



# *Espinas y Flores*

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**Program: Kelly Griffin**

**“Lizards, Lemurs, and Aloes”**

**Mini-Talk of the Month: Stan Yalof**

**“The Ancestral Journey-ho of Cacti”**

**CSSA Convention Report**

**Summer Show Announcement, Rules  
and Plant Categories**

**New! Summer Show Auction**

**New! Potting & Staging Workshop at 11am**

**Saturday, May 14, 2011, 1pm to 4pm**

**Casa Del Prado, Room 101**

**Balboa Park**

**Plant Sales Begin at 10am**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

23 April 2011



The day before the convention set up and tensions mount.

Can you say ARUGHHHHH! In the last week we have been churnin' and burnin'. **Paul Maker** has been working with the printer for signs, the programs, forms and anything else I can think of. **Sharon Wirth** has been working on badges. We have had two different badge packaging parties with **Sharon** and **Ed Wirth**, **Janet Svoboda**, and **Beate Menzel** helping out. **Beate** also came over and helped with putting T-shirts in bags and pricing them. **Janet Svoboda** is working feverishly on keeping the Tours group organized and tracking the people going on tours. Her tour leaders were also working this week making sure everything is ready for next Wednesday. **Pam Badger** is gathering materials for bag stuffing tomorrow morning. My living room is full of boxes and **Kathy** and **Steve Harris** will be over this evening to pick up part of it, so I only have to drive to the hotel once tomorrow.

We have vendors feverishly preparing plants for the sale and potters packing up their pots. **Janet Stewart** and **Sarah Clayton** are putting the final touches on the succulent centerpieces and **Peter Walkowiak** is cleaning up Boojums, getting his plants ready for sale and auction and preparing show plants. All this after becoming famous along with **Kelly Griffin** in last Saturday's newspaper. **Debra Lee Baldwin** did a bang up job writing an article about **Kelly** and another about **Peter**, while advertising the convention and sale. We couldn't afford to pay for that kind of advertising.

For the last few months lots of volunteers have converged on the Old World Succulent Garden and the Baja Garden, preparing them for next Wednesday's tours. We finally got plant signs made for the Baja Garden and **Juergen Menzel** has been out several times this week placing them so that the visitors will have that information available to them while they walk through the garden. Well done to all of you who have made an impact on these gardens.



Ric and Marilyn Newcomer compare theolos.

During our April meeting **Ric Newcomer** did his usual excellent job in presenting a talk on *Theolocactus*. I

**Cover:** Unknown Madagascan *Aloe*, hopefully to be identified by **Kelly** during his talk. Taken by the Editors at the Hotel Le Jardin du Roy near Isalo in 2008.

brought three more *Theolocactus* home for my collection. Funny how that happens. **Buck He-menway** took us back to South Africa and this time the single *Gasteria* in that region showed up early in the presentation. **Buck** did a great job judging the Brag Table. Our usual cast of volunteers were on hand to run the different aspects of the meeting. Be sure to thank them for what they do. **Cathy Clark** volunteered to take over Refreshments from **Rudy Lime**. **Rudy** has been making coffee and putting out the snacks since I joined the organization in '97. I'm sure he was doing it before then. Be sure to thank **Rudy** for all his hard work.



Rudy Lime

We are adding a new feature to our June Show and Sale, an auction. See the next page for details.

Speaking of the June Show and Sale we will be enlisting volunteers at the May meeting. Please stop by the table and sign up with **Susan Hopkins**. I have sent the vendor agreements out and they are coming back in. So we will have a nice selection of vendors again this year.

**Vanessa Nelson** will be working with **Pam Badger** this year on the Education portion of the Show. If you know someone who would like to have a space presenting information to the public about topics related to our hobby please let us know. Educational displays by members will also be welcome.

By the time you read this I should be weeding my garden and sleeping late again. I look forward to seeing you all at the May meeting. Enjoy your gardens.

**Chris Miller**



The wonderful Brag Table at the April meeting1

## 2011 Summer Show

Our Summer Show is upon us, just six weeks away, time to start planning what gems you would like to share with the rest of us, the SDCSS membership, and other plant enthusiasts. This is your time to bring in those favorite plants that I know you have, it might be just one or many, there is no limitation on the number of plants that you may enter. The only thing I request is that the plants be clean and pest free.

We will be doing the hanging plant display again this year. I need you to enter your cliff dwellers, pendulous and epiphytic succulents.

This year the categories of Mammillaria have been changed to better reflect the diversity of this very large and popular genus. I feel this will encourage more entries and diversity. A cross reference sheet will be available at the show, listing the category that each species belongs in. Also, a new category has been added this year, Cycads. Many of us succulent lovers are also fans of the cycads, and many people don't realize that many cycads are also succulent.

At our next meeting I will be having a repotting and staging work shop before the meeting, at 11am. I will bring in some of my plants that I am going to stage, I will also help you with staging of your plants. Bring in your plant and pot, I will provide top dressing and soil. I will do as many that I have time and materials to do.

Lets make this show our best!

**Peter Walkowiak**, Show Chair



## Lizards, Lemurs and aloes: a recent trip to Madagascar

**Kelly Griffin**

Our Club Program Chairman, responsible for bringing us a wonderful group of outstanding speakers over the last few years, has just returned from a trip to Madagascar. While there, he encountered not only many interesting critters, but three previously undescribed *Aloes*. Ours will be the first Club to hear about his adventures on this trip, which included a 100km hike through the hinterlands.



## A Week To Remember - CSSA 34<sup>th</sup> Biennial Convention April 24-29, 2011, San Diego, CA

**Carol Maker**

It started Easter Sunday morning around 7:00 with volunteers setting up until about 1:00 PM when registration began, and ended with a grand closing dinner on Friday night. Thanks to **Chris Miller's** genius, everything was expertly organized down to the smallest detail and everything throughout the week proceeded almost flawlessly. The volunteer staff worked tirelessly and patiently, always smiling, to assist convention attendees.

There were a number of excellent lectures particularly those given by **Tom Knapik**, **Guillermo Rivera**, **Matthew Opel**, **Tom Glavich**, **Rudi Dorsch**, **Karen Zimmerman**, and **Todd Masilko**. **Tom Knapik's** lecture "Geometric Geophytes" featuring small plants, mostly cacti, with fascinating geometric shapes, was a favorite of this writer. He also showed a wonderful movie "Nature by Numbers" by **Cristobal Vila** ([www.eteraestudios.com/movies/nbyn\\_movies/nbyn\\_mov\\_youtube.htm](http://www.eteraestudios.com/movies/nbyn_movies/nbyn_mov_youtube.htm)) that demonstrates how the Fibonacci Series shows up in nature.

Especially enjoyed by participants were the day-long field trips to such places as Four Private Gardens, The San Diego Botanic Garden, Native Succulents featuring Dudleyas with Kelly Griffin, Anza Borrego Desert State Park, and Sherman Library and Garden and Palomar Gardens to mention a few.

At **Chris's** urging, **Editor Paul** took hundreds of photos of attendees during the convention and created a slide show which was played repeatedly during the closing dinner. Attendees loved it.



## Summer show auction



Seeking show quality plants for an auction to raise funds for a donation to the Anza Borrego Foundation for habitat acquisition. The habitat donation will be in celebration of SDCSS's 50th anniversary. The owner of the plant(s) to be auctioned can designate the amount of the auction price to be retained by the SDCSS for the donation, with a minimum of 30% to be retained. The auction will be held Sunday June 5 during the SDCSS annual show and sale.

We are looking for exceptional plants for the auction and all participants will be duly acknowledged. We hope that this event will become a permanent feature of the June show and raise conservation funds for years to come.

**Jerry Garner** and **Don Hunt**



## April BRAG TABLE WINNERS

Judged by **Buck Hemenway**



### CACTUS

Novice

- 1st Place, **Bev Grant?** - *Thelocactus macdowellii*
- 2nd Place, **Bev Grant** - *Stenocactus crispatus*
- 3rd Place, **Susan Lewitt** - Old Man Cactus

Intermediate

- 1st Place, **Candy & Jerry Garner** - *Mammillaria perbella*
- 2nd Place, **Chris Miller** - *Sclerocactus uncinatus ssp. wrightii*
- 3rd Place, **Allen Clark** - *Sulcorebutia arenacea*

Advanced

- 1st Place, **Peter Walkowiak** - *Lobivia occulta*
- 2nd Place, **Juergen Menzel** - *Mammillaria goldii*
- 3rd Place, **Peter Walkowiak** - *Thelocactus lophothele*

### SUCCULENTS

Novice

- 1st Place, **Alison Baldwin** - *Haworthia sp.*
- 2nd Place, **Bev Grant** - *Dudleya virens*
- 3rd Place, **Kienan Parr** - *Pleiospilos nelii* 'Worms of Dune'

Intermediate

- 1st Place, **Candy & Jerry Garner** - *Pachypodium gracilis*
- 2nd Place, **Elibet Marshall** - *Dudleya sp.*
- 3rd Place, **Ken Kelly** - No name

Advanced

- 1st Place, **Peter Walkowiak** - *Euphorbia suppressa x inermis v. buttonae*
- 2nd Place, **Phyllis Flechsig** - *Bulbine haworthioides*
- 3rd Place, **Peter Walkowiak** - *Euphorbia fasciculata x inermis v. buttonae*

Submitted by **Candy Garner**



## Succulent Success at the Mission Valley Marriott



**Art Cooley and Joe Ward\***

When the green committee of the San Diego Cactus and Succulent Society met last year with representatives of the Marriott, host to our convention, we asked if the plants around the pool could be replaced with succulents. Marriott staff agreed and within a month the newly planted succulents were thriving. All who attended the convention saw and appreciated their beauty. There were numerous compliments. But the succulents did more than look good; they saved Marriott water and maintenance costs, delighted a high school class, and created some very nice compliments about the 'aesthetic appearance' from the hotel's regular guests. Our suggestion was accepted and has proven useful.

Marriott estimated that the plantings will save nearly \$4,000 a year from reduced water usage and lower maintenance costs. Their calculations showed that their return on investment (ROI), the point at which they see their investment pay off, is 2½ years. Any ROI less than three years is considered financially successful. Marriott will be reporting this successful program as part of their general 'greening' program on their internal website so that other Marriott hotels can consider adopting a similar program.

Recently, when a high school class visited to inspect other 'greening' activities at the hotel, they noticed the succulents and explained to the hotel staff that these plants saved water and reduced costs. Some high school students really pay attention. So, a succulent planting that started out to be a 'nice thing' for our convention turned into a good investment and a worthy educational opportunity. Happily, the Marriott is a little 'greener' in many ways because of the convention, and we all are appreciative.

\***Art Cooley**, Co-chair, the green committee, and **Joe Ward**, Director of Finance and Accounting at the Marriott Hotel.

## SDCSS HELP Wanted ADS

**Club Treasurer position is open! No financial experience needed!**

Contact **Chris Miller** at [c.miller@cox.net](mailto:c.miller@cox.net) if you would like to volunteer or for more information on what the job entails. There isn't a better way to get to know other club members than volunteering!

**Show Co-Chairs** for the Winter and Summer Shows to assist **Peter Walkowiak** with planning, setup, etc

**Ride Coordinator:** Point of contact for those members who need a ride to meetings and those willing to give rides.

**Trophy Sponsorship:** We are in the process of updating trophies and are looking for donations to support the process.

**Education Chair** for Summer Show: Put together a program for education during the summer show

**Membership Committee members** to support the membership chair in providing membership services.

**Trip Coordinator** to coordinate trips, arrange bus contracts, destination requirements, etc.



**SAN DIEGO CACTUS AND SUCCULENT SOCIETY'S ANNUAL SHOW & SALE, JUNE 4 & 5, 2011**

★	<b>DIVISION I - CACTI</b>
3	<b>South American Cacti</b>
1	<i>Frailia, Blossfeldia, Cintia</i>
2	<i>Uebelmannia, Buiningia</i>
3	<i>Parodia</i>
4	<i>Notocactus</i>
5	<i>Gymnocalycium - solitary</i>
6	<i>Gymnocalycium - clumping</i>
7	<i>Rebutia</i>
8	<i>Sulcorebutia</i>
9	<i>Lobivia</i>
10	<i>Echinopsis</i>
11	<i>Weingartia, Soehrensia</i>
12	<i>Melocactus, Discocactus</i>
13	<i>Neoporteria, Neochilenia, Erioseye</i>
14	<i>Copiapoa</i>
15	<i>Matucana, Oroya, Demmoza</i>
	<b>Tube Flowered Ceroids:</b>
16	<i>Arrojadoa, Cleistocactus, Oreocereus, Espostoa, etc</i>
17	<b>Wide Flowered Ceroids:</b>
	<i>Trichocereus, Pilocereus(most)</i>
	<b>Opuntioids:</b>
	<i>Tephrocactus, Pterocactus, Quiabentia, Maihuenia</i>
18	
3	<b>North American Cacti</b>
19	<i>Echinocereus - pectinate spines</i>
20	<i>Echinocereus - straight spines</i>
21	<i>Turbincarpus, Gymnocactus, Neolloydia</i>
22	<i>Pediocactus, Sclerocactus, Anastrocactus</i>
23	<i>Thelocactus</i>
24	<i>Coryphantha, Escobaria, Acharagma</i>
	<b>Genus Mammillaria</b>
	<b>Subgenuses Mammilloidya, Mammillop-</b>
25	<b>sis, Cocheminea</b>
26	<b>Subgenuses Oehmea, Dolichochele</b>
27	<b>Subgenus Mammillaria</b>
	<b>Series Longiflorae</b>
	<b>Series Ancistrocanthae</b>
28	<b>Groups Tetraancistra, Guelzowiana, Grahamii, Diloica</b>
29	<b>Groups Barbata, Zephyranthoides</b>
30	<b>Series Proliferae, Decipientes, Hetero-</b>
	<b>chlorae</b>
31	<b>Series Sphaelatae, Leptocladodae, Polyeclae</b>
32	<b>Series Lasiacanthae</b>
33	<b>Series Polycanthae</b>
34	<b>Series Superextae</b>
35	<b>Series Leucocephalae</b>
	<b>Series Stylothealae</b>
36	<b>Group Bombycina</b>
37	<b>Groups Crinita, Oteroi, Glassii</b>
	<b>Series Mammillaria</b>
	<b>Groups Heyderi, Magnimamma, Brandegeei</b>
38	<b>Groups Mammillaris, Pettersonii, Standleyi, Compressa, Sonorensis, Petrophila</b>
39	<b>Ariocarpus</b>
40	
41	<b>Obregonia, Strombocactus, Aztekium, Epithelantha, Pelecyphora</b>
42	<b>Astrophytum</b>
43	<b>Ferocactus</b>
44	<b>Hamatocactus, Leuchtenbergia</b>
45	<b>Echinocactus</b>
46	<b>Stenocactus, Echinofossulocactus</b>
	<b>Wide Flowered Ceroids:</b>
47	<b>Cephalocereus, Pachycereus, Peniocer-</b>
	<b>eus, Wilcoxia, etc</b>
48	<b>Opuntia, Cylindropuntia</b>
3	<b>Other Cacti</b>
49	<b>Epiphytic Cacti - Selenicereus, Aporocac-</b>
	<b>tus, Epiphyllum, Rhipsalis, etc</b>
50	<b>Pereskia</b>
51	<b>Crested Cacti</b>
52	<b>Monstrose Cacti</b>
53	<b>Variiegated Cacti</b>

★	<b>DIVISION II - SUCCULENTS</b>
3	<b>Euphorbias - African</b>
54	<i>Esula</i> group: <i>balsamifera, lambii, autropurpurea, etc</i>
55	<i>Treisia</i> group: <i>garepinia, harnata, halleri, lignosa, etc</i>
56	<i>Geophytes</i> , deciduous stems and leaves: <i>trichadenia, bogensis, etc</i>
57	<i>Geophytes</i> , deciduous leaves: <i>tuberosa, primifolia, selenifolia, crispa, etc</i>
	<b>Pseudoephorbium</b> group: <i>bupleurifolia, clava, halii, loricata, etc</i>
58	<i>Medusae</i> , Western cape: <i>clavarioides, ifanaganii, pugniformis, etc</i>
59	<i>Medusae</i> , Eastern cape: <i>inermis, esculenta, caput-medusae</i>
60	<i>Medusae</i> , persistent peduncle: <i>pentops, suppressa, decepta, arida, etc</i>
61	<i>Psuedomedusae:</i> <i>multiramosa, namaquensis, fasciculata, schoenlandii, etc</i>
62	<i>Dactylanthus</i> group: <i>globosa, polycephala, etc</i>
63	<i>Meleuphorbia</i> group: <i>suzannae, obesa, meloformis, tubiglans</i>
64	<i>Anthacantha</i> group: <i>ferox, horrida, enopla, stellaespina, etc</i>
65	<i>Grandifoliae</i> group: <i>nerifolia, unispina, poissonii, etc</i>
66	<i>Scolopendriae</i> group, capsules not ex- truded: <i>clavigera, groenewaldii, aeruginosa, buru-</i>
67	<i>ana, etc</i>
68	<i>Scolopendriae</i> group, extruded capsules: <i>stellata, fashawei, knuthii, etc</i>
69	<i>Trigona</i> and <i>Polygonae</i> groups: <i>trigona, canariensis, grandicornis, hetero-</i>
	<i>chroma, fruticosa, columnaris</i>
70	<i>Triacanthium</i> and <i>Tetracanthium</i> groups: <i>ballyana, glochidiata, subsalsa, ellen-</i>
	<i>beckii, etc</i>
3	<b>Euphorbias - Madagascar</b>
71	<i>Lacanthis, lophogona</i> group: <i>lophogona, pachypodioides, etc</i>
72	<i>Lacanthis, miili</i> group: <i>miili, beharensis, horombensis, genoudi-</i>
	<i>ana, etc</i>
73	<i>Lacanthis, viguieri</i> group: <i>viguieri, neohumberthii, etc</i>
74	<i>croizatii, didiereoides, pedilanthioides, etc</i>
75	<i>Ankarensis</i> group, with caudex: <i>cylindrifolia v. tuberifera, decaryi v. tube-</i>
	<i>rosa, francoisii, primulifolia, etc</i>
76	<i>Ankarensis</i> group, prostrate stems: <i>decaryi v. decaryi, decaryi v. spirosticha,</i>
	<i>cylindrifolia v. cylindrifolia, etc</i>
77	<i>Ankarensis</i> group, shrub type: <i>millotii, moratii, ankarensis, capsainte-</i>
	<i>mariensis, etc</i>
78	<i>Bosseri</i> group: <i>bossier, playciada, hedyotoides, etc</i>
79	<i>Tirucalli</i> group: <i>tirucalli, stenoclada, leucodendron</i>
	<b>Euphorbias - New-World</b>
80	<i>Agaloma</i> group: <i>miseria, antisyphilitica, weberbaueri, xantii</i>
3	<b>Other Euphorbiaceae</b>
81	<i>Monadenium</i>
8	<i>Jatropha, Pedilanthus</i>
	<b>Crassulaceae</b>
83	<i>Kalanchoe</i>
84	<i>Cotyledon, Tylecodon</i>
85	<i>Crassula, Adromischus</i>
86	<i>Aeonium, Sedum, Sempervivum, etc</i>
87	<i>Pachyphytum, Graptopetalum, Tacitus,</i>
	<i>etc</i>
88	<i>Echeveria</i>
89	<i>Dudleya</i>
3	<b>Liliaceae</b>
90	<i>Aloe</i> , African: <i>variegata, melancantha, dorofhea, striata</i>
91	<i>Aloe</i> , Madagascar: <i>conifera, haworthioides, capitata, etc</i>
92	<i>Aloe</i> hybrids

\* Collections - A set of 6 - 10 different specimens that are related by a common theme, genus, form, color or other character

\*\* Arrangements - The combining of one or more plants for a scene or theme

\*\*\* Anything Goes - The creative use of succulent plants, pots and other media

**Plant Entry Classification Schedule**

93	<i>Gasteria, Asroloba</i>
94	<i>Haworthia</i>
95	<i>Sansevieria</i>
96	<i>Agave, Yucca</i>
97	<i>Beaucarnea, Calibanus, Dracaena</i>
3	<b>Aizoaceae</b>
98	<i>Lithops, Conophytum, etc</i>
	<i>Argyrodema, Aloinopsis, Pleiospilos, Fenesstraria, etc</i>
99	<i>Mestoklema, Trichodiadema, etc</i>
100	
3	<b>Asclepiadaceae</b>
	<i>Caralluma, Huernia, Stapelia, Hoodia, Pseudolithos, etc</i>
101	<i>Hoya, Ceropogia, Cynanchum, Sar-</i>
	<i>costermna, etc</i>
102	<i>Fockea, Raphionacme, Petropentia, etc</i>
103	
3	<b>Apocynaceae</b>
104	<i>Adenium</i>
105	<i>Pachypodium, Africa</i>
106	<i>Pachypodium, Madagascar</i>
107	<i>Adenia</i>
	<b>Portulacaceae:</b>
108	<i>Portulacaria, Ceraria, Anacampseros, Avonia, Talinum, etc</i>
109	<b>Didiereaceae:</b>
	<i>Alluaudia, Didierea, Decarya, etc</i>
	<b>Asteraceae:</b>
110	<i>Senecio, Othonna,</i>
	<b>Geraniaceae:</b>
111	<i>Pelargonium, Sarcocaulon</i>
	<b>Viaceae:</b>
112	<i>Cissus, Cyphostemma</i>
	<b>Moraceae:</b>
113	<i>Ficus, Dorstenia</i>
114	<i>Fouquieria</i>
	<b>Cucurbitaceae:</b>
115	<i>Ibervillea, Gerrardanthus, Kedrostis, Seyrigia, Xerosicyos, etc</i>
116	<b>Bromeliaceae:</b>
	<i>Deuterochonia, Dyckia, Hechtia, etc</i>
117	<i>Pachycaulis, New World:</i>
	<i>Bursera, Pachycormus, Bombax, etc</i>
	<i>Pachycaulis, Old World:</i>
118	<i>Conniphora, Adansonia, Operculicarya</i>
	<b>Caudiciforms and Geophytes:</b>
119	<i>Ipomoea, Dioscorea, Sinningia, etc</i>
120	<i>Orchids</i>
121	<i>Bulbs</i>
122	<i>Crested Succulents</i>
123	<i>Monstrose Succulents</i>
124	<i>Variiegated Succulents</i>
125	<i>Cycads</i>
	<b>★ DIVISION III - COLLECTIONS AND ARRANGEMENTS</b>
	<b>3 Collections*</b>
126	<i>Cacti</i>
127	<i>Succulents</i>
3	<b>Arrangements**</b>
128	<i>Dish Gardens</i>
129	<i>Anything Goes***</i>
	<b>★ DIVISION IV - SPECIALTIES, COMBINING CACTI AND SUCCULENTS</b>
130	<i>San Diego County Succulent</i>
131	<i>Baja Succulent</i>
132	<i>Mexican Succulent</i>
133	<i>Grafted Succulent</i>
134	<i>Seed grown by exhibitor</i>
135	<i>Miniature, less than 3 inches</i>
136	<i>Winter Show mini pots</i>
137	<i>Succulent bonsai</i>
	<b>★ DIVISION V - DISPLAYS</b>
138	<i>Displays and Exhibits</i>
	<b>★ DIVISION VI - ART</b>
139	<i>Paintings</i>
140	<i>Photography</i>



### UPCOMING EVENTS

**May 15:** Huntington Plant Sale, 10am to 5pm, at The Huntington Botanical Gardens, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, CA. Info: 626-405-2160.

**May 15:** Epiphyllum Society Show and Sale at Los Angeles County Arboretum, 301 No. Baldwin Ave., Arcadia, CA. Info: 310-670-8148.

**May 20-21:** Gates Cactus and Succulent Society 31<sup>st</sup> Sale: May 20-21, 9am to 4, Show: May 21, 9am to 4:30pm. at Jurupa Mountains Cultural Center, 7621 Granite Hill Drive, Glen Avon, CA. Info: 951-360-8802.

**June 4-5:** San Diego Cactus and Succulent Society Summer Show and Sale at Casa del Prado Room 101, Balboa Park, San Diego, CA. Info: 858-382-1797.

**June 11-12:** Los Angeles Cactus and Succulent Society Show and Sale, June 11 9am to 5pm, June 12 9am to 3:30pm at Sepulveda Garden Center, 16633 Magnolia Blvd. Encino, CA. Info: 818-367-0864.

**July 1-3:** CSSA Annual Show and Sale at The Huntington Botanical Gardens, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, CA. Info: 626-405-2160 Or 2277. Plant Sales July 1-3, Show July 2-3. Free to the public.

### extra photos



Raffle Table at the April Meeting



April Meeting Cactus of the Month, *Thelocactus*, by Ric Newcomer



'California Slope' by Club member and vendor **Si Osgrove**. Entered in the April 2011 NCSFA art show at the Poway Center For Performing Arts. Price \$495.

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\* CSSA Corner May 2011 \*  
\* Congratulations to the new editor of the CSSA Journal, **Tim Harvey**. \*  
\* His first issue has been delivered to members around the world. He is \*  
\* another in a long line of accomplished succulent enthusiasts to share \*  
\* his expertise and enthusiasm with readers of that excellent publication. \*  
\* The CSSA will be holding the annual Show and Sale at the Huntington \*  
\* Library and Botanical Gardens in San Marino, CA on July 1, 2 and 3. \*  
\* We hope to see many of our local Society friends there as well as out- \*  
\* of-towners who are able to stop by the best C&S sale anywhere. \*  
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