | Barbara Lamb |

Aerangis Relatives (Aerangidinae, Aeridinae, Angraecinae Subtribes)

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| First | Angraecum sesquipedale 'Crestwood' | Espie Quinn |
| Second | Angraecum sesquipedale hybrid | Una Yeh |
| Third | Angraecum sesquipedale hybrid | Agnes Nguyen |

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

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| First | Dendrobium speciosum 'Golden Art' | Agnes Nguyen |
| Second | Dendrobium capituliflorum | Roberta Fox |
| Third | Dendrobium speciosum | Roberta Fox |

Culture Dendrobium speciosum 'Golden Art'

Agnes Nguyen

Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)

First Colmanara Wildcat 'Blood Ruby'

Espie Quinn

Second Dendrochillum bicallosum

Espie Quinn

Third Maxillaria prophyrostele

Lynn S. Wiand

Culture Maxillaria densa

Roberta Fox

Paph & Phrag (Cyprpedioideae Subfamily)

First Paph. St. Swithin 'Pine Ridge 87'

Andy Tao

Second Paph. micranthum var. eburneum

Andy Tao

Third Paph. delenatii 'alba'

Andy Tao

Third Paph. delenatii

Roberta Fox

Culture Paph. St. Swithin 'Pine Ridge 87'

Andy Tao

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

First Dendrobium (Gillieston x (Rosea x Rutherford))

Bill McCorkell

Second Dendrobium (bracteosum x Tennial 'Red')

Mong Noiboonsook

Third Dendrobium speciosum

Mary Gray

Pleurothallids (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)

none submitted

Other Genera

First Sarcochilus scepirodes

Roberta Fox

Second Zygopetalum Cynosure 'Blue Bird'

Una Yeh

Culture Sarcochilus scepirodes

Roberta Fox

Thanks to Russ Nichols, and Lynn S. Wiand for judging.

March Meeting Photos

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the photography

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



Blc. Memoria Grant Eichler



Maxillaria densa

Upcoming Events

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

South Bay Orchid Society Annual Auction, So. Coast Botanic Garden, April 21, 7 p.m. start

South Coast Plaza Spring Garden Sale, So. Coast Plaza, April 27-30

Casa de Las Qrquideas 16th Annual Super Seedling Sale, Solana Beach, 9am-4pm, May 20

Cal-Orchid Summer Hummer, Santa Barbara, July 14-16

Our May 2017 regularly scheduled monthly meeting date is May 22, 2017

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 2016 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2017.

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More Ribbon Judging Photos from Our March Meeting

Thanks to Mong Noiboonsook for the great photographs.

Thanks to our members for the wonderful flowers.



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Epidendrum magnoliae



Dendrobium speciosum 'Golden Art'



Paphiopedilum micranthum v. *eburneum*



Maxillaria porphyrostele



Sarcochilus scepirodes



Vanda lamellata