

September 2005

Roadrunner News

Newsletter of the Long Beach Cactus Club

Founded 1933; Affiliate of the Cactus and Succulent Society of America, Inc.

ANNUAL PLANT AUCTION

PROGRAM: Everyone is invited, but you must be a member to auction plants. Terms are cash, check or credit card (Visa or MasterCard). If you're not already a member you can sign up on auction day. The split is 20% for the club, 80% for the seller. Members may also donate a plant or two! Plants should be adult specimens in good condition and not too common. Something you'd like to bid on yourself! They should be clean and bug-free. Previous show winners and potential winners are often available as interests change and plants are sold to make room for new favorites.

LOCATION: **Dominguez Adobe**, 18127 South Alameda Street, Rancho Dominguez, CA 90220. Take the 91 Redondo Beach/Artesia Freeway and exit south on Alameda. Signs for the Adobe are posted on the freeway and on Alameda. Coming from the freeway, the entrance to the Adobe is on the right or west side of Alameda. We will meet outside next to the club's official cactus and succulent garden.

TIME: **Sunday, September 25, 2005.** Setup at 11:00 a.m. The Auction will begin at noon.

REFRESHMENTS: Bring a sack lunch. The club will provide sodas and coffee. Also, please bring your own folding chair.

QUESTIONS? Call President **Gary Duke** at (714) 377-0064.

2005 LBCC PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Woody Minnich, Programs (661) 944-2784

Oct 23	Tom Glavich "Gasteria"
Nov 20 - 3 rd Sun	Program to be determined
Dec 11 - 2 nd Sun	🌲🌵🌴🌳 Holiday Feast, Festivities & Auction with South Coast C&SS

ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS will be held at the November meeting so members will be asked to serve on the **nominating committee** to be formed in October. Start thinking of the position that you want to fill for next year.

DICK HULETT 1940 - 2005



DICK & LUPE

Photo courtesy of John Luhnnow

Dick Hulett passed away this last July. He was president of the Long Beach Cactus Club from 1993 to 1997. He was also an active participant through the years in other clubs: San Gabriel, Orange County, Sunset and most notably South Coast. After retiring from the presidency of this club he devoted much of his time to shows. He devised the classy and educational but non-comprehensive format of the recent South Coast shows which have been so much admired. For a long time he had a large collection of stapeliads and other asclepiads. I remember that he would bring many such specimens to meetings, always accompanied by color photos of their incredible flowers. His staging was always graceful and elegant. His enthusiasm for the hobby was heartfelt and stimulating. He brought a similar gusto to other interests such as cycling and kite flying. He is survived by his gracious wife Lupe, children and grandchildren. He will be missed.

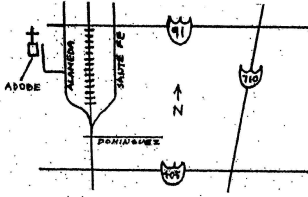
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Proudly Presents
**CACTUS AND SUCCULENTS
ANNUAL
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September 25, 2005 12:00 P.M.



**DOMINGUEZ ADOBE
18127 S. ALAMEDA STREET
DOMINGUEZ, CA 90221**



Directions: From the 405 Freeway, take Alameda Street heading North. After going about a mile, take the Alameda Street West toward Compton. This puts you on the West side of the tracks heading North. Look for the following sign, which will be on your left:

Dominguez Seminary
The Christians
18127

From the 91 Freeway heading East, take Alameda Street/Compton off-ramp. Turn right and drive a half mile to the sign Dominguez Ranch House.

From the 91 Freeway heading West, exit on the Santa Fe Ave./Alameda St. off-ramp. Take Alameda St. Compton, right. Look for the sign:

Rancho San Pedro
Dominguez Adobe
18127

Contact: Gary Duke (714) 377-0064

*Sodas will be provided

*BYO Sack Lunch

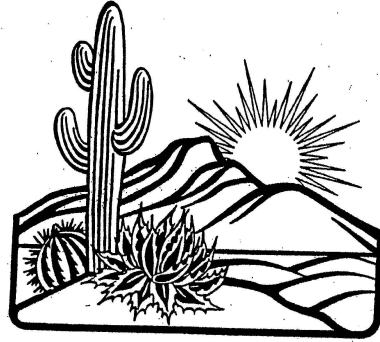
*Set up 11:00 A.M.

12th Annual Winter Cactus and Succulent Show and Sale

Saturday and Sunday, October 15th & 16th, 2005 from 9 to 5 each day

Los Angeles County Arboretum and Botanical Garden,
301 N. Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia, CA

Featuring winter growing succulents throughout the world!



Presented by The San Gabriel Valley Cactus and Succulent Society

We are expecting one thousand show specimens to be on display and many unique and hard to find plants will be available to purchase from some of California's finest growers!

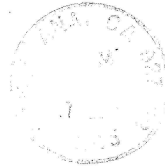
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