



San Gabriel Valley *Orchid* Hobbyists

Bulletin

April Meeting
Thursday, April 20, 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

CAROL BUELE - TOKYO DOME SHOW

Carol is an EMMY award winning Costume Designer with a Master of Fine Arts in both Costume and Lighting Design from the **University of Wisconsin, Madison**. She has been a professional Costume Designer since 1974, when she joined **United Scenic Artists**, a NYC based entertainment union consisting of the creative personnel for designing film, TV commercials, theatre productions and TV shows.

Growing orchids in NYC was not considered a possibility at that time, so she has only grown orchids since moving to Southern California in 1992. She grows outside (with no greenhouse) in Studio City at the edge of the San Fernando Valley with temperatures ranging from 28 - 111 Fahrenheit. It has been a challenge to find out what will and will not bloom and prosper under these circumstances.

In her quest to find the perfect plant, Carol discovered the Japanese orchid once called *Neofinetia falcata*. Now called *Vanda falcata*, it renewed her interest in all things Japanese (she once designed Puccini's **MADAMA BUTTERFLY** with award winning results). So in February of 2014, she spent 10 days in Tokyo at the **Japanese Grand Prix Orchid Show**. Otherwise known as the **Tokyo Dome Show**, as it is held each year inside the domed baseball stadium that houses the local Tokyo team.

Carol's presentation will be centered on the Tokyo Dome Orchid Show, both amateur and professional displays at the show and will showcase this year's award winning plants. But as she finds most things Japanese to be beautiful, she will present many aspects of the City of Tokyo and the countryside as well.

Carol is a Member of the **Orchid Society of Southern California**, serves on the Board of **Orchid Digest** and is an American Orchid Society Student Judge. She is presently the 1st Vice President of the **OSSC**, and is on the committee that creates the Society's display for the Huntington's Annual October Orchid Show.... and she still works full time!

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MARCH PLANT JUDGING

Species	Plant Name	Owners Name
Cultural:	Den. pierardii	Jim Gomes
1 st	Scaphosepalum decorum	Dann Dunst
2 nd	Ludisia discolor	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Masd. ova-avis	Dann Dunst
Hon.	Restrepia	Dann Dunst
Cattleyas		
Cultural:		
1 st	Lc. Mildred Rives 'Orchidglade'	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Lc. Tokyo Magic '6-1' x Blc. Williette Wong	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Blc. Zul	Jim Gomes
Hon.		
Cattleyas Mini		
Cultural:		
1 st	Lc. Gold Digger 'Fuch's Mandarin'	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Blc. Pastel Wings	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Sl. Minipet	Jim Gomes
Hon.	L. Zip 'Ship Shape' x Lc. Trick or Treat	Jim Gomes
Cymbidium		
1 st	Cym. Pistachio Mint 'Geyserland'	Y. S. Farn
2 nd	Cym. Unknown	Tuan Ngo
Cymbidium-Novelty		
1 st	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Cym. Enzan Sarah	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Cym. Mary Bea	Lynn McIlwain
Hon.	Cym. Dick Swain	Lynn McIlwain
Dendrobiums		
Cultural:	Den. Specio 'Moonbeam'	Eva Lee
1 st	Den Specio x Kingianum	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Den. Benizuru Treasure	Gordan Quan
3 rd	Den. King Zip	Eva Lee
Hon.	Den. Variegata	Una Yeh
Oncidiums		
Cultural:	Onc. Splendidum	Jim Gomes
1 st		
2 nd		
3 rd	Psychopsis	Dann Dunst
Hon.		
Paph & Phrags		
Cultural:		
1 st	Paph. Steve's Old Faithful	Dann Dunst
2 nd	Paph Unknown	Dann Dunst
Hon.		
Std. Phals		
2 nd	Phal. Unknown	Aaron Estrada
Mini Phals		
Cultural:	Phal. Unknown	Aaron Estrada
1 st	Phal. Unknown	Aaron Estrada
2 nd	Phal. Unknown	Aaron Estrada
Vandaceous		
1 st	V. Paki x V. Bill Burke	Jim Gomes
2 nd	V. Thanache x V. Udom Gold	Dann Dunst
3 rd	Renanetia Sunrise	Jim Gomes
Hon.	V. Lumpini 'Red'	Gordon Quan
Other Genera		
1 st	Epicat. Renee Marques	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Pbt. Copper	Una Yeh
3 rd	Masd. Monarch	Dann Dunst

2017 Roster Supplement

SGVOH 2016 Roster Supplement 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). Please review your 2016 Roster and let me know if you need to make any changes.

2017 Annual Auction June 15, 2017

Our June Auction will be on June 15th. We would like encourage members to start dividing their plants, so they may donate some of their divisions. Remember, our auction is our only fund raiser, so we may acquire speakers, pay rent, supplies, etc. We would like to thank each of you for your support.



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

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Membership Welcome Message

We had 20 members and 3 guests in attendance at the March meeting.

Fifteenth Orchid Digest Speakers Day

Saturday, June 10, 2017
12:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Ahmanson Classroom, Botanical Building
Huntington Library, Art Collections and Botanical Gardens
San Marino, CA

Orchids from Around the World

Featuring:

[Cindy Hill](#)

"My Top Ten Favorite Species Orchids and How I Grow Them"

[Alan Koch](#)

"Sarcochilus: Past, Present and a New Direction"

[Harold Koopowitz](#)

"Orchids in Northern Thailand"

[Dennis Wigham](#)

"Native Orchids: Ecology and Conservation"

Ernest Hetherington
Distinguished Lecture:

[Ken Cameron](#)

"Vanilla, Orchid Evolution, & the Genomic Revolution"

Scheduled Vendors include:
Andy's Orchids, Cal Orchid, Gold Country Orchids, and Sunset Valley Orchids

Tickets: \$65 (\$80 at the door) for afternoon seminars, live auction, wine and cheese happy hour, dinner and evening entertainment.

Space is limited so don't wait to buy your ticket!

www.orchiddigest.org



UPCOMING WEBINARS

Virus Testing Your Orchids with Janet Lamborn of Agdia

Wednesday, April 5, 2017 @ 8:30 EDT:

Join Janet Lamborn of Agdia as she discusses the various types of viruses that can affect your orchids and how to test for them.

www.aos.org

Warm-Growing Orchids

The temperature range most often recommended for "warm growing" orchids is 55° to 90°F (12.7° to 32.2°C) while in practice most species will tolerate five degrees Fahrenheit greater in each direction. Additionally, many sources will use wording like "plants can tolerate extremes outside of this range for short periods of time" often mentioning air movement and humidity. Many culture variables affect the actual temperatures a given orchid can withstand without stress. In general though, warm growing refers to humid, jungle-like conditions one would expect to find near sea level in the tropics.

-AOS Website



The spring shows are now over for the S. Cal area. Now it's time to get ready for our annual fund raiser. Its takes a great deal of work to get ready for our yearly auction. For most Societies its the only means to keep up with the cost of Speakers, Plant Tables, Rent , and keep members interested and informed. Our Auction will be in June this year, so don't forget to save some of your divisions to donate.

Thanks

Greg Orozco
President

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 7 - 9
Andy's Orchids
Spring Open House
734 Ocean View Ave,
Encinatas, CA
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

April 12
Cool Growing Orchid Society
Annual Auction
Garden Grove Masonic Lodge
11270Acacia Pkwy
Garden Grove, CA 92840
doors open at 6:30 PM

April 18
Riverside-San Bernardino Counties
Orchid Society
Annual Auction
Plymouth Village – Lower Level
945 Salem Drive
Redlands, CA 92373
Preview 11 – Auction Noon

April 21
South Bay Orchid Society
1st Annual Auction
Southcoast Botanic Garden
26300 Crenshaw Blvd
Palos Verdes Peninsula, CA 90274
Preview 6:30pm

The next **Board Meeting** will be held at 7 PM on **Thursday, April 27**, 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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