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Bulletin

January Meeting Thursday, January 20, 2011 7:30 Plant Judging 8:00 General Meeting

Our regular meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month at Los Angeles County Arboretum & Botanic Garden, Lecture Hall, 301 North Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia

General Meeting: George Hatfield "New Pendulous Cymbidiums"

Hatfield Orchids is owned and operated by George Hatfield, who has over 15 years of experience in raising award quality Cymbidium orchids. Hatfield Orchids is fortunate enough to be located in Ventura County, California, which has an ideal climate for the propagation of Cymbidium orchids. The operation is run by family & friends, and orchids are their passion.

George is active in the Cymbidium Society of America and the American Orchid Society, as well as several Southern California regional orchid organizations. George is an orchid judge for both the CSA and AOS, and is currently the Chairman of the Santa Barbara judging region for the CSA. George is also a past-president of the CSA and was the Chairman of the CSA Cymbidium Congress from 1998-2001 and president of the Santa Barbara International Orchid Show in 2002 & 2003. Hatfield Orchids is known for producing some of the top pendulous Cymbidiums in the country. In fact, the Grand Champion of the Santa Barbara Orchid Show

Plant Opportunity Table

The plant table for this month will be provided by **George Hatfield**. So don't forget to get your raffle tickets!

Another Year Ends....

It has been kind of a prosperous year. The crossover dinner and board meeting at the home of Jim Gomes was an enjoyable evening with Jim being the perfect host. The decor was beautiful, warm, and comfortable. Also, it saw a full slate of officers and board members in place.

Our May auction brought in funds to see us through the year. We had only a handful of new people join our society. The monthly speakers make our meetings interesting. A highlight of course was the gold award trophy we won for the display at the Southland Show at the Huntington. Much ado of course, about the success of the Awards Banquet and Potluck.

Our P.O.T. plants were plentiful and the Judging tables were as well. December saw our 2011 Officers and Board Members approved by the membership. Let's all look forward to a great 2011.

DECEMBER RIBBON JUDGING

Species	Plant Name	Owners Name
Cultural:		
1 st	gomesa recurva	Jim Gomes
2 nd		
3 rd		
Hon.		
Cattleyas		
	Chia Lin 'Shin Shy'	S&D Lundine
	L. Canariensis	Marty Shipps
	Slc. Tangerine Sunset	Jim Gomes
	Pot. Little Toshie	Marty Shipps
	Blc. Goldenzelle	S&D Lundine
Cymbidium		
Cultural		
		Crog Orozoo
2 nd	Cym. Lemon Twist	Greg Orozco
		Una Yeh
3 rd	,	Gloria Hung
Hon.		
Dendrobiums		
Cultural:		
1 st	Rutherford Golden Sun Hilda	Dann Dunst
	Poxon x Zip	
	Spider Lily	Henry Duterte
3 ^{ra}	Teretifolium	Henry Duterte
Hon.		
Oncidiums		
Cultural:		
1 st	Wilsonara Dianne Feinstein	Michael Gregory
2 nd	Onc. Ornithorhychum	Marty Shipps
2 rd	Onc. Unknown	Una Yeh
	Colm. Wildcat	S&D Lundine
		Sad Lunuine
Paph & Phrags	Ralph Ann Barlow	Donn Dunot
	Cadafraya a x la Charm White	Dann Dunst
	Godefroyae x In Charm White	Michael Gregory
2	Emerald Sea x Alma Gavert Unknown	Michael Gregory
		Una Yeh
	Gratrixianum	Una Yea
Phalaenopsis	None Shown	
Cultural		
1 st		
2 nd		
3 rd		
Hon.		
Vandaceous	None Shown	
Cultural		
1 st		
2 nd		
3 rd		
Hon.		
Other Genera		
	Fdk. After Dark	Michael Gregory
	Zygo. Arthur Elle x	Dann Dunst
I	Imagination	
2 nd		
2	Echinolabium	
J _{lq}	Zygo Mackayii x Imagination	Y.S. Farn
	Hueylihara	
11011.	nucyimara	Henry Duterte

AOS 2011 Calendars For Sale

COLOR YOUR WORLD

Orchid flowers range from purest white to nearly black. Yellow, orange and red are at their most beautiful in the family Orchidaceae, and orchid blossoms in shades of lavender, violet and purple are incomparable. Indeed, the word "orchid" is also used to describe a color that is generally defined as a light purple hue. Join award-winning author Ken Slump on an exhilarating journey through the many colors of orchids.

DETAILS

Calendars will be sold for \$10.00ea. Please contact Jim (jim.gomes@att.net) if you would like to purchase one or two or.....

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2011 Membership Dues

Pay your news for 2011 now while you think of it. Dues are still only \$20.00. You can mail your check for \$20.00 to SGVOH, PO Box 660111, Arcadia, CA 91066 or bring it to the January meeting.

Please welcome new members **Victor Lightworship**. We hope you join us regularly and share your orchids with us. We had 30 in attendance.

OrchidWiz Software Raffle

Tickets on sale for \$5.00 each. Raffle to be held at our January meeting. See Jim Gomes to purchase tickets.

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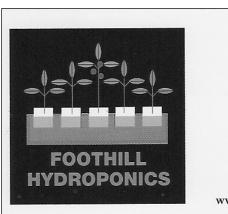
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Upcoming Events

January 19, 2011 Orange County Orchid Society Annual Auction 7PM Yorba Linda Public Library 1800 Yorba Linda Blvd. Yorba Linda, CA www.ocos.net 909-396-0172

January 28 – 30, 2011 Newport Harbor Orchid Expo 2011 Show and Sale Westminster Mall Orange County, CA www.nhos.org/shows/2011/home.html February 5, 2011 San Diego County Cymbidium Society Annual Orchid Auction San Diego Botanic Garden Ecke Building 230 Quail Gardens Drive Encinitas, CA 92024 www.nhos.org/shows/2011/home.html

March 11 – 13 The 66th Santa Barbara International Orchid Show "Get Your Kicks from Orchids 66" Earl Warren Showgrounds Santa Barbara, CA <u>www.sborchidshow.com</u>

The next **Board Meeting** will be held at 7 PM on **Thursday, January 27**, at the LA County Arboretum. Board members unable to attend should notify **Lucy Arlotti** ((626) 309-9811 or Arlotti@earthlink.net).