

The next monthly general meeting is Monday, September 18, 2017, at 7:15 PM

Monthly meetings are held at the San Francisco County Fair Building, Ninth Avenue at Lincoln Way in Golden Gate Park.

Free parking is available behind the San Francisco County Fair Building on Lincoln Way.

4:00 PM – Botanical gardens walk with the featured speaker. Meet outside the entrance gate to the San Francisco Botanical Garden. New rules require that if you do not enter with the California Horticultural Society as a group, you need to pay the entry fee if you are neither a SFBG member nor a resident of San Francisco. Please be on time.

5:30 PM – No-host dinner will take place at Park Chow Restaurant, located at 1240 Ninth Avenue in San Francisco.

7:15 PM – Announcements, Plant Forum, and Program Meeting will be held at the San Francisco County Fair Building. Cal Hort members may attend for free. Non-members are welcome; Cal Hort requests a donation of \$5.

MONDAY, September 18, 2017

What's New at Suncrest Nurseries

by Del McComb, Suncrest Nurseries



Through its many changes the fast few years, Sunset Nurseries in Watsonville continues to offer an enormously diverse selection of garden worthy plants for West Coast gardens. Del's presentation will highlight some of these that deserve greater appreciation; anything from new selections of natives to eclectic blooming perennials to to subtropical edibles.

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MONDAY, October 16, 2017

UC Botanical Garden at Berkeley: Local Jewel, International Resource

by Eric Siegel, Director UC Berkeley Botanical Gardens



Eric Siegel, the new Director of UC Berkeley Botanical Gardens will discuss the history and current state of the collections, and why they are valued internationally. He will also address plans to improve collections, education programs, and conservation collaborations at the garden.



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Monthly Plant Drawing News

Plant Drawing News Each month various nurseries and individual members donate plants for the plant drawing. Perhaps you sowed a few too many seeds, or rooted too many cuttings, or you need to divide some plants that have gotten too big for your garden. Here is your opportunity to find those plants some good homes

Monthly Plant Display and Discussion

Each month there is a lively discussion about plants brought in by our members. It may be a well grown specimen or an unusual discovery, or a plant that has attributes that are not known by the main stream. If you are interested in participating, bring in a plant to show to the group. You can also donate this plant afterwards to the plant drawing.

To join the California Horticultural Society or to find out about a full range of membership levels, please visit our web site at www.calhortsociety.org.

Questions from members about your membership?

Please address them to the Cal Hort membership chair:
 Charlotte Masson, 579 Los Paltos Drive, San Francisco, CA 94127-2209.

The California Horticultural Society has maintained its quality programs because of the dedication of the volunteer officers, chairs and members. The future of the Society depends upon its member volunteers to provide leadership. The Board asks that members volunteer for positions to keep Cal Hort the best organization it can be.

IMPORTANT NOTICE!!!

This notice is especially pertinent this month as our long-time editor because of medical reasons will not be able to carry on with the editing and production of this Bulletin. If we do not have a volunteer, the Bulletin will be significantly reformatted to probably a 1 page notice and there is also the possibility that mail printed versions will no longer be offered.

WE NEED YOU TO VOLUNTEER TO BE EDITOR!!

Contact Steve Morse if you will consider volunteering for this position. He can be initially contacted via email at markhameditor@sbcglobal.net

Deadline for publication in this Bulletin is the third Monday of each month for the following month's Bulletin; no Bulletin is published in December. Events during the first ten days of the month should be submitted two months ahead.

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