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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

Capt. & Mrs. George A. Church,
Coronado
Charles C. Coons, National City
Carrie Bledsoe, San Diego
Nora Jones, El Cajon
Wilbur & Elizabeth Glover,
San Diego
Pamela Anderson, Chula Vista
Cliff & Jan Rice, San Diego
John & Lee Holcombe, San Diego
Richard J. Plock, San Diego

Dr. Troxell, and also for Bill Nelson. As Dr. Troxell can no longer attend our meetings, Bill and Ruth Nelson stood in for him. (Bill is thin enough that he can stand to eat cake for two people..so is Ruth for that matter.)

Our program was delightful. Our dear friend Howard Jones showed us slides of some of his seedlings. I'm sure that he has had more successes than failures.

There were two important announcements, one not so good. Our long-time member Eva Clover has been in the hospital. We hope that she is well on the way to recovery by now.

Now a happy announcement. Our "little" member Martha Weis and husband Dennis are the proud parents of twin boys..they weighed in at a collective 13 lbs. Their names are Adam Joseph and Aaron James. Martha told me they are identical twins and she may have to paint one of their toenails so she can tell them apart. Sorry to report that she declined to name them Epi and Phyl... Oh well, too bad. Maybe she thought that in time she might have another boy and the Society might want her to name it "Lum". Can't say that I blame her. Epi and Phyl isn't too bad, but Lum? Never.

Hanging from the Officers table was a lovely Banner that Kathy van Arum made for the Society. It has San Diego Epiphyllum Society in large white letters sewn on a green background. Very striking.

MEMBERSHIP

...Jerry Plaisted

Just a quick reminder once again - PLEASE - check when your dues are due. As you know we are a club with 285 members and are still growing. You can send your membership money to me at 6356 Delbarton St., San Diego, CA 92120 or renew at our monthly meeting. I apologize for last month's slow line but from now on, Paula Minardi will be helping me, so you won't have to spend all your free time in line to pay your dues. Thanks for your patience. See you at the meeting.

JUNE MEETING

...Gene Schmedding

The June meeting was indeed a special one. Our new officers were duly installed by Betty Cooper, so we are off to a new year. As usual June was also Birthday Month for

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Gladys Harper invited the incoming and outgoing officers to a potluck at her house on the regular board meeting night. It was a warm night and we all really enjoyed having our dinner out in her lovely garden..we had our regular business meeting afterwards. A lot of new suggestions were made, some good and some better. We are going to try to get some different programs for the members this year. At any rate, I know the new members will learn a lot and the old members will be entertained.

On June 14 there was a Japanese Friendship Festival in Gold Gulch canyon, Balboa Park, in which the SDES participated. A tidy little sum was brought in from epi sales at the festival which will be donated to them to help in their Japanese Garden construction.

We continue to draw large attendance at our meetings. In June there were 168 members and 43 guests.

Don't forget members, that if you want to keep your membership be sure that your dues are not more than three months overdue..better yet, keep them current. We want to keep you as a member.

JULY MEETING

Our meeting in July will be a good one. Our guest speaker will be Chuck Kline, Horticulturist of Sea World. The program will be a little different than usual; Mr. Kline will show slides of his tour through the gardens of Europe. From what I hear, this will be an outstanding evening.

JULY REFRESHMENTS

Because of the marvelous attendance we've been having, Penny Bunker needs a couple more volunteers for refreshments this month.

The folks signed up for July:

Kathie van Arum
Lorna Barrows
Ed Broz
Bev Garber
Joan Miller
Louise Newman
Jerry Plaisted
Oralea Steele

NOW IS THE TIME (July, August)
...Frank Granatowski

Now is the time:

- to fertilize plants that have completed their blooming cycle with Fish Emulsion, slow release nitrogen fertilizer, or your favorite plant food - DO NOT OVERFEED
- to remove spent blooms and unwanted apples that may have formed in order to conserve the plant's vitality.
- to transplant to larger pots those plants that have outgrown their present containers, i.e., transplant 4" pots into 8" or 1 gal. pots, and 1 gal. pots into 10" or 2 gal. pots. If you have the necessary garden space it is advisable to use hanging pots rather than to trellis your hybrids.
- to plant new cuttings of your favorite hybrids during the warm weather.
- to remember to water your hybrids during the hot summer months, and remember that an occasional spraying or misting of the plants is very beneficial. DO NOT allow the soil to completely dry out.
- to maintain plants in their proper environment, such as a lath house, under shade cloth, or suspended from branches of trees. AVOID direct exposure to the sun.
- to learn and benefit from our mistakes of the past year, and to look forward to a more productive blooming season in the next.

GARDEN HINTS

...Pat Stebbins

Did you know

...that you can make a good, cheap garden scoop from an empty plastic bleach or fabric softener 1 gal. jug?

Cut the lower third off the bottom, at an angle toward the handle, leaving the cap on the neck and, ta da...a scoop!

I have one in each barrel of potting soil, mulch, bark, etc. - they last forever.



Long the summer day...
Patterns on
The ocean sand...
Our idle footprints

Shiki

PARTIAL SALE: MARKEY EPIPHYLLUM COLLECTION! ⁵ Saturdays start-
ing July 4th., 9'til 2. Mature plants, under \$10.
correctly named, many highly prized. Reducing to one-of-a-kind.
Sales for a local charity. DON'T CALL JUST COME! 189 Bethune
Way in Otay Townsite. Thomas Bros. Map of S.D. Co.; P.71, Sec.F-2.

SATURDAYS ONLY

CROSSES & NAMES OF EPIPHYLLUM HYBRIDS as LISTED by FORT & O'BARR

The number listed designates the YEAR the seed was planted. In all crosses the plant from which the seed was secured is named first and is known as the "mother." The second plant from which the pollen was secured is named second and is known as the "father."

- 42 A Nopal, Phyll. x Hermosus
 Markova Tu Tu
 Tallchief
- 50 A Dr. A. D. Houghton x garden
 Accent Kon Tiki
 Accolade Krakatoa
 Agitation Le Cid
 Al Shaika Little Sister
 Anapurna Mae Marsh
 Applause Magellan
 April Dawn Manoa
 Astarte Masque
 Boomerang Menahuni
 Calypso Moloch
 Chaplet Orinoco
 Chinita Pieta
 De Soto Pirate
 Diploma Priscilla
 Excello Revelation
 Extravaganza Rocco
 Festival Rodeo
 Fortune Teller Rosecray
 Francesca Scarf Dance
 Giselle Secret Love
 Glory Road Shadowland
 Golden Hour Spinning Wheel
 Iago Sundown
 Indian Chief Tribute
 Joy Forever Tropic Sunset
 Kiva
- 50 B P. de Longpre x F. Verhaert
 Declaration Sea Hawk
 Frederic Chopin The Lark
- 50 C Prof. Ebert x garden
 Adventure Faro
 Alamo Fire Opal
 Bairn Forgiven
 Balboa Heliotrope
 Caliban Isis
 Commandante Johannes Brahm
 Conqueror Jungle Night
 Devotion Kimberley
 Edvard Grieg Lancer
 Encore Mme. Ebert
 Espana Masterpiece
- 50 C - continued
 Nadra Salvation Nell
 Naiad Samoa
 Naila Waltz Sarong
 Old Vienna Shrine
 Oracle Silence
 Pepito Silveray
 Pink Lady Sweet Lavender
 Piqueno Totem
 Puck Tradition
 Reflection Trance
 Ritual Trilby
 Rosenkavalier White Magic
 Rotifer Winner
 Rotor Witching Hour
 Ruth Wallace
- 50 D Jorg Siepke x garden
 Al Bustan Jealousy
 Ambassador Juno
 Arrowmaker Lady of Spain
 Autumn Glow Lisa
 Behold Maestro
 Blueray New Orleans
 Bonneo Pantomine
 Burma Parachute
 Carumba Puna
 Carioca Red Sea
 Chorale Rio Rita
 Colonial Dame Robert E. Bailes
 Comanche Rondo
 Coral Garden Sentinel
 Cybele Siamese Dancer
 Cyclotron Suez
 Dorothy Jenkins Sun Dial
 Emir Sveite
 Fan Dance Taranto
 Fanfaron Ultima
 Farandole Valentine
 Gondolier Valse Brilliance
 Grand Moghul Verve
 Hula Moon Vixen
 Incantation Zanzibar
- 50 E CeKa x garden
 Delicacy Teton
 Evangeline

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Adios	Jungle Queen
Air de Ballet	Latuko
Air Castle	Liliane
Barcarolle	Lolita
Bluette	Malibu
Bwana	Midway
Cajun	Minerva
Cauldron	Moment Musicale
Ceylon	Moonlight Sonata
Cibola	Moon Maid
Climax	Nocturne
Darla	Paia
Drama	Prelude
El Jaleo	Quest
Exotica	Sea Song
Frenzy	Tiara
Houri	Tuxedo
Idyl	Typee
Impact	Vendetta
Iolanthe	

50 G Paula Knebel x garden
Genoa50 H Harmony x garden

Academy Award	Embassy
Achilles	Enchanted
Adolescence	Evening
Adoration	Eterna
Aesop	Fable
Al Shukh	Faith
Ballade	Fleurette
Banner	Golden Arrow
Banshee	Innocence
Bayou	Jean Christophe
Beautiblend	Jewel Box
Bedouin	Jim McCoy
Beguine	Kiwi
Belle of the Ball	Koko Head
Benediction	Lady Fort
Ben Hur	Lonely Heart
Blossom Time	Nadcap
Bravo	Malaguena
Bright Angel	Linaret
Caress	King
Ceremony	Night Song
Citadel	Noa Noa
Communion	Novena
Confession	Old Refrain
Cradle Song	Olive Allen
Day in June	Omoo
Dorian	Opus

50 H continued

Orison	Pliny
Ornament	Protege
Outrigger	Requiem
Pagliacci	Roguette
Pagoda	Safari
Pale Moon	Shady Lady
Pastel	Sweet Prince
Pathetique	Tiger
Pavane	Tintoretto
Pearl of Papeete	Trinket

50 I W.D. Monmonier x garden
Escapade Sunkist51 A Rosetta x garden

Elf	Rozella
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51 B Bandana x American Girl
Hindustan Rameses
Mission Bell51 C Second Generation Seedlings
from 42 A Markova & Tallchief

Aria	Rustle of Spring
Classic	Sonnet
Dainty Miss	Sprite
Dowry	Target
Dream Time	Trio
Geisha	Vivette
Gino	Whisper
Pygmy	

52 A P. de Longpre x A.P. Williams

Canyon Mist	Litany
Glass Slipper	Minx
King Lear	Overture

52 B Herman's #7 x Rajah

Mother's Day	Sleepy Lagoon
Mother's Song	

52 C Herman's #7 x Annie P. Williams52 D Herman's #7 x Bettina

Anemone	Luxor
Anson	Maori
Dawn's Early Light	Nana
Ionia	