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San Gabriel Valley *Orchid* Hobbyists

Bulletin

May Meeting Thursday, May 15, 2014 6:00 pm Auction Preview 7:00 pm Auction

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

ANNUAL AUCTION

This year the Auction will be held in Ayers Hall.

Our May Auction is the major fund-raiser for SGVOH. It is also a place that we can all **find great plants at great prices**, have fun, and learn about orchids.

Sound good? Sure it does! Help make the evening a success for SGVOH. **Bring** those great **duplicate plants** that you have (you will make room for some new ones from the Auction and get a tax deduction to boot!!).

Please arrive early; logging incoming plants and supplies begins at 5:30 PM. You want time to register for a paddle and to pick out your favorites plants to bid on before the **auction starts promptly at 7 PM**.

We are lucky this year to have Judge **Peter Lin** as our Auctioneer. Peter is a superior auctioneer who is a probationary AOS Judge. This means plenty of know-how and plenty of fun.

What about plants? Our Board members are busy scurrying all over Southern California to collect up **plants** and **supplies** donated by our generous supporting vendors. Some plants are being shipped in from various parts of the country. We also have **gift certificates** donated by various growers. It is a **very rich selection** of items.

You know you can't resist! Come with your **friends**, your **cash** and your **check book** (*credit cards* will NOT be accepted)! And clear out that trunk of your car – you will need the space to take your bargains home. **Also bring along boxes**, as they are most useful in keeping your plants upright in your car.

Come early, stay alert, and get ready to have some fun.

Special Raffle Ticket

<u>Bring refreshments</u> and get a special raffle ticket for a plant to be raffled off during the auction.

APRIL PLANT JUDGING

	Plant Name	Owners Name
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1 st	Aerangia luteo var. alba	David Campen
2 nd	Cyrchilum macranthum 'Article	Alan Castillo
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	C. intermedia var. coerulea	Ken Fujimoto
Hon.	Pleurothallis talpinaria	Dann Dunst
Cattleyas		
Cultural:	Pot. Love Passion 'Kanquat'	Eva Lee
1 st	Blc. Ports of Paradise	David Campen
	Unknown	Alyce Griffith
	Unknown	Irene Sriboonwong
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3'"	Blc. Laughing Boy	Y.S. Farn
Hon.	Blc. Lily Marie Almas x C.	Irene Sriboonwong
	Caribbean	
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SGVOH AUCTION MAY 15TH

Divisions Needed

We depend upon the funds we raise at the Auction to help support meeting costs for the year (speaker's fees, plant table, and room rental. As you go through your orchids, please begin to identify those divisions that would be great donations to our auction. With 'Show Time' this month in Southern California, you know you need to be generating a bit more room in your growing area for those lovely new plants you will buy.

Put May 15th on your calendar and begin inviting your friends and family to join you at this fun event. What a great way to introduce them to the myriad of orchids available at Low, Low prices!

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Membership Welcome Message

We would like welcome new members **Su Laio**, **Vicki Chan**, **Victor Chia**, **and Kacy Ng**. We had 30 members and 1 guest in attendance for the April meeting.

2014 Membership Dues

Dues are still only \$20.00. You can mail your check for \$20.00 payable to San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists Inc., PO Box 660111, Arcadia, CA 91066 or bring it to the next meeting.

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Bulletin Deadline: Those wishing to place announcements in the bulletin should get the information to the editor, Jim Gomes (626)577-7220 or jim.gomes@att.net, by the Friday following the fourth Thursday of the month.

12th ORCHID DIGEST SPEAKERS' DAY!!

"ORCHIDS AROUND THE WORLD"

Huntington Library and Botanical Gardens, San Marino, California Saturday, June 14, 2014 – 12:30 pm to 8:00 pm in the Ahmanson Classroom

Orchid Displays – Orchid Sales – Expert Lectures – Dinner Open at 11:00AM to bring your blooming plants for the flower display Prize for best species and best hybrid

SCHEDULED SPEAKERS:

- Mary Gerritson Orchids of Borneo
- Tom Miranda Orchids of Sicily
- Ron McHatton Orchids of Madagascar
- Jim Sloniker History of Orchids in Santa Barbara County
- 2014 Orchid Digest Distinguished Lecture: Gene Crocker – Cattleyas

Remember!! AOS judging at 10:00 AM

VENDORS: Cal Orchids; Sunset Valley Orchids, Andy's Orchids, Carter & Holmes

<u>Tickets: \$65</u> (\$80 at door)

After June 11th contact Simone Friend, 4349 Dogwood Ave., Seal Beach, CA 90740 Phone: (562) 431-1247

E-mail: orchidsimonef@aol.com

Limited Space!! Make Your Reservations Now!

Volunteers for our Annual Auction

Setup begins at 5:00PM Charles Hardman, Jim Gomes, Greg Orozco and Joe Vargas

Register Plant Supplies, etc. 5:30PM Kay Hudspeth

Move donations to auction table 5:30PM Greg Orozco and Jim Gomes

Register Bidders 6:00PM Lucy Arlotti

Sales Recorders 6:45PM
Irene Sriboonwong
Lana Tripathi
Anna Plewinski
David Campen

Record sale on pot 7:00PM
Tuan Ngo
Alyce Griffith

Move Plants to Hotel 7:00 PM Jim Gomes

> Plant Hotel 7:00PM Maryann Burns

Cashiers Lucy Arlotti Charles Hardman Kay Hudspeth

We would like to take this time to thank everyone for their time and help in preparing for our annual fund raiser.

Membership Donations For Auction

All membership donations should be delivered to the Arboretum by 5:30PM on May 15. If you can not bring them contact another member that can. Remember, the auction this year will be located in Ayres Hall.

2014 Roster

SGVOH 2014 Roster will be printed soon and distributed at our June meeting. Our Roster contains 2014 Officers and Directors, Committee Chairs, our By-Laws, all current membership (name, phone number and email address), and other information about our society.

Any changes in members email address, name, phone number, etc should be sent to Jim Gomes (jim.gomes@att.net).



UPCOMING EVENTS

May 15 San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists **Annual Orchid Auction**

Los Angeles County Arboretum & Botanic Garden 301 North Baldwin Avenue Arcadia, CA 91106 www.sgvoh.org

May 17 Palomar Orchid Society 2014 Orchid Auction

The Pavilion at Lake San Marcos 1105 La Bonita Drive San Marco, CA 92078 www.palomarorchid.org

May 17 **Hatfield Orchids at Yamadas**

706 W. Gardena Blvd. Gardena, CA

May 31 Casa de las Orquideas 14th Annual Seedling Sale

170 S. Nardo Ave. Solana Beach, CA 92075 858-755-7572

The next Board Meeting will be held at 7 PM on Thursday, May 22, at the LA County Arboretum. Board members unable to attend should notify **Jim Gomes** ((626) 577-7220 or jim.gomes@att.net).



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