

Orange County Orchid Society

September 2014





COVER PHOTO: Vanda Nonthaburi
Judges' Choice Award for August 2014
Owned by Janet Roberson

INSIDE COVER: Vanda Nonthaburi

BACK COVER: Oncidium Alliance 'Busy Bees'
Owned and photographed by Janet Roberson

This is one of the types of plants that were available at the Mounting Workshop in April, so if you got one, look for it to bloom in the July/August time frame. This one has been actively blooming for a month and a half now. The buds look quite odd as they are totally black before the flowers open.



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Speaker: Bruce Kidd
Topic: Orchid Restoration in Thailand

In 2010, *Bruce* and *Yasue Kidd* made their first of three trips (so far) to Southeast Asia to hang with the locals and have a look at native orchids growing in nurseries and in the wild. Through Thai friends, they connected with orchid growers, a university orchid program, and with a government project training hilltribe people to stop stripping orchids from the forest and instead reintroduce them to their habitats as a boost for ecotourism. This presentation recaps some of the best moments from their experiences wandering Thailand and Vietnam. We will look at how the Thai are reestablishing orchids such as *Vanda coerulea*, the blue Vanda, and how orchid tourists can visit and stay in the villages where these projects are underway. We'll see a variety of unfamiliar orchids in flower, and plenty of beautiful scenery, architecture and history along the way.

Bruce Kidd is a retired Pest Control Adviser for Dow Agrosiences, and spent



Bruce Kidd photos supplied by Bruce Kidd

most of his career in the commercial horticulture industry.

He has been growing orchids about 15 years and is a past president of the San Diego County Cymbidium Society and the California Weed Science Society. *Bruce* and *Yasue* enjoy orchid tourism, defined as using orchids as an excuse to travel to all kinds of strange places to check out the plants and people that grow there. They live in Murrieta, CA and are headed back to Thailand this December.



Dinner with the Speaker

Anyone interested in attending the pre-meeting dinner with *Bruce Kidd* and *Dana Seelig* please call *Dana* at 714.865.6168 for more details.

Meeting Date

September 17, 2014

(3rd Wednesday each month)

Yorba Linda Public Library

Community Room (Lower Level)

18181 Imperial Highway

Yorba Linda CA 92886

Set-Up 6:00 PM

Plant Judging Set-Up 6:30 PM

Orchid Judging 7:00 PM

Guest Speaker 7:30 PM

Opportunity Table 9:00 PM

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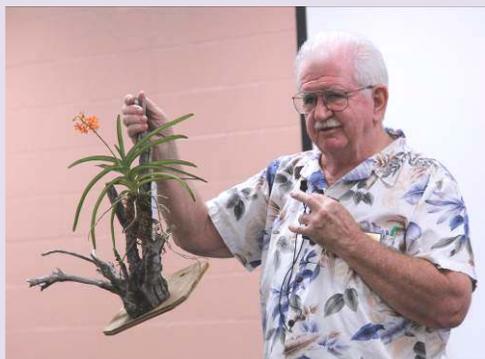
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President's Message

Nohline L'Ecuyer

First and foremost, I would like to thank *Dan Warren* for his outstanding job on organizing and putting together our Home and Garden Show display. Not only did he do an outstanding job, he worked many hours before the show, on every shift, and after the show! Good going *Dan!* Of course, we were very lucky as many other members also helped during the show which made it all a lot of fun and *Dan* left with two spectacular orchid trees. I can't wait to see those two mounts in full bloom! We gained two new memberships from the show and had a list of 37 interested parties who wished to receive our newsletter. I sincerely hope that they come to a meeting and decide to join us.



Dan Warren - about the Home & Garden Show

So, did everyone have fun at our last meeting? I know I did and from the comments I got, I think everyone else did as well! There was involvement, participation, animation and a great speaker. I think we are going to do this at every meeting!

Remember the little cards I handed out at the meeting for all of you to fill out? They provided some very interesting information. Three reasons stood out as to why members join a club such as ours.

1. To learn about orchids;
2. To mingle with people who have the same interests; and
3. For fun.

If you want to learn about orchids, we have wonderful speakers organized by *Dana Seelig*. Some comments made were that the speakers are too advanced for

beginners. The way to overcome this is to ask questions after the lecture and sometimes even during the lecture. I know, I ask in the middle of the lecture because I simply would not be able to remember the question by the end. And there is no such thing as a stupid question; there are probably other people in the audience wondering the same thing. So throw it out there and ask ... the worst thing that can happen is you will get an answer!



Nohline L'Ecuyer and Richard Hess - Plant Judging

A wonderful way to learn about orchids is judging. Every month we have a display of orchids brought in by our members for judging. These plants are not for sale and are there for you to admire. So what is involved in the judging? Knowing what you think is beautiful and what your favorite plant would be in any category. It really is that simple. What do you gain? It is a wonderful way to learn how to pronounce these unpronounceable names and learn about new species of orchids. Perhaps you want to learn how to grow them, ask the plant owners; they are always more than generous in sharing their knowledge.

In future meetings, we will try to add more activities such as round table demonstrations, new member orientation and Orchid starter courses to name a few. And of course like a good Orchid plant mix, a bit of fun will be added as well!

Remember ... Have Fun!

Visitors

Candy Jester

TIM CULBERTSON

ALFRED ESTRADA

BETSY HAFFNER

JULIE LOWRY

M. J. NEWMAN

JANICE PAPE

MARIA REGULLANO

We hope you enjoyed the meeting and activities and can come again soon.

New Members

Candy Jester

MARIA REGULLANO

LOURDES GARCIA

DANTE ROSETE

Welcome to OCOS! We hope to see you often.

Anniversaries

Brenda Ward

CALVIN DALKE, JR.

15 YEARS

The Society thanks you for your continued support. We have not seen you for a while. Please stop by and visit us or send me an email and let us know what/how you are doing.

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**Ribbon Judging Results
August 20, 2014 Meeting**

Cindy & Rolland Taylor

Standard Cymbidium

No entries

Dendrobium

- 1st Place Candy & Walt Jester
- 2nd Place Tim Roby
- 3rd Place Tim Roby

Phalaenopsis

- 1st Place Jan Hennessey
- 2nd Place .. Tammy & Jamie Anderson

Paphiopedilum

- 1st Place Nohline L'Ecuyer
- 2nd Place Bob Laughlin
- 3rd Place Brenda Ward

Botanical

- 1st Place Janet Roberson
- 2nd Place Barbara Olson

Oncidium

- 1st Place Bob Laughlin

Laelia Tribe (Small)

- 1st Place Una Yeh
- 2nd Place Tim Roby

Laelia Tribe (Large)

- 1st Place ... Tammy & Jamie Anderson
- 2nd Place Janet Roberson

Species

- 1st Place Janet Roberson
- 2nd Place Una Yeh
- 3rd Place Janet Roberson

Vandacious

- 1st Place Janet Roberson
- 2nd Place Una Yeh
- 3rd Place Una Yeh

Novelty Cymbidium

- 1st Place Bob Laughlin
- 2nd Place Una Yeh
- 3rd Place Janet Roberson

Novice

No entries



Judges' Choice Award
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Alan Koch – August Speaker



Sarcophilus hartmannii
Topic: Sarcophilus, Exciting Modern
Hybrids from Australia



Opportunity Knocking
Edie Gulrich

Our September speaker, *Bruce Kidd*, will be providing the plant table from Sunset Valley Orchids. For those of you who have some of *Fred Clarke's* plants, you know the beauty and quality of his plants. So buy your tickets, because those of us, who have some, will definitely be buying tickets. Don't miss out on this great opportunity. See you there.

Orchid 411

Brenda Ward
wardbrendar@hotmail.com
909.626.8244

Volunteers Needed

The Southland Orchid Show Committee is proud to announce the October 2014 show, 'Orchidtober Fest' at the Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens on Oct. 17-19, 2014.

The show's success is due to the volunteers who generously donate their time. We need ribbon judges, hosts/hostesses, and plant hotel sitters.

Ribbon judging is on Thursday, Oct. 16 at 9:30. Please plan to be there by 9:00 a.m. as traffic gets very heavy on the 210 freeway. There will be coffee and donuts/muffins during orientation. You will receive a collector's pin and a free lunch. Ribbon judging is fun and many volunteers in the past return for this occasion.

The awards night is on Thursday evening. There will be appetizers and early bird orchid sale, so plan to spend the whole day with us. Trophies will be awarded. Plant sale starts at 3:30 p.m. with cocktails at 6:00 p.m. and the awards ceremony starts at 7:00 p.m. Dress code is casual.

The show hours are:

- Friday: 12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Saturday: 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Sunday: 10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

In addition to receiving a collector's pin, volunteers do not have to pay the entrance fee. They can participate in all the events including the Orchid Symposia on Saturday and Sunday.

Please contact me at wardbrendar@hotmail.com or 714.907.5743 if you wish to volunteer or if you have any questions.

Thank you very much for your support.





Home and Garden Show August 2014

Dan Warren

Normally, we do one Home and Garden Show a year called the Spring Show at the Anaheim Convention Center. We were very surprised and pleased earlier this year when we were asked to do a second show.

Marlene Thorne called me in July and said she was putting on a Home and Garden show in the same location, just a few weeks away. She had seen our May booth, and wanted us to do one for her August show. This was out of the blue and totally unexpected, but was a very nice compliment.

The first problem that came to my mind was that it was a little late in the year to make a lot of mounts, as I did during the May Show, so I needed to come up with something different. Since mounting live blooming orchids is critical to attracting large numbers of orchid lovers to our booth, it had to be similar and as attractive.

Thinking it over for a couple of days, I decided to make just one mount larger than I had ever done before and I had the perfect spire-shaped piece of Manzanita about 4 feet tall. I would get 6 or 7 large Cattleya or Laelia orchids in bloom, and mount them on the spire one at a time, over the three day show. This would be very attractive and I could bring it indoors over the winter if I had to.

Now that I knew I could do it, I called our brand new President, *Nohline L'Ecuyer*, and told her about the invitation. I told her the time frame was very tight, but we had the main attraction to make it work and could do it if we hurried. Doing this show also would double our ability to meet and recruit interested orchid lovers this year.

To my delight, she said, "Yes, go for it". So I signed the contract on July 31, just 20 days before we could get into the building to get the booth ready.

Getting everything together took a lot of time and effort, but it went well. The most critical thing I had to do was get the large number of orchids together just a few days before the show so they would be blooming for the demonstration.

This turned out to be more difficult than I expected because this was at the end of the blooming season for Cattleyas and Laelias, and also after the big open houses had finished. Also, I found out that it is a little unusual for one buyer to want several specimens of one plant. Growers stock a large number of varieties to maximize sales, but not many of each. And I wanted a large, attractive red bloom to catch people's eyes and attract them to our booth. What were left in stock were mostly whites.



Lc. Schloat's Fancy x C. leopoldii flowers and on mount

But *Alice*, of Santa Barbara Orchid Estate, was more than up to the challenge. She took over an hour of her time going over what she had available, showing me one plant after another. She ended up way back in the section where the public cannot go, and stayed there for half an hour or so. Finally she came out with a large armload of a big, bright, attractive Laeliocattleya that I knew instantly was just what I wanted: a big red, white and lavender cross between Lc. Schloat's Fancy and C. leopoldii. She had 6 plants with 7 spikes. We were in business thanks to *Alice's* determination and diligence.

Getting the last few booth volunteers at our meeting on Wednesday August 20, we set the booth up on Thursday, August 21. This was in Hall D, not Hall A as we were used to. It actually worked out much better for us as it was much easier to get into and out of.

The booth was small, just 10 feet by 10 feet, but it would do fine. The next three days, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, we were open for the public. Not only did I have the large spire to work on, but I had, at the last minute, added a very interesting 3 foot tall heavily twisted manzanita branch to mount a dozen orchids left from our April Workshop: a Tolumnia and Oncidium cross that was now called Ontolezia Helen Armour. So we had both a large and a small mount.

(Home and Garden Show August 2014) continued from Page 4)

Thinking this was late in the growing season for orchid enthusiasts, I expected things to be slow. I was wrong. People were every bit as interested and excited about our presentation as they had been at our spring shows, if not more so. And their enthusiasm was catching. The more enthusiastic they were, the more enthusiastic the volunteers in the booth were, and vice versa.



Jamie & Tammy Anderson

As usual, people really liked the mounted orchids. They gathered around anytime I was working on them. It didn't matter whether it was the large mount or the small one. They couldn't imagine that orchids could grow that way, and were astonished to hear how easy it was to water them. I had an excellent example of how prolific an orchid could be at growing roots on a mount to show them, as well as an example of the simple mounting method I use, and a printed copy of our great e-mail Ranger. They loved all of that and responded enthusiastically. We ended up with two new members and 37 very interested people who wanted to receive three months of our Ranger, and were invited to come see us, and, if they liked us, to join us.

On the last day of the show, the show management came by our booth and told us how delighted they were to have us at their show. That felt very good.

When we took the booth down Sunday night at six o'clock, we were very tired but very happy. It was a very good and successful experience.

I want to thank the following people who volunteered their time and effort and worked so hard to make this possible. It could not have been done without their cheerful and willing help.

Setting up the booth:

Alfred Estrada - Norman Holtkamp
Dan Warren - Robbie White

Manning the Information and Membership Table:

Jamie Anderson - Tammy Anderson
Mary Ann Burns - Joy Keyser
Nohline L'Ecuyer - Julie Pucik
Connie Ray - Susan Scheffler
Sharon Tanner - Dan Warren

Additional flowers, printed forms & business cards:

Nohline L'Ecuyer - Janet Roberson

Taking down the booth:

Jamie Anderson - Tammy Anderson
Norman Holtkamp - Nohline L'Ecuyer
Dan Warren - Robbie White

Photography:

Jamie Anderson - Tammy Anderson
Julie Pucik - Dan Warren

Thank you very much.



Julie Pucik, Connie Ray, and Dan Warren (left to right)



Mary Ann Burns



Pat Rowland
Nohline L'Ecuyer

Pat Rowland was one of the founding members of the Orange County Orchid Society and has for many years been a friend to many and a strong supporter of orchid growers everywhere. Her specialty was cymbidiums and paphopedilums and together with her husband and then her protector and helper, *Butch (Charles Weckerle-Thrun)*, she continued to breed and grow many wonderful plants in her sprawling backyard in Garden Grove.

She was also instrumental in starting the Fascination of Orchids Show at South Coast Plaza. *Dick Hess* has spent many hours in *Pat's* nursery repotting plants and watering when she was shorthanded. I was fortunate to spend several hours with *Pat* discussing the pros and cons of each plant and even though she was wheelchair bound her mind was as sharp as a tack. I learned that she was also an artist who loved to do enamel work and she had many finished pieces in her home. Pat Rowland was a pioneer in our orchid community and she will be missed.



ORCHID CONSERVATION ALLIANCE

**Upcoming Trips Planned by the
Orchid Conservation Alliance**

Peter Tobias, President

Orchids of Thailand

Peter Williams of Mae Tang Tours has put together an itinerary covering temples, markets, orchid farms, wildlife sanctuaries, and mountain excursions into an amazing trip proposal. Dates of the trip are March 20 to April 4, 2015. The trip will be led by OCA Director Mary Gerritsen and is limited to 14 travelers.

Botanical Illustration on The Brazilian Amazon

Dulce Nascimento is a Brazilian botanical artist living in Rio who also teaches illustration. Some of you have seen and purchased her work in the OCA booth at orchid shows. She and American print artist and illustrator Kathi McCord will be leading a trip on the Amazon riverboat 'Otter'. The trip will run from June 3rd to June 12th, 2015 and originates in Manaus.

And, we are working on a trip for the fall of 2015 as well. Be sure to let us know if there is a place you would like to go.

Check at www.orchidconservationalliance.org for additional information.



The New Masdevallia Book

Harry Zelenko

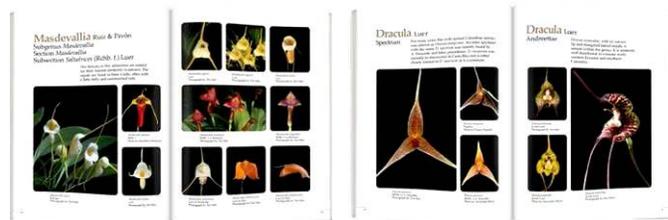
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Masdevallia with its Segregates including Dracula has been published by ZA I Publications, a publisher specializing in orchid books. The book includes *Dracula*, *Porroglossum* and *Trisetella* along with *Masdevallia*. The book is essentially a picture book which offers the most comprehensive photographic treatment to date with more than one thousand photographs taken by orchid experts including Ton Sijm. The *Masdevallia* taxonomy is based on Carl Luer's original *Masdevallia* genera and also includes his new genera for some of the groups as well as the latest molecular research by other authors. Also included is information on *Masdevallia* culture, a complete listing of species and an index plus articles by orchid experts including Gary Meyer, Ph.D., Alexander Hirtz, Alfonso Doucette, Rosemarie Zelenko, Herschel Littlegreen and the author, Harry Zelenko.

Normal retail cost is \$140, but it is being made available to OCOS members at a special price of \$95, plus shipping.

This book will not be made available on Amazon.

Please contact the author shown above if you are interested.



Two August Show Mounts The Large and The Small

Dan Warren

I only made two mounts at this show: one large and one small.



The Large Mount is big with large orchids mounted on it. It is a 4 foot tall spire of manzanita about a 2" diameter at the top, and a 12" diameter at the base, with some nice twists, bends, burls, and pockets. It is definitely an interesting piece of wood. The base is $\frac{3}{4}$ " thick external plywood, 12" by 15", stained grey, and held on with four $\frac{3}{8}$ " lag bolts.

It now has 10 Laeliocattleyas mounted on it; six in bloom or in spike that were mounted during the show, and four that I mounted here at home. They are a cross between Lc. Schloat's Fancy and C. leopoldii. The flowers are a beautiful red, white and lavender, fragrant, and borne in a large cluster. When the orchids are in bloom, the unit will reach about five and a half feet in height.

The plants that I bought were so full and large I had to cut each pot in half to have a root bundle small enough to mount. By the time the roots were relaxed, I still had a 4" wide by 2" thick by 5" or 6" long bundle to mount.

The four left-over halves of the plants were also large enough to mount, but I decided to leave them off until I got it home to make it easier to transport. Even at that, it was too large to fit into the cab of my borrowed pickup truck, so *Nohline L'Ecuyer* kindly volunteered to bring it home for me. She laid her back seats down and then carefully laid the mount down. She still had room enough for the Small mount as well, so I let her take it also. She did a beautiful job and got both of them here completely undamaged.



The Small Mount is actually small in name only. It is a three foot tall manzanita branch, whose twisted side branches spread out 32" in one direction and 16" in another. The 10 orchids on it are small now, and will always be smaller than the Laeliocattleyas. They are a cross between a Tulumnia (Irene Gleason x Apple Hollow) and *Oncidium ornithorhynchum*. That cross has now been named *Ontolezia Helen Armour*. Some of these plants I purchased were left over from our April workshop, and some I purchased from the same source at a later date.

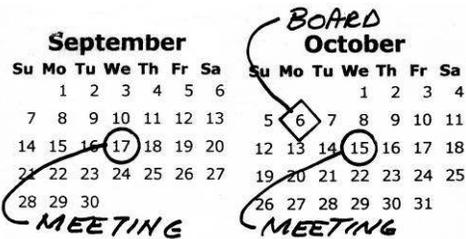
The plants will get to be about 8" tall when mature. They will have an erect raceme towering up another 8". These are siblings, so there will be some variation in color, but the few flowers that have been seen so far are pink. When in bloom, this should be very attractive.

These multiple mounts are a win-win situation. If they all bloom at one time, you have a great show. If they bloom in sequence, you have a long lasting show.

I build these mounts at a show to catch the attention of passing orchid lovers. This gives us the opportunity to find out if they would like to learn more about growing orchids. If so, we explain the benefits of joining the OCOS, give them our literature, and ask them to come and check us out, and, if they like us, join us. These are orchid lovers who want a place to learn more about growing orchids: just the kind of people we like to grow our organization.



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Meeting Date – Wednesday, September 17th

Suggestions & Contributions are greatly appreciated. Deadline is the 25th of each month.

Upcoming Events Calendar

- September 10 – 14 21st World Orchid Conference – ‘Orchids: Gold in the Green Age – Sandton Convention Centre, Johannesburg, South Africa
Information: www.woc21.org
- September 12- 14 Riverside-San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society Show ‘Magic of Orchids’ - Sunshine Growers Nursery, 34017 Yucaipa Blvd.,
Yucaipa 92399 - Fri. 11 am - 5 pm, Sat. 9 am - 5 pm, Sun. 9 am – 3:30 pm – Info: rsbcos.org
- September 17
Meeting 7:30 p.m. **Orange County Orchid Society - Monthly Meeting**
Speaker: Bruce Kidd Subject: An Orchid Adventure of Thailand
Plant table will be by the Sunset Valley Orchids
- September 20 – 21 South Bay Orchid Society Show and Sale – South Coast Botanic Garden, 26300 Crenshaw Blvd., Palos Verdes
Sat. 11-5 Sun. 9-4 Admission \$9 Adults, \$6 Seniors, Free Parking - Information: www.southbayorchidsociety.com
- September 27 – 28 Fascination of Orchids Show and Sale – South Coast Plaza Village, 1631 West Sunflower, Santa Ana 92701
10 am to 5 pm (across from South Coast Plaza) Info: 949.735.2930 or www.orchidshow.com
- October 4 – 5 San Diego International Orchid Fair at the San Diego Botanic Garden, 230 Quail Gardens Dr., Encinitas
Sat. 9 am-5 Sun. 9 am-4 Info: www.sdbgarden.org/orchid.htm
- October 3 – 5 Andy’s Orchids Fall Open House, 734 Ocean View Avenue, Encinitas CA 92024 – Info: www.andysorchids.com
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
- October 6 **Orange County Orchid Society – Board Meeting**
7:00 PM at the home of Nohline L’Ecuyer
- October 12 Southern California Orchid Species Society Annual Auction – Kraemer Memorial Park, Backs Community Building
View 12:30 – Gavel 1 pm 201 Bradford Avenue, Placentia – Information: www.socalorchidspecies.com
- October 15 **Orange County Orchid Society - Monthly Meeting**
Meeting 7:30 p.m. Speaker: Unavailable at this time
- Oct. 17 – 19 The Southland Orchid Show ‘Orchidtober Fest’ – The Huntington Library, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino 91108
Info: www.orchidshow.org – Friday 12-4:30 pm, Sat. & Sun. 10:30 am – 4:30 pm
- October 25 – 26 San Diego County Orchid Society Fall show an Sale – Casa del Prado, Room 101, Balboa Park
Sat. noon-5 Sun. 10-4 Info: www.sdorchids.com
- October 27 South Coast Orchid Society Annual Auction – Whaley Park, Clubhouse, 5610 Atherton Street, Long Beach
View 6 pm, Gavel 6:30 Info: www.southcoastorchidsociety.com
- Oct. 29 – Nov. 2 AOS Members’ Meeting - Sheraton Orlando North, 600 North Lake Destiny Drive, Maitland, Florida 32751
Information: 407.660.9000 - www.sheratonorlandonorth.com - Hosted by the Central Florida Orchid Society



This is probably the last month before the cut-off, so check the status of your dues!



Orange County Orchid Society, Inc.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Please print

Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Home Tel: _____ Cell Tel: _____

E-Mail: _____ Fax: _____

Include email address in the Directory Yes / No

How do you want to receive your newsletter?

E-Mail _____ (~16 pages) **Mail** _____ (6 pages)

Name badge order: Yes / No (Engraved badge \$12.00 ea.) _____

Yes / No (Business card / plastic holder \$3.00 ea.) _____

Name / s: _____

How did you hear about the Orchid Society?

I have about _____ orchids
in my collection.

I grow orchids:

I like to grow _____

_____ in my house

species _____

_____ outside

hybrids _____

_____ in a greenhouse

The OCOS relies on the membership to volunteer whenever possible.
Please indicate whether you would be willing to volunteer your time to
help with Society programs.

Yes _____ No _____

Sometime in the future _____

www.OCOS.net

Annual dues are \$15.00
per year
for the household.

**OCOS Year is
June through May
Due by May 31**

New Member

If you join
June - November
\$15.00 _____

If you join
December - May
\$7.50 _____

Renewal

\$15.00 per year
Plan ahead,
join for several years.

_____ Years

Total Paid _____

Checks should be made payable to
OCOS

Mail with this application to:
Orange County Orchid Society, Inc.
c/o 740 South Stillwater Lane
Anaheim Hills, CA 92807



Plant Judging Pictures

photos by Janet Roberson



Dendrobium – First Place

Dendrobium convolutum– Candy & Walt Jester



Phalaenopsis – First Place

Phal. Sogo Lisa 'Taipei Gold' x Salu Spot– Jan Hennessey



Paphiopedilum – First Place

Paph. Vanguard – Nohline L'Ecuyer



Botanical – First Place

Zygo. Unnamed – Janet Roberson



Oncidium – First Place

Oncidium Hybrid – Bob Laughlin

Plant Judging Pictures

photos by Janet Roberson



Small Laelia – First Place

C. Tahoe Rose v. coerulea 'Serra Dall'– Una Yeh



Large Laelia – First Place

Blc. Memoria Crispin Rosales – Tammy & Jamie Anderson



Species – First Place

Gastrochilus japonica – Janet Roberson



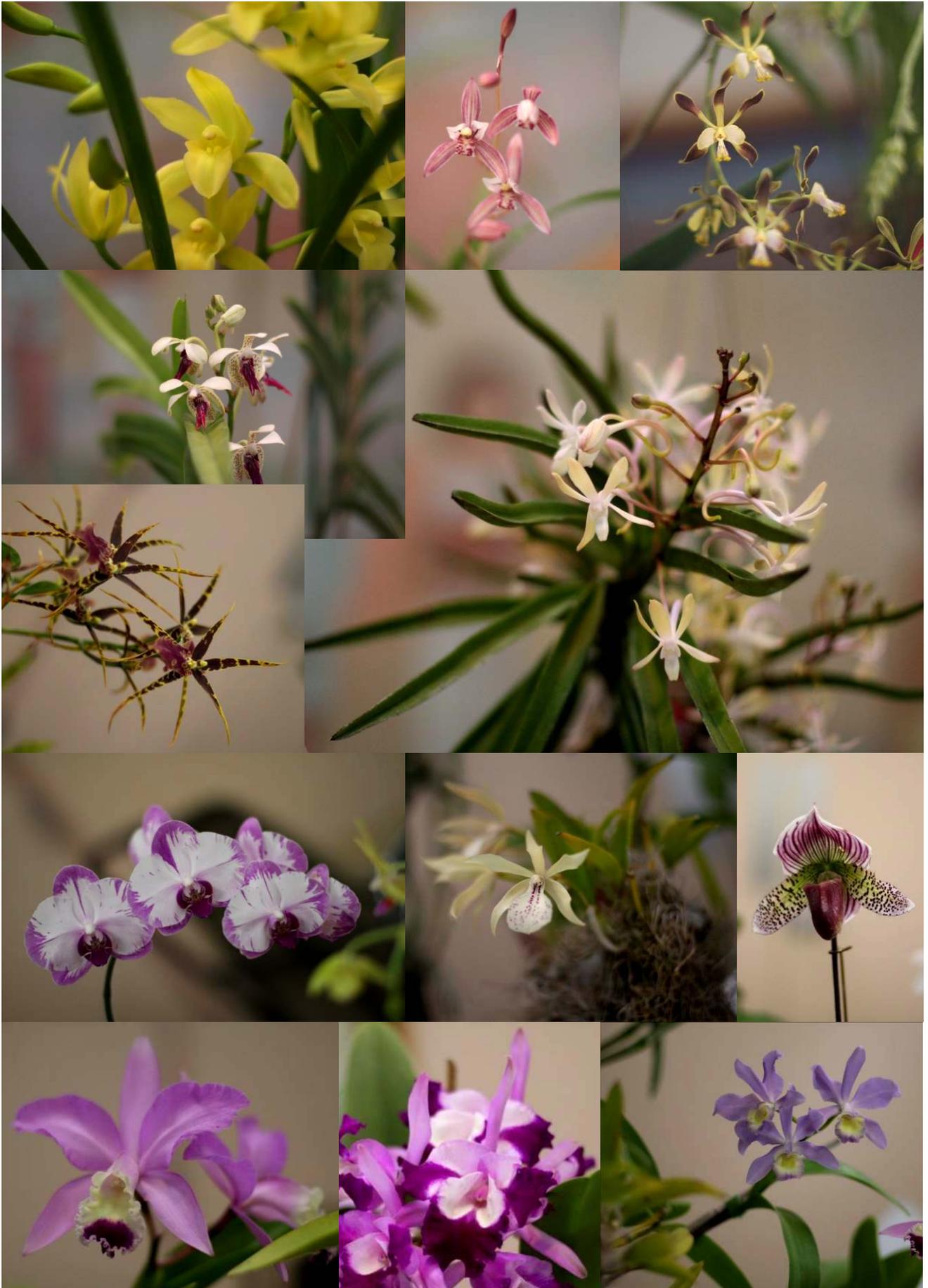
Vandacious – First Place and Judges' Choice Award
Vanda Nonthaburi – Janet Roberson



Novelty Cymbidium – First Place
Ansellia africana – Bob Laughlin

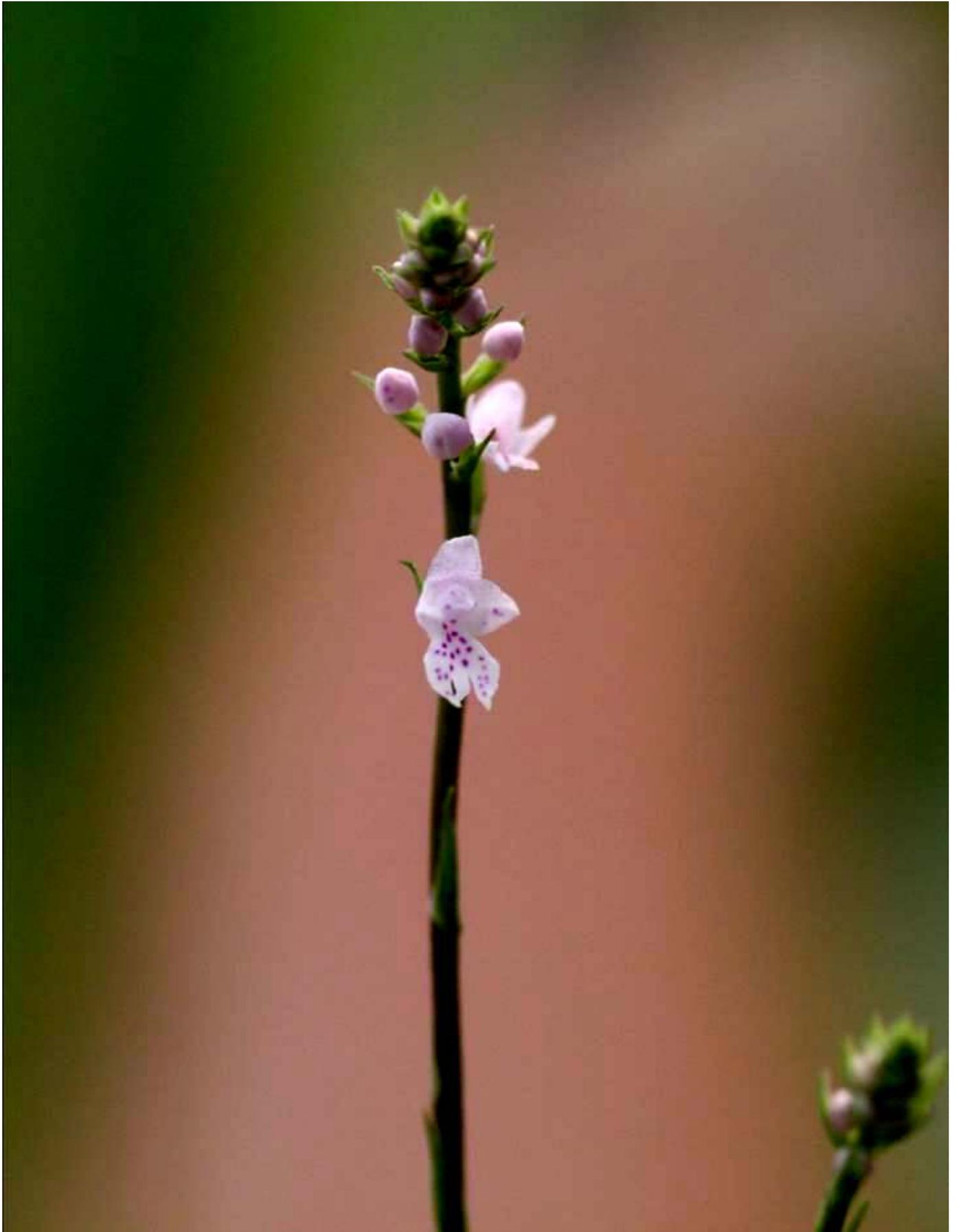
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21st WORLD ORCHID CONFERENCE AND SHOW



**GOLD
IN THE
GREEN AGE**

**10 - 14 SEPTEMBER 2014
SANDTON CONVENTION CENTRE
JOHANNESBURG
GAUTENG
SOUTH AFRICA**

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT
WWW.WOC21.ORG.ZA

 **21st WORLD ORCHID CONFERENCE 2014**



The Riverside – San Bernardino Counties Orchid Society
and the Garden and Floral Arrangers Guild
Present

The Magic of Orchids

Friday September 12, 2014, 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Saturday September 13, 2014, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Sunday September 14, 2014, 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM



Sunshine Growers Nursery
34017 Yucaipa Blvd.
Yucaipa, CA 92399

Saturday Programs include:
Preparing Orchids for Gifts or Shows
Yes, You Can Grow Orchids
Potting Orchids – A How to Demonstration

Member Plant Sales
Orchid Vendors

Sunday Programs include:
Floral Arranging Using Orchids

www.rsbcos.org

**Orchid Show
and Sale
September 20 - 21, 2014**

Orchids-R-Easy Classes All Weekend

**Sales: Sat 9-5 & Sun 9-4
Show: Sat 11-5 & Sun 9-4
Location: South Coast Botanic Garden
26300 Crenshaw Blvd., Palos Verdes**

- Buy direct from commercial growers
- See award winning orchids/displays
- All day demonstrations on orchid care and repotting
- Stroll the botanical gardens

Admission: \$9 Adults \$6 Seniors
Free Parking

For all show information and map to gardens:
www.southbayorchidsociety.com

**Fascination of Orchids
Show and Sale**

Saturday, September 27 &
Sunday September 28, 2014
10 am to 5 pm – South Coast Plaza Village
1631 West Sunflower, Santa Ana, CA 92704
(Corner of Sunflower & Bear)

Exhibits • Seminars • Sales

Experience thousands of exotic orchids in a beautiful outdoor setting and learn how to grow and exhibit orchids from local experts.

Parking and admission are free

For more information please call 949.735.2930 or visit ocorchidshow.com

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SOUTH COAST PLAZA
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San Diego International Orchid Fair

Saturday, October 4, 9 am – 5 pm
Sunday, October 5, 9 am – 4 pm

<http://www.sdbgarden.org/orchid.htm>



Andy's Orchids

October 3rd - 5th
Friday, Saturday, & Sunday
9:00 am – 5:00 pm
734 Ocean View Ave.
Encinitas, CA 92024

www.andysorchids.com

Andy's Orchids will be hosting an open house with guest vendors - Phrao Orchids & Floralia. We're just 5 minutes from the San Diego Botanic Garden, come see our 700,000 plants and how we grow them. We'll have refreshments, beautiful and rare plants to see and purchase. Be prepared to be AWED!!!





San Diego County Orchid Society

Fall Show and Sale

Free Admission
Casa del Prado room 101
Balboa Park
Saturday October 25th 2014
noon until 5:00pm
Sunday October 26th 2014
10:00am until 4:00pm

SDORCHIDS.COM



SCOS Orchid Auction

Species
Hybrids
Blooming Orchids
Outdoor Growing Orchids



**Monday, October 27, 2014
6:30 p.m.**

Join the fun and excitement at our **Annual Orchid Auction**. Bid on Exotic Quality Plants from commercial growers and private collections at no-reserve auction prices.

Whaley Park Clubhouse
5620 Atherton Street, Long Beach
www.southcoastorchidsociety.com

★ South Coast Orchid Society meets at Whaley Park 7:00 p.m. the 4th Monday of each month. ★

70th Santa Barbara International Orchid Show

**March 13-15, 2015
9:00 am - 5:00 pm**

**Earl Warren Showgrounds
Santa Barbara, California**

**Highway 101 &
Las Positas Road**

Orange County Orchid Society

Everyone Welcome!

**Meetings are the
Third Wednesday
of Every Month**

**Meeting Location:
Yorba Linda Public Library
Community Room
(Lower Level)
18181 Imperial Highway
Yorba Linda CA 92886**



**Member Ribbon Judging
7:00 PM
General Meeting
7:30 PM**

Oncidium Alliance 'Busy Bees'

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