



Cactus Courier

Newsletter of the Cactus and Succulent Society of San Jose

Notice:

Due to the Shelter-in-Place order, we cannot predict when regular meetings will resume

Dec. 5, 2021

There will be no December Meeting, please enjoy your holidays! See you in January!

Jan. 9, 2022

TBD

Virtual Show & Tell

While you can't share your fabulous plants in person, you do have an opportunity to share online in our virtual show and tell on our Facebook page.

Prez Sez

You may notice the newsletter looks a bit different. Rich Kroll got injured right when the newsletter was ready to get prepped, so please send your healing thoughts his way!

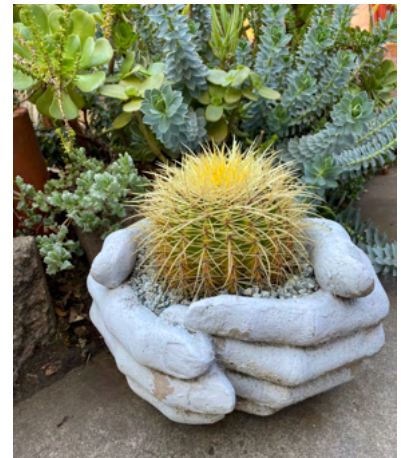
As we enter the holiday season, it's a perfect time to say how thankful I am to all of our members, vendors, and fellow board members. It has been a difficult time for all of us, and I appreciate those of you that have continued to make time to show up for our virtual meetings. Unfortunately the City of San Jose is still not allowing us to hold meetings at Prusch, so our meetings will continue to be online for the foreseeable future. If you know of a meeting location suitable for our meetings or would be willing to lead the search for a new meeting location, please let us know as soon as possible.

A reminder to complete the google form for membership for 2022. Complete it by Dec. 31, and your membership fees will be waived. **Only those that complete the membership form will continue to receive the Cactus Courier!** Take a moment to complete yours now:

<https://bit.ly/3l4IYLf>

Our program has not been set for January yet, but I hope to see you all after the New Year at our January 9 meeting. Have a great holiday season and deck those cacti and succulents!

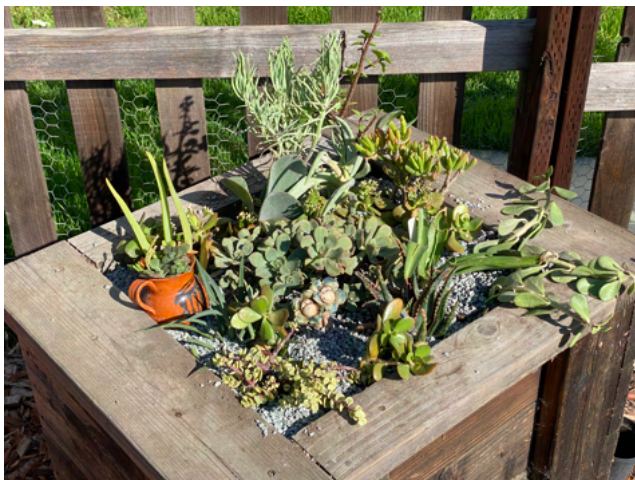
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Community Outreach



Our outreach project at Veggielution saw a variety of helpers to put together two planter boxes for the organization's Youth Garden. One box was set up as a "shade" one and the other one as "sun" based on the placement under the adjacent tree. After the planting was completed, an area was set up with small pots and cuttings for our helpers to create their own planters to take home.. Special thanks to club member Terri for bringing a bag of Dry Stall and plants as well as staying to help out with the project!



I hope that you will come check out the project as it grows. The Youth Garden is open every first Saturday morning from 10:00 to 12:30.

As we head into Winter, it's time to think about how to protect your plants. If you are in need of some row cover, you are in luck! Our club will be receiving a roll of it, and we can share with interested parties.

Please email sjcactussucculent@gmail.com with your name and how much you would like.



Help Wanted

We have the following positions open:

Location search and management
Insurance Coordinator
Mini Show Chair
Publicity

We want to be prepared for when we are able to resume in person meetings again. Some of these positions will be needed before that however.

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