



camelliasocietyofsacramento.org

Meeting Date: February 25, 2020, 7 PM

Presidents Message

Dear Camellia Friends,

Happy Valentine's Day to all of you! The Camellia Circuit has begun! We had our Judges

Symposium/Mini-Show on February 1st at the Elk's. We had a wonderful turn-out and lots of great information was dispersed. The only downer was Beve Heathorn's purse was taken when she was putting her groceries in her trunk at the grocery store across from the Elks...So beware, always keep your purse with you at all times.

Best of Show: Justin & Melissa Bergamini, with Bella Jinhua



Please come to our February 25th meeting! We will be talking getting ready for the show, signing up for work stations at the

show, and enjoying our camellia friends. So bring your pencil for signing up, money to buy plant raffle tickets and buttons. As usual, we will have delicious snacks at the break!

See you then, Julie

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE NOW DUE!

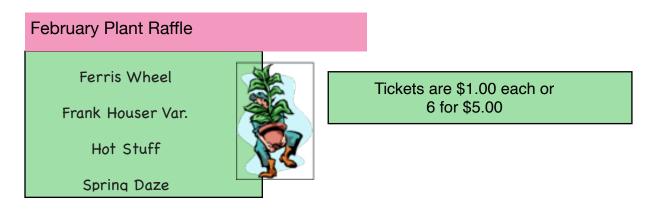
\$20 a year per household, electronic newsletter
\$25 a year per household, USPS newsletter
\$30 a year per household, Sustaining Membership
LuAnn Lantsberger, 2960 Brenda Way, West Sacramento, CA, 95691,
Questions: 916-729-9892
Mail check or see LuAnn Lantsberger at meetings

February Program: How to Prepare for the SHOW. Presenter: Panel of Experts

Meeting Dates:

February 25,2020How to prepare for a ShowPanel ofMarch 24, 20202020 Camellia WinnersDon BeApril 25, 2020Luncheon, installation of officers,
silent auction, plant raffle and fun & good food.0

Panel of Experts Don Bergamini



Camellia Quilt: We will be raffling a beautiful handmade camellia quilt made and donated by Betty Kisbey. The winning ticket will be drawn at the end of our show on March 8 at 5PM after our show. The quilt will be on display at our meetings. Tickets are \$5.00 each. See Irene Moore.

Plant Sale

We will be selling camellia and azalea plants from Nuccio' Nursery at our show on March 7 & 8. A list of plants are on our website, www.camelliasocietyofsacramento.org.

Northern California Camellia Council (NCCC)...Joan Lesmeister, Rep. On Saturday, Feb. 1st, at the Elk's Lodge, we had the Judge's Symposium, NCCC Meeting, & Mini Show! My count, we had 29 attending, and 297 blooms. Best of Show was won by Justin & Melissa Bergamini, with their beautiful Bella Jinhua...Congratulations! And, a total of 17 trophies, Nuccio's Nurseries Gift Certificates, were awarded, congratulations to you all! And Shannon won both Novice awards with her Toichi Domoto & Sue Kendall Var...yay.. & congratulations! Happy to have such a good turnout, thank you attendees! Don Bergamini did a great job tutoring us on the rules & regulations of judging. Thank you Don! Thank you to Julie, the Dons, the Schanz's, & others for helping to make the meeting a success! Hope to see you at the next NCCC meeting in the fall.

Northern California Camellia Show Schedule

| February 1, 2020 | Judges Symposium and Mimi Show | Best of Show: Bella Jinhua Justin and Melissa Bergamini |
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| February 15 & 16 | San Fran Peninsula Show | |
| February 22 & 23 | Santa Clara Valley Show | |
| February 29 & March1 | NCCS Show | |
| March 7 & 8 | Camellia Society of Sacramento | |
| March 13 & 14 | ACS Convention, Norfolk VA | |
| March 21 & 22 | Modesto Show | |
| April 5 | NCC | alia society of Sector |

2020 Camellia Button

Thank you Joanne Tsukamoto for your beautiful design of this year's collectable button. The buttons are still only \$1.00, magnets \$1.50.



Blast from the Past by Lana Paulhamus

APRIL 5, 2005 JOANNE LOGAN, TREASURER, Reported that she received correspondence from the American Camellia Society thanking us for our contribution of \$100 in the memory of Tom Lee and Bob Conlin, two long time members of Camellia Society of Sacramento.

Culture Corner by Don Lesmeister

The program for this month's meeting consists of a panel of experts who will answer your questions and demonstrate how to exhibit your flowers at Camellia Shows. Also, FREE show boxes will be available for you. These boxes were kindly donated by Bob and Joanne Logan, long time Camellia judges and members of our Society. Our Society is doing everything we can to assist you in winning prizes at our Camellia Show. Did you know that you do not need newer varieties to win prizes? For example, if you have an older variety, like Debutante, you can enter separate blooms in: 1. The Regular Class 2. Members Class. 3. Old Timer Class and if you have not won several TROPHY awards, in the 4. Novice Class ??????? And, if you do not know the name of your flower, please bring a bloom, to the Show, where we have an area to place your flower to be identified by the judges. Also, either bring a flower, or picture on your phone and we will do our best to identify it for you.....

Muer House in Folsom, California is having a Camellia Celebration on 2/29. It is open to the public and free. Beautiful flowers, museum and an interesting area to explore. If you are interested in volunteering to answer questions at our booth, contact Rosemary Spasovich, (559) 779-1197.

Button Design

We are looking for a new design for our 2020 collectable button. If you are interested in applying there is an application you can submit. Email Julie Vierra, j4sfgiants@sbcglobal.net.

Website

Our website, <u>camelliasocietyofsacramento.org</u> has been reformatted and updated with lots more resources and pictures. Let us know how you like it.



Camellia Society of Sacramento

February 2020





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LUNCHEON PARTY MENU WITH ICE CREAM

Price for Lunch

Garlic Steak Sandwich \$31.00 Chicken Sandwich \$31.00 *All Sandwiches served with choice of French Fries, Ravioli or Salad with House Dressing

| Combination Spaghetti and Ravioli Shrimp Louie Salad | \$23.00 \$27.00 |
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| Large Salad Bowl (green salad with shredded carrots, kidney beans, garbanzo beans, beets and | |
| salami) with choice of House dressing, Bleu Cheese or Ranch | \$22.00 |

*Pasta and Salads served with Garlic Bread

All Entrees served with choice of Coffee, Tea or Milk All Entrees include Ice Cream for Dessert *Prices Include Sales Tax and Gratuity*

MAKE YOUR LUNCHEON SELECTIONS AND RESERVATIONS BY FILLING OUT THE FORM BELOW MAKIN CHECKS PAYABLE TO: CAMELLIA SOCIETY OF SACRAMENTO SEND TO: Rosemary Spasovich 6129 Landis Avenue Carmichael, CA 95608

PLEASE GET YOUR LUNCHEON ORDERS IN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE! RESERVATION DEADLINE IS MONDAY, APRIL 20th QUESTIONS: CALL ROSEMARY AT (559) 779-1197

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| NAME | SELECTION plus CHOICE OF SIDE DISH* *(IF YOU ARE HAVING A SANDWICH) | COST |
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TOTAL _____

CHOOSE ONE! Ice Cream Choices: Spumoni [], Rocky Road [], Chocolate [], or Vanilla [] CHOOSE ONE!

CAMELLIA SOCIETY OF SACRAMENTO 2020-2021 CAMELLIA BUTTON CONTEST RULES AND INFORMATION

THE BUTTON MUST INCLUDE:

- ♣ CAMELLIA SOCIETY OF SACRAMENTO
- ***** 2021
- 97th Year (NO THEME THIS YEAR)

YOU MAY ENTER NO MORE THAN **3** DRAWINGS. PLEASE PRINT YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER IN PENCIL ON THE BACK OF THE DRAWING.

THE BUTTON MUST HAVE A MINIMUM OF ONE CAMELLIA BLOOM PICTURED. CAMELLIAS COME IN WHITE, PINK AND RED, LIGHT PINK TO DARK RED, INCLUDING COMBINATIONS OF ANY TWO OF THE COLORS, PINK, RED OR WHITE. THERE ARE A FEW THAT ARE A PALE YELLOW. THE CAMELLIA(S) SHOULD HAVE LEAF/LEAVES ATTACHED.

THE FINAL BUTTON SIZE WILL BE 1-3/4 INCHES IN DIAMETER.

YOU MAY USE AS MANY COLORS AS YOU LIKE, BUT THE SIMPLER THE BETTER, AS THE BUTTON IS VERY SMALL. THE CLEANER THE BUTTON, THE BETTER. BE CREATIVE!

FINAL DRAWINGS TO BE DONE ON 8-1/2 X 11 INCH BOND PAPER OR ART PAPER. WE NEED THE ORIGINAL COLORED DRAWING. (See attachment)

DEADLINE – SEPTEMBER 30TH. Our membership will vote at our October 27th meeting.

A \$100 PRIZE WILL BE AWARDED TO THE FIRST PLACE WINNER. THE WINNER WILL GET PROGRAM RECOGNITION WITH THE BUTTON DESIGN BEING DISPLAYED ON THE CAMELLIA PROGRAM AND THE BUTTON BEING SOLD TO THE PUBLIC. THE FIRST PLACE WINNER WILL ALSO WILL BE DISPLAYED AT OUR CAMELLIA SHOW IN MARCH, ALONG WITH ALL THE OTHER ENTRIES. THE WINNER WILL BE RECOGNIZED BY OUR MEMBERS AT OUR DECEMBER MEETING.

THIS BUTTON WILL BE USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH OUR ANNUAL CAMELLIA SHOW TO BE HELD ATTHE ELKS LODGE #6 SATURDAY, MARCH 7th, 2021. THE SACRAMENTO CAMELLIA SOCIETY WILL HAVE PROPRIETARY RIGHTS TO THE ARTWORK OF THE WINNER.

THANK YOU AND GOOD LUCK!

CAMELLIA SOCIETY OF SACRAMENTO QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL **JULIE VIERRA AT 916-371-2174** or email: **j4sfgiants@sbcglobal.net** CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE AT: camelliasocietyofsacramento.org

BUTTON COMPETITION APPLICATION

| Name |
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| Address |
| Telephone #/Cell # |
| E-Mail address |
| Tell us a little bit about yourself |
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| How did you hear about our contest? |

•You will get your button contest art work back at our Camellia Show held at the Elk's Lodge #6, the weekend of March 6th and 7th, 2022. We will have a Button Contest display at our show for everyone to see! Please see Julie Vierra at the Information Booth if you come to pick it up. We love putting faces to names and drawings!

•If you win first prize, your art work will go to Button Works for copying onto the button. We will not use any of your information above unless we have asked your permission. If you win, there will be an article in our newsletter, *Camellia Times,* and on our website.

•You will receive your prize at our *November 17th*, 2021 regular meeting, where you will be introduced to our membership. (7 p.m., Elk's Lodge)

*Send or bring by your *application* and *drawing* to Julie Vierra, 1048 Longcroft Street, West Sacramento, CA 95691. Be sure you have your name and address listed so we can return your art work.

Celebrating 97 Years Art Contest 2021 (Use the guides to help layout your design)

DO NOT USE WHEN DRAWING YOUR BUTTON!! THIS IS ONLY A GUIDE!!

