



ORCHIDS AWEIGH

Newsletter of the NEWPORT HARBOR ORCHID SOCIETY

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July 2017

President's Message

July is always my favorite meeting of the year! Not only is it a special evening to thank the past board members and welcome the new board members — President **Valerie Sanders**, 1st VP **Marilyn Bauer** and new Board Member **Julie Ford** — it is also a night to relax and enjoy a magical evening under the stars with friends.

Our installation dinner is being hosted at **Michael Miranda's** home on Tuesday, July 18th. The food is ALWAYS delicious and Michael's garden is such a beautiful setting! Since our culinary king, **Phil Duke**, recently traveled to Cuba, we are enjoying a fun Cuban cuisine this year.

Please be sure to check out the newsletter to see what potluck item to bring. It's always fun to see what everyone "cooks up". We will also have judging awards and orchid raffle prizes! Bring a friend to enjoy the evening. PS: Michael REALLY wants everyone to hang around and relax after dinner.

Ron DeWilde had Peter Lin speak at our June meeting. I was sorry I missed it due to an illness, but I heard it was amazing. A BIG THANK YOU to Ron DeWilde, 1st VP, for finding such great speakers this year.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at our Fifth Annual Summer Exotic Plant and Orchid Festival at the Westminster Mall, from Friday July 28 through Sunday, July 30. The planning committee has been hard at work and this should be a GREAT summer show! Please come and support our vendors: invite friends, spread the word and buy some exotic plants!

I wanted to take a moment to thank all the NHOS Officers, Board Members and quiet helpers from the last year:

Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month

Culture Class at 7:00 p.m.
General Meeting at 7:45 p.m.

1st VP **Ron DeWilde** for all the efforts getting speakers, plants for the raffles, culture classes, t-shirt designs, etc., etc.; 2nd VP Auction Lead and Welcome Committee: **Joe and Anne Rupp**; Secretary **Rosemary Krumme** and lots of support from her husband, **Joe Krumme**; Membership Guru **Laura Perry**; All things that get done behind the scenes, **Richard and Lily Hara**; Show Leader **Ha Bui** and Webmaster **Vanessa Bui**; Expo and Board Support Buddies **Elisabeth Hau**, **Bill MacCorkell**, **Judy Dahl** and **Margaret Nerio**; Host with the Most **Michael Miranda**; Chef **Phil Duke**; Raffle Kings **Rick Wells**, **Bob Latimer**, and **Guy Gottschalk**; The support of **Tom Harrison** for all things "official"; Photographer **Tina Coombe**; Newsletter Editor **Paula Butler** (and **John Butler** for orchid classes at our shows); **Christine Aschan** for Newsletter Design; **Jan Hennessey** for the extra mile on updating the by-laws; Special occasion helpers **Rose Nakabara** and **Kay Firebaugh** and all the others who don't take credit!; Monthly Show and Tell and Yearly Auctioneer **Merle Robboy**; Librarian **Barbara Livingston**; Orchid Tour Hosts **Dana and Kathy Seelig**, **Richard Hess**, and **John and Paula Butler**; **Winn and Chitsaya Winmaw** for all their support on the boards and at the shows!; **Roberta Fox** for bringing in her beautiful plants every month and not taking judging points; **Norito Hasegawa** for his support in getting our great speakers (and his chauffeur, **Richard Wulff**); Monthly orchid judges **Lynn Wiand** and many who have been mentioned before!

Whew! There are also so many members who wear multiple hats and more wonderful members who work hard behind-the-scenes and at our shows — you're efforts are appreciated!

As I reflect on the last two years serving as the NHOS President, I've come to respect all the people behind the scenes that make each meeting successful (and fun!), and I've come to admire the talented orchid growers we have in our society. I'm humbled by everyone's kindness and generosity with their time, energy and talents.

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**See You in
C - U - B - A
(via Costa Mesa!)**

**Annual Installation
and Awards Banquet**

Tuesday, July 18, 2017

**At the home of
Michael Miranda
356 Costa Mesa Street
Costa Mesa, CA 92627
949-650-5142**

**6:30 p.m.
Cocktails and Appetizers**
**7:00 p.m.
Buffet Dinner**

Cuban Cuisine

Only \$10 per person

**Please bring a dish
(serving eight people) to
share**

Last name A-F Dessert
Last name G-O Appetizer
Last name P-Z Salad or Side Dish

The NHOS will provide water and soft drinks. Please bring your own beer and wine.

**Join your fellow Orchid
fans for food and fun!**

Note: Owing to the Installation Banquet, there will be no speaker, no dinner with the speaker, no culture class, and no refreshments this month.



Newport Harbor Orchid Society
Presents

**SUMMER
EXOTIC PLANT
AND ORCHID
FESTIVAL**

Friday, July 28 10 am - 9 pm
Saturday, July 29 10 am - 9 pm
Sunday, July 30 11 am - 6 pm

Westminster Mall
1025 Westminster Mall
Westminster, CA

Free Admission & Parking
for more information: www.nhosinfo.org



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NHOS Fifth Annual Summer Exotic Plant & Orchid Festival July 28, 29, 30, 2017

Once again the NHOS Summer Exotic Plant and Orchid Festival is rapidly approaching. It is just three weeks away, July 28-30, at the Westminster Mall. Parking and admission are free. The mall is handicapped accessible and easy to reach from the 405 freeway.

Many of our favorite vendors and some new ones will be selling exotic plants and orchids. There will also be a bonsai display and art exhibit. Please, everyone come and invite your friends, neighbors, co-workers, and families to come to the festival.

Festival Hours:

Friday, July 28 10 am-9 pm
Saturday, July 29 10 am-9 pm
Sunday, July 30 11 am-6 pm

Members who plan to sell their orchids in the Member Sales Booth are required to work at least one shift in the booth. Please contact Ann Rupp at 949-320-5155 if you are planning to sell so she can schedule you.

To make the Exotic Plant and Orchid Festival a huge success again this year, we need all of you wonderful and loyal volunteers to sign-up. There are very many of you, and we thank you for volunteering in the past.

Please contact Rosemary Krumme at Rosegk@verizon.net or 714-892-2278 if you are able to volunteer.

We need volunteers as follows:

Wed, July 26, 6 pm-9pm

For set-up.

Thurs, July 27, 8 am-8 pm

At information desk for vendor set up. Three-hour shifts.

Fri, July 28, 10 am-9 pm

For information desk/plant hotel.

Sat, July 29, 10 am-9 pm

For information desk/plant hotel.

Sun, July 30: 11 am-6 pm

For information desk/plant hotel.

Sun, July 30: 6 pm-9 pm

For cleanup.

Rosemary Krumme
NHOS Annual Summer Exotic Plant & Orchid Festival Committee

Membership Corner

Thanks to all of you who have bundles of blue tickets. We are in a good place with membership renewals. Just assume that if you haven't paid up you OWE, either \$20.00 for a single membership or \$25 for a double. Got that?

Spare me a call or email, please. Laura Perry, 1412 Priscilla Lane, Newport Beach, CA 92660 for checks made out to NHOS.

See you at the banquet. Raffle tickets at August meeting. Tired of this? Pungle up, please. You understand that term?

Laura Perry
Membership Chairman

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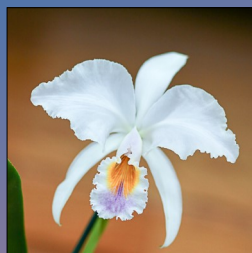
Thank you to everyone for stepping up and helping out where needed. We found a beautiful new facility to have our meetings, updated the by-laws, had successful orchid shows, auctions and continued our legacy as a serious but fun orchid society. It's true... you come for the orchids and stay for the friends.

See you Tuesday, July 18th at our installation dinner!

Sincerely,

Darla Miller
NHOS President





*June
Blooms!*



2017 June Judging Results

GENUS	FIRST PLACE	SECOND PLACE	THIRD PLACE	JUDGES
POINTS	5 points	3 points	1 point	
CATTLEYA	L. purpurata v. carnea 'Bion' Espie Quinn	C. gaskelliana v. coerulea X sibling Rosemary Krumme	L. purpurata Michael Miranda	Joe Rupp
CYMBIDIUM	Cym. Devon Railway 'New Horizon' 4w Merle Robboy	Ctsm. tenebrous X Ctsm. denticulate Bill MacCorkell	No Entry	Roberta Fox
DENDROBIUM	Den. unicum Lynn S. Wiand	Den. tanii Merle Robboy	Den. violaceum Ron DeWilde	Dave Smith
EPIDENDRUM	Enc. mooreana X Standard Setter Lynn S. Wiand	Enc. braziliensis Lynn S. Wiand	Epi. Green Hornet 'SVO' Kayoko Nebrig	Kay Firebaugh
MAXILLARIEAE	Lyc. deppei X Lyc. aromatica Espie Quinn	Max. tenuifolia Lynn S. Wiand	Zygo. intermedium Van Anne Phan	Janell Schuck
ONCIDIUM	Cochlioda noezliana Lynn S. Wiand	Brassidium unknown Espie Quinn	Oncidium papilio Michael Friend	Joe Rupp
PAPHIOPEDILUM	Paph. Sandler's Pride Joe Rupp	Paph. Toni Semple	Paph. Julius Lynn S. Wiand	Bill MacCorkell
PHALAENOPSIS	Phal. Unknown Joe Rupp	Phal. (pink) Earl Hare	Phal. mariae Van Anne Pham	Roberta Fox
PLEUROTHALLID	No Entry	No Entry	No Entry	
VANDA	Mystacidium capense Espie Quinn	Ascocentrum christensonianum Kayoko Nebrig	Ren. Scarlet Yuda Kay Firebaugh	Lynn S. Wiand
MISCELLANEOUS	Bubo. farrerii Ron DeWilde	No Entry	No Entry	Lynn S. Wiand
POINTS	3 points	2 points	1 point	
NOVICE	L.C. Canhamiana var. 'coerulea' Barbara Lamb	Phaleonopsis unknown Julie Ford	L. purpurata var. carnea Julie Ford	Judy Smith
CULTURAL AWARD WINNER—7 points	Laelia purpurata var. carnea 'Bron	Espie Quinn		Peter Lim



Mark Your Calendars...



July 7-9 (Friday-Sunday): Andy's Orchids Annual Summer Open House. 734 Ocean View Ave., Encinitas, CA. More information: <http://www.AndysOrchids.com>.

July 14-16 (Friday-Sunday): Cal-Orchid's Summer Hummer! 1251 Orchid Drive, Santa Barbara, CA 93111. 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Guest vendors from Australia, Japan, Colombia. Neofinetia Falcata Show and Judging on July 15 (see details on website). More information: 805-967-1312 or <http://www.calorchid.com>.

July 22-23 (Saturday-Sunday): Ecuagenera Orchids from Ecuador. San Francisco Orchid Society "Orchids in the Park". Preorder deadline July 6th. More information: www.ecuagenera.com.

July 28-30 (Friday-Sunday): Summer Exotic Plant and Orchid Festival 2017. Westminster Mall, 1025 Westminster Mall, Westminster, CA. More information: <http://nhosinfo.org/events>.

Check out our NHOS website for the latest information on orchid and other botanical events: <http://nhosinfo.org/events/>.



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