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The South Coast Orchid Society meets on the fourth Monday of each month except holidays at the Whaley Park Clubhouse, 5620 East Atherton Street, Long Beach, California at 7:00.

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South Coast Orchid Society

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Stories, articles and news items are welcome. The deadline is the 5th of the month.

Dennis Mackewicz 3198 Lilly Avenue Long Beach, CA 90808 (562) 430-0090 dwmackewicz@yahoo.com Monday, March 23, 2009

"Brazilian Orchids"

Speaker: Stephen Campion

7:30 p.m.

Our speaker this meeting started as a plant packer in 1983 working for Armacost & Royston in Carpinteria, California which merged with Stewart Orchids in 1985. Steve worked his way up while at Stewart's to become a cattleya hybridizer and sales manager. After marrying Sandra Attenburg, he traveled to Brazil and has been there since 1991 working at Floralia, a nursery specializing in Orchid species from Brazil. He is an AOS Senior Judge, taking part of his judges training here at the Long Beach Judging Center. He and his wife Sandy were Co-chairs at the 15th World Orchid Conference held in Rio de Janeiro in 1996. They have two sons ages 17 and 12.

Janell Schuck

Your Last Newsletter (unless we have your 2009 dues)

Please Renew Your Membership for 2009—NOW

Complete a membership renewal form at our next meeting or mail it to our Membership Chair Edwina Brown with your dues for 2009:

3646 Walnut Long Beach CA 90807

562-427-8525 msebro@aol.com

A membership form and an addressed envelope is included in mailed newsletters IF OUR RECORDS SHOW NO 2009 DUES PAYMENT

Your email with this newsletter will indicate IF OUR RECORDS SHOW NO 2009 DUES PAYMENT

Refreshments

Last names **I** to **Q** please bring refreshments. There is a special drawing for those who bring food! $\stackrel{\wedge}{\Longrightarrow}$

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UPCOMING EVENTS

South Bay Orchid Society Spring Show & Sale The Art Of Orchids

Saturday, March 7, 2009

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Sales - 10:00am - 5:00pm

Show - 12am - 5:00pm

Sunday, March 8, 2009

Show & Sales - 10:00am - 5:00pm

Torrance Cultural Arts Center 3333 Civic Center Drive Torrance, CA 90503

Admission: \$5.00

For information: Marla Corey (310) 833-1918

marlacorey@sbcglobal.net

www.southbayorchidsociety.com/Show/index

San Diego County Orchid Society Show & Sale Around the World With Orchids Friday, March 13 from 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM Saturday, March 14 from 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM Sunday, March 15 from 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Tickets are \$6 at the door or \$5 with the SDCOS website coupon (www.sdorchids.com). Children under 12 are free.

Scottish Rite Center 1895 Camino Del Rio South San Diego CA 92108

For information: sdorchidshow@aol.com
www.sdorchids.com/www/shows

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The 64th Santa Barbara International Orchid Show
Theme "Orchid Escape"

March 20 — 22, 2009

Earl Warren Showgrounds Highway 101 & Los Positas Road 3400 Calle Real, Santa Barbara, CA 93105

For information: www.sborchidshow.com

20th Annual Southern California Spring Garden Show April 23-26, 2009

South Coast Plaza 3333 Bear Street Costa Mesa. CA

For information: www.springardenshow.com

SCOS Special May Meeting Orchid Repotting Workshop May 18, 2009 *

Presented by Barton Mozlin

Everyone will have an opportunity to repot or mount an orchid at our monthly meeting; there will be a small fee.

* **Note:** we meet the 3rd Monday because of Memorial Day

<u>Thanks</u> to Dr. Ron McHatton for an outstanding lecture at our February meeting. Dr. Ron McHatton is the Educational Director for the American Orchid Society. He discussed which Orchid Groups are suitable for growing out-of-doors in our Southern California environment and their basic requirements. Those present did not want him to stop talking and many wanted to know when he would be able to return in future. He had so much knowledge to share with the group. Hopefully we can get him to visit us again on one of his trips to the area. New members were also given an opportunity to join the AOS at a 50% discount with Norman's Orchids picking up the other 50% of the cost at this meeting.

<u>Thanks</u> to the following people for "babysitting" plants and supplies from various sources for the Plant Opportunity Table over the past few months: **Andy Tao, Dennis Mackewicz, John Reyes, Espie Quinn, Sam Hale, Butch Arciaga, Janell Schuck, Marilyn Paulson AND Russ Nichols.**

PLEASE WEAR YOUR SOCIETY NAME TAG WHEN YOU ATTEND THE UP COMING SHOWS.

LET THE VENDORS KNOW SOUTH COAST ORCHID SOCIETY MEMBERS ARE PATRONIZING THEM AND ARE APPRECIATIVE OF THEIR DONATIONS FOR OUR ANNUAL AUCTION.

Donations from the membership helps support the Society. These are greatly accepted for the monthly Plant Opportunity Table, Silent Auction and our Annual Auction in October. Keep this in mind as we approach repotting and dividing plants in your collection this spring. **Thanks** to the following members who donated plants to the Plant Opportunity table and Silent Auction in **February**: **Butch Arciaga**, **John Reyes**, **Nancy Wask**, **Bonnie Navens**, **Ruben Colemares and Janell Schuck**. **Hope we did not overlook anyone**.

South Coast Orchid Society Ribbon Judging Results February 23, 2009



Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

Zul. C Skinneri x Blc. Orange Nugget First Katherine Synstelien Lc. Magic Bell "Peach Parfait" Katherine Synstelien Second Lc. Sea Urchin Third Katherine Synstelien Cultural Pot. Tropical Orange "Apricosa" Katherine Synstelien

Dendrobium (Dendrobiinae Subtribe)

Dendrobium Speciosum First Janell & Harry Schuck Dendrobium Tarean Hilda Poxon x Star of Gold Second Katherine Synstelien Dendrobium Speciosum Windermere x Curvicaule "Misty Mountain" Third

Butch Arciaga

Dendrobium Speciosum Windermere x Curvicaule

"Misty Mountain" Cultural Butch Arciaga Cultural Dendrobium Essie Banks Espie Quinn

Phalaenopsis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)

First **Phalaenopsis** Sam Hale

Cultural Angraecum Sesquipedale **Ruben Colmenares**

Pleurothallid (Pleurothallidinae Subtribe)

First Masdevallia Veitchiana **Butch Arciaga** Second Masdevallia Copper Angel x Coccinia **Butch Arciaga** Masdevallia Pixie Lavendar "Falcon Sunrise" Third **Butch Arciaga**

Paph & Phrag (Cyprpedioideae Subfamily)

Paph. "Lowii "Young Tao" First Andy Tao First Paph. Provocation x Western Thunder **Butch Arciaga** Second Paph. Macabre Butch Arciaga Paph. Moque Tteanum x Hirsutissimun Second **Butch Arciaga** Paph. Aloria Nangle Third Butch Arciaga Phragmipedium besseae Third Larry Arakakis Cultural Paph. Lowii Butch Arciaga

Paph. Sara Jane Espie Quinn Paph. Chastity x Toulumne Meadows Cultural Espie Quinn Paph. Villosum Espie Quinn

Other Genera

First Lycaste Shoalhaven **Butch Arciaga** Second Lycaste Absolutely Stunning x Shoalhaven **Butch Arciaga** Third Lycaste Shoalhaven Alba **Butch Arciaga** Culture Cochleanthes Chondroryncha Tina St Paul

Cymbidium

| First | Cym. Mary Green "Spring Wind" | Espie Quinn |
|--------|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Second | Cym. Rincon Clarisse | Butch Arciaga |
| Third | Cym. Sarah Jean "Ice Cascades" | Marylyn Paulson |

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MONDAY, March 23rd

Meeting at Whaley Park Clubhouse

Meeting Starts at 7:00 p.m.



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