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Grown by Larry Bergen

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June President's Message

by Charlotte Morrison

Happy almost Summer to all of you! I hope you and your families are doing well and are beginning to enjoy our emerging freedom. I know I am.

A little club news: Christine Hough agreed to become our new Treasurer and the board unanimously approved this selection. Welcome and thank you, Christine! Larry Bergen recently had surgery and is recovering at home. We wish you a speedy recovery, Larry! We recently received news that our long term member, Paul Tamae, passed away earlier this year. Our sympathies go out to his family. We will miss his friendliness and fun personality. AOS awarded Certificates of Appreciation to two of our members this year. See later in the newsletter for those details.

We have not heard anything about when the Garden is going to open up to group functions again, but as soon as we do, we will let you know. I would hope it would be soon after June 15th when state restrictions are eased, but it is still an unknown at this time. It will be so great to see all of you in person again once we get the go-ahead to meet.

Please continue to send photos to Marcy Bergen for publication in the newsletter and/or post them on our Facebook site, so that we can all enjoy your plants. It is a great way to stay connected and share your successes.

Continue to take care and I hope to see you soon.

Charlotte Morrison

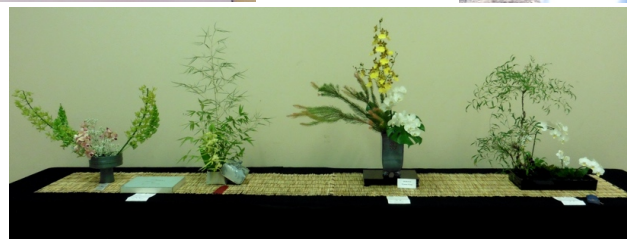
In Memory of Paul Kazuo Tamae

Born 10/17/1947



It is with great sadness that we announce the death of Paul Kazuo Tamae in Torrance, California, who passed away on February 1, 2021. Paul Kazuo Tamae, was a 73-year-old, Veteran of the Vietnam War, Fukuoka, Japan-born Sansei. He is survived by his wife, Hide Tamae; son, William Tamae; also survived by brother, sisters, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Paul joined our society in October of 2010. He was a gentle man with a great sense of humor. Paul assisted the club with our orchid shows. Paul studied Ikebana and brought flower arrangements to our shows. We will greatly miss this kind man.





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Upcoming Webinars [AOS.ORG](http://www.aos.org)

What Make a Good Orchid Show Exhibit? With Marc Burchette
Tuesday, June 8th 8:30 PM EST AOS members only

Greenhouse Chat with Ron McHatton Thursday, June 17th
8:30 PM EST

open to everyone Send in your questions and pictures by June 15th to
greenhousechat@aos.org

Greenhouse Chat with Ron McHatton Tuesday, July 6th
8:30 PM EST

open to everyone Send in your questions and pictures by July 3rd to
greenhousechat@aos.org

**Cyrtorchilums: Dancing Ladies of the High Andes With Dr. Leslie Ee,
ND** Thursday, July 15th 8:30 PM EST AOS Members only

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: <http://www.aos.org/orchids/webinars.aspx>

AOS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

AFFILIATED SOCIETY BONUS - EARN AOS MEMBERSHIP EXTENSIONS FOR YOUR SOCIETY

Affiliated Societies can earn a one-month extension on their AOS society membership for each new individual AOS member they recruit. If you start now, with twelve new AOS members, your Affiliated Society can obtain a FULL FREE YEAR OF AOS membership! Be sure and advise new members to note their society affiliation in the comments section online at checkout or on the [printed membership form](#).

<https://www.aos.org/AOS/media/Content-Images/PDFs/AOSJoinForm2020.pdf>

AOS Representatives, please remember to let your society members know that we want to sweeten the deal and give them every possible reason to [join the AOS today!](#) Once they become an American Orchid Society member, they have considerably more resources available to help make orchid growing enjoyable and successful. <https://secure.aos.org/store/register-renew>

Congratulations to our AOS "Certificate of Appreciation" recipients

The American Orchid Society affiliated society program awards these certificates to valued society members deserving of extra special recognition for their continued service and commitment to the society. Here are this year's winners:



Joe Woods' certificate was presented to Joe's family posthumously at Joe's recent memorial service.



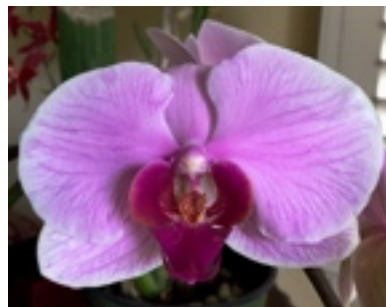
Grown by David West



LV98 Blc Yen Corona
'Green Genius' X Green
with red Flare



Cym. Dancing Mother 'Kotone'



Phal. Tinny Honey
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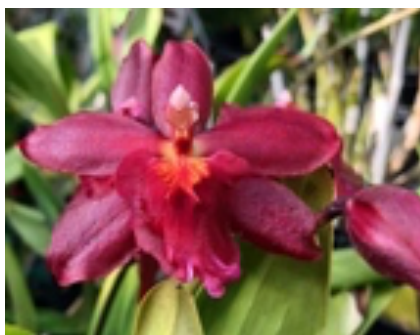
Grown by Arthur Hazboun



Epi. Ice Castle



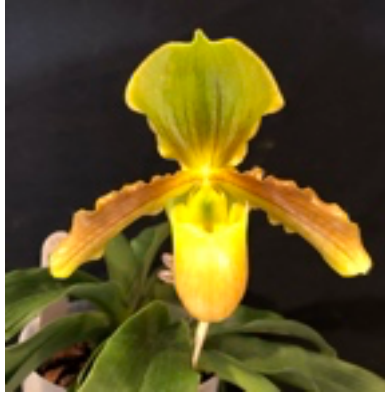
Max tenuifolia



Wilsonara Fueo 'Ideal'



Bc. Ports of Paradise 'Green Ching Hua' AM / AOS



Primulinum X Honda Hall 'Gold Plate'



Cym. Appleby 'Royal Sunrise'



Lycaste 'aromatica'



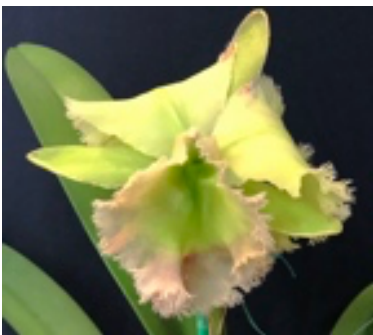
Sarcochilas Sweetheart 'Edith' X Enid 'Hercules'



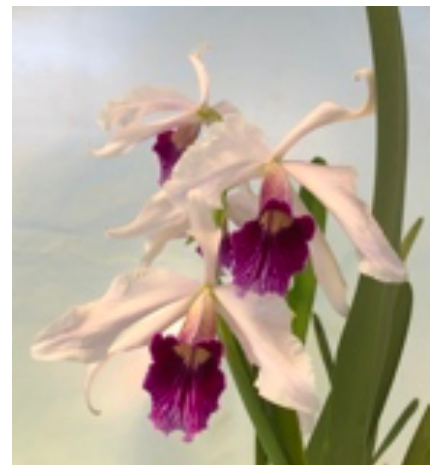
Maxillariella tenuifolia



Cym. Pepper's Fire 'Fiesta'



Bc. Golf Green 'Hair Pig'



L. Purpurata Ibron HCC/AOS X Treasures of Carpenteria

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

- **CANCELLED TILL 2021**
- ◇ **Cultural sessions start 7PM**
- ◇ **General Meetings start 8PM**

The next board meeting will be decided at a later date

Call 310-316-8193 for more Information

South Coast Botanic Garden Foundation

A Reminder to Garden Members and Guests

While the Garden remains open as an outdoor venue, all events have been cancelled. Masks and reservations are required. We are strictly adhering to the social distancing rules so we ask that you keep the required physical distance from other visitors. And if you are feeling ill, please postpone your visit.

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://southcoastbotanicgarden.org>

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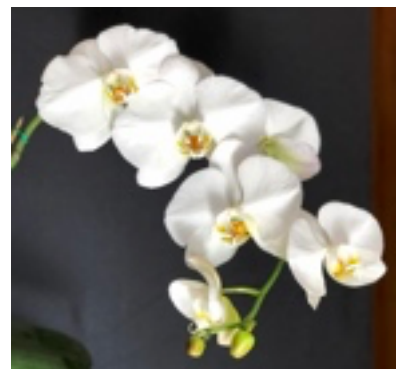
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OUR NEXT MEETING WILL BE IN 2021



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