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Santa Cruz Orchid Society Newsletter March/April 2019

Next Meeting - April 12, 7:30 pm

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April Program

For our April 12 meeting, Scott Collins will be talking about "Parvisepalum Paphiopedilums (slipper orchids), Mysteries of the Orient." The talk will trace the species in the group back to their geographical locations. As we look at them, we will discuss their cultural requirements. We will also look at the hybrids made from these species both within and out of the Parvisepalum group. Their beautiful leaves and compact size make them desirable even when not in bloom.



Refreshments

Refreshments this month will be provided by Michael Scott, Robert Benevides, Bridget Binko, Lucy Ferneyhough, Linda Locatelli. Thank you and don't forget to get your free raffle ticket!

Opportunity Table

Scott will provide the opportunity table.

New Members

Welcome to our new members. Most joined at the Show and Sale. We look forward to meeting them at an upcoming meeting!!

Wayne Crabb

Marc Zammit

Luz Dunn

Tomi Van Eeghen

Sharon Lucchesi

Jaimy Myers

Maria Sandoval

Linda Wilson

Rita McCarthy and Cyrus Olingamccarthy
and Cassandra Windju

Show and Sale

Thank you from the Co-chairs

What a fantastic show and sale we had this year! We could not have done it without the help of all the volunteers, members and non-members, vendors and AOS judges. Special thanks to Peter Shaw and Heather Blume at Cabrillo who worked with us to get the venue and provided onsite support during the event.

Despite the rain, we had over 1000 people attend! Return customers from the previous shows at Soquel High School complimented our new venue as did the many new visitors who had never attended our shows in the past. Our vendors provided a wonderful array of diverse flowering and non-flowering orchids to satisfy the novice as well as the more seasoned orchidists.

Of course all the attendees had to find out about the event somehow. Lucy Ferneyhough was responsible for Publicity which was one of the most important and key components in making the event a success. She contacted local newspapers, set up social media notices and ads including Facebook, created the poster, ordered publicity materials, contacted radio stations and numerous other groups. A huge thank you to Lucy for doing a fantastic job to get the word out!

The show display designed by Frank Baptista was stunning with the number of orchids entered exceeding our expectations! Thanks to Scott Collins and Brandon Dicochea for organizing the AOS judging. AOS awards were received by members Kathleen Whettam, Frank Baptista, and Jeff Tyler from In Situ Orchids.

Our volunteers, judges and vendors were able to relax and recharge thanks to the fantastic food provided by Kimberly Dawn Findley. The event participants savored the delicious, homemade taco bar on Saturday and the tasty nachos/taco salad on Sunday. Thank you, Kimberly, for such an awesome and professionally presented south-of-the-border feast!

The sale would not have happened without the participation of our vendors who provided a wide selection of interesting orchids and amazing color while also taking a chance supporting the society's move to a new location. Thank you to them and Vicky Smith who spent many hours selecting, communicating and negotiating with the vendors. We received so many positive comments on our selection of vendors!

A big thank you to the Whettam's, Scott Collins, and Amy Jacobson who donated plants to the society to sell.

And finally, all of this could not have happened without the numerous volunteers who sacrificed so much of their weekend time devoted to the event. We hope we got everyone and apologize if we missed you: Lillian and Mike Derrigan, Fred Valentine, Roger Findley, Frank Baptista, Renae Logston, Ken Wagner, Bruce Hill, Vicky and Wayne Smith, John Matter, Patrick Jagger, John Kramarz, Gordon Lion, Danielle Muir, Bridget Binko, Brandon Dicochea, Scott Collins, Andy Cameron, Marilyn Cantlay, Babette Scott, Marnie and Mary Goodfriend, Lee Taiz, David Kurtz, Kathy Wood, Kathleen and Terry Whettam, Sonya Weininger, Shirleen Ghileri, Caroline Henton, Cheryl Dougan, Andee Allan, Colleen Sepulveda, Liz Picco, and Mary Gist.

This year was a great learning experience and hope we have the opportunity to do it again next year.

Thanks again everyone!

Cheri Wagner
Linda Locatelli
Co-Chairs 2019 Show and Sale

AOS Awards 2019

PLANT	AWARD	EXHIBITOR
Paph. Milenium 'Xico's' AM/AOS	81 pts.	Francisco Baptista
Onc. La Hougue Bie 'Honeylocust' HCC/AOS	78 pts.	Kathleen Whettam
Epigenium acuminatum 'In Situ' CCM/AOS	83 pts.	Jeff Tyler
Clo. Rebecca Northen 'Jeff's Baby' CCE/AOS	90 pts.	Jeff Tyler

Trophies Awarded at Santa Cruz Orchid Society Show 2 March 2019

PLANT	AWARD	EXHIBITOR
Clowesia Rebecca Northen	Best of Show	Jeff Tyler
Dendrobium Star Imp	Judges' Choice	Jeff Tyler
Cymbidium sp.	Beginner	Lillian Derrigan
Coel. Jasmine Banks 'Snow White'	Intermediate	Terry Whettam
	Advanced	
Clowesia Rebecca Northen	Specimen	Jeff Tyler
Blc. Yen Corona 'Green Genius'	Beg/Int Cattleya Alliance	Cheri wagner
Cymbidium sp.	Beg/Int Cymbidium	Lillian Derrigan
	Beg/Int Cyripedium Alliance	
Dendrobium falcorostrum	Beg/Int Dendrobium Alliance	Bruce Hill
Colmanara Massai Red	Beg/Int Oncidium Alliance	Lillian Derrigan
Masdevallia triangularis	Beg/Int Pleurothallid Alliance	Terry Whettam
Coel. Jasmine Banks 'Snow White'	Beg/Int Coelogyne Alliance	Terry Whettam
	Beg/Int Maxillaria Alliance	
	Beg/Int Misc. & Other Genera	
	Beg/Int Arrangement/Corsage	
Phal. Formosa Dream 'Wilson'	Beg/Int Phalaenopsis	Mike & Isabelle Scott
Cattleya jenmanii	Adv/Com Cattleya Alliance	Kimberly Dawn
Cymbidium erythraeum	Adv/Com Cymbidium	Linda Locatelli
Paphiopedilum Chiu Hua Dancer	Adv/Com Cyripedium Alliance	Angelic Nguyen
Dendrobium Star Imp	Adv/Com Dendrobium Alliance	Jeff Tyler
Miltoniopsis Renee Komoda	Adv/Com Maxillaria Alliance	Angelic Nguyen
Vanda javiarae	Adv/Com Vanda Alliance	Angelic Nguyen
Coel.mooreana 'Brockhurst' FCC/AOS	Adv/Com Pleurothallid Alliance	Vicky Smith
Maxillaria Rene Biggs	Adv/Com Maxillaria Alliance	Patrick Jagger
Bulbophyllum violaceum	Adv/Com Misc. & Other Genera	Kimberly Dawn
Erika Savage	Adv/Com Arrangement/Corsage	Erika Savage
Phalaenopsis schilleriana	Adv/Com Phalaenopsis	Angelic Nguyen

Upcoming Events

March 29-31, 2019: San Joaquin Orchid Society Annual Show, Sherwood Mall, 5308 Pacific Ave., Stockton, CA

March 30-31, 2019: Sonoma Orchid Society Educational Orchid Exposition & Sale. 1351 Maple Ave., Santa Rosa, Ca. Sat. 10 am – 5 pm. Sun. 10 am – 4 pm.

April 6-7, 2019: Malihini Orchid Society Orchid Sale and Culture Demo. 19479 Stevens Creek Blvd., Ste 110, Cupertino, CA

April 13-14, 2019: Sacramento Orchid Society Show “Dreaming of Orchids,” Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 H St., Sacramento, CA

April 13-14, 2019: Gold Coast Cymbidium Growers Show and Sale, Saturday and Sunday 10

AM to 4 PM. 1400 Roosevelt Avenue, Redwood City, CA. Set-Up and Plant entry Friday April 12, 10:00 AM – 6 PM. CSA and AOS judging 8:00 AM Saturday. For information contact Bill Weaver, show Chair: 408-245-7179.



Orchid Education

Here are some good tips from Thomas Mirenda. [Monthly Checklist for March.](#)

AOS corner

Visit this link to view prerecorded webinars available to everyone (including nonmembers) at [Webinars.](#)

Photo Gallery - Show Display

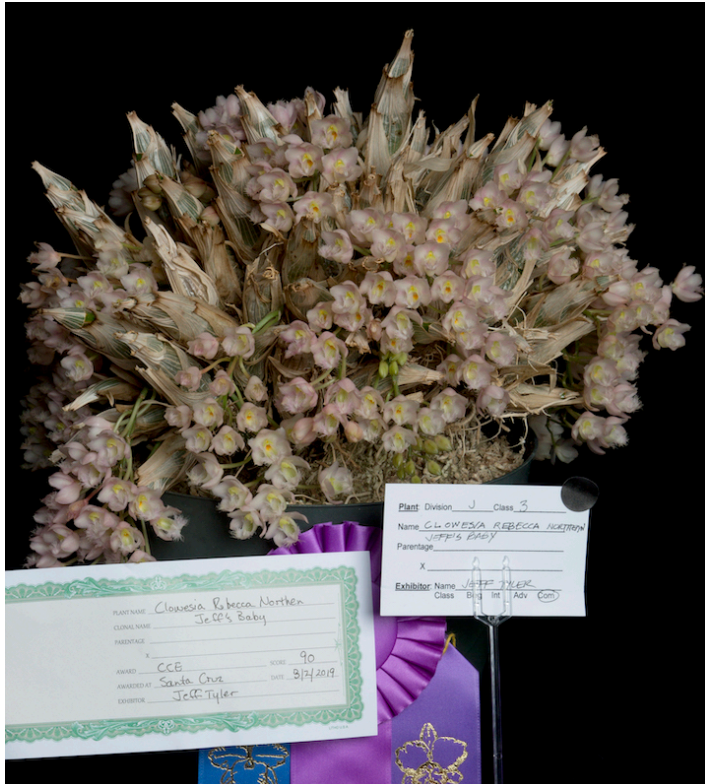
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Photo Gallery - AOS awards and Best Of

Photos by Fred Valentine and Patrick Jagger



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Jeff Tyler



Dendrobium Star Imp
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Coel. Jasmine Banks 'Snow White'
Terry Whettam



Cymbidium
Lillian Derrigan



Paph. delenatii Var. *alba*
Scott Collins



Blc. Yen Corona 'Green genius'
Cheri Wagner



Milt. Rene Komoda 'Pacific Clouds'

Angelic Nuygen - Orchid Design



Colmanara 'Masai Red'

Kimberley Dawn Findley



Phal. Formosa Dream 'Wilson'

Mike Scott



Masd. triangular

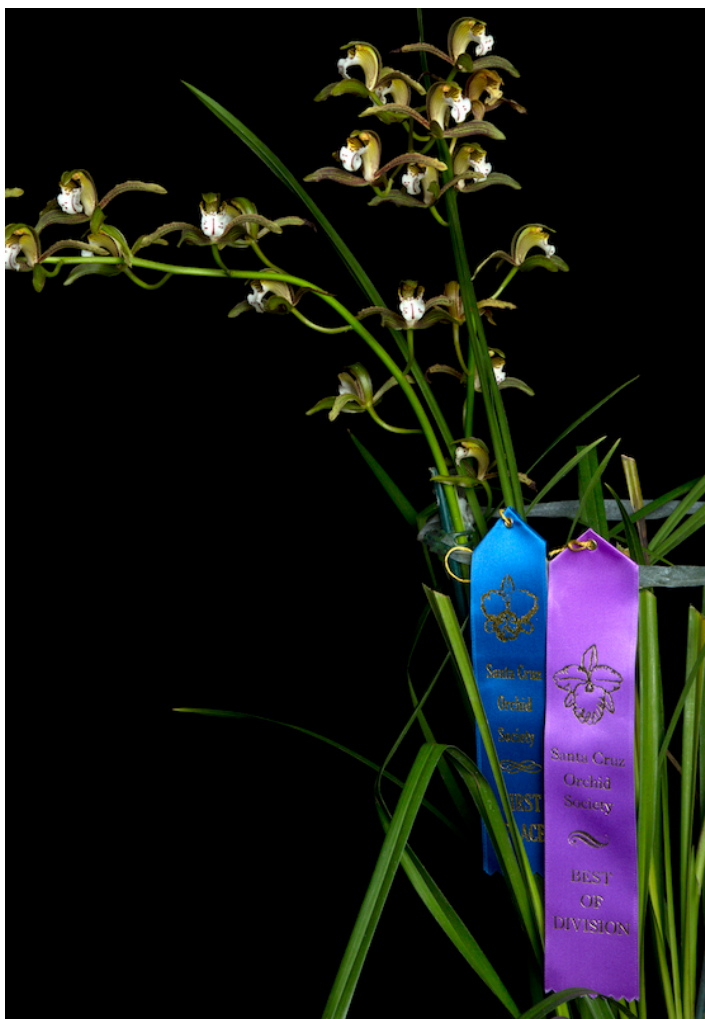
Terry Whettam



Cat. jenmanii anato
Kimberley Dawn Findley



Oda. 'Fancy Brass' x 'Eric Young'
Terry Whettam



Cym. erythraeum
Linda Locatelli



Coelogyne Mooreana
'Brookhurst'

Brandon Dicochea



Phal. schilleriana
Orchid Design



Masd. Ignea
Vicky Smith



Vanda javiarae



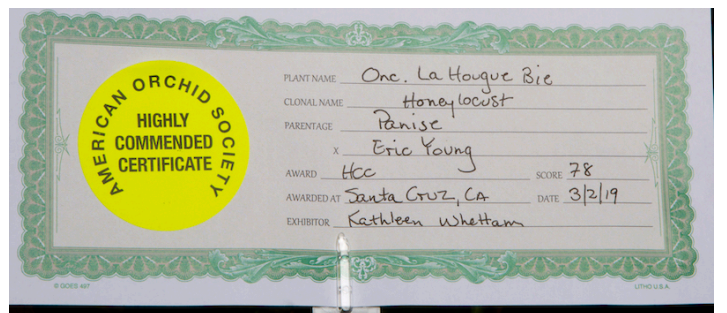
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Vicky Smith



Paph. millenium

Frank Baptista



AOS Award

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Jeff Tyler - In Situ Orchids



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Maxillaria 'Rene Biggs'
Patrick Jagger



Vanda javiarae



Bulb. violaceum

Kimberly Dawn Findley



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