



The Backbulb

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March Program

“Show, Tell & Sell”

Our March meeting will be conducted by COS members. Show, Tell & Sell will represent a major portion of this meeting so we are urging all members to bring in plants to show including what we hope will be newly purchased plants from the San Francisco and Santa Barbara Shows. We will also have several different potting demonstrations. We will be returning to our speaker schedule starting in April with Amy & Ken Jacobson.

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Upcoming Events

Check Our Website For More Events

Carmel Orchid Society Monthly Meeting

Monday, **March 3, 2008 at 7:00pm** The First Presbyterian Church, 501 El Dorado Street, Monterey, CA 93940

Carmel Orchid Society Board of Directors Meeting Monday, **March 17, 2008, at 7:00pm** The meeting will be held at the home of Carolyn & Jeff Salmon, 1520 David Ave., Monterey, CA 93940 (831) 375-3748.

Monterey Bay Orchid Society Monthly Meeting Tuesday, **March 11, 2008 at 7:00pm** (Second Tuesday of every month) At the Lincoln Ave Presbyterian Church, 536 Lincoln Ave, Salinas, CA. For more information, call (831) 663-3953.

March 19 to April 4, 2008 Thailand Tour (description at www.classicorchidstours.com) Contact Lee Bredeson, V.P., Deep South Orchid Society, PO Box 21217, Hilton Head Island, SC 29925 lee@classicorchid.com

March 7-9 - Malihini Orchid Society Show and Sale - Cupertino Square (Vallco Fashion Park), 10123 N. Wolfe Rd., Cupertino. Fri. 7-9PM, Sat. 10AM-6PM, Sun. 10AM-5PM. For more information visit www.malihini.org .

March 8-9 - Golden Gate Cymbidium Society Show and Sale - Lakeside Garden Center (by Lake Merritt), 666 Bellevue Ave., Oakland. Free Admission. For information call 510-276-2851.

March 8-9 - Central California Orchid Society Show - Sierra Vista Mall, 1060 Shaw Ave., Clovis. Contact: Edward D. Plank, 341 West Bluff Ave., Fresno, CA 93711; (559) 440-1861.

March 8-9 - Five Cities Orchid Society Show and Sale - South County Regional Center, 800 W. Branch, Arroyo Grande. 9AM-5PM Saturday. 10AM-5PM Sunday. Admission \$5. Also, March 7 they will have a show preview to benefit the Alzheimer's Association. Admission \$40, reserve your tickets. For more information visit www.FCOS.org or call 805-929-8749.

March 28-30 - Santa Clara Valley Orchid Society Show and Sale - Westgate Mall, 1600 Saratoga Ave., San Jose. Admission Free. For information call 408-229-2747



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March Goodies Providers

Goodies for the March meeting will be provided by: **Your COS Board of Directors**

Large Spigot Style Bottled Water will be provided by: **Your COS Board of Directors**

Editor's Note

As you will see, once again this months issue is limited to only one, two sided page. I anticipate being back to our regular six page format with next month's issue.

Show, Tell & Sell

The new Show, Tell and Sell has been successful the past two meetings and will continue. It gives people a chance to sell their orchids when they are in bloom and show them off at the same time. They are then obligated to donate ten percent to the society. All plants must have a price noted on the plant and can be sold during the raffle time of the meeting if there is any interest.

January, 2008 Treasurer's Report

Checkbook Balance on Jan. 1st	\$4,842.87
Jan. Income	375.00
Jan. Expense	(801.09)
Checkbook Balance on Jan. 31st	\$4,416.78
MM balance on Jan. 31st was	\$10,448.74

Carmel Orchid Society, Inc.

2008 Membership Application

Please make checks payable to the Carmel Orchid Society and mail to:
Carmel Orchid Society—Membership
c/o Shirley West
P. O. Box 2454, Monterey, CA 93942

Membership Type	Receive Newsletter via E-Mail	Receive Newsletter via US Mail
Single	\$20.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$25.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Couple	\$30.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$35.00 <input type="checkbox"/>
Vendor	\$30.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	\$35.00 <input type="checkbox"/>

Application for Membership — Please print

Date _____

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____

Member of the American Orchid Society?
Yes No

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Email address _____ New Member Renewal