



# San Gabriel Valley *Orchid* Hobbyists

## Bulletin

### April Meeting

Thursday, April 21, 2016

7:00 PM – Ribbon Judging

7:30 PM – General Meeting

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

### General Meeting: Norito Hasegawa *“Multi-Floral Paphiopedilums”*

Norito Hasegawa is a retired dentist, an overextended hobbyist, is a 3-millionmiler travelling to many foreign countries talking and/or judging in places such as Japan, South Africa, Australia, Brazil, Canada, Denmark, Germany, New Zealand, Taiwan, England, France, Switzerland and many many cities in the USA.

He is primarily a hybridizer of Slipper Orchids (*Paphiopedilum*) although his interests and collection of 15,000 orchids include miniature cattleyas, phalaenopsis, cymbidiums and variegated orchids of all sorts. He first became interested in orchids after seeing orchids in mass at the World Orchid Conference held in Long Beach in 1966. After he bought his first orchids, he failed miserably but persisted in trying to grow them outdoors, and in no time he had hundreds. Now, he can't imagine his life without orchids. Orchids are an endeavor of science, taxonomy, hybridizing, art, sociability, quiet reflections, and mad parties—join the addiction and fun.

He is married to Joyce, with three children Lisa, Todd and Mark with paphiopedilums named after each of them. He is owner of Paphanatics, unLimited; a judge in both the American Orchid Society and the Cymbidium Society of America for over 35 years.

### Plant Opportunity Table

The plant table for this month will be provided by **Paphanatics Unlimited**. Don't forget to get purchases your tickets

## MARCH PLANT JUDGING

Species	Plant Name	Owners Name
Cultural:	Den. pierardii	Jim Gomes
1 <sup>st</sup>	C. lueddemanniana v. 'Tipo' x C. lueddemanniana v. 'Sian'	Jim Gomes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Den. speciosum var. pedunculatum	Kay Hudspeth
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Den. farmeri var. aureum	Jim Gomes
Hon.	Ansellia africana var. alba	Dann Dunst
Cattleyas		
Cultural:	Blc. Jewel Box 'Dark Waters'	Jim Gomes
1 <sup>st</sup>	Blc. Chyong Guu Chaffinch x Blc. Izumi Charm	Gordon Quan
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Eplc. Volcano Trick 'Paradise'	Y.S. Farn
3 <sup>rd</sup>	C. aurantiaca	Una Yeh
Hon.	Blc. Orange Treat	Jim Gomes
Cattleyas Mini		
Cultural:	C. Mini Song x C. Culminant	Greg Orozco
1 <sup>st</sup>	L. Zip x Lc. Trick or Treat	Jim Gomes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	C. Caribbean Orange Bowl	Jim Gomes
3 <sup>rd</sup>	C. Amethystoglossa	Jim Gomes
Hon.	C. Intermedia, x C. Labiata	Greg Orozco
Cymbidium		
1 <sup>st</sup>	Cym. Happy Days 'San Bar Gold'	Kay Hudspeth
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cym. Pistachio Mint 'Geyslerland'	Y.S. Farn
Cymbidium- Novelty		
Cultural:	Cym. Dorothy Stockstill 'Forgotten Fruit'	Jim Gomes
1 <sup>st</sup>	Cym. Sarah Jean	Alyce Griffith
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Cym. Unknown	Alyce Griffith
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Cym. Dag Dorothy	Jim Gomes
Hon.	Cym. Avant Garde	Una Yeh
Dendrobiums		
Cultural:	Den. Love Memory 'Fizz'	Y. S. Farn
1 <sup>st</sup>	Den. Specio-Kinganum	Jim Gomes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Den. Berry	Toby Luong
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Den. Elipse #2 'Yellow Moon'	Una Yeh
Hon.	Den. Lynette Banks x specio Primrose	Una Yeh
Oncidiums		
Cultural:	Onc. Twinkle	Jim Gomes
1 <sup>st</sup>	Onc. Mule Ears	Jim Gomes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Onc. Gower Ramsey	Una Yeh
Paph & Phrags		
Std. Phals		
1 <sup>st</sup>	Phal. Unknown	Kay Hudspeth
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Phal. Unknown	Alyce Griffith
Mini Phals		
Vandaceous		
Cultural:	Neost. Pinky 'Starry Night'	Una Yeh
1 <sup>st</sup>	Ascda Kulwadee	Dann Dunst
2 <sup>nd</sup>	V. Paki x V. Bill Burke	Jim Gomes
3 <sup>rd</sup>	V. Unknown	Lana Tripathi
Hon.	Neo. Hybrid	Gordon Quan
Other Genera		
Cultural:	Masd. Lollipop	Dann Dunst
1 <sup>st</sup>	Lc. Orange Embers 'Santa Barbara'	Jim Gomes
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Masd. Mandarin Gold 'Orange Crush'	Dann Dunst
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Haraella odorata	Aaron Estrada
Hon.	Unknown	Alyce Griffith

## 2016 Roster

SGVOH 2016 Roster will be printed soon and distributed at our June meeting. Any changes in members email address, name, phone number, etc. should be sent to **Jim Gomes** ([jim.gomes@att.net](mailto:jim.gomes@att.net)).

Our June Speaker will be **Dr. Phyliss S. Prestia**. She will be speaking on "**Orchids of Madagascar**".

Madagascar is home to almost 1,000 orchid species in 57 genera, many of which are endangered.

### Greenhouse Chat with Ron McHatton Thursday, April 7, 2016; 8:30 PM EST Free for Everyone

Join Ron McHatton for a Q&A session on orchid culture. Everyone is invited. If you have a question, please submit your questions by April 5 to [stillisch@cox.net](mailto:stillisch@cox.net).

Go to [www.aos.org](http://www.aos.org) before the webinar begins. You do not need to login.

### ADVERTISING IN THE BULLETIN

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**Bulletin Deadline:** Those wishing to place announcements in the bulletin should get the information to the editor, **Jim Gomes** (626)818-1859 or [jim.gomes@att.net](mailto:jim.gomes@att.net), by the Friday following the fourth Thursday of the month.

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## Membership Welcome Message

We had 35 members and 1 guest in attendance at the March meeting.

## 2016 SGVOH Auction

The Board of Directors is starting to prepare for this years auction on May 19. 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 19<sup>th</sup> 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!

Where in the house can I grow my orchid?



An east or south facing window provides bright

enough light for growing orchids.

South and east-facing windows work best for orchids. West windows can be too hot in the afternoon and north-facing ones are usually too dark. A sheer curtain will cast light shade. Too much direct light causes leaves to sunburn - so it may be necessary to re-position plants as the seasons change. Move plants away from or toward the window to manipulate the amount of light. Make sure the leaves are not touching the glass. In winter in a cold climate, leaves touching the windowpane may freeze.

Leaf color indicates if the amount of light is adequate. The lush, rich, dark green of most houseplants is not desirable in orchid leaves. A grassy green color (light or medium green with yellowish tones) means the plant is receiving sufficient light to bloom.

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## A Note from Lana

Happy Spring! Hope everyone will contribute divisions, time and enthusiasm for our May Auction. Members who display their orchids at our meetings, go through so much effort to transport them carefully back and forth. Thank you! We all did double takes at all the varieties of stunning orchids! Our speaker was Peter Lin. His program on Laelias, was well received. He's a consummate educator. See everyone and our new members at the April meeting!

-Lana Tripathi  
President

The next **Board Meeting** will be held at 7 PM on **Thursday, April 28**, at the LA County Arboretum. Board members unable to attend should notify **Jim Gomes** ((626) 577-7220 or [jim.gomes@att.net](mailto:jim.gomes@att.net)).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**April 9**

**San Fernando Valley Orchid Society**

**Annual Orchid Sale**

7:00 pm – Auction Starts  
Sepulveda Garden Center  
16633 Magnolia Blvd.  
Encino, CA

[www.sfvos.com](http://www.sfvos.com)

**April 30**

**Palomar Orchid Society**

**2016 Orchid Sales & Auction**

Preview 9:30 am – Auction 11:00 am  
The Pavilion at Lake San Marcos  
1105 La Bonita Drive  
San Marcos, CA 92078  
[www.palomarorchid.org](http://www.palomarorchid.org)

**April 13**

**Cool Growers Orchid Society**

**Annual Orchid Auction**

7:00 pm – Auction Starts  
Garden Grove Masonic Lodge  
11270 Acacia Pkwy  
Garden Grove, CA 92840

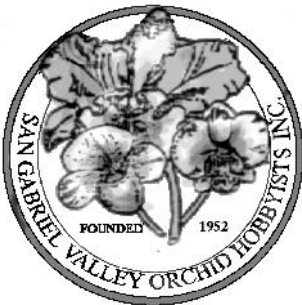
[www.lbaos.com](http://www.lbaos.com)

**May 19**

**San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists**

**Annual Orchid Auction**

6 PM-Preview Starts  
7 PM – Auction Starts  
Los Angeles Arboretum & Botanic Garden  
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*"Multi-Floral*

*Paphiopedilums"*

