



South Coast ORCHID Society, Inc.

LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

Meets on the 4th Monday of each Month at Silverado Park Club House, 31st Street and Santa Fe Ave.

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PROGRAM - JANUARY 26, 1959

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MEETING TO BE HELD AT THE PETROLEUM CLUB
OF LONG BEACH

3636 LINDEN AVENUE, LONG BEACH

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SOCIAL HOUR - 6:30 P.M.
STEAK DINNER - 7:30 P.M.

AWARDING OF 1958 ANNUAL TROPHIES FOR OUTSTANDING FLOWERS

MR. ROBERT COSAMAJOR
GUEST SPEAKER

MR. JOSEPH R. HAMPTON
GUEST OF HONOR

SPEAKER

Our guest speaker, Robert Casamajor, is a man well known throughout the orchid world and whom we are indeed fortunate to have with us at the time of our big annual meeting.

His start in orchids began in 1939 and rapidly grew in eminence. Attended the Orchid Society of So. California in its early days and then helped organize the Cymbidium Society of America, Inc. in 1946, became its Bulletin Editor and still retains that position. Was awarded Orchid Digest Corp. Silver Medal for Meritorious Service to the Orchid World in 1955 at Western Orchid Conference in Long Beach. Serving as a judge in the Cymbidium Society of America, American Orchid Society, Orchid Society of So. California and Orchid Digest Corp. Was a delegate to the first World Orchid Congress where he was active in establishing the present system of judging and its score sheets. He is presently Editor of the Cymbidium News and a member of the Board of Directors of the Cymbidium Society of America, Inc.

HONOR GUEST

At our Annual Meeting we are honoring a man who has been active in the Society for a long time and has tirelessly worked for the improvement of the group. Joe Hampton has lived and worked with orchids for many years, starting with Armacost & Royston, Inc. in 1927 and then with Mr. Meyers of Beverly Hills Estates. Next, with Joseph Urmston for 16 years, where they collaborated on light-control for Cattleyas. He then joined B. O. Bracey and Co., where he has been for the past seven years and is now manager of the Cattleya Division of Dos Pueblos Orchid Co. in Golita, California. Joe Hampton, in accepting a position out of town, will no longer be able to continue his active membership and his gain is indeed our loss. We certainly will not be forgetting

BANQUET RESERVATIONS

All reservations for the Banquet must be made by Jan. 22, 1959. If you have not made your reservations, please do so at once. Should you desire additional tickets, please contact Woodrow C. Wilson, 2453 Flower St., Huntington Park, Telephone LU 5-3082. The price of the banquet is \$5.00 per person, and this is a steak dinner prepared by the Petroleum Club's outstanding chef.

DECORATIONS

Decorations for the banquet are under the able direction of Dean Fields and Mrs. Calvin Worthen, chairman and co-chairman. Those who attended last years meeting will remember how spectacular the arrangements were, and can anticipate more of the same from our committee.

PLANT DRAWING

There will be plant drawing at the banquet, for which your ticket stub will serve in drawing names. Some very fine plants are being procured from B. O. BRACEY & CO. for this occasion. In addition to the plants purchased from FRED A STEWART, INC. for last months drawing, we wish to express our appreciation for donations from SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GREENHOUSE MFRS., and RHEINFRANK AND ASSOCIATES.

JUDGING - PLANT FORUM

There will be no judging of plants and no plant forum at the banquet meeting.

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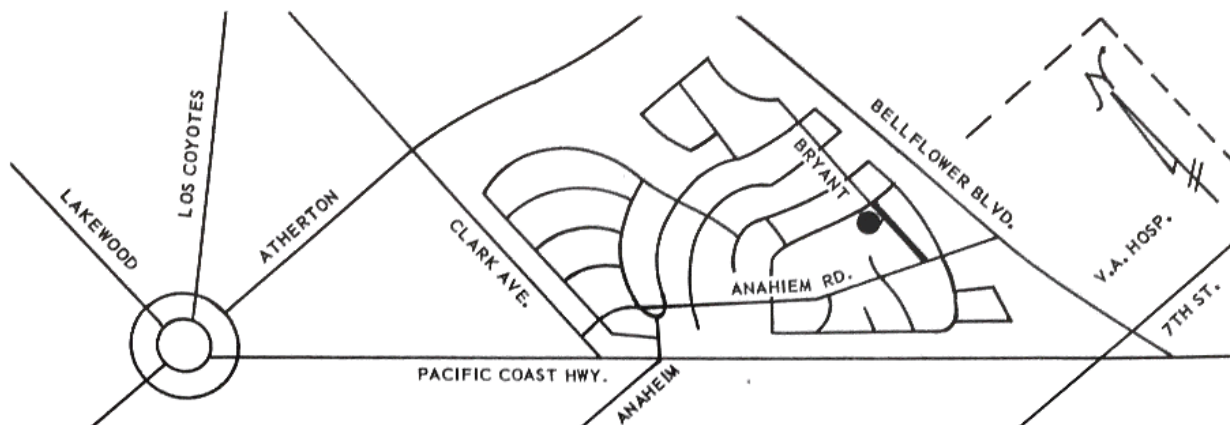
The membership drive starts in March. Many of you must have friends who are interested in our hobby. You are invited to bring them to our meetings and sponsor them for membership. As an added incentive, each new member and sponsor will receive an orchid plant.

NOVICE CLASS

Seventy four members and guests attended the last Novice Class which met at the Fred A. Stewart, Inc. range in San Gabriel. Our sincere thanks are extended for the opportunity of meeting in such pleasant surroundings and to absorb the many interesting and timely subjects expounded by Mr. Netherington. It was one of the most interesting meetings the class has had and certainly enjoyed by all.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. James Tresh, 1191 Bryant Road, Long Beach, Sunday, February 1st, at 10:00 A.M. The map below will direct you.

Don't forget your chairs.



Jim has arranged to have a chemist from the Dow Chemical Co. who has many of the answers on fertilizers, soil conditioners and pest controls. He will conduct a question and answer program, so have your questions prepared for the meeting.

LIBRARY

Bound copies of back issues of THE ORCHID DIGEST are available on a monthly loan basis thru the Library. Contact Van D. Tilton, 3854 Clark Ave., Long Beach 8, phone GA 5-8306.

JUDGING

South Coast Orchid Society and Orchid Digest Corporation judging commences at 7:00 P.M. Plants not in the Judging Room by that time cannot be judged. Fill out your entry form completely and legibly, as all information requested is required for the records. Have a varietal name selected for your plant and enter it on the judging form.

SOUTH COAST AND ORCHID DIGEST REGIONAL JUDGING

December 29, 1958

Judging Chairman: Glenn Hamilton
 Judges Present: Howard Anderson, Art Falk, George Field, John Hanes, Tommie Hanes, Nell Howard, Rolan Howard
 Associate Judges Present: Jean Field
 Clerks Present: Edward Bauman, Earl Monson, John Vidulich
 Official Photographer: George Reed

Of the five plants submitted for judging, the following one received an award:

| Award No. | Plant Name | Cert. | Points | Exhibited by |
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| 198 | Lc. Ibabilis "Katea" | H.C.C. | 76.2 | Katy & Earl Monson |

SHOWS TO ATTEND

San Diego Orchid Show - Sunday, April 5th - Plans are underway to charter a bus to make a real outing.
Santa Barbara Cymbidium Show - April 19th
Mexico Orchid Collecting Trip - Feb. 14th for 25 days - Still room for a couple - Contact Alvin Embree - 214 W. Carter Ave., Sierra Madre - phone Elgin 53349.

GUESTS

The following were guests at our December meeting. We sincerely hope you will make us a return visit real soon.

Mr. Doug Cassidy, 5224 Lanai St., Long Beach
 Major W. F. Uhlman, Larson Air Force Base, Washington
 Mr. & Mrs. J. Calhoun, 21138 S. Hobart Blvd., Torrance
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 Mr. & Mrs. W. E. Saltsman, 2371 Stearnlee Ave., Long Beach 15
 Mrs. Floyd Milturberger, 6100 Olive St., Long Beach
 Mr. Larry Bocardo, San Diego, California
 Mr. J. H. Thomasson, 17910 Ardmore, Bellflower

S.C.O.S. DUES

Just a reminder that the 1959 Society dues should be remitted as soon as possible. Dues are \$3.00, including subscription to THE ORCHID DIGEST. Dues without the subscription are \$4.00. Please remit your membership renewal fees to the Membership Secretary, Woodrow C. Wilson, 2453 Flower Street, Huntington Park, California. Phone LU 5-3032.

FLOWER SHOW

The Southland Orchid Societies Flower Show committee, set up and sponsored by the Orchid Societies of So. California announces its First Annual Orchid Show, to be held at the Los Angeles State and County Arboretum in Arcadia, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 20, 21, 22. The show is free and open to the public. Scores of classes will be available for all genera of orchids to be exhibited. Three types of judging:

Ribbon Judging

American Orchid Society Award Judging

Cymbidium Society Medal Judging

Over \$2500.00 worth of the finest orchids are being donated for the big plant sale. Tickets for these plants will be available at the Banquet meeting and at later meetings, or contact Woodrow C. Wilson, 2453 Flower Street, Huntington Park - phone LUdlow 5-3032.

You can't afford to miss this one.

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For information relative to advertising space and rates in the Bulletin, contact Lee N. Bentzen, Bulletin Editor. His address is 4607 Blackthorne Ave., Long Beach 3, California and telephone HARRison 5-1576. Deadline for each month's issue is the second Friday of each month.



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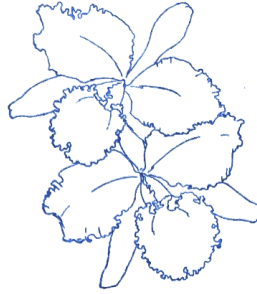
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- 7:30 P.M. INVOCATION
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