Diablo View Orchid Society

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February Meeting:

Thursday, Feb. 14 at 7:15 PM at the Contra Costa Water District 1331 Concord Ave, Concord 94521

Refreshments will be supplied by: Barbara Ungersma, Claire Conger And other volunteers

Our speaker is Dennis Olivas

"Orchids 101"

Learn the basics about how to take care of your orchids!

Dennis was born on the island of Kauai, Hawaii. As a lad he helped his mom grow her orchids and got hooked. He joined the Future Farmers of America and his project was raising and selling orchids. In



1980 he moved to the mainland and swore off the orchid family; not for long, as he was introduced to Rod McLellan's 'Acres of Orchids'. First, he filled his home with upwards of 6,000 plants. Later he leased greenhouse space

for his collection. A glutton for punishment, he continued to add to his collection, overflowing the 3,000 sq. ft. greenhouse in Half Moon Bay. Currently his greenhouse (D&D Flowers) is in Daly City.

Dennis has been president of Peninsula Orchid Society, San Francisco Orchid Society, Diablo View Orchid Society, and the Santa Cruz Orchid Society. He is an accredited judge of the American Orchid Society. Dennis belongs to over 14 orchid societies and tries to assist them whenever possible.

Dennis will bring plants for our raffle table

Dinner with the Speaker at 5:30 pm is at <u>Aung MayLika</u>, 1050 Contra Costa Blvd, Concord , CA 94523. Everyone is invited to attend and meet our speaker - <u>email</u> Eileen Jackson before Jan 9th at <u>eileen.jackson@att.com</u> to reserve a seat.

President's Message

Before the February meeting we will have our show and sale!

I encourage all of you to not only attend, but also bring flowers for the big display. There will be a special section for novices where you can earn ribbons and rosettes with your entrees!

If you have any divisions or extra plants, you can sell them at the members sale table. Be sure to see Liz for forms.

All of our thanks go to not only Eileen, who is the show chairman, but also to the many people who have been helping her on the way. Contact her if you want a job to do!

Marcia

Friday night set up is 6 to 9 and pizza and salad will be served!

IT'S SHOW TIME

Are you and your flowering beauties ready for our Orchid Show on February 9, 2019. This is where we can showcase our most prized orchids and win ribbons and rosettes for them. This is also the place where we can attract new members. Please wear your name tag so visitors know you are a member and may be able to answer their questions or at least direct them to someone who can. Even if you don't have a specific job please chat to any and every person that walks through the door. They are there to appreciate the orchids and if we can show that we are a fun and friendly organization they are more likely to want to join us.

If you are a member of <u>nextdoor.com</u> please make sure you post the show in the event section. I have been surprised to get people accepting my invitation even from the Vallejo area. Many people here don't like to cross bridges so to go to a foreign land like Concord is quite a journey. (It takes all of 20 minutes).

If you have any boxes we could use in the plant hotel please bring them also paper or plastic bags.

We would appreciate every one helping to do take down at 4.30pm. We need to leave the building as we found it so there will be plenty to do.

Most important is for you to have fun and get to know the other members. See you on February 8, at 6pm to set up.

Eileen Jackson . Show chair.

Here is our show flyer! Help get the word out!

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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 9, 2019 10:00ам - 4:30рм

Orchid Workshops

Learn how to repot your orchid safely, and how to rebloom your orchid again, with even more flowers. Learn the tips successful orchid growers use.

Raffle

Fantastic orchids and orchid related items

Repotting Service

Don't want to repot it yourself? Let us do it! \$5 for up to a 5"pot

Orchid Vendors

Fresh Orchids and supplies from Local and Global Vendors!

Receive a Free Orchid for joining DVOS! (day of show only). **ADMISSION \$5** • **UNDER 12 FREE**

Visit DVOS.org and save \$2 on your admission!

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- 4. Click Sign up.
- 5. Lastly, verify your address.

Then, post the information about our show. This cost you nothing but a few minutes of your time and will help increase attendance at our show and perhaps attract new members to POS.

What to post?

Come to an orchid show and sale! The Diablo View Orchid Society will hold their annual show and sale Saturday, February 9, at the First Lutheran Church, 4000 Concord Blvd., Concord 94519. Hours are 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM.

Admission is \$5. Children 12 & under are free.

Presentations on orchid culture, sales by professional nurseries and hobby growers, and enjoyment of a room full of beautiful show plants are included with your admission.

For more information, go to www.DVOS.org

DVOS Show and Sale <u>Feb. 9, 2019</u> <u>SHOW SCHEDULE</u>

- 1. The show is open to any person wishing to exhibit for ribbon judging.
- 2. All Plants to be displayed in competition shall have been grown by the exhibitor or in their possession for at least 90 days prior to the show.
- 3. All plants must be checked in by the entry clerks. To save time you may want to fill out the entry forms prior to arrival at the show. Entry forms will be available from the show chairperson at the meeting prior to the show. All entry cards should show the name of the plant or the parentage.
- 4. Judges may transfer plants to other classes at their discretion. The decision of the judges is final. For any questions not pertaining to judging, the decision of the show chairperson will govern.
- 5. For your protection and the protection of other growers, no plant with visible insects, pests or disease will be accepted for entry. Any plant(s) infected with insects or disease will be removed from the show. Please help prevent the spread of pests by entering only clean, healthy plants. Plants shall be in good, presentable condition.
- 6. No exhibitor's plant shall be removed before the end of the show, except when the life of the plant is in danger, and only with the permission of the show chairperson. All entries must be claimed promptly at 4:30 pm on the day of the show.
- 7. All entries are to be received on Friday February 8 from 6.pm 9pm. The day before the show
- 8. No plant may be entered in more than one class except J 14.
- 9. Exhibitors are divided into the following classes:
 - A. NOVICE: An Exhibitor who has won four or less first place ribbons in a plant show.
 - B. ADVANCED: An Exhibitor who has won more than four first place ribbons in a show or is classified as Advanced in our monthly Show and Tell table.
- 10. Ribbons will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners on individual plants. Rosettes will be awarded for best in Class for each level.
- 11.Best in Show will be awarded by a consensus of the ribbon judges.
- 12. The society will endeavor to care for all exhibits however the society can assume no responsibility for loss or injury. Containers should be inconspicuously labeled with the owner's name.

For members who wish to sell plants at the show, see Liz Charlton for the sales paperwork.

JAN 2019 WINNERS (3 pages)



Dendrobium King Zip 'Super Star' Grower: Diane Bond Novice: 1st Place



Paphiapedilum (no name) Grower: Don Taylor Novice: 2nd Place



Dendrobium Phalaenopsis hybrid Grower: Don Taylor Novice: 3rd Place



Cymbidium Hybrid Grower: Chen-Hao Hsy Intermediate: 1st Place





Beallara "Snowblind Sweet Spots Grower: Marcia Hart Intermediate: 2nd Place



Polystachya Pubescens Grower: Chen-Hao Hsy Intermediate: 3rd Place



Paphiopedilum Grassau Grower: Eileen Jackson Advanced: 2nd Place

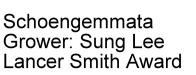


Lycaste Sunray Grower: Eileen Jackson Advanced: 1st Place

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Potinara Han Yuan Gold Grower: Phyllis Arthur Advanced: 3rd Place





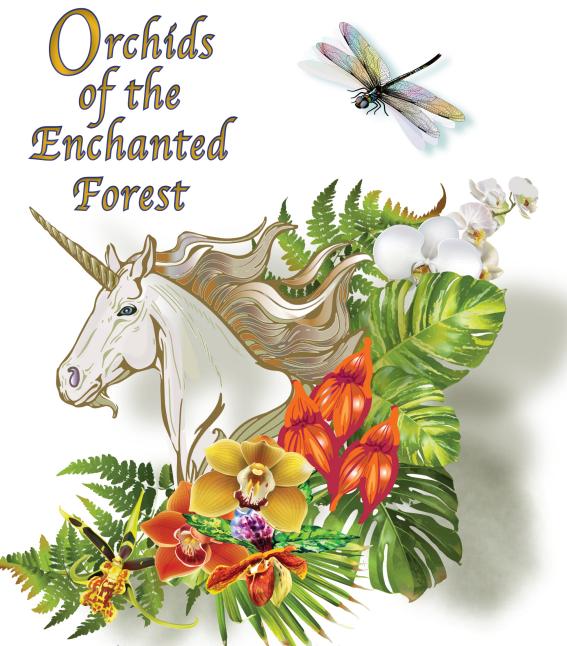




Show and Tell Promotions for 2019:

Novice to Intermediate: Marcia Hart Intermediate to Advanced: Judith Johnston and Barbara Ungersma Advanced to Masters: Sung Lee (Masters is a new designation and Sung is its first member)

The POE is two weeks after our show!



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