

#### 1997 Officers

President	Jimi Fox
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2nd Vice President	Emma Green
Recording Secretary	Dick Nerio
Membership Secretary	Art McCann
Treasurer	Dr. Jim Miller



The South Coast Orchid Society meets on the fourth Monday of each month except December at the Whaley Park Clubhouse, 5620 East Atherton Street, Long Beach, California at 8:00. The American Orchid Society Pacific South Judging is held at 7:00.

# South Coast Orchid Society

Newsletter

December 1997

#### Board of Directors

Ex Officio	Dr. Phil Plocher
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Expires 1997	Paul Brecht
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Expires 1998	Solomon Joseph
Expires 1999	Barbara Sweeney
Expires 1999	Sonora Winward

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Newsletter	Barbara Sweeney
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#### Raffle Ticket Sales

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Stories, articles and news items are welcome. The deadline is the 10<sup>th</sup>.

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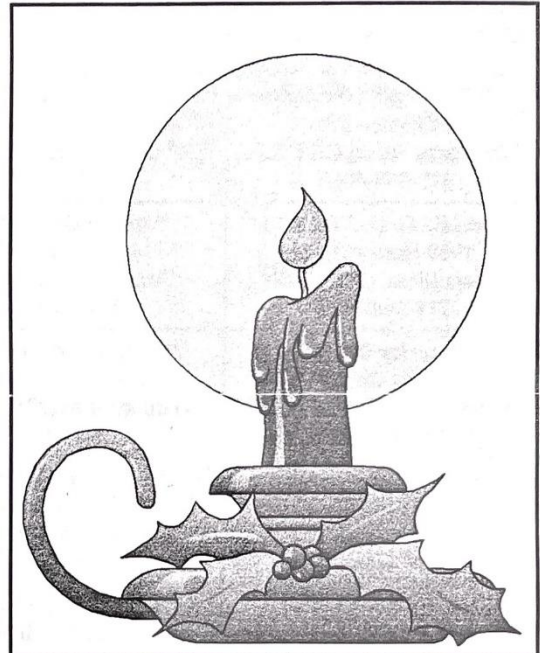
## Holiday Potluck Dinner



**Monday  
December 22  
7:00 PM**

Join us as our South Coast Orchid Society family gathers together to enjoy delicious food and the warmth and fellowship of friends.

Yes, the date changed to **Dec. 22.**



#### President's Message...

First and foremost, I certainly hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving! At the Fox household we had much to be thankful for. In addition to our own personal thanks, we are thankful for having friends like you that make every meeting of the South Coast Orchid Society a pure jewel!

Speaking of being thankful, allow me to express my personal appreciation to all those individuals and the countless growers and vendors who contributed product to our **auction** last month. In case you have not heard, our auction brought in more than **\$2,300.00**. That amount reflects a measurable increase from last year! **BRAVO!**

I wish to thank Dr. Phil Plocher for coordinating the operation, Jane Brecht and her assistant for keeping tabs on the invoice receipts, Whitney France who assisted as a runner, Art McCann for Security Patrol, to Tony Glinskis who helped make the whole evening an affair filled with laughter and fun. Finally, a special thanks to Bob Garagliano and Solomon Joseph

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### Nominations for 1998

President	Jimi Fox
First Vice President	
Second Vice President	Emma Green
Recording Secretary	Dick Nerio
Membership Secretary	Art McCann
Treasurer	Dr. Jim Miller
Directors	Paul Brecht & Ursula Pontius

### Auction

In addition to the nurseries listed below, we also wish to thank the following people who helped make the auction a success:

**Irene Ayres, Don & Sue Bradish, Gisela Claus, Roy Field, Whitney France, Dick Nerio, Kajon Peloha, Phil Plocher, Espie Quinn, Jim Thresh, Greg Truex, Sonora Winward, and Pat & Ginny Worthington.**

<b>Bill Bailey's Orchids</b> 1715 Via Arriba Palos Verdes Estates, CA 90274 310-378-6066	<b>Orchids Limited Intl.</b> 407 E. Carson St. Carson, CA 90745 310-549-7695
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<b>Our orchid society salutes the nurseries which contributed to our 1997 auction.</b>	

### New SCOS Member

**David Maurer**  
4065 Pepper Ave.  
Yorba Linda, CA 92886  
714-777-1784

Address change:  
**Soloman Joseph**  
3635 Rose St.  
Long Beach, CA 90807  
562-490-0804

Our guests in November were:

**Mas Onoda** of Cerritos  
**Sean Devereaux** of Long Beach  
**Jan Anderson** of Santa Ana  
**Gene Collins** of Redlands  
**Wayne & Cora McCauley** of Bellflower  
**Thamina Haque** of Manhattan Beach

Hope to see all of you again and that you will become members.




**Ernie Campazano**

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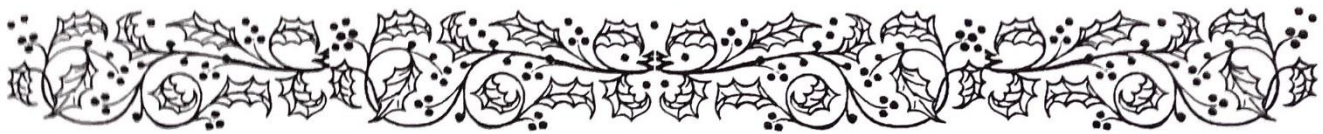
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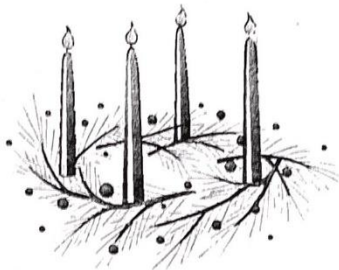
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South Coast Orchid Society  
**Holiday Potluck Dinner**  
December 22 7:00



We will furnish :  
Ham and Turkey  
Punch and Coffee  
Plates, Utensils, Napkins & Cups

Please bring a dish for 10 to 12 people.  
Put a name tag on your serving dish  
and provide a serving spoon.  
If your specialty does not match your category,  
bring it anyway!

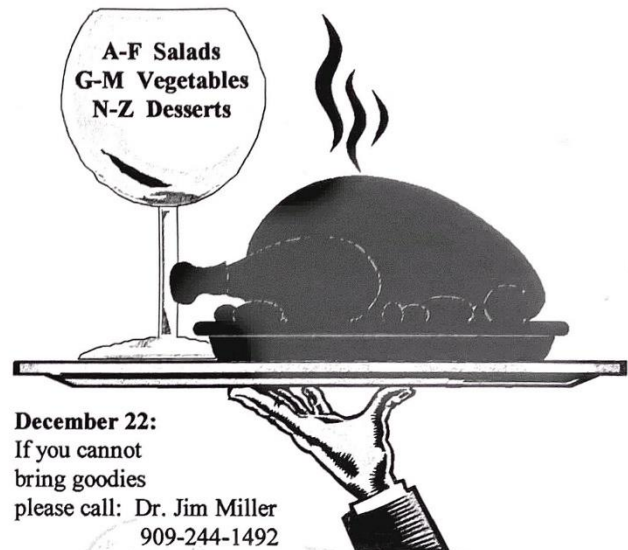
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who traveled up and down the coast, dodging El Nifto, to  
gather plants for our auction.



The holidays are here. Our meeting in December is  
scheduled for December 22<sup>nd</sup> as opposed to the date that  
appeared in the last newsletter. I take complete responsibil-  
ity for the foul up! However, in conversation with Santa, he  
said that the 22<sup>nd</sup> would work fine. . . and you thought I  
didn't believe! Please make a note on your calendar. This is  
going to be a special event with lots of neat surprises and fun  
for everyone.

*Jim Fox*



**December 22:**  
If you cannot  
bring goodies  
please call: Dr. Jim Miller  
909-244-1492

### Table Decorations

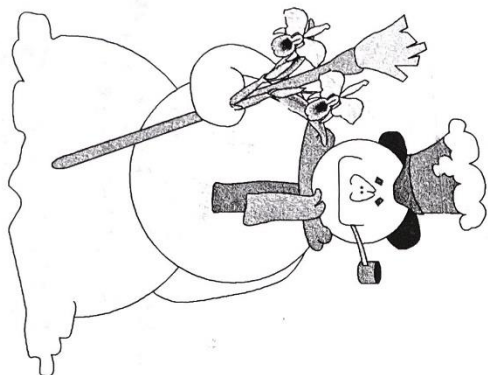
Since there will be no ribbon judging  
this month, please bring your beautiful  
plants and cut flowers to decorate our dinner  
tables. Awards will be given and our Holi-  
day Potluck will be truly festive.

### Membership Dues

Surely you don't want Art Mc-  
Cann to look like **this** all next year!!!  
It's that time of year to renew your  
membership in the South Coast Orchid  
Society. The dues for 1998 are \$12.00.  
A good way to start the new year right  
is to send the enclosed envelope with your check to our  
Membership Chairman or to pay him at our next  
meeting. If you want any changes made in the new  
membership roster please let him know or contact  
Barbara Sweeney.







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