

# LASCA NEWS

A periodic report from the Los Angeles State  
and County Arboretum to the members of the  
California Arboretum Foundation, Inc.  
Arcadia, California

APRIL 1967

## ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

The Annual Membership Meeting will be held Tuesday, May 16, 1967. The meeting convenes at 2:00 P.M. in the Lecture Hall of the Arboretum. Reports of the past years activities and accomplishments will be given. As a member of the Foundation this is an opportunity to know how much your interest and membership supports the Foundation's purposes and sponsorship of the Arboretum.

We feel most fortunate to present Dr. Nicholas T. Mirov, Research Associate, Department of Geography, University of California, Berkeley, as our guest speaker. He will speak on the "Horticultural Value of Pines" illustrated with colored slides.

Dr. Mirov was associated with the Pacific Southwest Forest and Range Experiment Station of the U. S. Forest Service for 30 years as a plant physiologist. He is the recipient of the first gold medal for research from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the Award for Achievement in Biological Research by the Society of American Foresters, as well as research grants from the Rockefeller and Ford Foundations. His many publications include a Russian geography textbook which he used for many years in teaching at the University of California Geography Department.

Following adjournment of the meeting, "Open House" will be held in the new Peacock Pavilion, refreshments in the Home Demonstration Gardens and plant distribution. (Be sure and bring your paid-up membership card.)

As members of the California Arboretum Foundation, Incorporated this is YOUR meeting and your Board of Trustees and the Foundation staff will be looking forward to greeting you.

REMEMBER TO MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR

TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1967

2:00 P.M. -- LECTURE HALL -- ARBORETUM









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Dear Member of Las Voluntarias:

Fall is fast approaching and we hasten to send you an invitation to attend our Training Program which is a requisite for active membership in our official hostess group for the Arboretum Historical Center. The Charter Members have now completed eight successful and exciting months of service to the Arboretum and we look forward to the time when you will join one of our three sub-groups to: 1) give guided tours of the Historical Section to school groups; 2) catalog and repair the historical possessions; 3) fix fresh bouquets and clean the Queen Anne Cottage and Hugo Reid Adobe every week to delight the eyes of visitors.

The Training Program will be held the five Monday mornings of October from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon and there will be luncheon meetings the first two Mondays in November. All October meetings will be held at the Arboretum. On November sixth we will make a field trip to the Adobe de Palomares in Pomona for a tour and picnic lunch with the Curator. The final meeting, November thirteenth, will be a festive luncheon at the Arboretum given by the old members of Las Voluntarias for new members and representative members of the Arboretum staff with whom we work throughout the year.

The course will cover all sections of the Arboretum with particular emphasis on the Historical Section. Anyone wishing to linger after class for lunch and further discussion in the Peacock Pavilion will be very welcome. Many of the Charter Members have elected to take this second training program with you.

If you wish to join us and take the Training Program, please contact the Membership Chairman of Las Voluntarias (c/o California Arboretum Foundation, 301 North Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia, California 91006) by September 15. Looking forward to seeing you in October.

Alice Douglas  
Membership Chairman

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Dear Member:

Again this year, California Arboretum Foundation, Inc. is pleased to sponsor a day time class at the Arboretum in sketching and water coloring. Mr. Gerry Patten, former Arboretum Staff Artist, is the instructor.

Date: September 20, 1967 through December 6, 1967

Time: Each Wednesday, 9:00 A. M. to 12 Noon

Place: Lecture Hall, Arboretum, 301 North Baldwin Avenue, Arcadia

Fee : For 12 weeks: \$20.00 - Foundation Members  
\$25.00 - Non-Members

Please call the Foundation Office - 447-8207 - for required advance registration.

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## FALL CLASSES FOR ADULTS AT THE ARBORETUM

September 11, 1967	Home Horticulture 14 Sessions, Mark Anthony, Instructor	Monday evenings, 7-10 P.M.
September 13, 1967	Home Landscaping 14 sessions, Scott Wilson, Instructor	Wednesday evenings, 7-10 P.M.
September 13, 1967	Plant Identification September 13, 1967 - January 24, 1968	Wednesday evenings, 7-10 P.M. Dr. Leonid Enari, Instructor
September 19, 1967	Home Gardening September 19, 1967 - January 23, 1968	Tuesday mornings, 9:30-11:30 A.M. Lydia Birt Williams, Instructor
September 20, 1967	Cactus Group Meetings W. Lockwood and W. Fader, president and director respectively, of the Los Angeles Cactus and Succulent Society, conducting the meetings, and presenting guest experts.	Wednesday evenings, 7:30 P.M.
September 25, 1967	Plant Materials in Landscaping for Professionals Fee: \$40.00	Monday evenings, 7-9:15 P.M. Philip Chandler, Instructor, in cooperation with UCLA Extension Division.
October 20, 1967	The Theodore Payne Foundation  Mr. Percy C. Everett, Superintendent of Rancho Santa Ana Botanic Garden, will speak on "California Natives for your Garden".	Friday, 8:00 P. M.

These classes have been designed to accommodate the interests and the time schedules of busy adults at both the amateur and professional level.

