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# Santa Cruz Orchid Society 2019 Orchid Show & Sale

Co-sponsored by Cabrillo Horticulture

American Orchid Society judged show  
Orchid Vendors, Member Sales, Demonstrations

**Free Admission!**

Cabrillo College  
Horticulture Center  
6500 Soquel Drive  
Aptos, CA 95003

Sat. Mar. 2 9am-5pm  
Sun. Mar. 3 10am-4pm

To show your plants:  
Register your entries on Fri. Mar. 1, 5-7pm  
[f](#) [santacruzorchidsociety.org](https://www.santacruzorchidsociety.org)

## Santa Cruz Orchid Society Newsletter February 2019

**Next Meeting - Feb. 8, 7:30 pm**



### February Program

For our February 8 meeting, in lieu of a speaker we are having a very special opportunity table and extended show and tell. Orchids for the table will be from Andy's Orchids On A

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Stick. Many of you have visited his exciting booth at the POE and other shows. Andy's is located in Encinitas Ca. The family-owned nursery is known for specializing in mounted SPECIES orchids. They cultivate over 7,000 different species (traditional favorites to the rarest exotics) and have an inventory of over 750,000 plants. Andy will choose an assortment of species for our opportunity table! ChenHao Hsu has offered to pick up the orchids and will spend some time telling us about each of the plants on the table.

We will also have a special show and tell with an emphasis by some of the Board members on preparing them for our upcoming show. Scott Collins our society member and AOS judge will end the show and tell with more detailed information on how to enter your plants in the show.

If you have plants you think will be blooming for the show, we encourage you to bring them to the meeting, and we can help fill out your entry forms if needed. This will also help get a jump start with the show set up on March 1.

### **Refreshments**

Refreshments this month will be provided by Cheri Wagner, Scott Collins, Bruce Hill, Fred Valentine, and Mike Derrigan. Thank you and don't forget to get your free raffle ticket!

### **Opportunity Table**

Andy's Orchids on a Stick

## **Show and Sale**

### Volunteers

We still need volunteers to help with the event. Only a few people have signed up on iVolunteer. Here is the [link](#) if you wish to do so electronically. We will also be signing members up at the meeting.

### Orchids for the show

We need to get as many show plants to Cabrillo as early as possible on Friday because we need to be out of the building by 8 pm. If you work and can't get there by 2 or 3 pm, let us know and we will try to arrange to get them from you ahead of time.

Click this [link](#) for all the Show and Sale Rules, Orchid Classes and Divisions, and Show and Sale Forms.

### Boxes

Please start collecting boxes for the plant hotel. If you frequent Costco, ask for boxes instead of using your bag.

## **Upcoming Events**

**February 4, 2019:** Carmel Orchid Society Meeting. 7 PM at the Community Church of Monterey Peninsula, 4590 Carmel Valley Rd. Scott Collins will be presenting: "Parvisepalum Paphiopedilums: An Interesting Group From Southern China And Vietnam"

**February 9, 2019.** AOS Pac Central Judging at Filoli. 9 a.m. 86 Cañada Rd., Woodside, CA. Click [here](#) for more info.

**February 21 - 24, 2019:** "Orchids of The Enchanted Forest". The Pacific Orchid Exposition. Gala Night - February 21; Show - February 22-24. San Francisco County Fair Building, Golden Gate Park. [www.pacorchidexpo.org](http://www.pacorchidexpo.org)

**February 23, 2019:** The OCA Invites You To An Evening of Orchid Conservation. 6 - 9:30 p.m. ShinDig, 405 Irving St., San Francisco. See flyer below.

**March 2 - 3, 2019:** Santa Cruz Orchid Society Show and Sale. Cabrillo College Horticultural Center, Aptos California.

**March 9, 2019.** AOS Pac Central Judging at Filoli. 9 a.m. 86 Cañada Rd., Woodside, CA. Click [here](#) for more info.

**March 15 - 17, 2019:** "Orchid Magic". The Santa Barbara International Orchid Show. 9 AM - 5 PM. Adults: \$14.00; Seniors & Students \$12.00, Under 12 Free; 3-Day Pass \$22.00. Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara. For more information: [www.sborchidshow.com](http://www.sborchidshow.com)

**March 29-31, 2019:** Five Cities Orchid Society Show and Sale. More info to follow.

**April 13-14, 2019:** Sacramento Orchid Society Show and Sale, Scottish Rite Temple, Sacramento.

**The American Orchid Society  
Pac Central Judging Center  
Is Judging at Filoli!!**

**When:** 9:00 a.m.  
**Saturday 12 January 2019**  
**Saturday 9 February 2019**  
**Saturday 9 March 2019**

**Where:** Filoli

86 Cañada Rd  
Woodside, CA 94062  
[www.filoli.org](http://www.filoli.org)

Bring a plant to have judged.

Observe judging.

Stay for the educational  
presentation following judging.

Questions? Contact Jim Heilig, [heiligj@msu.edu](mailto:heiligj@msu.edu)  
[www.paccentraljc.org/](http://www.paccentraljc.org/)

There is no cost to attend judging.  
Standard entrance fees apply to visit [Filoli](http://Filoli.org).

*Laelia anceps* 'Anastasia' HCC/AOS  
Exhibition: Lynn Murrell  
Photography: Robert de los Santos



**Orchids  
of the  
Enchanted  
Forest**



*The San Francisco Orchid Society's  
67th Annual Pacific Orchid Exposition*

**Gala Preview**  
February 21, 2019, 6:00 - 9:30 pm (Must be 21 or over)

**Show & Plant Sale**  
February 22 & 23, 2019 • 9:00 am - 6:00 pm  
February 24, 2019 • 10:00 am - 5:00 pm San Francisco

County Fair Building "Hall of Flowers"  
9th Ave. at Lincoln Way  
Golden Gate Park, San Francisco

*The OCA Invites You To  
An Evening of Orchid Conservation*

Where: SherDip, 405 Irving St. San Francisco  
When: Saturday February 23, 2019 6:00-9:30 pm

*Featuring  
Food, Wine, Good Cheer*

A special lecture by Steve Kirby, Ph.D.  
*'Orchid Gems and Cloud Forest Conservation at Bosque de Paz, Costa Rica'*  
Followed by an auction of highly desirable orchids

Tickets and more information: [www.orchidconservationalliance.org](http://www.orchidconservationalliance.org)



**Orchid Education**

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

**AOS corner**

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

**Photo Gallery**

Photos by Cheri Wagner





















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