# February 2024



- 1. Board Meeting February 21, 2024
- 2. General Meeting February 28, 2024

### **Program:**

- 10:00 Meeting in Session
- 10:20 Demonstration
- 11:00 Guest Speaker
- 12:00 Potluck & Raffle

## General Meeting February 28, 2024

Winnie Davis
Membership Director
Welcomes our guest
Dawn Zittel
from Coronado

28 Members and 3 Guests Attended





Valli Reed, President Calls the Meeting to order promptly at 10 a.m.

Cecilia Carrick, 2VP announces today's program

# Guests



Elizabeth Hudgens South Carolian



**Dawn Zittel** 











Demonstration:
Jackie Zhang
First Master
Ohara School of
Ikebana

Ms. Jackie Zhang is the founder of the San Diego Sakura Chapter of the Ohara School. (SDSCOS)



Free Expression

"Year of the Dragon"



#### **Hana Kanade**

#### Radial









#### **Arrangements by Jackie's students**









**Rose Tyson** 



Anna Noah introduced Jackie and narrated during her demonstration.

Rose Mizrahi assisted.





Left to Right: Rose Mizrahi, Jackie Zhang, Anna Noah & Rose Tyson

#### **Guest Speaker**



# Florizel (Zel) Yasuhara Soryu 宗留

"Chado"
The Japanese
Way of Tea

Florizel has been studying Chado, the Japanese Way of Tea, ongoing now for 25 years. She is a San Diego native, but was first introduced to Tea during her college years in Northern California.

Shortly after graduating, she received a one-year scholarship for intensive and immersive study of Chado in Kyoto, Japan, under the instruction of the 15th Generation Urasenke Grand Tea Master. She also received an Associate's Degree in Japanese.

Since returning from Kyoto, Florizel has been sharing her knowledge of Chado at the Japanese Friendship Garden & Museum in Balboa Park and in private lessons at her home.

Her mission is to carry on the Grandmaster's motto of Peacefulness Through a Bowl of Tea, which today is needed more than ever.



Ayumi Terada (L) Zel Yasuhara (M) Yuka Tomoyose (R)













#### Rose & Judi "Friendship through Flowers"



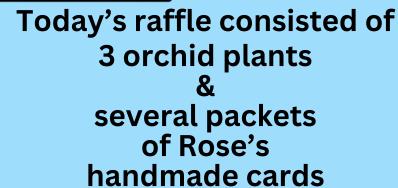
Our Library is attended by Joan Azar



# Potluck & Raffle









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# See you in March for our 56th Annual Spring Show!





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