Meeting held: United Methodist Church 1000 S State College Blvd. Anaheim, CA 92806

## September 2023 President's Corner Jaki Kamphuis

Aloha members! Fall is in the air; the days are getting shorter and night temperatures are getting cooler. Where did summer go? We had a short growing season this year, and many of us had fewer blooms than usual. Some of my plumeria are already starting to get yellow leaves indicating that they are starting to go dormant. I am hoping that this winter won't be as bad as last year. I'm already thinking about next Spring...lol.

Elections were held at the last meeting. Congratulations to our new Board: Dawna Fry, President; Jim McKibben, VP #1-Programs;

Rich Ingrassia will continue as VP #2-Membership;

Julie Spacht will continue as Treasurer and

Angie Dalley will continue as Secretary.

Mahalo to Trace Westcott and Ken Sakata for being our election committee once again! The end of the season Luau is October 8th. Fun, food, entertainment and an awesome raffle awaits you! Every year the Board allocates money to our main vendors to supply plants for the raffle at the luau. This year there will be \$1000 worth of plants raffled off! I hope to see you there! Mahalo, Jaki



### Mission

Educate the membership in the culture, development, hybridization, propagation and research of Plumeria (Aka Frangipani) Promote interest in and increase knowledge of Plumeria, share this knowledge, and promote a forum for the South Coast Plumeria Society members.

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## **Bragging Time**

At the October Luau meeting, We will set aside a space for BRAGGING, exhibition of flowers, inflows, whole plants, if you like. We'd love to see your endof-the-year sensations!

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## **Highlights from September Meeting**

Mike and Dawna Fry showed a narrated slide presentation on their recent trip to Maui, Hawai'i where they toured Koko Crater and Jim Little Plumeria Farm. Sounds like they had a great trip and saw amazing flower! Thanks for sharing!









### Minutes

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Meeting: September 10, 2023, 2PM-4PM Topic: Business meeting Election of Officers Election Committee Ken Sakata and Trace Westcott No nominations from the floor Candidates each made a brief presentation regarding qualifications and desire to run. Results for a the two-year term are as follows: President- Dawna Fry V P 1- Programs- Jim McKibbens VP #2-Membership- Rich Ingrassia Treasurer- Julie Spacht Secretary- Angie Dalley

Program- Presentation by Mike and Dawna Fry regarding their recent trip to Maui viewing Koko Crater Gardens and Jim Little Plumeria Farm.

Announcement was made regarding next month's (October's) meeting. It will be the end of the members-only luau. The date, Oct 8, was set to avoid conflict with the IPC 23 conference, Main dishes, rice and drink will be provided by the Society. Members are asked to bring side dish or dessert. Drawing will be held for selections from our vendors.

Silent auction was held

Refreshments were provided by Members M-Z

Minutes recorded by Julie Spacht

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October's meeting will be our annual Luau; one of the perks of membership. Come and enjoy good food, entertainment prizes and fun. We look forward to seeing you there for this festive end to the season; before we break for the winter.





From September meeting. Thanks for the photos, Anita.

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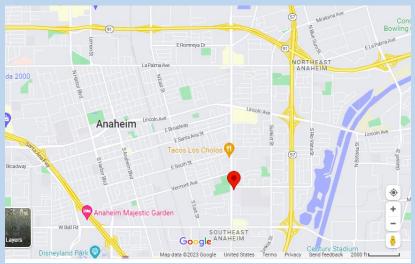
The conference was a great collaboration between the Plumeria Society of America and the Los Angeles County Arboretum.

Highlights of the conference included presentations on DNA research, Jungle Jacks and Maui Plumeria Gardens (Doug Brunner) Plumeria pests, fertilizers, identification, Rivendell Garden's in Australia, virus update, Grove tour and Hawai'i plant tours, to name a few. I'm sure more information will be coming from it.

The facilities were great, swag bags, prizes and, of course food, were fantastic. Much of the success of the event was because of the work by your local society members. Thanks for the great time!

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