

SCVOS

NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2005



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JUNE MEETING

June will be a "Beginner's Night". This month was former advertised as having four speakers; however, the format has been changed to include just two speakers in order to give as much time as possible to the speakers and to provide for questions and answers from the audience. The speakers will be Dave Riches (Paphs & Phrags) and Bud Segraves (Potting Mixes).



REFRESHMENTS: Ofelia Woodfill, Phyllis Eastman, Tanya Zook, and Nancy Pham will provide the refreshments for the June meeting.



Scene from SCVOS Show, April, 2005

GREENHOUSE TOUR

The hosts of the 2005 Greenhouse Tour reported a great turnout on the day of the tour. Visitors came from around the Greater Bay Area. Kudos to Doug Pulley for a great job of publicizing the event!

FUTURE SPEAKERS

JULY: Andrea Nissen (Columbian Orchids)

AUGUST: Audrey Young Tarter (Peloric Orchids)



UPCOMING EVENTS

JUNE 10: MALIHINI ORCHID SOCIETY AUCTION
7 P M; Oak Room, Hewlett Packard, Wolfe Road, Cupertino

JULY 8 – 10: INT'L ORCHID FAIR
Earl Warren Showgrounds, Santa Barbara, CA.
www.orchidfair.com

AUGUST 13: SVOS BUS TOUR
Contact Sylvia Grossman (266-6922)

SEPTEMBER 7: SCVOS AUCTION

BUS TOUR

The Annual Bus Tour will be on Saturday, August 13. The bus leaves the Light Rail parking lot on Minnesota at 9 AM and returns at approximately 5:15 PM. The tour will include several commercial greenhouses that will offer specials to SCVOS tour participants. Bring your lunch. Plates, cutlery and beverages will be provided. Cost: \$15.00 for members. Please contact Sylvia Grossman at (408) 266-6922 or Sylvia@cadence.com for information and reservations. Checks may be mailed to Sylvia at 967 El Rio Drive, San Jose, CA. 95125.

MEMBER PLANT SALES

All plants brought for sale by members must be properly labeled, disease free, and priced in even dollar amounts. 10% of the sale price goes to the club treasurer, Lothar Schicker, before you leave. We rely on the honor system.

!! FREE TICKETS !!

Remember—there are four ways you can get free Opportunity Table Tickets at each meeting! You receive one ticket for each of the following:

1) Just by attending the meeting; 2) Bringing refreshments; 3) Bringing a plant for Show and Tell; and 4) Purchasing Opportunity Table Tickets in \$5 increments.

LOST & FOUND

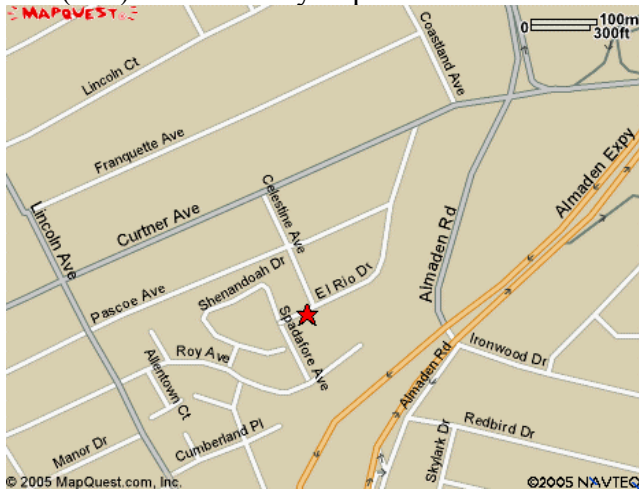
A man's North Face green jacket was left at the May meeting. It is under lock and key at the meeting hall and will be available for pickup at the June meeting.

FOR SALE

Vanda merrilli species. 6 ft. tall, 3 – 4 leads. Perpetually in bloom. Contact Randy Peterson at tarzanito1@aol.com for more details.

BOARD MEETING

3rd Wednesday in June (May 15) at 7:30 PM. The meeting will be held at Sylvia Grossman's home, 967 El Rio Drive, San Jose, CA 95125. All members are welcome. Please give Sylvia a call (408) 266-6922 if you plan to attend.



SCVOS BOARD:

The Santa Clara Valley Orchid Society is a non-profit organization that meets the first Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Hall, 1504 Minnesota Avenue, in the Willow Glen neighborhood of San Jose, California. The meeting usually starts at 7:30 PM. The schmoozing starts at about 7:00 PM.

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SCVOS Show Plants



More SCVOS Show Plants

Editor's Note:

SCVOS Show pictures courtesy of MaryAnne Schreier. I am still attempting to obtain pictures of the plants that won awards in the Show in a file size that is small enough to make it feasible to include them in the newsletter. I will keep working on this and if I am successful, they will be included in the newsletter over the next few months. If anyone has any suggestions, please contact me. Marie Lofton.

