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The mission of the California Native Plant Society is to increase understanding and appreciation of California's native plants and to conserve them and their natural habitats through science, education, advocacy, horticulture and land stewardship.

September Program September 10, 2003

Solve the mystery! Who will be our Horticulture Speaker on September 10th? We don't know! What we do know is that we will have someone knowledgeable talk about use of native plants in your garden, which is the topic of most every September chapter meeting because we want to get you excited about our Fall Plant Sale!

The meeting will be held at **Shepherd Garden and Arts Center in McKinley Park, 3330 McKinley Blvd, Sacramento.** (McKinley is the eastward extension of E Street). Parking entrance is on Park Street, 1 block to the south. The meeting begins at 7:00 p.m., attendance is free and the public is welcome. There will be cards, seeds, books and posters for sale, and refreshments.

Please feel free to contact Diana Hickson, 327-5956, to find out who our speaker will be!

Mather Field Update: Water Treatment Plant Threatens Mather Field Vernal Pools

The Sacramento County departments of Economic Development and Water Resources have proposed the building of a drinking water treatment plant at Mather Field on land that CNPS has long identified for preservation. The plant would treat groundwater pumped from wells in the Vineyard Area. After treatment the water would cross over to the Sunrise Douglas area to serve Angelo Tsakopoulos' new development "Anatolia".

CNPS is opposed to this site for three reasons:

- The building would cover some of the most pristine grassland habitat at Mather Field, while other sites could be use with far less ecological impact.
- The development would severely narrow the only corridor connecting the Mather Field vernal pool grasslands with other proposed preserves.
- It sacrifices long-range habitat conservation goals for short-term expediency.

In the months ahead our Chapter will be fighting against this plan and pushing its agenda for permanent preserves at Mather Field. Please stay abreast of this issue by checking the Mather Field vernal pool link at cnpssacvalley.org and/or by signing up at the same website to receive Mather Action Alert

email. You may also receive action updates by calling the CNPS Wildflower Hotline at 916-737-WILD.

Eva Butler

Report from the Capitol: Sac Valley Chapter takes on the State Legislature!

With CNPS taking a lead role in support of AB 406 (Jackson, Santa Barbara), Sac Valley Chapter members stepped forward to assist in getting grassroots contacts to key Legislators.

AB 406 would require the lead public agency approving development projects to themselves prepare, or have prepared, the Environmental Impact Report used by the decision makers and the public to understand a project's full environmental effect. It would stop the practice of developers preparing the draft EIR which guides the lead agency's review of the project.

In addition, AB 406 ends the practice of developers using "confidentiality agreements" in their contracts with consultants who prepare draft EIR's. These agreements can easily prevent the public really knowing the truth about a developer's project, e.g., the Newhall Land Co., in southern California, was able to hide the existence of the endangered San Fernando Valley spineflower until after many plants were destroyed.

As you can imagine, AB 406 has lots of opposition. Prior to the bill coming up for a vote on the Assembly floor in June, I and other lobbyists at the Capitol identified 16 target members that would be critical.

Glen Holstein, Peggy Berry, Heidi West, and Diana Hickson volunteered to help. Glen matched assembly legislative districts to CNPS chapters while the others called and emailed CNPS leaders and members in those target districts with an urgent appeal that contacts be made to the Assembly members office in support of AB 406. The goal was to ensure these legislators were hearing from lobbyists in the Capitol and also from constituents at home.

While we were not successful this time (AB 406 failed with 33 votes, but needed 41), this kind of team effort is necessary and will work. It is a critical part of creating "significant constituents" who will be recognized by elected officials as influential citizens.

Vern Goehring

CNPS Donation to Fair Oaks Bluffs

Sacramento Valley Chapter of CNPS donated \$1,000 to the "Citizens to Save the Bluffs" campaign, joining a community-wide effort to preserve for public use 4.5 acres of open bluffs above the American River in Fair Oaks.

At this donor level, "California Native Plant Society" will be engraved in bronze on the Bluffs Benefactor monument on Bridge Street, recognizing the shared goals and mission of CNPS members throughout the state. "California Native Plant Society" will also appear on one of the stepping stones within the park/preserve.

Members of our chapter's Conservation Committee, Glen Holstein, Heidi West, Bonnie Ross and Rick Bettis, made valuable scientific contributions to the park/preserve by locating, identifying and preparing an inventory of plants at the Bluffs site for conservation and restoration purposes.

Preserving this last open space in the American River Parkway as a legacy for future generations has been the dream of many community volunteers, organizations and individuals. But, dreams come with a price tag. On August 3, 2001 the original parcel making up the 4.5 acres was purchased for \$735,000 and subsequently deeded to the County. The second, adjoining parcel was purchased 1/31/02 for \$465,000, with the help of a bank loan (\$326,000) to be repaid by February 1, 2004. Approximately \$210,000 is still needed to retire that loan by 2/1/04.

Our chapter is proud to be involved in this important effort. Obviously, a substantial amount of money is still needed to guarantee the preservation of the second parcel. For further information about "Citizens to Save the Bluffs" and how to make a tax-deductible donation, please visit the website @ "www.savethebluffs.org."

Peg Berry

The Sacramento Valley Chapter Email List: Staying Informed About All Things Botanical

Do you want to be in "in the know" about botanical happenings in the Sac. Valley area, such as wildflower alerts, hikes, jobs, volunteer opportunities, classes and events? Would you like to be able to tell other plant-minded people about such things?

If you do, then you should sign up for the **CNPS-Sacramento Valley Chapter email list!**

As a member of the list, you will get announcements of all kinds of good things, and can share your news with other Chapter members who are subscribed. The way it works is that any message posted to the list is turned around and re-sent out to all subscribers. All messages are of general interest (i.e., no board meeting agendas, budget details, etc.); some examples, mostly taken from actual postings, are:

- wildflower alerts
- announcements of organized hikes (last year included Sacramento County, Bear Valley, Cache Creek)
- job announcements
- announcements of native plant sales, nursery open houses, garden tours
- requests for volunteers for revegetation, botanical surveys, weed control, events
- legislative/action alerts

It would be great to see everyone subscribed, so we can all share in the "Information Age" and have an easy way to

contact members. Please contact Harry Spanglet (harryj@dcn.davis.ca.us) if you have any questions or problems subscribing.

Details of the email list:

To subscribe to the list, send a blank email, from the account you would like subscribed, to:

CNPS_SacramentoValley-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

You will receive instructions on how to post messages, unsubscribe, contact the moderator, etc.

- The volume of emails is not very great (3 emails per week perhaps)
- Subscription is only open to CNPS Sac. Valley Chapter members (all subscriptions must be "approved" by the moderator, me) and is voluntary
- Members are not ever required to post messages, and can leave the list at any time
- Only messages originating from registered email addresses can be posted, so there should be no "spam"
- The moderator can unsubscribe anyone who misuses the list

Harry Spanglet



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**WEB PAGE IS  
UP AND  
RUNNING!**  
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The Plant List Project web page currently includes plant lists for the following three categories:

- Gardening with Natives
- Locations
- Rare Plants by County

<http://www.sacvalleycnps.org/plantlists/plantlists.html>

The Plant List Project team included Carol Crofoot, Bob Stahmer, Matt Gause, Tim Nosal, David Popp, Jack Heile, Steve Tyron, Cassandra Nguyen and Chris Lewis. We all hope you find this new web page informative and helpful.

Sabrina Okamura-Johnson

Highlights from the Chapter Council Meeting

The CNPS state office has moved to new digs at 2707 K St. More space, less money.

Education has gotten a boost from radio publicity on native plants. Southern Cal chapters are busy with gardener's primer and how to grow native plants handouts.

State Board has approved an amicus brief supporting Board of Forestry in a lawsuit affecting timber harvests.

Jepson Chapter Native Plant Garden received \$60K from State Coastal Conservancy.

CalFlora is back on line at www.calflora.org.

We have 4 new levels of major donor membership (see application, back page). New Lifetime memberships are abolished, but established lifetime memberships are still good.

Proposed changes to the Sierra Framework, under guise of fire management, are undercutting its protections, and the Endangered Species Act is not helpful. CNPS can help by "making noise": educating public, legislators, working with coalitions.

Meet the Legislature day was a worthwhile effort, getting grassroots going.



Spring Plant Sale & WOW Recap

The 2003 Spring Plant Sale and “Walk On The Wildside” (WOW) event was another success! According to Amy Hopperstad, USFWS staff, over 1500

people attended and over 200 volunteers helped make it all happen! Events included guided tours of the “Bufferlands” and Refuge, as well as Riparian and Wetland self-guided tours, puppet shows, live animal presentation, and music.

CNPS plant sale volunteers included the following chapter members: Steve Woodward, Bill Patterson, Bill Jenkins, Melinda Rivasplata, Paul Townsend, Bonnie Ross, Olga Myslivec, David Drummond, Russell Huddleston, Amy Boyer, Sylvia Gude, Michelle Wood, Emmy Gunterman, Julie Evans, Jennifer Hogan, Annie Kempees, Daniel Burmester, Muriel Strand, Bill Wingfield, Steve Dowty, Jeff & Toni Hart, and Leah Miller. I again want to thank all of you for making the 2003 CNPS Spring Plant Sale at WOW fun and successful for the 3rd year in a row.

Some firsts at this year’s spring plant sale included:

- Free CNPS magnifying glasses
- Free CNPS window decals
- CNPS Poster sale @ \$6 each
- Signing up 6 new chapter members
- Netting almost \$2,500!



Due to the educational opportunities and public outreach potential for CNPS, the Chapter Board would like to expand CNPS presence at the 2004 WOW and actually become an Event Sponsor. As an Event Sponsor CNPS will need 3 or more members willing and able to coordinate guided field trips of riparian and wetland habitats and/or wildflower areas at the refuge. We also need additional volunteers to help with development and coordination of a kids’ activity table that highlights the importance of native plants.

Though I’ll not be able to be coordinator for the 2004 Spring Plant Sale activities, one of our newest members, Clay Courtwright, a USFWS biologist at Stone Lakes, is willing to share the plant sale coordinator responsibilities with a partner. **Please contact Chris Lewis or myself if you would like to share plant sale coordinator responsibilities with Clay or to help with any of the other volunteer opportunities noted above.**

Please join us in making the 2004 WOW & CNPS Spring Plant Sale bigger and better next year!
Sabrina Okamura-Johnson

2003 Fall Plant Sale, September 27 No Hassle Shopping with Preorders

It’s happening again! Preparations are under way for the California Native Plant Society Sacramento Valley Chapter fall plant sale. The sale will be held at:

**Shepard Garden and Arts Center in McKinley Park
3330 McKinley Boulevard, Sacramento
September 27th from 9 AM to 3 PM.**

Once again the sale will offer native plants, drought tolerant plants, wildflower seeds, posters, and books. Eight local nurseries and the Sacramento Valley Chapter Member Growers are providing plants for the sale. And we are offering the opportunity to pre-order plants, so that you can pick your plants ahead of time and pick up your order on the morning of the sale. No hassle shopping!

Gardening advice will be available from UC Master Gardeners and nursery personel; handouts on growing native plants, growing wildflowers, and hummingbird and butterfly gardens will be available.

Educational exhibits and demonstrations will be part of the event, too. Information about the sale and a preorder form are available on the Chapter Website at www.cnpsacvalley.org. Proceeds of the sale support chapter conservation and educational activities.

Melinda Rivasplata

Spaghetti Raffle—No Strings Attached

The June Spaghetti Social generated good times, good food, good fun—and \$160.00 net proceeds from the raffle. It was a win-win event on all fronts.

Special Thanks to Raffle Prize Donors

Dalia VisGirda, FO Bluffs artist, donated a large framed art piece titled “From the American River Bluffs — Looking West,” won by an exuberant Bonnie Ross.

Marsha Prillwitz, local author and Master Gardener donated a cooking/gardening gift basket that included two signed editions of her garden/cookbooks.

Bevon Woodbury, owner of Wild Birds, Unltd. at Loehman’s Plaza, donated a \$25.00 gift certificate.

A chapter member donated a bag of worm castings, won by Sharon Patrician, Volunteer Coordinator with the Old City Cemetery, and a carrot-pecan cake, won by Jen Hogan.

Special, special thanks to musicians David Wright and Sue Jones who (1) received payment for their performance; (2) refunded almost the entire amount; AND (3) joined CNPS as new members! Welcome, David and Sue!

THANK YOU to the raffle prize donors, to Heidi West for organizing, AND to all who generously bought tickets to benefit our Sacramento Valley Chapter.

Peg Berry



September 27, 2003 9A.M. to 3 P.M.

Shepard Garden & Arts Center in McKinley Park
FALL PLANT SALE PRE-ORDER LIST
Pre-orders are due by September 16th

To pre-order, fill out the form and return mail it by September 16th to: Melinda/SacValleyCNPS, 4900 Alta Drive, Sacramento, CA 95822. Your plants will be set aside and waiting for your pickup and payment at the plant sale on Saturday, September 27th. Any pre-ordered unpaid plants not claimed at the sale by 11AM will be returned to the general sale area.

Please note: 1) Prices are subject to change; 2) Plant orders will be filled in the order that they are received; 3) Container sizes will be substituted if requested size is not available; 4) Additional plants will be available at the sale.

PLEASE PAY AT THE PLANT SALE – DO NOT ENCLOSE PAYMENT WITH THE PREORDER

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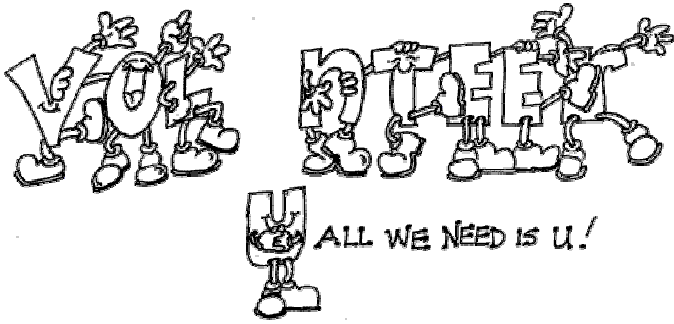
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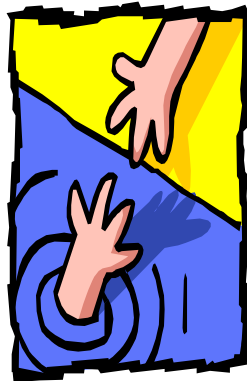
Container size and type vary by nursery. More than one container size may be available for a single species. See notes at end for key to container sizes.

Order Status	Scientific Name	Common Name	Nurs. Code	Size	Price	Quantity Ordered	Total Cost
	Achillea millefolium	yarrow	HL	SP5	6.00		
			BO	3.5 sq	1.00		
	Allium validum	marsh onion	HL	SP5	6.00		
	Anaphalis margaritaceae	Pearly everlasting	HL	TB5	4.00		
	Aquilegia Formosa	Western columbine	HL	TB5	4.00		
	Asaram caudatum	Wild ginger	AN	1G	8.00		
	Asclepias speciosus	Showy milkweed	AN	1G	8.00		
			AN	Liner	2.00		
	Aster chilensis	Marsh aster	HL	TB5	4.00		
			BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	Aristolochia californica	Dutchman's pipe	SV	1G	6.00		
	Baccharis pilularis	Coyote bush	BR	40D	5.00		
	Calycanthus occidentalis	Western spice bush	AN	1G	8.00		
			HL	TB6	6.00		
	Carex barbarae	Santa Barbara sedge	BR	TB	2.00		
	Ceanothus griseus horiz.	Carmel creeper	SV	1G	7.00		
	C. Snow Flurry	Snow flurry	SV	1G	7.00		
	Cephalanthus occidentalis	Buttonbush	BR	40D	4.00		
	Cercis occidentalis	Western redbud	BR	10T	2.00		
	Cercis occidentalis	Western redbud	HL	TB9	8.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	Chlorogalum pomeridianum	Soap lily	HL	TB5	4.00		
	Clematis lasiantha	Chaparral clematis	AN	4 in sq	4.00		
	Cornus nutallii	Pacific dogwood	HL	TB9	8.00		
	Cornus sericea	Red-twig dogwood	HL	TB9	8.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	Deschampsia cespitosa	Tufted hairgrass	BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
	Epilobium canum ssp. canum	Calif. Fuschia	BO	3.5 in sq	2.00		
			BO	1G	5.00		
			HL	TB6	6.00		
	E. canum ssp latifolium	Calif fuschia	BO	3.5 in sq	2.00		

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Order Status	Scientific Name	Common Name	Nurs. Code	Size	Price	Quantity Ordered	Total Cost
			BO	1G	5.00		
	Eriogonum latifolium	Chalk buckwheat	HL	TB5	4.00		
	E. nudum	Nude buckwheat	AN	4 in sq	4.00		
	E. umbellatum	Sulfur flw'd buckwheat	HL	SP5	6.00		
			BR	1G	5.00		
	Euthamia occidentalis	Goldenrod	HL	TB5	4.00		
	Eschscholzia californica	Calif poppy	BO	6 in	2.00		
	Festuca californica	Calif fescue	BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
	Fremontodendrom californicum ssp decumbrens	Pine Hill flannelbush	AN	1G	8.00		
	Galvezia speciosa	Island snapdragon	HL	TB6	6.00		
	Gentiana newberryii	Alpine gentian	HL	TB5	4.00		
	Helianthus californica	Calif sunflower	HL	1G	8.00		
	Heteromeles arbutifolia	Toyon	HL	TB5	4.00		
			BR	40D	5.00		
	Hibiscus lasiocarpus	Great valley hibiscus	AN	TB	4.00		
	Juncus efusus	Common rush	BO	3T	1.00		
	Lavatera assurgentifolia	Island tree mallow	SV	4 in sq	4.00		
	Linum lewisii	Western Blue flax	HL	TB5	4.00		
			HL	1G	8.00		
	Lonicera hispidula	Hairy honeysuckle	HL	TB6	6.00		
	L. involucrata	Twin berry	HL	TB9	8.00		
	Lupinus albifrons	Silver bush lupine	HL	TB6	6.00		
			AN	1G	8.00		
	Mimulus auranticus	Bush monkey flower	SV	1G	7.00		
			HL	1G	8.00		
	M. cardinalis	Scarlet monkey flower	BO	1G	5.00		
			HL	TB6	6.00		
	Mitella brewerii	Bishop's cap	HL	4 in sq	4.00		
	Monardella odoratissima	Mtn. Pennyroyal	HL	TB5	4.00		
			BO	1G	5.00		
			BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
	M. villosa	Coyote mint	AN	4 in sq	4.00		
	Muhlenbergia rigens Muhlenbergia rigens	Deer grass Deer grass	BR	TB	4.00		
			BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
			HL	TB5	4.00		
	Nasella lepida	Foothill needle grass	BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
	N. pulchra	Purple needle grass	BO	3.5 in sq	1.00		
			HL	TB5	4.00		
	Penstemon heterophyllus	Foothill penstemon	BO	1G	5.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	P. newberryii	Mtn pride penstemon	HL	SP5	6.00		
			HL	TB5	4.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	Phacelia californica	Coast phacelia	AN	Liner	2.00		
	Potentilla anserine v. pacifica	Marsh cinquefoil	HL	SP5	6.00		
	P. glandulosa	Sticky cinquefoil	HL	SP5	6.00		
			BO	3.5 in sq	2.00		
	P. gracilis	Graceful cinquefoil	HL	SP5	6.00		
			HL	TB5	4.00		
			SV	1G	7.00		
	P. palustris	cinquefoil	HL	SP5	6.00		



- **Habitat Improvement**
Sun. Sept. 21, 8:00AM, Effie Yeaw Nature Center at Ancil Hoffman County Park, 2850 San Lorenzo Way, Sacramento. Call Jack Hiehle, 967-0777 for details.
- **Represent CNPS**
Are you a CNPS member with just a few hours available to help out? We need a SacValley member to represent us at various Fairs & Events and at monthly Shepard Arts & Garden Center meetings. If you have the time, I'd love to hear from you! Chris Lewis 875-8910
- **Help Wanted!**
We have 2 Board Positions that need a leader right away!
Posters and Publicity Chairs
If you want to get involved, here's your chance! If you don't think you have enough time, ask about Co-Chairing a position. Other Board Positions would love to have active volunteers too. The time is now to show your interest! Looking forward to hearing from you! Chris, 875-8910.
- **Fall Plant Sale Needs You**
Want to help with sale day activities or help by growing plants? Call Melinda Rivasplata at 916-454-5937 (email at melrivas@aol.com) or Steve Woodward at 916-489-1744.
- **Spring Plant Sale Needs You Too**
Clay Courtwright needs help coordinating the Spring plant sale. Call Sabrina Okamura-Johnson, 929-7896, or Chris Lewis, 875-8910 to give him a call.
- **WOW! CNPS will need trip leaders and activity table people for our co-sponsorship of WOW.** See Sabrina's article on this year's Spring Plant Sale for details.



New Newsletter Editors

Amy Boyer and Karen Converse are taking over newsletter duties from Paul Townsend.

You might call Amy the managing editor: she's the one who assembles the articles, attempts to find a spot for them in the newsletter, and tries to remember when to use a hyphen and when to use an em dash. She joined CNPS because she thought it was a good way to learn more about the plants she sees when hiking and to expand her garden beyond vegetables.

If you have an article you'd like to see in the newsletter, send it to her at ajboyer@cal.net.

Karen is production coordinator: she takes care of getting the thing from the computer onto paper and into your mailbox.
Amy Boyer

Hikes with Jack Hiehle

- Wed. Sept. 3, Tues. Sept. 16, Tues. Sept. 30
Evening Beaver Walk call Jack, 967-0777 for time and to make a reservation (8 person limit)

Many Thanks for 1st Annual Spaghetti Dinner and Celebration

We had a wonderful turnout at the 1st Annual Spaghetti Dinner and Celebration! First, I want to thank all of you who helped make the evening such a success! Tim Nosal, Master Chef, did a masterful job last night. Having purchased most the materials Monday and the baking & sauce prep on Tuesday, he only had to do the pasta, appetizers, and direct the serving of all the food for 80 people, okay only 79. Thank you Bonnie for arranging the flowers so beautifully and all the other help & staying till the bitter end! Thank you Hazel for pitching in everywhere! Thank you Heidi & Peggy for your wonderful & fun Raffle (worm castings!). Thank you Sabrina for your Poster Sale! Thank you Jennifer & Debra for hostessing &&& everything else you did. And Jen, thank Nichole for being big sister to Debra's little one! Thank you Melinda & Myron, I mean Terry for serving & bussing the tables. Diana, thank you for your wonderful speech. And Frank, how could I have forgotten you!!! and still you washed pots & pans for hours! Thank you Olga for helping with dinner clean up. (And new volunteer Mary Ann Robinson for doing everything from shopping to clean up!) Thank you Brian Bennett for all the photo taking...can't wait to see them! And thank you to all of our servers Chris W, (and my family) Jarma Bennett, Brian & Candice Bennett. (Jarma, that actually might be the biggest stack of dishes I've ever seen! Thank you!) We'll also have to pass these thank yous onto our ticket takers Valentine, Kent & Andrea Slavin! And thank you to our entertainers, David Wright & Sue Jones, whose music created a comfortable atmosphere and friendly environment! (And of course to Andy Anderson for his enthusiastic bag piping!)

Chris Lewis

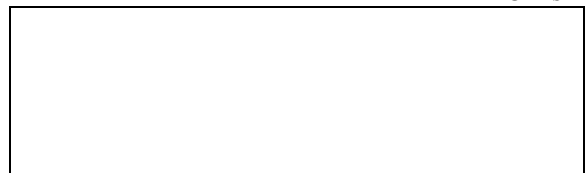


Photo taken at the 1st Annual Spaghetti Dinner & Celebration on June 11, 2003. These are our Spring 2003 SacValley Board Members. Back row: Chris Wilkinson, Peggy Berry, Bill Patterson, Glen Holstein, Frank Wallace, Tim Nosal, Heidi West. Middle row: Paul Townsend, Martha Mallory, Diana Hickson, Bonnie Ross, and Melinda Rivasplata. Front: Chris Lewis, Betty Mateyas, Hazel Gordon, Olga Myslivec, and Sabrina Okamura-Johnson. Unable to attend were: Bill Jenkins, Cassandra Ngyuen, and Steve Woodward. Photo by Brian Bennett.

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Membership category

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____ Individual, or Library: \$35

____ Household, Family, or Group: \$45

____ Supporting: \$75

____ Plant Lover: \$100

____ Benefactor: \$500

____ Bristlecone Pine : \$1,000

____ Redwood: \$2500

____ Valley Oak: \$5000

____ Giant Sequoia: \$10,000

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