

San Gabriel Valley *Orchid* Hobbyists

Bulletin

May Meeting
Thursday, May 21, 2015
6:00 PM - Preview
7:00 PM – Auction Begins

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 again.

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 favorite plants to bid on before the **auction starts promptly at 7 PM**.

We are lucky again 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
Bring refreshments and get a special raffle ticket for a plant to be raffled off during the auction.

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APRIL PLANT JUDGING

Species	Plant Name	Owners Name
Cultural:	Maxillaria tenuifolia	Jim Gomes
1 st	Den. tannii var. alba	Dann Dunst
2 nd	C. nobilior	David Campen
3 rd	Dracula severa	Dann Dunst
Hon.	Den. jenkinsii	Tuan Ngo
Cattleyas		
Cultural:	C. Irene Finney	Jim Gomes
1 st	Pot. Love Passion 'Dogashima'	Greg Orozco
2 nd	C. Park Ridge	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Lc. Irene Finney 'York'	Y.S. Farn
Hon.	Pot. Goldernell x Lc Tokyo Magic	Jim Gomes
Cattleyas Mini		
Cultural:	Blc. Waianae Leopard 'Ching Hua' HCC/AOS	David Campen
1 st	C. Harissoniana	Greg Orozco
2 nd	Slc. Hsiang Yu Red Pearl 'Red Dragonfly	Una Yeh
3 rd	Lc. Haw Yuan Angel 'Red in Snow' x Lc. Orglade's	Tuan Ngo
Hon.	C. Aurantiaca 'Yellow Peau' x self	Una Yeh
Cymbidium		
1 st	Cym. Happy Lambert 'Fire Fall'	Richard Calahan
Cymbidium-Novelty		
Cultural:	Cym. canaliculatum 'Alice'	Doris Hirata
1 st	Cym. Geno's Gem 'El Monte'	Toby Luong
2 nd	Cym. canaliculatum 'Stacey'	Greg Orozco
3 rd	Cym. Mem. Amelia Earhart	Jim Gomes
Hon.	Cym. Dancing Mother	Toby Luong
Dendrobiums		
Cultural:	Den. amethystoglossum	Jim Gomes
1 st	Den. Little Atro	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Den. atrovioleaceum	Dann Dunst
3 rd	Den farmeri	Una Yeh
Hon.	Den. Nestor var. Alba	Jim Gomes
Oncidiums		
2 nd	Onc. Cebolleta	Gordon Quan
3 rd	Tolumnia	Una Yeh
Paph & Phrags		
Cultural:		
1 st	Paph. Pinocchio	Aaron Estrada
2 nd	Paph. Philippinense 'Angel Wings'	Dann Dunst
3 rd	Paph. Sakai	Dann Dunst
Hon.		
Std. Phals		
1 st	Phal. Unknown	Jim Gomes
Mini Phals		
1 st	Phal. Unknown	Jim Gomes
2 nd	Phal. Unknown	Jim Gomes
Vandaceous		
Cultural:		
1 st		
2 nd	Ascf. Cherry Blossom 'Hawaii'	Jim Gomes
3 rd	Vanda tricolor	Dann Dunst
Hon.		
Other Genera		
Cultural:		
1 st	Sarc. Mavis	Doris Hirata
2 nd	Masd. Snow Leopard	Dann Dunst
3 rd	Chysis bractescens	Una Yeh
Hon.	Sarc. Unknown	Gordon Quan

SGVOH AUCTION MAY 21ST

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 21st 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!

COMMITTEE CHAIRS (CONT.)

AOS Rep.
Greg Orozco
O.D. Reps
Brenda Ward
Arboretum Rep.
Greg Orozco
Southland Rep.
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Una Yeh
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Raffle Ticket Sales
Gordon Quan
Ribbon Judging
Linda Peterson
Roster
Jim Gomes
Silent Auction
Toby Luong
Displays
Open

Membership Welcome Message

Please Welcome new members **Maxima Cirunay, Nancy Miyamoto, and** our youngest new member **Sarah Squyres.**

We had 33 members and 3 guests in attendance at 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.

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.

ORCHID DIGEST SPEAKERS' DAY!!

"Orchid Potpourri"

Huntington Library and
Botanical Gardens,
San Marino, California
Saturday, June 13, 2015 –
12:30 pm to 8:00 pm

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:

- ❖ Steven Beckendorf –
Searching for Orchids in
Southeastern Peru
- ❖ Marc Hachadourian –
Orchid Species You
Should Not Try to Grow!
- ❖ Ron McHatton –
Orchids of Madagascar
- ❖ Harold Koopowitz &
Steven Hampson –
Madagascar: Leaping
Lemurs and Orchids
- ❖ Peter Lin –
Trending Phalaenopsis
Novelty Hybridizing
- ❖ 2014 Orchid Digest
Distinguished Lecture:
Carol Woodin –
An Artist on the Orchid
Trail
Remember!! AOS judging
at 10:00 AM

VENDORS: Cal Orchids;
Sunset Valley Orchids,
Andy's Orchids, Big Leaf
Orchids

Tickets: \$65 (\$80 at
door)

After June 11th contact
Simone Friend, 4349
Dogwood Ave., Seal Beach,
CA 90740
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Limited Space!! Make Your
Reservations Now!

Volunteers for our Annual Auction

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

Register Plant Supplies, etc.
5:30PM
Jim Gomes

Move donations to auction table
5:30PM
Jim Herman

Register Bidders 6:00PM
Lucy Arlotti

Sales Recorders 6:45PM
David Campen & Jim Gomes

Assist Auctioneer 7:00PM
Ken Fujimoto

Record sale on pot 7:00PM
Tuan Ngo

Move Plants to Hotel 7:00 PM
Aaron Estrada & Toby Luong

Plant Hotel 7:00PM
Alyce Griffith & Linda
Peterson

Cashiers
Lucy Arlotti & Dann Dunst

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

A Note From Lana

April brings
so many bees
to my
gardens, and
lovely
displayed



orchids to our April 16th General
Meeting. Our guest speaker was
Tim Culbertson on Sarcochilus.
Some members took home
Sarcochilus to grow and enjoy.
Our May 21, 2015 Auction
preparations are in full swing.
Donations should bring in many
excited enthusiasts! Check our
web site for details and
information. We do hope
everyone will join us!

-Lana Tripathi
President

Membership Auction Donations

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

2015 Roster Suppliment

SGVOH 2015 Roster
Suppliment will be printed soon
and distributed at our June
meeting. The suppliment will
include new members names,
email address, and phone
number.

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 9
Hatfield Orchids
"At Yamadas"
706 W. Gardena Blvd
Gardena, CA 92626
10:00am to 1:00pm

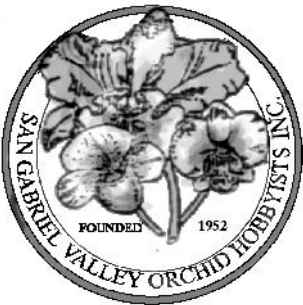
May 16
Casa de las Orquideas
Super Seedling Sale
170 S. Nardo Ave
Solana Beach, CA 92075
858.755.7572

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The Huntington Library
San Marino, CA

IMPORTANT NOTICE: *Our hours are changing at The Arboretum effective with the June Meeting.* Doors open at 6:15, Orchid Judging begins at 7:00pm and Program begins at 7:30pm. We need to be out by 9:30pm. Hopefully, next year we will be able to change the hours back. I know several of you work and this change will press you for time.

The next **Board Meeting** will be held at 7 PM on **Thursday, May 28**, 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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