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Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Inland Orchid News

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Regular meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month.

Regular meetings include:

Plant Judging 7:15pm

Meeting 7:30pm

Speaker 7:45pm

Refreshments & Judging Results 8:45pm

Raffle 9:00pm

Meetings are held at the L.F. Hutton Community Center Second Thursday of each month Show-N-Tell @ 7:15 pm Meeting @ 7:30 pm.

We are pleased to have our two favorites showing us how to make award winning floral arrangements. Ron and Linda Lang will be giving a hands on demonstration on the art of making floral arrangements from mini to huge. Those of you that participated in the last demonstration won several prizes at the Palms to Pines event.

Ron and Linda are both NGC Accredited Flower Show Judges and are members of two Judges' Councils of California Garden Clubs, Inc., the Southwestern Judges' Council and the Judges Council of Southern California. Ron became accredited in 2008 and Linda in 2010. They have judged flower shows throughout Southern California.

Entering flower shows has been a love for both Ron and Linda. They have won several blue ribbons with entries in both Horticulture and Floral Design Divisions.

They will be presenting a "hands-on" Floral Design Workshop Program to help people become comfortable making floral designs for the home, competition, and gifts.

Please bring some scissors and a small flat box for this demonstration. Below is an arrangement made by Ron Lang.



February Show-N-Tell Winners

Standard Catts

Cult-S&R Trammell 1st-S. Collins 2nd-S. Collins 3rd-B. Laughlin H/M-S. Collins

Odonts/Onc.

Cult-1st – 2nd-3rd-

Miniature Catts

Cult-S. Collins 1st –B. Laughlin 2nd –D. Dunst 3rd –

Paphs

Cult-S. Collins 1st –S. Collins 2nd-S. Collins 3rd –S. Collins H/M-B. Laughlin

Cymbidiums

Cult-. 1^{st} –B. Laughlin 2^{nd} – 3^{rd} –

Vanda

Cult-D. Dunst 1^{st} – D. Dunst 2^{nd} –D. Dunst 3^{rd} –D. Dunst

Mini Cymbidiums

Cult –S. Collins 1st –B. Laughlin 2nd –B. Laughlin 3rd -

Phalanaepsis

 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Cult} - \\ & 1^{\text{st}} - \text{B. Laughlin} \\ & 2^{\text{nd}} - \text{S. Collins} \\ & 3^{\text{rd}} - \text{B. Laughlin} \end{aligned}$

Dendrobiums

1st –S. Collins

Cult -

2nd –S. Collins 3rd –B. Laughlin H/M-B. Laughlin **Species** Cult –D. Dunst 1st –B. Laughlin 2nd –D. Dunst 3rd –D. Dunst

H/M-B. Laughlin

Other

Cult – D. Dunst 1^{st} – D. Dunst 2^{nd} - D. Dunst 3^{rd} –D. Dunst H/M – D. Dunst

Enjoy having some refreshments?

Bring a treat and receive a free raffle ticket for the general raffle. Both snacks and beverages are most welcome.



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Upcoming Shows & Events For 2015



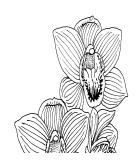


The highlight of the month is sure to be The American Orchid Society 2018 Spring Members Meeting. As mentioned before, it's being held in conjunction with the Santa Barbara International Orchid Show and the Cymbidium Society of America Congress on March 7-11, 2018, in Santa Barbara, California at the Earl Warren Showgrounds. If you haven't been, the Santa Barbara show is one of the oldest, largest and most prestigious international orchid shows in the United States. This show marks the 73rd anniversary with the theme ORCHIDS – The World's Greatest Show. You will find thousands of blooms in every imaginable shape, color, pattern and texture showcased here and the vendors are sure to have something to delight everyone!

Roster Changes and Additions

New members:

Welcome new members! We hope that you will find the society to be a fun and educational way to learn more about growing orchids.



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In our efforts to conserve our funds for the society, anyone wishing to receive the newsletter by email (Microsoft Word format or PDF) please contact Sandy Collins (909) 794-7426. This not only saves the society postage, it also saves time on printing, folding & mailing our newsletters.



Sc. Donna Pasenen-Collins



Lc Kindogo Love - Laughlin



Cym. Hip Hop-Collins



Cym. Pumiluu – Laughlin



Den Fancy Lady - Collins



Ascda Tai Spots - Dunst



Ascda Muang Thang –Dunst



Phal Aphrodite-Laughlin



Paph Watercolor Laughlin



Paph Michael Koopowitz-Collins Paph Napa Valley-Laughlin





Pot. Free Spirit - Dunst

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Officers 2017-2018

President: Tom Gibbs 1st Vice President: Open

2nd Vice President: Steve Trammell Board Secretary: Laura Gerdwagon

Membership Secretary:

Dann Dunst

Treasurer - Sandy Collins

Board Members

Ron Lang, Linda Lang, Steve Trammell, Laura Gerdwagon, Don Phillips, Nessa Rosenbaum, Sandy Collins, Micaela Solis, Jim Spence, Patricia Huckabee and Dann Dunst, Tom Gibbs.

Newsletter Editor

Deadline for newsletter submissions is the 3rd Sunday of the month.

Contact:

Sandy Collins

Appointments

Auction: OPEN Greeter: OPEN

Newsletter: Sandy Collins Plant Sales: Jamie Stewart

Raffle Tickets: Laura Gerdwagon

Speakers: Micaela Solis Sunshine: Patricia Huckabee

Parliamentarian:

AOS/Orchid Digest: Sandy Collins

Equipment: Jim Spence

Want to get **FREE** raffle tickets?

Bring in 10 Show-N-Tell sticks for recycling and receive your free raffle ticket!!

A good deal, try it!!

Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be held on Sunday, March 25, 2018 at 3:30 pm at the Colton Community Center. The board meetings are held on the 4th Sunday of the month and the general society membership is always welcome. If you are a board member and you are not able to attend please notify Tom Gibbs

Your annual membership dues were due January 1, 2018. If you have not already paid them, please see Dann Dunst, our membership chair, at the next meeting.

If you are unable to make the meeting please send to:

RSBCOS

P.O. Box 10423

San Bernardino, CA 92423

Remember:

Support your local orchid growers and tell them you are a member of the Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society. Who knows...you may receive a discount!

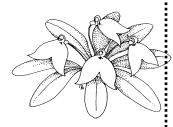


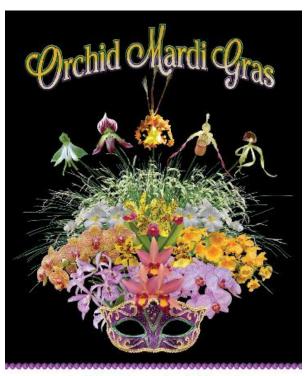
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Meetings are held at Colton Community Center 660 Colton Ave. Colton, CA 92324





San Diego County Orchid Society Show and Sale • March 23-25, 2018

Friday 3:00-7:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Sunday 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Information sdorchids.com Scottish Rite Event Center 1895 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 Free Parking

Admission \$10 Weekend Pass \$12 Children under 12 Free Contact 619-543-9078

About Our Society...The Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society (RSBCOS) was founded to further the understanding and appreciation of orchids by its members locally and to aid in a worldwide effort to improve man's knowledge of them.