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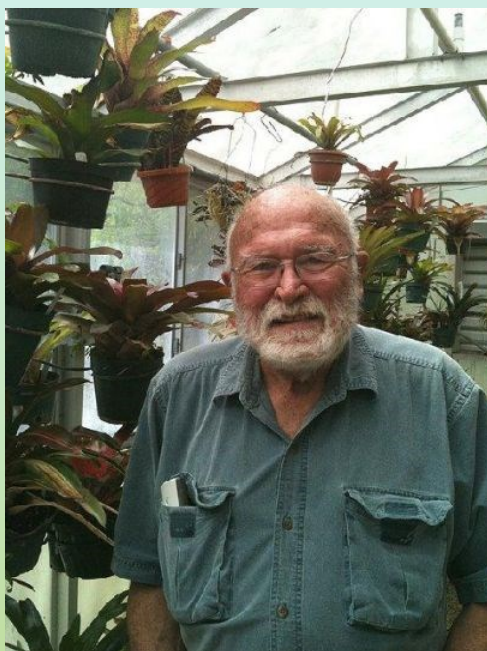
NEWSLETTER FOR THE SAN ANTONIO CACTUS
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THE SAN ANTONIO CACTUS AND XEROPHYTE SOCIETY WAS ORGANIZED IN 1977. ITS MISSION IS TO PROMOTE THE STUDY, PROPAGATION, AND PUBLIC AWARENESS OF CACTI AND OTHER SUCCULENT PLANTS.

SAD NEWS



Our friend and fellow SACXS member, Harvey Kendall passed away Tuesday, November 25 after a 2 year struggle against leukemia. He will be missed. He was a kind and generous man with great knowledge of plants and gardening in general and Bromeliads in particular.

There will be a memorial for him at his home, 110 Palo Duro, San Antonio, TX 78232 on December 14 at noon. All are welcome.

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SACXS Christmas Party

For our Annual Holiday Party
we will meet for dinner and fun on:

Wednesday, December 17, 2014 (our regular meeting date)

The San Antonio Garden Center

3310 North New Braunfels Ave

San Antonio TX 78209

6:30 PM—9:00 PM

Highlights

Spiral-sliced Ham (provided by SACXS)

Holiday Side dishes (Member provided)

Holiday Desserts (Member provided)

Coffee, Tea and Water (Provided by SACXS)

Silent Auction

RSVP No Later than Friday, December 12 to Marleen

Crucq at mecrucq@gmail.com

or 210-248-9037

Menu/ Food Sign-up

Please plan on serving 12 with what you bring.

If you can, please do homemade to make our dinner as special as possible. If you bring your recipe, I'll compile them all and make a recipe booklet for each person contributing.

Please bring your own (labeled) serving pieces.

Here are the menu categories suggested:

Appetizers (if you bring one of these, please arrive early so all can enjoy them before supper)

Veggie tray with dip

Fruit tray

Crackers/cheese tray

Chips/Dips

Main Meal

Mashed potatoes

Dressing & Gravy

Sweet Potatoes/Yams

Veggies (tell us what you're bringing)

Green salads with dressing

Other salads (Jell-O/fruit/pasta) tell us what you're bringing

Rolls/Biscuits/muffins/ and Butter

Cranberry sauce & Relish tray (pickles, olives, etc.)

Desserts (tell us what you're bringing)

If you signed up at the November meeting, you'll get a reminder email from Marleen Crucq who's coordinating the dinner for us. If you haven't committed yet, call Marleen at 210-248-9037 or email her at mecrucq@gmail.com and let her know that you're coming and what you're bringing.

We can't use the stove, microwave or oven, so please plan on how to keep your dish warm if necessary. We can use the fridge.

Please RSVP as soon as possible so we can order the correct amount of meat.

Program Line-up

December 2014—January 2015

12-17-14

SACXS Christmas Party

At the Garden Center

6:30 to 9:00 pm

Put on your party clothes and come celebrate the holidays with fellow plant lovers. SACXS will provide the main entrée and members are asked to bring the trimmings.

There will be a silent auction too!

01-21-15 General Meeting

At the Garden Center

6:30 to 9:00pm

Eva Schmidt and other club members will bring some of their favorite foods, all made using native cactus or prickly pear juice. From jams and jellies, to cheesecake, and syrups. Nopal recipes will be introduced also.

If you have a recipe you want to share contact one of the Board members and we will add you to the program.