

Epi News

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"GALAXY OF EPIES"

*****May 11-Mother's Day, 1980*

It is time again for our annual Open House Flower Show! This year our theme is "Galaxy of Epies". Exhibitors may give their tables a celestial style and show as many flowers as there are stars in the heavens. Setup time for Saturday May 10 is between 5:00 p. m. and 7:00 p. m. Setup time for Sunday May 11 is between 7:30 a. m. and 11:00 a. m. The doors will be open to the public from 11:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. San Diego Epiphyllum Society ribbons will be awarded this year to the best flower that an exhibitor brings in. Exhibitors with tables or portions of tables may use flowers not grown by them, but only their own flowers are qualified to win a ribbon. Exhibitors that will not have table exhibits and who will bring one or more flowers should use the flower name tags with the extra line for the exhibitor's name and should register with the Show Clerk (your Editor). Three seedlings will be awarded to three special categories:

1. Best Exhibit
2. Best Epiphytic Cactus Plant
3. Best Flower (overall)

The show will be in our traditional exhibit hall-Room 101 (Majorca), Casa del Prado, Balboa Park. Ken Moss is in charge of music and announcements. Gwendolyn Johnston is in charge of refreshments. Paul Runde is the official SDES photographer. Dorothy Ogdon is the main hostess. Eva Clover is in charge of the individual flower exhibits. As usual, we will have pedestals available and this year three wrought iron hangers. Exhibitors should make sure that their green table covering (unless another is used) is cleaned and rolled up with the others when we dismantle. This way it will not be a big job for one person, but an additional small one for everyone.

This year the cutting room will be in Room 103. Many SDES members have already donated many cuttings. John & Jerrie Clancy are in charge of this room again this year. Frank Granatowski will again do the potting demonstrations. Don Irwin and Gene Schmedding will sit at the Information table. This room will open to the public between 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. or whenever the cuttings are all gone.

We anticipate many guests this year as usual, -from all over the county, the state, the country, and the world. See you all there!

---Elinor Latimer, Chairman

---Gene Lund, Co-chairman

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Send all membership renewals or new memberships to: Dolores Moss, 8551 Neva Ave., San Diego, Ca. 92123

Welcome New Members!

Larry Wood 562-1971
8602 Dobyns Dr.
Santee, Ca. 92071

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3207 Laura Shawn Ave.
Escondido, Ca. 92026

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8106 S. Maplewood Ave.
Chicago, Ill. 60652

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Chula Vista, Ca. 92011

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4457 33rd Pl.
San Diego, Ca. 92116

Robert & Catherine Curry
2255 Robertson
Ramona, Ca. 92065

Corrections:

Bernice Curry 466-6519

Dennis Breuer was also at the SDWAP
athhouse erection.

REMINDER:

---Dolores Moss

Thanks to all of those who brought refreshments last month and thanks to the following who will bring refreshments this month!

- Charlotte Trotter
- Dorothy Ogdon
- Louise Newman
- Fern La Borde
- Pattye Jackson
- Cheryl Jackson
- Madeline French
- Eva Clover

---Gwendolyn Johnston

I may be mistaken. Keep me reasonably some of them are hard to live with-but crowning works of the devil.

Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places, and talents in unexpected people. And give me, O Lord, the grace to tell them so.

---found among her possessions and read at her funeral

May 14th Program-Paul Runde

This meeting will be very busy. We will be celebrating our San Diego Wild Animal Park Flower Show and our Balboa Park Flower Show, we will hear the nominations for SDES Officers and Trustees for July 1, 1980-June 30, 1981, we will have a mini flower show, and to top it all off-Paul Runde will give a short program on the activities of the last year. We may then look forward to the remaining SDES activities of this very busy Epiphylum month!

---John Clancy

Petey Kelly Memorial

Lord, thou knowest better than I would know myself that I am growing older and that some day I shall be old. Keep me from the fatal habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and on every occasion. Release me from craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Make me thoughtful but not moody, helpful but not bossy. With my vast store of wisdom, it seems a pity not to use it all, but thou knowest, Lord that I want a few friends at the end.

Keep my mind free from recital of endless details, give me wings to get at the point. Seal my lips on my aches and pains. They are increasing, and love of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. I dare not ask for grace to enjoy the tales of other's pains, but help me endure with patience.

I dare not ask for improved memory, but for growing humility and a lessening of cocksure ness when my memory seems to clash with the memory of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that, occasionally,

I do not want to be a saint-sour old person is one of the

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1980 OPEN GARDEN TOURS

1. May 10th: EAST

Donald & Willise Brubaker
6354 Lake Decatur Ave.
San Diego 92119 465-9743

Richard & Elinor Latimer
5990 Lake Murray Blvd.
La Mesa 92041 463-1655

Raymond & Florence Arnold
5984 Lake Murray Blvd.
La Mesa 92041 463-7673

Gene & Kathleen Lund
5666 Aztec Dr.
La Mesa 92041 469-1677

Dave & Fern La Borde
6756 Vigo Dr.
La Mesa 92041 469-3965

Hours: 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

2. May 17th: WEST

George & Madeline French
3624 Voltaire St.
Point Loma 92106 223-8258

Hours: 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

3. May 18th: NORTH

Bus tour to Los Angeles Timetable

7:30 a. m.-We will leave the parking lot behind the Organ Pavillion in Balboa Park.

8:30 a. m.-California Epi Center in Vista, we will stay one hour.

11:30 a. m.-Rainbow Gardens in La Habra, we will stay one hour.

1:30 p. m.-Pasadena Cafeteria for lunch, we will stay one hour.

2:45 p. m.-Epiphyllum Society of America Flower Show at the L. A County Arboreum. We will stay one hour.

4:00 p. m.-Hurst Nursery in El Monte, we will stay one hour.

7:00 p. m.-Arrive back at our starting point.

4. May 24, 25, & 26: SOUTH

Nate & Dorothy Ogdon
5739 San Miguel Road
Bonita 92002 479-0425

Hours: 10:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.
on Saturday and Monday,
1:00 p. m. to 3:00 p. m.
on Sunday.

"Our Side of the Story"

Getting out the EpiNews is no picnic.

If we print articles about members- we are wrong.

If we don't let the members know about others- we are too concerned about our plants.

If we copy things from newsletters- they say that we are too lazy to write our own material.

If we don't - we are too fond of our own material.

If we don't print contributions- then we don't appreciate true genius.

If we do print them - it's why did we not print something else?

You can't win!

---Gene Schmedding

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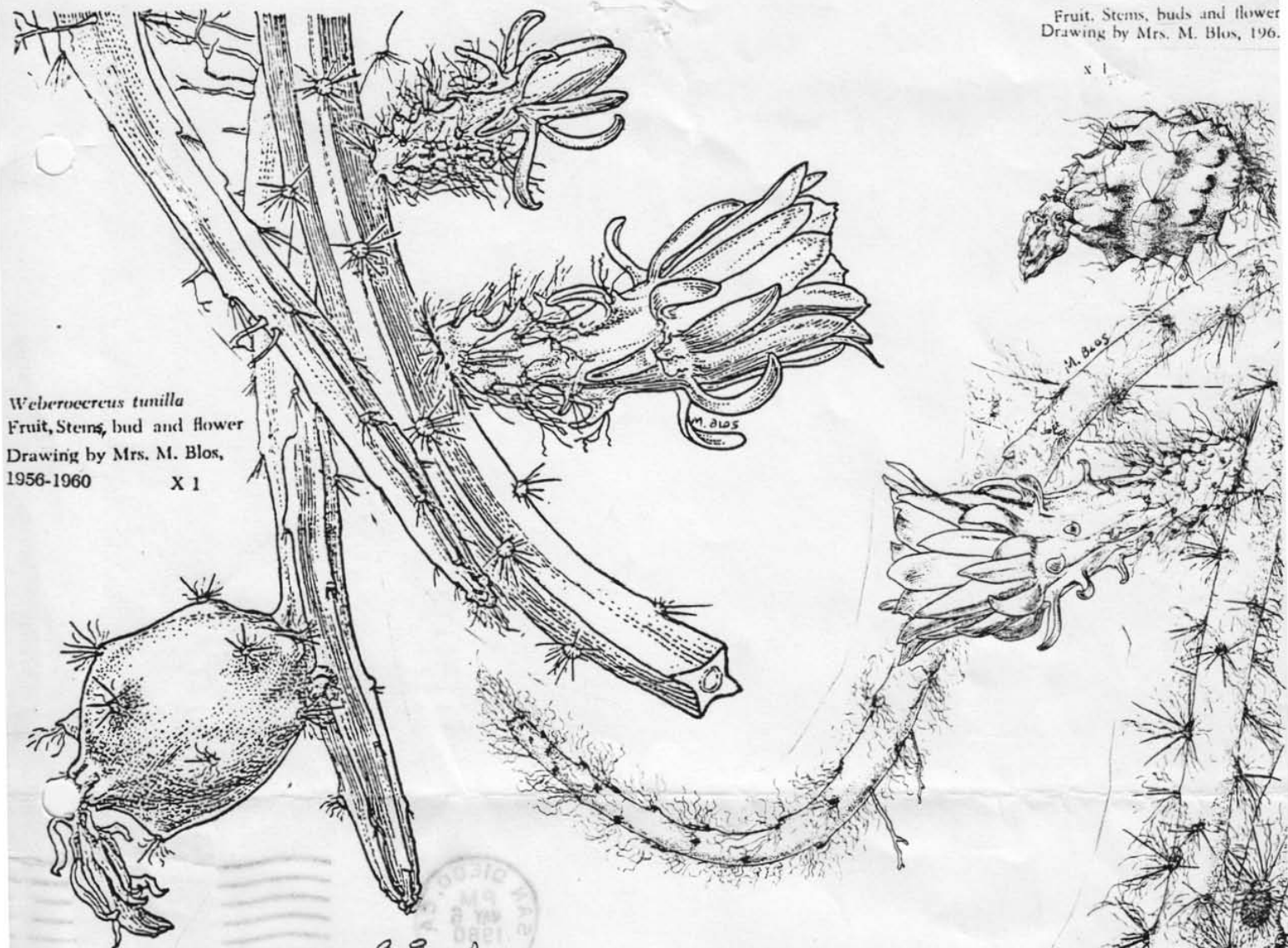
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(see the April 1978 issue of EpiNews)

Weberocereus trichophorus
Fruit, Stems, buds and flower
Drawing by Mrs. M. Blos, 1960.

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Weberocereus tunilla
Fruit, Stems, bud and flower
Drawing by Mrs. M. Blos,
1956-1960 X 1



Weberocereus tonduzii
Sterile and flowering stem-apices
Drawing by Mrs. M. Blos, 1957

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