

Santa Cruz Orchid Society

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Next Meeting - Dec. 7, 6:00 pm

Please Note: Starting in January we will be moving our meetings to the second Friday of the month! The meetings will still be at the Live Oak Grange.

December Program

Holiday Party!

It's time for our holiday party! We have a busy evening planned. **Please note we are starting earlier than our usual meeting time (6:30).** The society is providing a turkey, ham, and some drinks. All members should bring a side dish or dessert to share. The evening will go a bit different than done in previous years. We will be starting the holiday raffle during dinner and running it till we start the games or all members attending have their orchid. We will again have a beautiful blooming orchid for the BINGO winners and a variety of orchid seedlings for the wheel of fortune. Feel free to bring a guest. Although the holiday raffle is for members only, guests are welcome to play Wheel of Fortune or BINGO.

Agenda for December meeting

6:00 - Set up

6:30 – 7:30: Dinner. **Grange will be open at 6:00.**

7:00: Raffle will start and go through the evening.

7:30: Election business. Slate will be presented

7:45 – 8:15: Wheel of fortune

8:15 – 9:15: Bingo

Clean Up

Elections

Elections for new Board officers will be held at the January meeting. A slate of members willing to serve on the Board is presented below. Other nominees for any position are still welcome up until the election takes place. Also, although Newsletter Editor and Webmaster are not elected positions, if anyone has an interest in learning to do either of these, please let Cheri know.

Board Position	Status	Nominee
President	Open	
Vice President	Open	Vicky Smith
Director	Open	John Kramarz
Director	Open	

Membership

It's that time of year for membership dues. Click [here](#) to download the membership form. You may also fill out a form at the meeting and give it to Lillian.

Upcoming Events

December 7, 2018: SCOS General Meeting. Annual Holiday Party

January 11, 2019: SCOS General Meeting. Andy Cameron will be our guest speaker. The title of his talk is “How Do Genes Make An Orchid Flower?”

January 12, 2019. AOS Pac Central Judging at Filoli. 9 a.m. 86 Cañada Rd., Woodside, CA. Click [here](#) for more info.

January 12, 2019. Gold Coast Cymbidium Growers Annual Collector's Auction. Preview Sat. 12:30PM – 1:00PM. Auction starts at 1:00PM. San Mateo Garden Center, 605 Parkside Way, San Mateo, CA. For info contact: Richard Copeland at <mailto:mangasz@att.net>

January 26-27, 2019: Peninsula Orchid Society Show & Sale. Community Activities Building, 1400 Roosevelt Ave., Redwood City, CA

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.pacorhidexpo.org

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

**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

Bring a plant to have judged.

Observe judging.

Stay for the educational presentation following judging.

Questions: Contact Jim Heilig, heilija@msu.edu
www.pacentraljc.org/

There is no cost to attend judging.
Standard entrance fees apply to visit filoli.org.



Laelia anceps 'Anastasia' HCC/AOS
Exhibitor: Lynn Murrell
Photographer: Raion de los Santos

Cymbidium Orchid Auction

Saturday, January 12, 2019

Auction 1:00 PM
Registration, Preview 12:30-1 PM

Beautiful Cymbidiums and their Companions. Including Blooming, Unique, Rarely Come Up for Sale, Show & Award Winners!

- 150 Plant Entries
- No Buyers Premium



Cym. Tower of Fire 'Sunset Flame'. Photo by Ken Jacobsen.

San Mateo Garden Center
605 Parkside Way
San Mateo, CA 94403

Catalog & Photos Available in Early January 2019 at
www.GoldCoastCymbidiumGrowers.com

Email Questions to Richard at gccgphotos@gmail.com

Orchid Education

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

AOS corner

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

Photo Gallery - November Show and Tell

Photos by Cheri Wagner



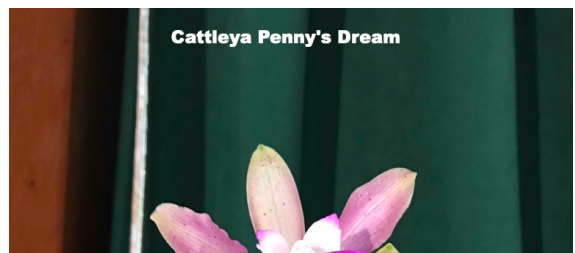
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L. anceps 'Fort Caroline' x
L. amoena 'Blue Magic'



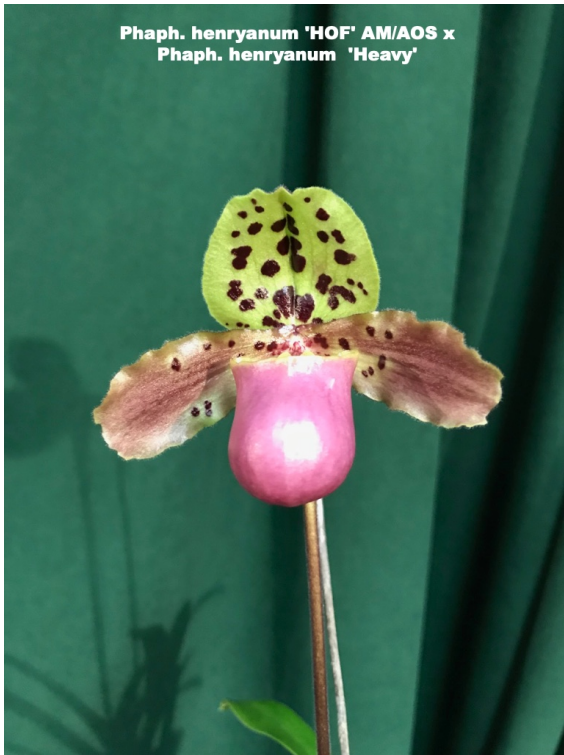
Lyc. Chita Sunset 'Red Glory' AM/AOS



Cattleya Penny's Dream



**Phaph. henryanum 'HOF' AM/AOS x
Phaph. henryanum 'Heavy'**



**Phaph. henryanum 'HOF' AM/AOS x
Phaph. henryanum 'Heavy'**



Phal. Anna-Lorati Soekardii



Vandachostylis Lou Sneary 'Blue Bird'







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