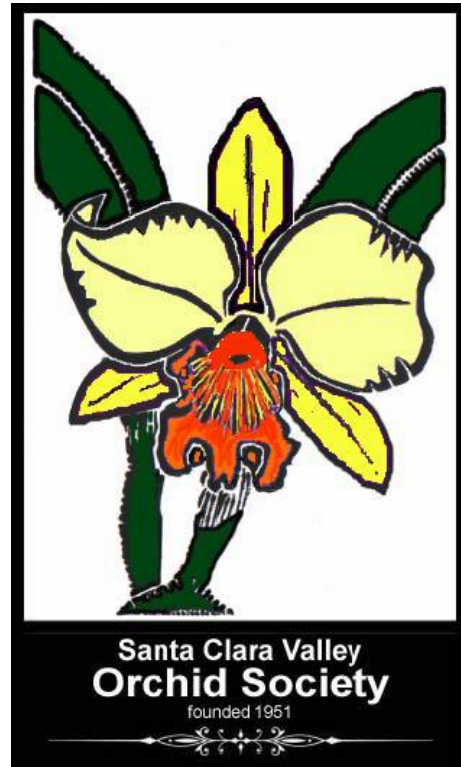


**Santa Clara Valley
Orchid Society
Established 1951
"Helping You to Become
a Better Grower"**

**April 2017
Newsletter**

**Next Meeting:
Wednesday April 5th,
2017**

**American Legion Hall
1504 Minnesota Ave
Willow Glen - San Jose
7:30 PM**



Neal Winslow will be our speaker in April. Neal is a well-known and highly regarded orchid grower, an expert on Miltoniopsis and other cool-growing plants. He is a former president of Peninsula Orchid Society & is presently the vice-president of Peninsula Orchid Society. His presentation will be on Miltoniopsis. As usual we will have a great plant table so buy those tickets.

All current members have been sent by email the revised "SCVOS Constitution and Articles of Incorporation" as approved by the Officers and Board. Please read them because you will be asked to vote on their approval at the April meeting.



Show&Tell

March 2017 Meeting

The March Meeting featured a presentation by Amy Jacobsen. on growing Orchids in the Bay Area. Amy and her husband, Ken, have around 7000 Orchids grown in their Peninsula backyard and rented greenhouse space in Half Moon Bay. Her Presentation was one of the best we have had in recent memory.



Phragmipedium besseae



Amy Jacobsen



Paphiopedilum appletonianum



Paphiopedilum Prevocacion



Oeoniella polystachys

Notes:

Remember your 2017 dues are due at the next (April 5th, 2017) meeting. \$25.00 per year for email . You can also mail your check to:

**Cheryll Moss
2091 Pleasant Crest Court
San Jose, CA 95148**

If you are not getting your newsletter via email, please be **sure to give your current correct address to EdNazzal @ paphman@gmail.com**

Remember, for much more information about orchids, links, our future schedule, care sheets, contact information, previous newsletters, and lots of pictures of plants and people, visit the website:

santaclaravalleyorchidsociety.org/links.htm

The SCVOS:

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SCVOS Online- So much online – check it out!! We have a Facebook page. Have a look at it

The next SCVOS Board Meeting will be held on April 19th, 2017 at a location to be named later.



Cymbidium Hybrid



Dendrobium speciosum



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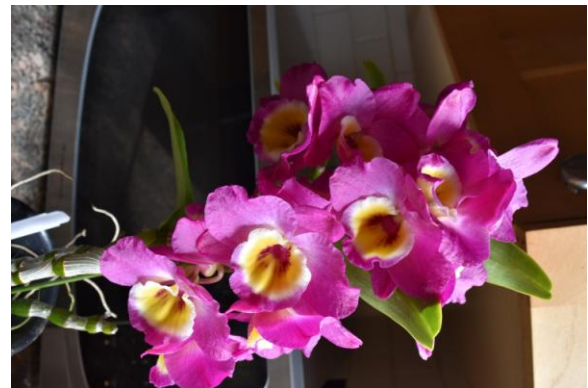
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2017 Show and Sale

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Upcoming Events for 2017

April 5th, 2017

SCVOS Meeting 7:30 PM

Neal Winslow on Miltoniopsis

April 8 - Saturday - SCVOS **Bus trip to Bolinas/Petaluma to visit California Orchids, Olompali Orchids and Austin Creek Orchids. **Cost is \$30/person**. We will meet at Oakridge mall at 9:00 and leave as soon as the bus is full. First stop is Bolinas to visit 2 of the growers and have lunch then travel to Petaluma. We should arrive back at Oakridge about 5:30. Tickets will go on sale at the March general meeting.**

April 9 - Sunday - SCVOS **Hiking trip to Butano State Park to see orchids in the wild. We will meet at the Curtner Light rail station at 9:00 and car pool. **Cost is \$5/person**. Depending on the road closures at the time, we should arrive at Butano State Park about 10:30. Be prepared by wearing good hiking shoes or boots, bring your lunch and water. We should arrive back at the light rail station about 3:00. Tickets will go on sale at the March general meeting.**

May 5th -7th, 2017

SCVOS Orchid Show

Westgate Mall

San Jose, CA

Sacramento Orchid Show & Exotic Plant Sale April 8th & 9th, Sat 10-5, Sun 10-4pm
Scottish Rite Masonic Temple,
6151 H St., Sacramento, CA.
Admission \$8
Visit
www.SacramentoOrchids.org

April 21-23, 2017

Gold Coast Cymbidium Growers Show & Sale

Location: 1400 Roosevelt Avenue, Redwood City, CA
For information contact

Sylvia Darr, Show Chair:
syldarr@gmail.com

November 8-12, 2017

22nd World Orchid Conference
Guayaquil, Ecuador

www.woc22.com



2017 SCVOS Annual Open Greenhouse Tour

Sat April 29, 2017

This Year we will have 5 greenhouses open for your enjoyment. Visit as many as you wish and bring a friend or two. Please observe the time slots those greenhouses are open. Contact the owners if you have any questions regarding the tour or availability of plants.

Tanya Lam: 2096 Mandalay Place, San Jose, 95138. Tel: 408-599-9903
tanyah.lam@gmail.com. Will have orchids for Sale. Hours 9:00am -4:00pm Tanya grows Dends., Epis, Cyms., Catts., Vandas and orchid growing supplies

Tom and Cheryll Moss: 2091 Pleasant Crest Ct. San Jose, Tel: 408-238-4130. Hours:
9 am
- 2 pm. Mosses grow Cyms, paphs, phrags, among others and will have plants for sale.

Dave Smitt: 3814 Ainsley Ct. Campbell, 95008. Tel: 408-866-0956
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Mike Warfield: 3291 Meadowlands Ln. San Jose, Tel: 408-274-7661
mjwarfield@comcast.net..
Hours: 9:00am - 4:00 pm. Mike grows Laelias, Catts, Paphs, Phrags and many other species. Will have orchids for Sale

The Zimmermans: 685 Stirling Drive, Milpitas 95035. Tel: 408-515-0968, Hours
10:00am - 3:00pm

