

South coast CACTUS and SUCCULENT society

meeting
January 8, 1978; 1:30 pm.
(Note: the meeting will
be held in our regular
clubhouse.)

South Coast
Botanic Gardens
26300 Crenshaw
Blvd.
Palos Verdes
Peninsula.

President,
Mary Belle
Wallenhorst

Board Meeting.
will be held at

Mary Belle Wallenhorst's at 7:30 pm., Thursday,
January 5th, located at [redacted],
Palos Verdes Estates. Old and New Officers and
Committee Chairmen please come.

Program: Greg MacDonald will present a program
on propagation of cacti and other succulents
from seed.

Plant of the Month: Actually two of them--
Zygocactus and (Rhipsalidopsis x) Schlumbergia.
They are sufficiently similiar to temporarily con-
fuse even old hands. Christmas cactus in bloom
in February? Bring it in.

We are going to have what resembles a Name the
Show Contest. Think up a good name for the Show
and we will vote on them -- win naming the Show
and get a prize!

Dues, are past due: If you can't be at the meet-
ing and haven't paid your 1978 dues. you can mail
them to Rowena Thompson, [redacted] Wilm-
ington, 90744. Dues are \$2.00 plus \$1.00 for



each additional person in the same household who
wishes to be a member. We would like to get the rost-
er out a little earlier this year, so please get your
dues paid by February meeting, which will be the last
newsletter for those who have not paid.

Last Month: Eve Workman installed the 1978 Officers
and demoted the retiring officers with kindness in
order not to discourage furture candidates, risking
some danger of swelled heads not deflating to proper
size. The 1978 Officers are:

President	- Mary Belle Wallenhorst
1st Vice President	- Ed Hancock
2nd Vice President	- Carol Sauer
Secretary	- Carol Kennedy
Treasurer	- Rosalind Hancock

They need all the help we can give them in making our
Club successful in its projects. Our new President
hopes every member will take part in making '78 a
terrific club year.

We had our Christmas Party with delicious finger foods
supplied by all. There was a contest for best Christ-
mas arrangement using succulent plants with 1st prize
going to Rosalind Hancock and 2nd prize to Mary Belle
Wallenhorst. We enjoyed classical guitar by member
Max Ramirez -- a wonderful addition to our Christmas
party.

Old business from our last meeting that will need to
be taken care of during our next meeting -- auditing
committee report and voting on the proposed constitu-
tional amendments regarding our business meeting for-
mat, and presentation of the monthly Treasurer's re-
port.

-Bring Plants for the Plant Table-
-Visit the White Elephant Table-

New Members: Judith Hollander

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Torrance, Ca. 90505

Phone: [redacted]

Illustration note: Cartoon by Reg Manning,
editorial cartoonist, winner of a Pulitzer Prize,
and avid lifetime supporter of the famous Arizona
Botanical Garden. Illustration is from Manning's
book, What Kinda Cactus Izzat? "Who's Who" in the
Desert. Reaganson Cartoon Book, Phoenix, Arizona.
c. 1941. The book is now in its 27th printing.