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# NEWSLETTER

## *Happy New Growing Season*

Our First Meeting for this Year.

28 January 2015

Shepard Garden and Art Center, 3330 M<sup>C</sup>Kinley Park Blvd. Sacramento CA.

Doors open at 6:00 Meeting starts at 7:00

Board meeting at 5:00 Shanghai Garden, members are always welcome.



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Remember... this is why we put in all the work, to have something beautiful to share.

Our first meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday 28th of January 2015.  
At the Shepard Garden and Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Boulevard, Sacramento,  
Doors open at 6:00, meeting starts at 7:00  
Board meeting at 5:00 Shanghai Garden, members are always welcome.

**PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE**

Welcome to a new Blooming Season, hopefully every one has enjoyed their Holiday Season and are now ready for an exciting New Year. Even though we are still in the midst of winter, when it is important to keep our plants protected from frost, it’s time to select the plants we want to enter into this years shows, it time to make sure that they are staked, positioned, and getting enough light. Yes, believe it or not, our show is only a few weeks away, March 7<sup>th</sup>, followed closely by the SOS show, April 18<sup>th</sup>. They will be here before we know it. Now is the time to put into practice the great information we have received from our guest speakers, and get ready for a rewarding blooming season.

**SVCS website**

Remember that we have a fabulous website.  
It is a place to find announcements for upcoming events. along with back issues of the news letters. we would like to start posting some photos of your blaming plants your grow areas.

[sacramentocymbidiums.org](http://sacramentocymbidiums.org)



**2015 Officers**

President	Anthony Barcellos
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Director	James Wolf
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### Get Published

Members: Why not write an article for the newsletter? You can also take pictures of your orchids and include the name (if known) for publication. Your contributions and suggestions are appreciated. Please contact the newsletter editor.

### Fertilizer and Potting Mix Wholesale

We still have Nutricote 13-13-13 slow release orchid fertilizer, with Micro Nutrients, at \$7 per bag. \$8 for non-members. Nutricote is manufactured in Japan and is used by major orchid growers throughout the world. With Nutricote, you only have to fertilize your cymbidiums once or twice a year. It works much

better than other slow release fertilizers and won't burn roots. You can pick up packages at the meeting. Premixed coconut husk and perlite cymbidium potting medium is also available, in small quantities. Each bag holds enough potting mix for five to six 6" potted plants and is \$7 per bag. \$8 for non-members.



### Members Needed

It is time to renew for 2015. You can see Mylane about your membership at the meeting or send your check to:

SVCS % Mylane Hastings,

3937 Grey Livery Way. Antelope, CA. 95843  
(Please make checks payable to "SVCS")

SVCS Dues are \$10.00 a year per Family  
CSA Dues and Journal Subscription are  
\$35.00 a year

Remember, each new person who joins the SVCS and the CSA will receive a high quality cymbidium seedling that is no more than 1-2 years from blooming. If you have any questions, speak with Mylane at the next meeting. Or you can e-mail your question to [blackbbw916@aol.com](mailto:blackbbw916@aol.com)

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### CSA Membership

The CSA is the parent organization of the SVCS providing liability insurance for SVCS events.

Also, most of our speakers come to us because we are a CSA branch. Contact Mylane Hastings at any of SVCS meetings for CSA membership information. Remember, CSA Membership including a subscription to the CSA Journal. Member are strongly encouraged to join the Cymbidium Society of America.





# 7TH ANNUAL SACRAMENTO VALLEY CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY SHOW & SALE

Saturday March 7, 2015 9-4

**SHEPARD GARDEN & ART CENTER**  
**3330 MCKINLEY BLVD**  
MCKINLEY PARK IN MIDTOWN SACRAMENTO

Plant Sales  
Growing Supplies  
Education Classes  
Repotting Demonstrations  
Repotting for a Fee

Free Admission  
Free Parking

Cymbidiums are outdoor growing orchids  
requiring no greenhouse

Non-members Welcome to Exhibit Plants

for more information [www.sacramentocymbidiums.org](http://www.sacramentocymbidiums.org)

## SACRAMENTO VALLEY CYMBIDIUM SOCIETY

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### Fellow Orchid Society Meetings

#### First Wednesday

Sacramento Orchid Society

Odd Fellows Hall, 1831 Howe Avenue, Sacramento. [www.sacramentoorchids.org](http://www.sacramentoorchids.org)

#### First Tuesday:

San Francisco Orchid Society, San Francisco County Fair Building, Golden Gate Park,  
9th Avenue and Lincoln Way. [www.orchidsanfrancisco.org](http://www.orchidsanfrancisco.org)

#### Second Monday and Fourth Monday:

San Joaquin Orchid Society, S.J. Farm Bureau, 3290 N. Ad Art Way, Stockton,  
Call 209-465-5454 in advance as some meetings are not held regularly.

#### Second Tuesday:

Sonoma County Orchid Society, Veterans Building, 1351 Maple Ave., Santa Rosa.  
[www.sonomaorchids.com](http://www.sonomaorchids.com)

#### Second Wednesday of Jan., Mar., May, Sept., Nov.:

North Valley Orchid Society, CARD Community Center, 545 Vallombrosa, Chico.  
July date and location to be announced. [jmmcrary@digitalpath.net](mailto:jmmcrary@digitalpath.net)

#### Second Thursday:

Diablo Valley Orchid Society, Contra Costa Water District, 1331 Concord Ave., Concord.  
[www.diabloviewos.org](http://www.diabloviewos.org)

#### Second Friday:

Napa Valley Orchid Society, Napa Senior Center, 1500 Jefferson St., Napa  
Meeting starts at 7:00 pm

#### Third Monday:

Orchid Society of California, Lakeside Park Garden Center, 666 Bellevue Ave., Oakland,  
[www.orchidsocietyofcalifornia.com](http://www.orchidsocietyofcalifornia.com)

#### Third Friday:

Gold Coast Cymbidium Growers, San Mateo Garden Center, 605 Parkside Way, San Mateo;  
[www.goldcoastcymbidiumgrowers.com](http://www.goldcoastcymbidiumgrowers.com) (no meetings in June, July, August)

#### Fourth Monday:

Sacramento Orchid Forum, Shepard Garden & Art Center, Sacramento  
Meeting starts at 7:30 pm

#### Fourth Tuesday:

Marin Orchid Society, San Rafael Corporate Center, San Rafael  
Meeting starts at 6:30 pm

Upcoming Events

January 24-25, 2015

Peninsula Orchid Society Show and Sale, 1400 Roosevelt Ave., Redwood City,  
10-5 both days, \$5 adult, \$3 senior. <http://penorchidsoc.org>

February 19-22, 2015

San Francisco Pacific Orchid Expo, Ft. Mason Center, San Francisco  
[www.orchidsanfrancisco.org](http://www.orchidsanfrancisco.org)

March 14-15, 2015

Napa Valley Orchid Society Show, 1500 Jefferson St., Napa,  
10-4 both days, free.

April 18-19, 2015

Sacramento Orchid Society "Orchid Mystique", Scottish Rite Center, Sacramento



*Cym. eburneum* 'Vistamont'

look like one of the old plants hanging around in the back yard?

Its time to start getting them ready for our upcoming show...