

The INFLORESCENCE

"Orchids for Amateurs"

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**It's Showtime
Bring Your
Blooming
Beauties!**

**Our Fall Show will be
September 15th & 16th, 2018**

**A BEAUTIFUL ROOM, FRIENDLY WORKERS, AMAZING
FLOWERS! JOIN THE FUN AND HELP OUT AT OUR SHOW!**



September President's Message by Arthur Hazboun

This month I'm tripling my duties with the society: president, show chair, and webmaster. Our show is on September 15 and 16 at the South Coast Botanic Garden. We still have some volunteer positions and time slots available. Please volunteer to help out with any position you feel comfortable with. Contact Larry Bergen if you can help on Saturday or Charlie Brown for helping on Sunday. The more people we have the less work each of us has to do and it will make for a more enjoyable experience. The show helps us to continue as a society and enables us to pay our rental fees, speakers, monthly plant tables, events, shows, and insurance. Support, volunteer, and help. It's fun and rewarding. **Please bring food to help feed our hungry volunteers and vendors.** If you're willing to help out in the kitchen contact Helen Miyake. We also need clean empty cardboard boxes and newspapers for our plant hotel. Contact numbers are listed in the newsletter. Please support and thank the following vendors, which we have scheduled for this year's event:

Asbell Orchids
Lico Orchids
Marcel's Orchids
Orchids and Gardens
Ricardo's Nursery
Sorella Orchids
Zuma Canyon Orchids
Mr. Fertilizer

Set up: is scheduled for September 14 at 10am. If you can assist with moving supplies and show items from storage please contact Larry or Marcy Bergen (310) 326-5405. We will start arranging tables in the courtyard, hall, and classrooms. The more people we have the faster the job will go and put less stress on everyone. Our thanks to the South Coast Botanic Garden staff for putting up our shade cloth in the courtyard.

Plant registration: starts in the hall at 4pm on Sept. 14 and continues till 9pm. We hope you can bring in your clean, disease and pest free, blooming orchid plants for show judging and trophy competition. Clean, inspect, and label your plants ahead of time before bringing them in. Put your name and phone number on the bottom of the plant/pot.

This is the registration link:

http://www.southbayorchidsociety.com/Show/Show_Judging_Entry_Slip_01.pdf

and this is the plant classification link:

http://www.southbayorchidsociety.com/Show/Show_Judging_Entry_Slip_01.pdf

REMEMBER TO WEAR YOUR SBOS NAME BADGE PROUDLY WHEN YOU'RE VOLUNTEERING AND WORKING AT THE SHOW

How Do I Prepare A PLANT TO BE IN A SHOW?

- Check for 'Critters'; ants, scale, mealy bugs, and eliminate them.
- Stake the flower spike to support a fully open inflorescence or flower.
- Carefully wipe or wash leaves to remove any collected dirt or debris.
- Remove if possible, any dried sheaths.
- Trim off any injured or drying leaves or pseudo bulbs and remove them.
- Shine plant leaves with a cotton ball and a mixture of ½ milk & ½ water
- Clean off any debris on mix (bark) surface.
- Remove keikis (new baby plants) as necessary – give extras to your friends or pot them up to donate.
- Insert pot inside a larger pot to stabilize the plant and keep it from tipping over (no fancy pots or decorative pots please)
- Step back to see what detracts (spider webs? dirt on pot?) and remedy the problem.
- Label your pots with your name and address (use a self stick address label and place it on the bottom of your pot).



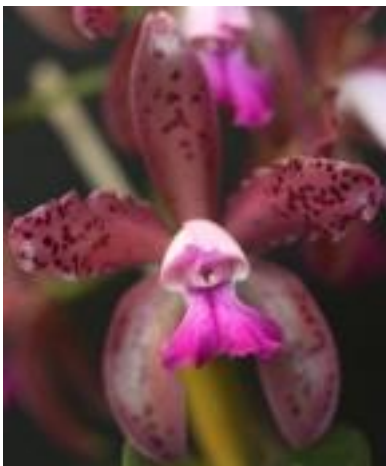
C. Leopoldii 'Super Spot' X



Blc.. Sarah Palin 'Governor'



Atc. Cedar Creek 'Chocolate' X



Lc. Cinnamon Stick 'Hot Spot'



Gptrr. Black Knight 'Buxom'

It's Membership Renewal Time!

Happy New Year! It is the beginning of the new SBOS fiscal year and time to renew your membership! Here is a link to the form [SBOS Renewal Form](#):

<http://www.southbayorchidsociety.com/SBOS%20Renewal%20Form%202017.pdf>

There is no change in the fees this year. It is still \$20 if you have a single membership and \$25 if you have a membership for a household (2 or more people). If you want the newsletter mailed via USPS, it is an additional \$10.00. You may send the form and your renewal fee to Charlotte Morrison at the address listed on the form, or better yet, bring the form to the show on Sept. 15th & 16th. We would love to see you there! Bring your friends, neighbors, co-workers. Advertise the show for the society. Remember the great benefits you get from being a member:

- ◆ Learn about collecting, growing, and repotting from our monthly meetings' cultural sessions
- ◆ Listen and ask questions of local, national and internationally recognized orchid experts and their fabulous photographs, techniques, and presentations
- ◆ Rub elbows with your fellow orchid enthusiast members, ask questions, exchange ideas and learn from each other
- ◆ Win ribbon awards for bringing your own orchids to the meetings; year-end winners receive a subscription to Orchid Digest or plant raffle tickets.
- ◆ Take home fabulous orchids at unbelievable prices through our monthly silent auctions
- ◆ Win orchid plants by participating in our monthly orchid raffle



Encyl. Renate Schmidt
X Encyl. aspera



Ondocidium Wildcat
Green Valley



Miltonia spectabilis



← ← Zygo. Mackii

Ribbon Judging Results for August 2018

Speaker's Choice

Scaphosepalum verrucosum

Jim Hoyle

Advanced Amateur

Cattleya:

1st Blc. Waianae Leopard 'Ching Hua'

David West

2nd C. bowringiana var coerulea

Braulio Mena

Dendrobium:

1st Den. amabile

Bernadette Nazareno

Other Genera:

1st Encyl. Renate Schmidt x Encyl. aspera

Kathy Synstelien

2nd Scaphosepalum verrucosum

Jim Hoyle

3rd Darwinara

David West

Amateur

Other Genera:

1st Miltonia spectabilis

Charlotte Morrison

Blc. Waianae Leopard
'Ching Hua'



Speaker's Choice
Scaphosepalum verrucosum
Grown by Jim Hoyle



Den. amabile

**Fascination of Orchids
International Show & Sale**
SEP 29 & 30, 2018 10 am to 5 pm
South Coast Plaza Village
1621 West Sunflower
Santa Ana CA 92704
Exhibits - Seminars - Sales

Experience the Beauty
& the Fragrances of
Thousands of Exotic
Orchids from many
Different Lands

Learn how Local
Enthusiasts Grow,
Bloom & Show
Beautiful Orchids

Admission &
Close-In Parking
are FREE

More Information
ocorchid.com
(949) 416-0505

**Orchid Show
and Sale**
September 15 & 16
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

Congratulations

Congratulations to our two recipients for their AOS Certificates of Appreciation awards:

Karen Low



Charles Brown



**Our future membership meetings are held
at the South Coast Botanic Garden**

- **September 14 (Show Setup)**
- **September 15 – 16 Fall show**
- **October 19 (3rd Friday)**

- ❖ **Cultural sessions start 7PM**
- ❖ **General meetings start 8PM
at South Coast Botanic Garden**

**The next board meeting will be
September 18**

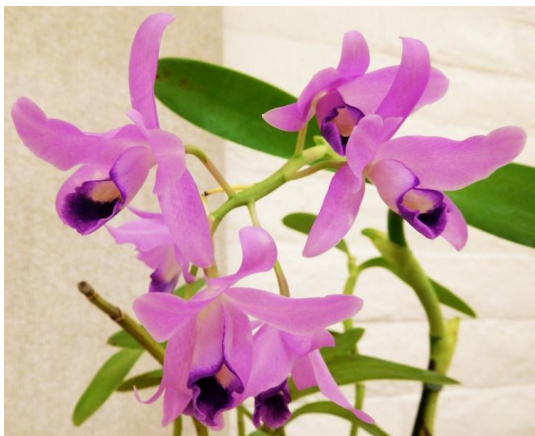
Call 310-995-1592 for more information

South Coast Botanic Garden Foundation

- **September 15 & 16 SBOS Orchid
Show & Sale Sat. 9 AM – 5 PM
Sunday 9 AM – 4 PM**

Please support our host, the South Coast Botanic Garden Foundation for any of these educational and fun filled events. For more information and verification of hours and events, visit their website

<http://www.southcoasbotanicgarden.org>



C. Boweringiana var coerulea

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info: <http://www.southbayorchidsociety.com>

September 29 - 30, 2018 Fascination of Orchids International Show and Sale
South Coast Plaza Village, 1621 W. Sunflower, Santa Ana (across from South Coast Plaza)
10 AM— 5 PM Info: <http://www.ocorchidshow.com>

October 6 & 7, 2018 Morongo Basin Orchid Festival info: <http://www.Gublers.com>

October 5 – 7, 2018 Andy’s Orchids Fall Open House 734 Ocean View Ave.,
Encinitas 10 AM – 4 PM Info: <http://www.andysorchids.com>

October 19 – 21, 2018 The Huntington Library, Art Galleries and Botanical
Gardens, San Marino Info: <http://www.huntington.org/orchidshow> 10 AM – 5 PM

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