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Bulletin

January Meeting Thursday, January 19, 2017 7:00 PM – Ribbon Judging 7:30 PM – 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

Speaker: Winn MinMaw Orchids of Burma

Winn was born in ShanState, easternBurma, where Cymbidium Iowianum, Vanda coerulea and Paphiopedilum charlesworthii are found abundantly in the wild. The first orchid that Winn collected from the forest floor was a dendrobium species when he was 7 years old. With this he began taking care of orchids in his family's garden. As an undergraduate studying physics at the University of Rangoon, Winn was a member of the Department of Botany's orchid society. Later he lived in Japan for four years for further study and training.

In 1988, he moved to the United States and settled in Orange County. Eventually he began collecting and growing orchids here, and today he has a large orchid collection, many of which are vandaceous orchids, that he grows in a shade house and greenhouse. He has been a member of the Newport Harbor Orchid Society since 1995. Recently Winn has made several trips back to Burma and has explored orchids in nature. He shares his orchid experiences by giving presentation to orchid societies.

February Speaker

Fred Clarke will be our guest speaker for February and Sunset Valley Orchids will supply the plant table.

2017 Membership

Renew your membership now and receive your new 2017 Membership card. This card can be used at Yamada's for 10% off on any orchid related items.

DECEMBER PLANT JUDGING

Species	Plant Name	Owners Name
Cultural:	Rest. guttulata	Dann Dunst
1 st	Ang. eburneum	Jim Gomes
2110	Masd. scobina	Dann Dunst
	Den. tanii	Dann Dunst
	Rest. trichoglossa	Dann Dunst
Cattleyas		
Cultural:		
1 st	Blc. Pamela Heatherington 'Coronation' FCC/AOS Blc. Melody Fair 'Mishima'	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Blc. Melody Fair 'Mishima'	Y.S. Farn
3 rd	RIc. Cat Green Power	Y.S. Farn
Hon.	Slc. Golden Wax	Y.S. Farn
Cattleyas Mini		
Cultural:		
1 st	Lc. Purple Cascade 'Sweet Beauty'	Jim Gomes
2 nd	C. Blue Boy	MaryAnn Burns
2 3 rd	Lc. Trick or Treat x Pot.	MaryAnn Burns
3	Rubescence	IVIAI YAIIII DUIIIS
Hon.		
Cymbidium Cymbidium- Novelty		
	Cym. Unknown	Y.S. Farn
່ ວ nd	Cym. Enzan Summer	Lynn Mcllwain
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Dendrobiums	Don Jonothan's Class (Darl	lim Comes
	Den. Jonathan's Glory 'Dark Joy'	Jim Gomes
1 st	Den. Cherry Song	Dann Dunst
2 nd	Den. Ratree	Aaron Estrada
	Den. Jonathan's Glory 'Dark Joy'	Y.S. Farn
Hon. Oncidiums		
Cultural:	Onc. Tahoma Glacier	Jim Gomes
1	Onc. Sweet Sugar	Jim Gomes
2"	Onc. Tolumnia Jairak Rainbow	
3 rd		
	Onc. Hybrid	Jim Gomes
Paph & Phrags		
	Phrag.Schlimii	Dann Dunst
1 st	Paph Hellas x Musical Tree	Dann Dunst
	Paph. Pinocchio	Aaron Estrada
3 rd		
Std. Phals		
1 st		
2 nd		
Mini Phals		
Cultural:		
1 st		
Vandaceous		
Cultural:	Ascda. Donna Cohen	Dann Dunst
1 st	Neostylis Baby Angel	Y.S. Farn
2 nd		
3 rd		
Hon.		
Other Genera		
Cultural:	Masd. Princeps x mooreana	Dann Dunst
1 st	Masu. FIIILEPS X IIIUUIEana	
1 st	Blth. LaFontaine	Jim Gomes
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2017 Slate of **COMMITTEE CHAIRS** Officers President Greg Orozco Vice President Jim Gomes Treasurer Lucy Arlotti Secretary David Campen Directors: Dann Dunst Aaron Estrada Linda Peterson Gordon Quan We would like to thank the nominating committee for their hard work in selecting candidates to run for Hopefully 2017 will be a very successful year for our society.

-December-Membership Welcome

office.

Message We had 19 members in Attendance.

AOS Rep. Greg Orozco O.D. Reps Brenda Ward Arboretum Rep. Greg Orozco Banquet Vacant House Tuan Ngo

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Huntington Rep. Jim Gomes Photographers Aaron Estrada Jim Gomes Una Yeh Plant Forum Greg Orozco Publicity Lana Tripathi Raffle Ticket Sales Gordon Quan **Ribbon Judging** Linda Peterson Roster Jim Gomes Silent Auction Toby Luong Displays Open



Happy New Years 2017

ADVERTISING IN THE BULLETIN

Anyone interested in advertising in the SGVOH Bulletin should contact Jim Gomes (626)818-1859 or jim.gomes@att.net for prices and information.

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, by the Friday following the fourth Thursday of the month.

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Hatfield Orchids at Yamada's

George Hatfield owner of Hatfield Orchids will again be selling his award quality cymbidiums at Yamada Company. The address is 706 W. Gardena Blvd. in Gardena. Sale will be on Saturdays from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Suspect virus, bring a cutting of the leaf in a plastic bag and we will test for virus (\$5.00 per test).

Sale Dates: Jan. 7, 2017 Jan. 28, 2017 Feb. 4, 2017 Feb. 18, 2017 Mar. 4, 2017 Mar. 25, 2017 Apr. 8 2017 May 13, 2017

2017 Membership Update

Effective with year 2017 San Gabriel Valley Orchid Hobbyists will be charging an additional \$10.00 fee for members who wish to continue to have the bulletin mailed to their home. To avoid this fee you may switch to electronic copy and receive our monthly emails and updates. To switch; please provide Dann Dunst (membership chair) your email address when paying your 2017 membership dues.

This fee will cover the cost of postage, paper, and printing.

March 17-19, 2017 Santa Barbara Intl Orchid Show

(www.SBOrchidShow.com) returns to Earl Warren Showgrounds in beautiful Santa Barbara, California. Thousands of blooms in every imaginable shape, color, pattern and texture, will be showcased at the show, one of the country's largest and oldest celebrations of orchids.

The 72nd annual Santa Barbara International Orchid Show's theme, "Orchid Mystique," pays homage to a family of flowering plants that boast 25,000 species, among which beauty is ubiquitous and uniqueness is commonplace. Some are sexy (One species attracts male bees by mimicking the look, scent and feel of a female bee) while others are secretive (it took scientists years to find a moth with a foot-long tongue for pollinating an orchid that hides nectar 12 inches deep).

The three-day Orchid Show highlights bold and beautiful horticultural innovations and feats of evolution represented by more than 50 orchid exhibitors and vendors from around the world. A highlight of this year's event is the vanilla orchid, which will add taste to the list of senses stimulated by the diverse array of plants.

Santa Barbara International Orchid Show is open Friday, March 17 through Sunday, March 19 from 9am to 5pm daily at Earl Warren Showgrounds, located in Santa Barbara at Highway 101 and Las Positas Road. General admission is \$14; seniors, students with ID and advance group sales (minimum 25) are \$12; and children 12 and under are free with an adult.

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Novelty Cattleyas Wednesday, January 25, 2017 8:30 PM - 9:30 PM EST

Spotted and Splash Cattleyas with Fred Clarke of Sunset Valley Orchids.

http://www.aos.org/orchids/web inars.aspx



A Note From Lana

As we work together to start another year of commitment, we welcome the guidance of Greg Orozco as President for 2017! Gordon Quan has joined the Directors also. The other members return, to give of their time and serve. Thank you to David and Jim for the Virus Test Strip Demo. Here's to a rewarding, healthy New Year. See everyone in January!

Lana Tripathi President



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 18, 2017 Orange County Orchid Society Annual Orchid Auction

Yorba Linda Public Library 18181 Imperial Highway Yorba Linda, CA 92886

February 10 - 12 Newport Harbor Orchid Society Annual Orchid Expo & Sale "Ride the Orchid Wave" Westminster Mall Westminster, CA



The next **Board Meeting** will be held at 7 PM on **Thursday, January 26**, 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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