


... AND, WE HAVE A REPORT
TONIGHT ABOUT ANOTHER
RANDOM ATTACK OF THE
CHOLLA "JUMPING"
CACTUS.



THERE IS SOME DEBATE WHETHER
THIS PLANT ACTUALLY JUMPS ON ITS
VICTIMS; THERE IS NO DEBATE
AT ALL ABOUT THE VICTIMS
JUMPING. DETAILS AT
ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

WITH APOLOGIES TO -- G.B. Trudeau.

south coast Cactus & Succulent society

meeting February 12, 1978; 1:30 pm. South Coast Botanic Gardens, 26300 Crenshaw Blvd., Palos Verdes Peninsula. President, Mary Belle Wallenhorst.

There will be a PLANT TRADE: Have some extras? Bring them in to trade for something you don't have!

Plants for Show Sale: We make the most on donated plants. For some plants it is not too late to get them started. The fancy varieties of *Crassula argentea*, "Sunset" & "Colorado"; some *Aeoniums*, *A. haworthioides* & *A. arboreum*; *Sedums* or division of some *Haworthias*, etc..

More about our up coming Show: Show Workers are needed. Call Eleanor Barker at or sign up at the meeting.

Program: Gary Lyons of Huntington Gardens will present a program with emphasis on their cactus and succulent garden -- with slides! You don't want to miss this!

Plant of the Month: *Anacampseros* -- known as far back as the 1st century A.D. when Plutarch and Pliny wrote of it and the belief of some native Africans that it was a talisman to bring back lost love. Therefore, anakampto (to cause to return) and eros (love). And, along with this newsletter all are receiving this year's first written Plant of the Month report presenting information about our January Plant of the Month. Each newsletter will be accompanied by a written report of the previous Plant of the Month.

** VISIT THE WHITE ELEPHANT TABLE **
** BRING BRAGGING PLANTS **

Bragging plants: Some plants have lovely winter colors to show off making displays as beautiful as any flower.

Last Month: Greg MacDonald demonstrated methods of propagation of cacti and succulents, including growing from seed. He had many interesting specimens for illustration. An excellent talk!

We had a "Name the Show" Contest. Barbara Allen won with 'Enchanted Desert'.

Recovering: Henk Worries is home recuperating after surgery. We wish him a speedy recovery and hope to see him soon.

Corrections and New Members: Bert Munsterman has not moved but her city has -- to Torrance, same street address but her zip is now 90504.

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