CHAT Newsletter

of the Shepard Garden & Arts Center

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MAY-JUNE 2019



The Spring Sale in now in the past (see pictures on page 8), and I do believe that the Friends did very well financially, thanks to Stan Logan, Marianne Kern, Ed Schroder, and MJ Kelly. We took in a total of \$645. Stan's efforts of repairing and sharpening tools brought in \$220. The shirt sale brought in \$425. That said, I have a lot more T-shirts to sell so you can still buy either the short-sleeved green shirts or the soft gray long-sleeved shirts.

Our new project is having signs made for the landscape areas around the building. We are so proud of all the clubs that made such big efforts to beautify our gardens and would like them to receive recognition for all their hard work. The lettering will be the club name and the date when they began their project. We are working on the signs and hope to get them completed ASAP.

MJ Kelly, President The Friends of the Shepard Garden and Arts Center



Upcoming Events

May 4-5 see page 3 Cactus & Succulent Society

Show & Sale

May 6 (first Monday) 7:00 PM

SG&AC Board Meeting

May 11 see page 4

Chrysanthemum Sale Geranium Sale

June 1 see page 4

Fuchsia Society Sale

June 3 (first Monday) 7:00 PM

SG&AC Board Meeting

June 15 & 16 see page 5 Bromeliad & Carnivorous

Society Show & Sale

June 22 see page 6

Art Elephant Sale

Sac Center for the Textile Arts

Free parking at rear of bldg. (entrance on Park Way)





ANNOUNCEMENTS



Sacramento River Valley District of the California Garden Clubs, Inc. will be having a District Meeting on Tuesday, May 14, 2019, at 9:30 AM. All garden clubs are welcome to come to lunch, enjoy our plant sale and take a chance on winning at our "Opportunity Drawing".

For reservations call: Deb Doherty at 916-424-2409

CALLING FOR NOMINATIONS

The SG&AC Nominating Committee would like to announce the following openings for the Shepard Board of Directors.

- President
- Treasurer
- Corresponding Secretary
- Recording Secretary
- Budget Director
- Two (2) Directors

If you are interested in nominating someone (including yourself), please contact the nominating Committee at JGoehring5329@yahoo.com. --Jan Goehring





GREAT OPPORTUNITY

Opportunity for garden clubs / societies to sell plants at a free booth at the Sacramento Home and Garden Show at Cal Expo, October 11 - 13, 2019. Club needs a re-seller's license and to staff the booth for all three days of the show. Maybe a few clubs from the SG&AC could team up to man the booth that weekend?

If interested, please contact **Gracie M. Ryan,** Special Projects Manager (916) 965-9653

Sacramento Home and Garden Show at Cal Expo

1835 Iron Point Road, Suite 140

Folsom, CA 95630 **Gracie@SacHomeAndGardenShow.com**



Free Admission • Plant Seminars • New Photography Show! www.sacramentocss.com



Chrysanthemum Plant Sale

(rooted cuttings)

Mother's Day Weekend Saturday, May 11th 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Shepard Garden & Arts Center

Sacramento Fuchsia Club Annual Show & Sale Saturday June 1, 10 am - 4 pm Shepard Garden and Arts Center

Shepard Garden and Arts Center 3330 McKinley Blvd., Sacramento



Displays of Member Plants & Blossoms

Many Warm Climate Tolerant Fuchsias Available

Selection, Cultivation and Care Advice

SACRAMENTO BROMELIAD & CARNIVOROUS PLANT SOCIETY







Annual show and sale - June 15 & 16

The Sacramento Bromeliad and Carnivorous Plant Society welcomes the public to its 49th annual show and plant sale. Hundreds of colorful bromeliads and unusual carnivorous plants will be on display and for sale. The show will be held at the Garden and Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Boulevard, Sacramento, on Saturday and Sunday, June 15th and 16th, from 10AM to 4PM each day. Admission and parking are free.

Bromeliads are decorative and easy to grow house or patio plants. Many can be grown outside all year round in Sacramento with some winter protection. A number of the carnivorous plant families thrive both in Sacramento's full sun and winter cold with little care, other than constant water at their feet.

There will be educational displays on carnivorous plants, and members of the Society will be on hand to answer questions and provide tips on growing both families of plants. Hundreds of plants from both families will be on sale at very reasonable prices. Most of the sale plants cannot be found in nurseries and will provide a colorful and easy-to-grow addition to your garden or plant collection.

Show details

- Who: Sacramento Bromeliad and Carnivorous Plant Society.
- What: Bromeliad and carnivorous plant show and sale.
- Where: Garden and Arts Center, 3330 McKinley Boulevard, Sacramento
- When: Saturday June 15th and Sunday June 16th, 10AM to 4PM each day.
- Cost: Free admission & parking
- Contact: Eric TryggPhone: 530-273-9161
- E-mail: bughungryplants@hotmail.com

SCTA ART ELEPHANT SALE

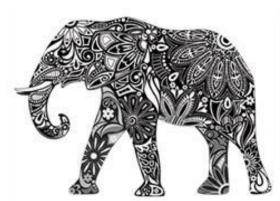
On Saturday, June 22nd, 2019 from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., the Sacramento Center for the Textile Arts will host their annual Art Elephant Sale at the Shepard Garden & Arts Center. The name for Art Elephant was inspired by the idea of a White Elephant sale for art supplies. So, at Art Elephant, you will find great deals on Artist/Designers Supplies, Fabrics, Trims, Ribbons, Yardage, Buttons, Textile Dyes, Beads, Jewelry Findings, Scrapbook Supplies, Yarn, and much, much more...

Admission is free for all. We look forward to seeing you there!

For more information about this event (to either attend or to vend) contact: Gloria Robertson
gjrobertson316@gmail.com
916-768-8574

You can also learn more about this event and the SCTA at: www.sactextilearts.org and www.facebook.com/SacramentoCenterForTheTextileArts/

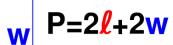




PERIMETER PROJECT: THE SIGNS ARE UP!

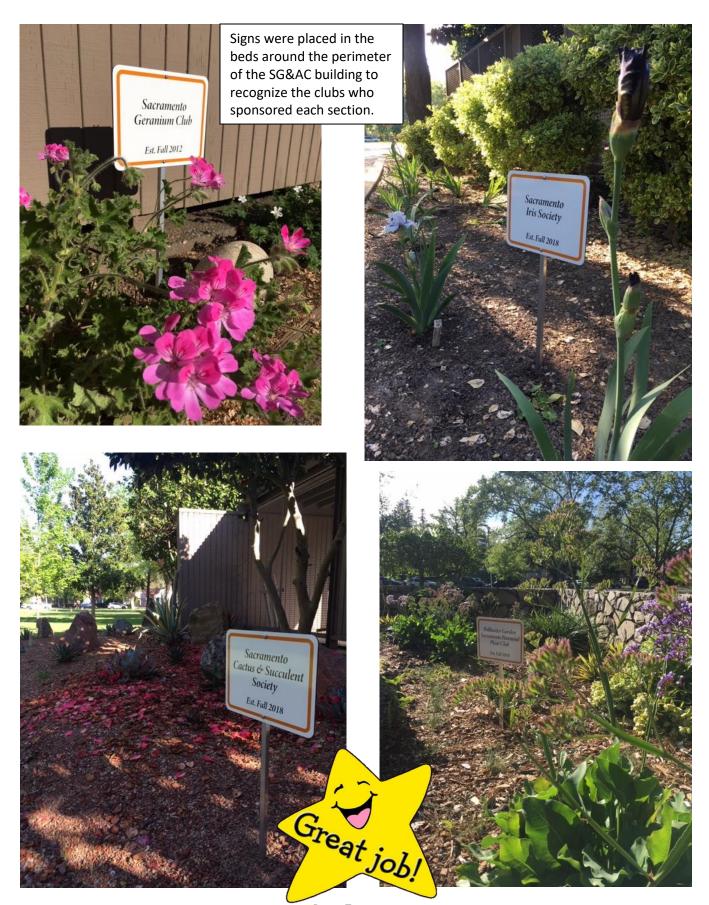
From Noelle Anderson

Many thanks to the Sacramento Cactus and Succulent Society, the Sacramento Perennial Plant Club, the River Park Garden Club, the Sacramento Geranium Club, the American Bonsai Association of Sacramento, and the Sacramento Iris Society for starting and maintaining their gardens for the Perimeter Project. Thanks also to the Friends of the Shepard Garden and Arts Center for paying for the signs!









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Photos by Kathy Norton

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Thank you to everyone who volunteered for the Spring Cleaning Day on March 10th. We had many volunteers, both inside and out (pictures above), which really helped the Center look its best.

Thank you too for all who participated in the Spring Sale last month (some pictures below). We've received many positive comments and really appreciate everyone's time and efforts in making this a successful event.





