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Regular Meeting Schedule
Doors open at 6:30 pm
Table/chair setup, plants in place
Ribbon judging starts at 7:00 pm
Culture session
Speaker starts at 7:30 pm
Opportunity drawing
Table/chair teardown
Doors close at 9:30 pm

South Coast Orchid Society

Newsletter

Founded in 1950

September 2013

Late Blooming Brazilian Orchids

Paul Gripp

Program Starts at 7:00 p.m.

Monday, September 23, 2013

Paul Gripp is most known for his association with the Santa Barbara Orchid Estate (SBOE). His degree in horticulture and botany from UCLA, and his friendship with businessman Robert Chrisman, led to SBOE's founding in 1957 with Paul as its manager. He later purchased the Estate in 1967, and retired in 1986. SBOE is now managed by Alice and Parry Gripp, but Paul is a familiar figure at all the open houses. Years of dedication have resulted in the Santa Barbara Orchid Estate becoming one of the world's foremost collectors and propagators of orchid species and hybrids, specializing in outdoor growing, temperature-tolerant varieties. Paul is also a world traveler, who has sought out orchids and orchid habitats around the globe. His interview with Huell Howser can be seen on YouTube. Paul has held many distinguished offices: President, Cymbidium Society of America; President, Santa Barbara Orchid Show (four times); Member, Research Committee of the American Orchid Society (fifteen years). Paul's favorite saying: "When you can say you like all orchids equally, you can call your self an orchid man." Alas, Paul's favorite orchid: "All orchids, equally." His knowledge is deep and his lively talks are always filled with interesting anecdotes.

Paul will talk about the late blooming Brazilian orchids. Following prior presentations to SCOS, we can expect him to bring an exquisite assortment of orchids to illustrate his theme.

And don't forget that Paul will be providing the plant table, so there should be some highly desirable plants from the back rooms of the orchid estate. This is an opportunity you won't want to miss.

Refreshments

Last names starting with **I through S** please bring refreshments.

President's Message

We have had a great summer program thanks to Janell Shuck and all our members that have supported the meetings with their attendance. This month it gets even better. Paul Gripp from Santa Barbara Orchid Estates will be the speaker this month. Paul is one of the most knowledgeable and most entertaining orchid speaker around so don't miss this meeting!

As I announced at our August meeting, coming up in October is our annual orchid auction. We had a kickoff meeting Sept 5th to start the ball rolling. We will have more information about the auction to share with all our members at this month's meeting. Come prepared to see where you can help the auction team.

Once again I would like to thank all our members who have been supporting our society by attending the meetings, and participating in the plant opportunity raffle and the silent auction. Support ensures that we can continue to have great speaker programs.

See everyone at the meeting.

John Reyes

South Coast Orchid Society

Ribbon Judging Results

August 26, 2013

Paph & Phrag (Cyrtopodiidae Subfamily)

First	Paph. Bernice	Lynn S. Wiand
Second	Paph. Wasner 'Supergrande'	Brian Hench
Third	Paph. parishii	John Reyes
Culture	Paph. villosum	Roberta Fox

Cattleya (Laeliinae Subtribe)

First	Encyclia radiata	Lynn S. Wiand
Second	Cattleya intermedia x C. skinneri	Jim Hoyle
Third	Encyclia garciana	Roberta Fox
Culture	C. Orchidglade x Pot. Rubescence	John Reyes

Oncidium and Allied Genera (Oncidiinae Subtribe)

First	Miltonia Lake Sammamish	Tony Glinskas
Second	Tolumnia variegata	Jim Hoyle

Phalaenopsis, Vanda, and Doritis (Sarcanthinae Subtribe)

First	Neo. falcata x Sedirea japonica	Larry & Doris Arakakis
Second	Asda. ???	Winn Winmaw
Third	Neo. falcata	Roberta Fox

Cymbidium (Cyrtopodiinae Subtribe)

First	Cym. Golden Elf 'Sundust'	Roberta Fox
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Other Genera

First Maxillaria triloris
Second Pholidota imbricata
Third Huntleya meleagris
Culture Lycaste Aphrodite

Jim Hoyle
Lynn S. Wiand
Roberta Fox
Roberta Fox

Thanks to Russ Nichols for judging.

Categories (subtribes) based on 'Home Orchid Growing' by Rebecca Northen

Thanks to Jay's Internet Orchid Species Photo Encyclopaedia for correct spellings of genus and species names.

August Meeting Ribbon Judging Photos

Thanks to Mong Noiboonbsook for the photography. See more photos below.

Pholidota imbricata



Huntleya meleagris



Upcoming Events

See our website for flyers: www.southcoastorchidsociety.com.

South Bay Orchid Society Show and Sale, South Coast Botanic Gardens, September 21, 22

Fascination of Orchids Show and Sale, So. Coast Plaza Village, Sept. 28, 29

San Diego International Orchid Fair, San Diego (Quail) Botanic Gardens, October 5, 6

Andy's Orchids Open House, Encinitas, October 5, 6

So. Cal. Orchid Species Society Annual Auction, Karemer Memorial Park, Placentia, Oct. 13, Starts 1:00 pm

Southland Orchid Show, The Huntington, San Marino, October 18-20

South Coast Orchid Society Annual Auction, Whaley Park, Long Beach, October 28, Starts

Santa Barbara Orchid Estate Fall Open House, November 2, 3

Orchid Society of Santa Barbara Show and Sale, SB Museum of Nat'l History, November 23, 24

Our October 2013 auction/meeting date is October 28, 2013

Meeting Location

The South Coast Orchid Society holds monthly meetings, usually on the fourth Monday of the calendar month, at the Whaley Park Community Center in Long Beach, CA. Whaley Park is on Atherton, just off Bellflower Blvd. near the Long Beach State University campus.

Vendor Sponsors

The South Coast Orchid Society thanks these commercial vendors for their generosity and support of our 2012 Annual Auction and other events helping to carry us through a successful 2013.

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More August Meeting Photographs from Mong

Lycaste Aphrodite



Neofinetia falcata



Gastrochilus japonicus



Cymbidium Golden Elf 'Sundust'



Asda.



Encyclia radiata



Encyclia garciana



Maxillaria triloris



Neofinetia falcata x *Sedirea japonica*



C. intermedia x *C. skinneri*

