



# Midwest Cactus and Succulent Society

\*\*\*\*\* FEBRUARY MEETING NOTICE \*\*\*\*\*

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| <b>Location:</b> Cleveland Botanical Garden<br>Smith Classroom<br>11030 East Blvd<br>Cleveland, Ohio 44106 | <b>R.S.V.P:</b> 440-259-3501<br>or <a href="mailto:kdsnell@roadrunner.com">kdsnell@roadrunner.com</a> |
| <b>Date:</b> Sunday February 24, 2013  | <b>Time:</b> 1:00 – 4:00  |
| <b>Topic:</b> Show Prep  | <b>Plant of the month:</b> Bring your early<br>Spring Bloomers  |

**Next Meeting:** The February meeting will be at Cleveland Botanical Garden in Cleveland's University Circle area. The Smith Classroom is on the parking garage level, down the hall past the security office. Garage parking is \$6 paid at ticket vendor by security or \$5 when paid at main entrance info desk; there is no CBG admission fee to attend club functions. Bring snacks to share. Guests are always welcome.

**Program:** We will work on March Show's setup details and tour CBG's new show area. Have ready your display plant table size and setup date, any job requests and show availability schedule. If showing plants, I'll need a list to print table display labels ASAP.

**Minutes (January '13 Meeting):**

- \* Meeting was held at CBG. We had 23 members attend and welcomed new member Melissa Mezgac.
- \* Treasurer's report: club balance
- \* Program chairman's report: working on 10/20/13 Cleveland Indoor Garden Club joint meeting
- \* Use our website ([www.mwcss.com](http://www.mwcss.com))! We need to populate our blog and keep it current to attract outside interest. Email blog comments & questions, photos and links to Tim M. at [timj@hearthstonefarm.net](mailto:timj@hearthstonefarm.net)
- \* Bring back club library material for renewal each meeting.
- \* Possible club fieldtrip to Austin, Texas for CSSA National conference June 10-15, 2013.
- \* 2013 Spring Show & Sale will be at CBG on March 23<sup>rd</sup> 10 am – 5 pm & 24<sup>th</sup> 12 – 5 pm. We begin set up Friday afternoon March 22<sup>nd</sup> and finish March 23<sup>rd</sup> 8 am. Show details and layout will be worked out next meeting.
- \* Show program will be 'Baja Sur: Exploring Roads Less Traveled', presented by Bill Hendricks.
- \* Next meeting show flyers will be available for members to post at local sites. I can also email the Office Word doc file to those wanting to print copies.
- \* Everyone...start saving small & medium boxes, fast food drink trays, newspaper, and paper and plastic bags for boxing customer plant purchases. Long, shallow boxes aren't sturdy and don't work well.

Please try to make this important show setup meeting!

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Directions to Cleveland Botanical Garden:

11030 East Blvd in the University Circle/Wade Park area of Cleveland, 5 miles east of downtown  
From I-90 Lakeshore Memorial Freeway:  
Take Martin Luther King Drive and go south on MLK.  
Cross E 105<sup>th</sup> and follow the traffic circle to East Blvd. CBG is at the end of East Blvd.