

Mídwest Cactus and Succulent Society

APRIL 2014 MEETING NOTICE ******

R.S.V.P: 440-259-3501

Food: Finger foods / snacks

or kdsnell@roadrunner.com

Location: Cleveland Botanical Garden

Smith Classroom 11030 East Blvd

Cleveland, Ohio 44106

Date: Sunday April 27, 2014 **Time:** 1:00 – 4:00

Topic: Show Prep **Plant of the month:** Echiveria

MEETING DATE HAS CHANGED!

Next Meeting: The next meeting will be April 27, 2114 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 main entrance info desk; do not use ticket machine by security as it may now cost more at the hourly rate. There is no CBG admission fee to attend club functions. Bring snacks to share. Guests are always welcome.

Program: Sean Diamond will present a program on echiveria. Sean is a very gifted member of our club.. Please come and support him in his first presentation to our club!

Thanks to everyone's help and hard work, our March show went well. We will discuss the results, issues with show setup or operation, suggestions and changes for next year. If you took any pictures at the show, bring them on your digital media to show and make copies for our club archives.

From January/February '14 meeting notes:

- * Treasurer's report: a few members owe club dues
- * Sad FYI..Audrey Vondrasek, wife of long time club member Joe Vondrasek, passed away March 1, 2014. Joe was deeply touched by and thankful for the planter arrangement from our club. Her obituary link is http://www.golubskideliberato.com/fh/obituaries/obituary.cfm?o_id=2442150&fh_id=13972
- * Bill Hendricks was featured in a beautifully done Ohio Magazine article in their January 2014 issue. We thank Bill for mentioning our club and March show in his spotlight! The article link is http://ohiomagazine.com/Main/Articles/4881.aspx
- * Laura Noble book recommendation: The Monkey's Voyage (or improbable journeys shaped the history of life) by Alan de Queiroz. Discusses new dating and origin information of life.
- * Remember, you can check our website (<u>www.mwcss.com</u>) for club schedules and meeting info. We need to populate our blog and keep it current with photos, comments, questions, and links. Bring them to the meeting or email them to Tim M at timi@hearthstonefarm.net

See you the Sunday after Easter!

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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: Exit on Martin Luther King Drive and go south. Cross E 105th and follow the traffic circle to right and turn left at Wade Park Oval by Art Museum. Parking garage and CBG is straight ahead at the end of East Blvd.