

South Coast Orchid Society, Inc.

LONG BEACH CAMPFIRE COUNCIL 7070 E. CARSON ST. LONG BEACH. 90808

SEPTEMBER 26, 1983 8:00 P.M. Donald Pollard
President
MEETS FOURTH MONDAY

Dick Nerio has arranged something very special for us this month. TERRY ADNAMS, Manager of WYLD COURT ORCHIDS, located near Oxford in England, will speak on

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Terry has managed the firm for about eight years. Before that he spent some time here on the West Coast, working at Arthur Freed's, Santa Barbara Orchid Estate and in the Seattle area.



yld Court also specializes in Cymbidiums and they are probably the foremost dealer in England in unusual species, with emphasis on cool growing conditions.

PLANT TABLE

The Opportunity Table will be furnished by Terry Adnams with plants brought from England and augmented by plants from the collection of Dr. Walter Bertsch. This will be a rare opportunity for us to get some very special plants—and you know what a bargain the tickets are. Plan to buy lots of them!

SILENT AUCTION

Plants are solicited for the Silent Auction. This is another spot where some great bargains are to be found and it is a very good way to support the Society and help keep the Treasurer happy.

Speaking of donations -- the Officers and Directors want to thank all of you very profusely for the wonderful table you provided at the Luau. More about the Luau inside.

REFRESHMENTS

The following members are invited to bring some cookies to the September meeting. If you cannot participate for any reason, please let Paul Brecht now - 714-548-2314.

Helen and Bill Powell, Joseph and Mary Rich, Rebecca and Richard Roeder, Marilyn and Robert Roemer, Pat and Lee Rowland, June and Conrad Sanberg, Bonnie Scarborough, Gidget and Tex Severance, Donald Smith, Dr. Walter Stegeman

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With just one award in August and no Ribbon Judging, we take this opportunity to mention that the A.O.S. Registrar of Awards has brought to our attention the fact that many awards are pending awaiting completion of one or more of the following steps which must be undertaken by the exhibitor:

- 1. All flowers which earn a CBR or CHM must have the identification verified immediately after awarding by a competent taxonomist before the award will be finalized by the A.O.S. This identification is generally determined after the exhibitor sends a flower from the plant to the Marie Selby Botanical Gardens, then notifies the A.O.S. Registrar of Awards in Cambridge that the identification is verified.
- All unregistered hybrids must be registered immediately after being awarded.
- The award fee must be paid within 30 days after the A.O.S. billing.

If any one of the above items applies to your award, it will not be finalized (published). Furthermore, once a flower has been judged and awarded, the exhibitor must comply with the above requirements regardless of whether or not the exhibitor is satisfied with the award.

Costume prize winners at the Luau were: Couple - Mr. & Mrs. Ed Curtis, Lady - Billie McCann, Man - Michael Conklin, Humorous - Emma Green, Girl - Michelle Arakaki and Boy - Mark Hasegawa



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Bulletin Board..

SOUTHLAND ORCHID SHOW will be held October 13-16 at the Santa Anita Fashion Park Mall in Arcadia.

Look for South Coast's exhibit in the Horticultural Building at the Pomona Fair. At this writing we don't know what award, if any, it may have taken but the Committee was really appreciative of the support and lovely plants loaned by several members.

Jack and Jean Alff, Ruby and Clyde Crary, Helen and Bill Powell, Phyllis Cross, Sonia Clark and Don Pollard sent some beautiful plants.

Also bringing plants to Pomona on a warm Sunday afternoon and putting them in place under the direction of our leaders, Charles Bowman and Paul Brecht, were: Charles Stockham, Emma Green, Jane Brecht and Woody and Ann Wilson.

It is prize money from these exhibits that pays a big portion of our monthly rent - which was high at the City Park and is higher at the present facility.

We are pleased to report that Sonia Clark is on the road to recovery and coming along nicely, altho still hospitalized. Cards to her home address will reach her promptly.



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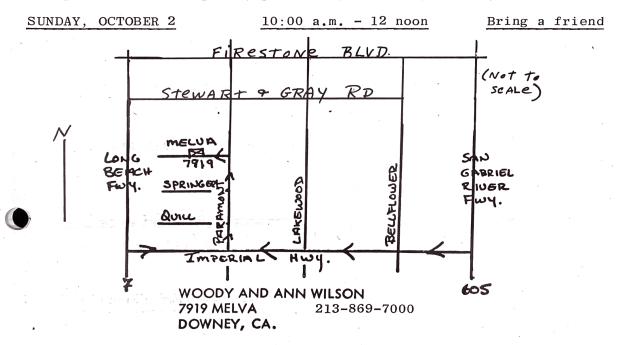
-- Novice News --

On Sunday, October 2nd the Novice Group will meet at the Wilson's in Downey. Everyone is invited, whether you have ever attended a meeting in the past or not.

We want to thank Paul Brecht for hosting the group in August. It was a very good meeting and Paul very generously donated several gift certificates to us.

In September Don Pollard hosted another very successful meeting. The high-light was his demonstration on flower arranging - and donation of the piece to our opportunity table.

Bring a chair and a plant, preferably a healthy orchid, for the drawing.



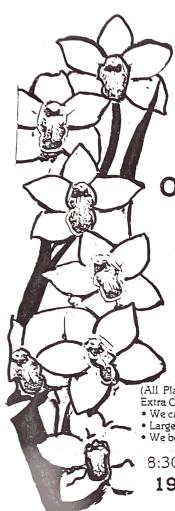
AUGUST LUAU

The Luau was a great success! Roy and Ira Field, of course, were the major contributors and we were sorry they couldn't be there to see the program, the table arrangements, the great array of food and all the members and guests in their colorful dress.

We must thank Don Pollard and Jim Miller and his group for their particular efforts. Pradit Rungthirakul did a very professional job of carving and serving the Luau pig. Margaret Nerio baked two big sheet cakes for dessert. Jane Brecht was busy keeping things going in the kitchen.

We did not attempt to take names of the guests - but were delighted to see members and guests who are not usually able to attend meetings.

Again, Roy and Ira, thank you very much. It was a great evening.



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