

# CACTUS COURIER

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The Meeting is the **4th** Saturday

**NOVEMBER 23, 2013**

**Park Avenue Community Center**

**210 Park Ave  
Escondido, CA 92025**

**Noon!!**



## *“A Road Trip to Baja”*

• • Steve Martinez • •

**Steve Martinez**, Past President of the Central Arizona Cactus & Succulent Society, will be our speaker this month. Steve started his cactus hobby in Long Island, New York in the early 1970's with a collection of dish gardens. A small greenhouse was to follow not too long after. It became a lifelong hobby. He moved to Arizona from New York about 30 years ago.

Steve owns a specialty nursery called Succulentia (<http://succulentia.com>), located at the 'Farm at South Mountain' in the Phoenix area, which houses most of his collection as well as his sale plants. In recent years he has been fortunate to be able to travel to numerous cacti and succulent habitats, including South Africa, Namibia, Argentina, and Baja (both North and South).

His companion on the Baja trip was a serious hobbyist from Slovenia he met and became good

friends with on the Argentina trip. With various warnings of danger to lives and the risk of losing his new Silverado pickup truck (unfounded in his opinion), they headed out in Steve's wife's 2009 Hybrid Malibu and spent eight days driving along both paved and dirt roads in search of our beloved plants of interest.

This presentation will be the story of the wonderful trip taken the week of Thanksgiving, 2012.



## Board Meeting • Plant Sales • Brag Plants • Exchange Table



### REFRESHMENTS

**Lorie Johansen**

**Alexandra Jimenez**

**Beverly Ficuciello Don Nelson**

**Gloria Medina**

**• • • YOUR NAME HERE! • • •**

**Please think about bringing something to share – it makes the day more fun!**

**And we have a reputation to uphold!!**



### Plant of the Month

**• • Ariocarpus • •**



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

What a fantastic show and sale! This was our fourth year doing this show at the San Diego Botanic Garden and each year it grows bigger, more plants on display and increased sales. This cannot not happen without the many volunteers that we had. Tina Zucker, Vendor Chair, coordinating all the vendors, Brita Miller, Sales and Volunteer Chair, Annie Morgan, Publicity Chair and Ron Chisum who made sure we were fed, I want to give these four special thanks for all the hard work and dedication they provided. Also I want to give special thanks to Tom Demerriett who setup the register for us, which made the sales very smooth, and trouble free. I very happy with the great support from the society, there are so many members who volunteered their time that made this such a well run show; Leon and Susan LaFreniere, Don Nelson, Mitch Bahr, John Barkley, Bruce Barry, Deb Batey, Vicki Broughton, Harold and Nancy Dunn, Francis Granger, Kathie Hoxsie, Fran Komarek, Julie Kort, Inacia Mathens, Larry Mummy, Georgine Tomasi and Woody Minnich, again thank you for all your efforts to making this our most successful show and sale yet.

As Show Chair I want to thanks to all those who entered plants in the show. This was a truly impressive show, most categories were full, great diversity, spectacular specimens, I am very happy with the participation in the show. Next year I plan on making a few small changes, there will be a third place ribbons, currently there is only first and second and the change is there will be three entry levels, novice, intermediate and





advanced. As the show grows it is important that it changes to reflect the increase and quality of the plants being displayed.

As the President I want to give special thanks to Julian Duval and the San Diego Botanic Gardens for providing the facilities and assistance we needed to have this show. This is a very important relationship we have with the gardens, they do not charge us for the use of the building and tables and give our members free access to the gardens for the weekend. At the upcoming board meeting we will determine what our donation will be to the garden.

Our plant of the month will be *Ariocarpus*. Bring in your plants for the plant of the month and plants for the brag table. This is an important way to share our plants with other members.

Our annual Holiday Party is coming up, be sure to sign up to bring a dish. This is a lot of fun, be sure to come. There will be gift plants given out to all that attend, for those who participated in the brag table there will be special plants for you that will be given out in order of points earned.

There will be a signup sheet of the bus trip we are trying to put together. The CSSA free day at the Huntington Botanic

Garden on January 18th, cost will be \$40 for members, and those that have done volunteer work for past events; the club will pay for part of your trip. If you have done volunteer work in the past see Brita Miller for your level of payment. We will need payment with signup.

**Peter Walkowiak**  
**President**



## 2013 Plant Show Winners

*All the members who brought plants are winners!*

### **Best in Show**

*Cussonia paniculata* – Julian Duval

### **Best Cactus – Advanced**

*Matucana aurantiaca ssp. currundayensis* – Peter Walkowiak

### **Best Cactus – Novice**

*Echinocactus platyacanthus* – Robert Kopfstein

### **Best Succulent – Advanced**

*Pelargonium cotyledonis* – Peter Walkowiak

### **Best Succulent – Novice**

*Euphorbia decaryi* – Robert Kopfstein



## **DIVISION 1: CACTACEAE**

### **North American Cacti**

#### **Class #1 – Ariocarpus, Astrophytum**

1. *Ariocarpus fissuratus* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Astrophytum capricorne* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #2 – Aztekium, Obregonia, Pelecyphora,**

#### **Ortegocactus, Epithelantha, Encephalocarpus,**

#### **Strombocactus**

1. *Obregonia denegrii* Woody Minnich

#### **Class #3 – Coryphantha, Escobaria, Neobesseyia,**

#### **Neolloydia, Leuchtenbergia**

1. *Leuchtenbergia principis* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Coryphantha macromeris* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #4 – Gymnocactus, Turbinocarpus, Stenocactus**

1. *Stenocactus multicostatus* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Stenocactus cristatus* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #5 – Echinocereus**

1. *Echinocereus davisii* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Echinocereus knipplianus* Peter Walkowiak

Novice

2. *Cephalocereus senilis* Leon LaFreniere

#### **Class #6 – Echinocactus, Ferocactus, Hamatocactus**

1. *Echinocactus horizontalis* Peter Walkowiak

Novice

#### **1. *Echinocactus platyacanthus* Robert Kopfstein**

#### **Class #7 – Mammillaria; hooked spines**

1. *Cochemiea pondii* Phyllis Flechsig
1. *Mammillaria pondii ssp. Setispina* Candy & Jerry Garner

#### **Class #8 – Mammillaria; straight spines**

1. *Mammillaria theresae* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Mammillaria spinosissima* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Mammillaria melaleuca* Peter Walkowiak

Novice

2. *Mammillaria geminispina* John Barkley
2. *Mammillaria morganiana* John Barkley

#### **Class #9 – Thelocactus, Sclerocactus, Pediocactus**

1. *Thelocactus lloydii* Peter Walkowiak

### **South American Cacti**

#### **Class #10 – Blossfeldia, Frailea, Uebelmannia**

2. *Uebelmannia pectinifera* Dick Henderson

Novice

1. *Uebelmannia pectinifera* Inacia Mathens

#### **Class #11 – Buiningia, Discocactus, Melocactus**

2. *Melocactus concinnus* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #12 – Copiapoa**

1. *Copiapoa krainziana* Phyllis Flechsig

Novice

1. *Copiapoa cinerea* John Barkley
2. *Copiapoa Graft* Robert Kopfstein

#### **Class #13 – Echinopsis, Lobivia**

1. *Lobivia arachnacanta v occulta* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Lobivia amblayensis* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #14 – Eriosyce, Neochilenia, Neoporteria,**

#### **Pyrhocactus, Horridocactus**

1. *Neoporteria crispa* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Neoporteria nidus v senilis* Peter Walkowiak

Novice

1. *Neoporteria subgibbosa* Inacia Mathens
2. *Neoporteria nidus v senilis* Inacia Mathens

#### **Class #15 – Gymnocalycium**

1. *Gymnocalycium monvillei* Woody Minnich
2. *Gymnocalycium buenekeri* Peter Walkowiak

Novice

1. *Gymnocalycium baldianum* Inacia Mathens

#### **Class #17 – Rebutia, Sulcorebutia, Weingartia**

1. *Sulcorebutia mentosa* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Cintia knizei* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Sulcorebutia steinbachii* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #17A – Notocactus, Parodia**

1. *Notocactus pseudorutlans* Peter Walkowiak
2. *Parodia haselbergii* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #18 – Matucana, Submatucana, Oroya, Borzicactus**

#### **1. *Matucana aurantiaca ssp currundayensis* Peter Walkowiak**

2. *Matucana oreodoxa* Peter Walkowiak

### **Other Cacti**

#### **Class #19 – Ceroids, Columnar Types**

1. *Denmoza rhodacantha* Woody Minnich
2. *Pygmeocereus rowleyanus* Peter Walkowiak

#### **Class #20 – Opuntioides**

Novice

1. *Opuntia rufida* Susan Aach
2. *Opuntia sulphurea* Erik Gronborg

#### **Class #21 – Epiphytic Cacti**

Novice

1. *Rhipsalis crispimarginata* Erik Gronborg
1. *Rhipsalis pentaptera* Erik Gronborg

#### **Class #22 – Variegates, Crests and Monstrose**

1. *Echinocereus reichenbachii* Julian Duval

Novice

1. *Astro... opuntia ??* Annie Morgan

## **DIVISION 2: NON-CACTUS SUCCULENTS**

### **Aizoaceae** (Mesembryanthemaceae)

#### **Class #24 – Lithops, Conophytum**

1. *Lithops aucampiae* C & T Parr
2. *Lithops karasmontana* 'Laterilia' C & T Parr

Novice

1. *Lithops* sp Brita Miller

#### **Class #25 – Pleiospilos, Titanopsis, Dinteranthus, Faucaria**

1. *Faucaria tigrina* Tina Zucker
2. *Gibbaeum dispar* Terry & Collette Parr

**Class #26 – Mestoklema, Aloinopsis, Trichodiadema**

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| 1. <i>Mestoklema tuberosa</i>  | Mitch Bahr       |
| 2. <i>Mestoklema tuberosum</i> | Phyllis Flechsig |

Novice

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| 1. <i>Mestoklema tuberosa</i>    | Inacia Mathens |
| 2. <i>Trichodiadema bulbosum</i> | Erik Gronborg  |

**Asphodelaceae****Class #27 – Aloe**

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| 1. <i>Aloe plicatillis</i> | Julian Duval    |
| 2. <i>Aloe</i> ‘Sugar’     | Peter Walkowiak |

**Class #28 – Gasteria**

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| 1. <i>Gasteria</i> cv. ‘Little Warty’ | Tina Zucker |
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| 1. <i>Gasteria acinacifolia</i> | Erik Gronborg |
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**Class #29 – Haworthia, Astroloba**

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| 1. <i>Haworthia koelmaniorum</i> | Phyllis Flechsig |
| 2. <i>Haworthia truncata</i>     | Tina Zucker      |

**Crassulaceae****Class #30 – Cotyledon, Tylecodon**

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| 1. <i>Tylecodon schaeferiana</i> | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Tylecodon reticulatus</i>  | Peter Walkowiak |

Novice

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| 1. <i>Cotyledon buchholziana</i> | John Barkley |
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**Class #31 – Crassula, Kalanchoe, Sempervivum, Jovibarba**

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| 1. <i>Crassula</i> ‘Morgan’s Beauty’ | Tina Zucker |
| 2. <i>Kalanchoe rhombopilosa</i>     | Tina Zucker |
| 2. <i>Crassula</i> ‘Pink Pagoda’     | Tina Zucker |

Novice

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| 1. <i>Crassula ovata</i>             | Annie Morgan   |
| 2. <i>Crassula</i> ‘Morgan’s Beauty’ | Inacia Mathens |

**Class #32 – Dudleya**

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| 1. <i>Dudleya</i> sp. | Annie Morgan |
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**Class #33 – Echeveria**

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| 1. <i>Echeveria lilacina</i>   | Terry & Collette Parr |
| 2. <i>Echeveria</i> ‘Raindrop’ | Terry & Collette Parr |
| 2. <i>Echeveria</i> ‘Blue Jay’ | Terry & Collette Parr |

Novice

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| 1. <i>Echeveria minima</i>    | Anie Morgan |
| 2. <i>Echeveria agavoides</i> | Susan Aach  |

**Class #34 – Pachyphytum, Graptopetalum, Tacitus, Adromiscus**

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| 1. <i>Adromischus marianae</i> v <i>herrei</i> | Phyllis Flechsig |
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**Class #35 – Aeonium, Sedum**

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| 1. <i>Aeonium</i> ‘Sunburst’ | Brita Miller |
| 2. <i>Aeonium</i> ‘Sunburst’ | Brita Miller |

**Euphorbiaceae****Class #36 – Leaves, no spines: decaryi, capsaintemariensis, bupleurifolia**

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| 1. <i>E. bupleurifolia</i>                       | Peter Walkowiak |
| 1. <i>E. cylindrifolia</i> ssp <i>tuberifera</i> | Peter Walkowiak |

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| 2. <i>E. francoisii</i>            | Candy & Jerry Garner |
| 2. <i>E. decaryi</i> Hawaii Hybrid | Peter Walkowiak      |
| 2. <i>E. ambovombensis</i>         | Peter Walkowiak      |

Novice

**1. Euphorbia decaryi Robert Kopfstein****Class #37 – Leaves and spines: milii, gottlebei, viguieri, unispina**

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| 1. <i>E. genoudiana</i> | Candy & Jerry Garner |
| 2. <i>E. graminea</i>   | Don Nelson           |

**Class #38 – No leaves or spines: caput-medusa, inermis, esculenta, obesa**

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| 1. <i>E. gymnocalycioides</i> | Candy & Jerry Garner |
| 2. <i>E. Gorgonis</i> Hybrid  | Peter Walkowiak      |
| 2. <i>E. Gorgonis</i>         | Peter Walkowiak      |
| 2. <i>E. obesa</i>            | Peter Walkowiak      |
| 2. <i>E. flanaganii</i>       | Peter Walkowiak      |

Novice

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| 1. <i>E. pseudoglobosa</i> | Annie Morgan |
| 2. <i>E. medusa</i>        | Annie Morgan |

**Class #39 – Spines, no leaves: stellaespina, horrida, ferox, stellata, clavigera**

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| 1. <i>E. squarrosa</i> | Julian Duval    |
| 2. <i>E. knuthii</i>   | Peter Walkowiak |

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| 2. <i>E. mammillaris</i> | Annie Morgan |
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**Class #40 – Monadenium, Jatropha, Pedilanthus**

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| 1. <i>Monadenium guentherii</i> | Tina Zucker |
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**Geraniaceae****Class #41 – Geraniaceae (Pelargonium)****1. Pelargonium cotyledonis Peter Walkowiak**

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| 2. <i>Pelargonium klinghardiense</i> | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Pelargonium carnosum</i>       | Peter Walkowiak |

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| 1. <i>Pelargonium</i> sp. | Robert Kopfstein |
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**Class #42 – Sarcocaulon**

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| 1. <i>Sarcocaulon vanderietiae</i> | Mitch Bahr |
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**Apocynaceae****Class #43 – Adenium**

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| 1. <i>Adenium obesum</i> v <i>compacta</i> | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Adenium obesum</i>                   | Julian Duval    |
| 2. <i>Adenium arabicum</i>                 | Steve Salley    |

**Class #44 – Pachypodium**

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| 1. <i>Pachypodium succulentum</i>                    | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Pachypodium succulentum</i> v <i>griguense</i> | Mitch Bahr      |

Novice

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| 1. <i>Pachypodium brevicauli</i> | John Barkley |
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**Asclepiadaceae****Class #45 – Fockea, Petopentia, Raphionacme**

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| 1. <i>Petopentia natalensis</i> | Tina Zucker |
| 2. <i>Fockea edulis</i>         | Mitch Bahr  |



**Class #46 – Caralluma, Hoodia, Huernia, Stapelia**

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| 1. <i>Pseudolithos migiurtinus</i> | John Barkley |
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**Class #47 – Agave**

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| 1. <i>Agave lophantha</i> ‘Quadricolor’ | Susan Aach      |
| 2. <i>Agave bracteosa</i>               | Leon LaFreniere |

**Agavaceae****Class #48 – Nolina, Yucca, Beaucarnea, Calibanus**

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| 1. <i>Yucca endlichiana</i>    | Dick Henderson |
| 2. <i>Beaucarnea recurvata</i> | Tina Zucker    |

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| 1. <i>Beaucarnea sp.</i> | Annie Morgan |
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**Asteraceae****Class #49 – Senecio**

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| 1. <i>Senecio scaposus</i> var. <i>caulescens</i> |                       |
|   | Terry & Collette Parr |

**Class #50 – Othonna**

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| 1. <i>Othonna retrofracta</i> | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Othonna herrei</i>      | Mitch Bahr      |
| 2. <i>Othonna quercifolia</i> | Peter Walkowiak |

**Class #51 – Bromeliaceae: Abromeitiella, Dyckia**

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| 1. <i>Deuterocohnia brevifolia</i> | Steve Salley |
| 2. <i>Cryptanthus bivitattus</i>   | Tina Zucker  |

**Class #52 – Burseraceae: Bursera, Commiphora**

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| 1. <i>Bursera simplicifolia</i> | Candy & Jerry Garner |
| 2. <i>Commiphora coleopsis</i>  | Dick Henderson       |

**Class #53 – Didiereaceae: Alluaudia, Didierea,**

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| 1. <i>Didierea madagascariensis</i>  | Dick Henderson |
| 2. <i>Alluaudia madagascariensis</i> | Mitch Bahr     |
| 2. <i>Alluaudia humberti</i>         | Dick Henderson |

**Class #54 – Dracaenaceae: Sansevieria**

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| 1. <i>Sansevieria phillipsae</i>   | Terry & Collette Parr |
| 2. <i>Sansevieria suffruticosa</i> | Mitch Bahr            |

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| 1. <i>Sansevieria</i> Bally #12681 | Robert Kopfstein |
| 2. <i>Sansevieria alva</i>         | Brita Miller     |
| 2. <i>Sansevieria sp.</i>          | Annie Morgan     |

**Class #55 – Moraceae: Ficus, Dorstenia**

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| 1. <i>Ficus palmerii</i>  | Peter Walkowiak |
| 2. <i>Dorstenia gigas</i> | Peter Walkowiak |

**Class #56 – Passifloraceae: Adenia**

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| 1. <i>Adenia spinosa</i> | Woody Minnich |
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**Class #57 – Portulacaceae: : Avonia, Anacampseros, Ceraria**

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| 1. <i>Ceraria namaquensis</i> | Phyllis Flechsig |
| 2. <i>Ceraria namaquensis</i> | Dick Henderson   |
| 2. <i>Ceraria fruticulosa</i> | Mitch Bahr       |

**Caudiciforms, Pachycauls, Geophytes****Class #58 – Bombax, Cucurbits, Fouquieria, Dioscorea, Pachycormus**

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| 1. <i>Pachycormus discolor</i> | Julian Duval    |
| 2. <i>Fouquieria purpusii</i>  | Mitch Bahr      |
| 2. <i>Pachycormus discolor</i> | Peter Walkowiak |

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| 1. <i>Monodenium rubrum</i>     | John Barkley |
| 1. <i>Welwitschia mirabilis</i> | John Barkley |

**Class #58A – Geophytes**

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| 1. <i>Cussonia paniculata</i>  | Julian Duval    |
| 2. <i>Uncarina roeoesliana</i> | Peter Walkowiak |

**DIVISION 3: OTHER****Class #59 – Bulbs**

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| 1. <i>Albuca spiralis</i>     | Tina Zucker          |
| 2. <i>Haemanthus albiflos</i> | Phyllis Flechsig     |
| 2. <i>Massonia pygmaca</i>    | Candy & Jerry Garner |

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| 1. <i>Ledebouria paucii</i> | Inacia Mathens |
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**Class #60 – Variegates, Crests, and Monstrose**

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| 1. <i>Euphorbia flanaganii</i> Crested | Tina Zucker |
| 2. <i>Euphorbia millii</i> ‘Fireworks’ | Mitch Bahr  |

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| 1. <i>Euphorbia</i> Crest            | Leon LaFreniere  |
| 2. <i>Crassulaceae graptopetalum</i> | Brita Miller     |
| 2. <i>Aeonium</i> Crest              | Robert Kopfstein |

**Class #61 – Succulent Bonsai: any succulent plant presented in a Bonsai style, classical or unconventional**

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| 1. <i>Operculicarya decaryi</i> | Mitch Bahr           |
| 2. <i>Euphorbia francoisii</i>  | Candy & Jerry Garner |

**Class #62 – Seed-Grown by Exhibitor**

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| 1. <i>Monilaria moniliformis</i> | Phyllis Flechsig |
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**Class #63 – Dish Gardens: more than one plant per dish**

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| 1. <i>Euphorbia caput-medusa</i> | Mitch Bahr       |
| 2. Dish Garden                   | Phyllis Flechsig |

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| 1. <i>Gasteria</i> Dish Garden | Annie Morgan |
| 2. Dish Garden                 | Susan Aach   |

**Class #?? – Collections**

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| 1. <i>Sansevieria</i> Collection | Brita Miller |
| 2. <i>Peperomia</i> Collection   | Annie Morgan |

**From Brita Miller****...Volunteer and Sales Coordinator**

We couldn't have done it without you!!

I want to thank all the great volunteers:

**Tina Zucker** for coordinating all things with the vendors. Great job!

**Annie Morgan** for the long hours and hard work at getting the word out about the Show and Sale. All her hard work sure paid off. She also helped by transporting lots of show plants for one of our members and was one of the show clerks and photographers.

**Tom DeMerritt** for programming the cash register (more complicated and time consuming than one might think as each vendor has their own account). He also cashiered much of Saturday.

**Vicki Broughton, Kathie Hoxsie, Deb Batey and Francis Granger** welcomed people and manned the membership table.

Along with Tom and Brita, **Susan and Leon LaFreniere, Julie Kort, Fran Komarek, Inacia Mathens, Georgine Tomasi, Nancy and Harold Dunn** were our sales crew. They scanned, boxed and helped ring up the plants and worked the credit card machine.

**Leon LaFreniere** was a great help by jumping in wherever and whenever there was a need both Friday and Sunday.

**Ron Chisum** for getting all the wonderful baked goods donated, bringing his delicious punch, getting the all important coffee made and setting up the food table Saturday.

**Don Nelson, Mitch Bahr, Bruce Barry, Larry Mummey and John Barkley** helped with set-up, security, and break-down.

Hope you all had a great time and got to meet some new friends. I sure did.

Thanks again!  
Brita



### **2013 MEETING SCHEDULE**

**23 November Park Ave. Community Center**

**21 December Park Ave. Community Center**

**NOTE !!! 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday !!**

### **Officers • Palomar Cactus & Succulent Society**

**Peter Walkowiak – President & Program Chair**  
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Vicki Broughton will be stepping down as **Treasurer** in December. She would be pleased to train someone to handle the books. It is a part-time job! Really.

We also need a couple of Board Members. Remember, we only have 8 Board Meetings a year!



### **Murphy's Law Regarding Mealy Bugs**

Mealy Bugs will always attack:

- your favorite plant(s).
- your most valuable plant(s).
- the plant you always say you will repot next year.
- the plants you inspect the least, or expect they'll never be infested anyway.
- the one and only plant you want to buy in the nursery! Give me a bug discount!
- on the side of the plant away from the viewer.

## Palomar Cactus & Succulent Society

P.O. Box 840, Escondido, CA 92033  
*Membership Application*

I/We wish to join/renew membership in the  
**Palomar Cactus & Succulent Society**

**\$25.00 Single Membership**

**\$30.00 Dual Membership (Same Address)**

(1/2 price after June 30th)

There is a **\$5 discount** on the fees if you choose to receive your newsletter by email-only. Save money, leave a small carbon footprint, and reduce Eleanore's workload!

**Please print! We have to be able to read it!**

Email \_\_\_\_\_

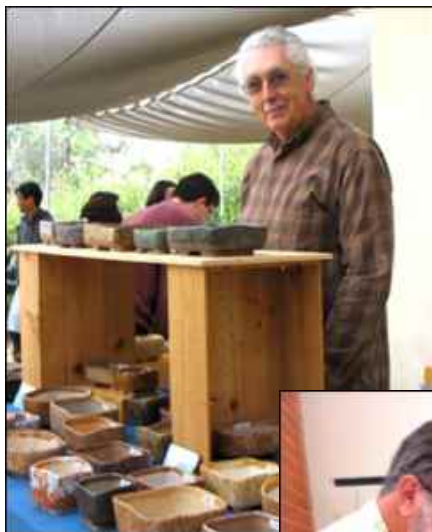
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Time to plan!



## December Holiday Party! !



The date will be Saturday, December 21<sup>st</sup>. Spouses and SOs are always welcome.

As in the past, the Club will supply the turkey (extra dark meat!). We are asking the members to bring their favorite side dishes. You know the drill!

This Club knows how to eat!  
And we always have a splendid time. Come join us!





# ***Holiday Party***

## *Sign-Up Sheet*

### **CRANBERRY or RELISH DISHES**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_



### **VEGETABLES**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_



### **DESSERTS**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) \_\_\_\_\_



### **POTATOES, SWEET POTATOES, or STUFFING**

- 1) Lorie Johansen – Mashed Potatoes
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_



### **SET-UP CREW**

- 1) Eleanore Hewitt
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_



### **SALADS**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_



### **SERVING CREW**

- 1) Eleanore Hewitt
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_

### **ROLLS/BREAD**

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_



### **CLEAN-UP CREW**

- 1) Eleanore Hewitt
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) **ALL OF US!**

