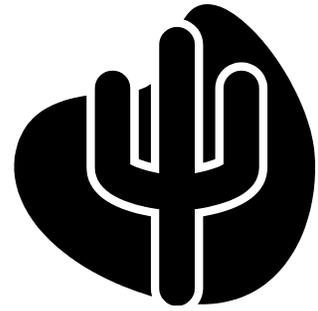




# NEW YORK CACTUS & SUCCULENT SOCIETY



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## NEXT MEETING AND PROGRAM

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGES IN THE DATE AND VENUE FOR THIS MEETING:

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 16, 2009 at the residence of fellow member Brenda Rivera, 211 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street, NYC, Apt. 6B, between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenues. By subway, you can take the 4, 5, 6, N, Q, R, and W to Union Square (14<sup>th</sup> Street), or the L to 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue (14<sup>th</sup> Street). Brenda will give us a presentation on growing succulents in low-light conditions, using examples from her collection of growing plants in north and east windows. This invitation, at Brenda's request, is also being extended to the Indoor Gardening Society, the Bromeliad Society, the Begonia Society, and the Gloxinia and Gesneriad Society. This sounds like a real good one folks, so we look forward to seeing you all there.

## FROM YOUR EDITOR

Well, another summer has come and (almost) gone, and I hope you all had a great season enjoying your plants. We had a very enjoyable June meeting at my place, topped off by a hearty lunch, with great camaraderie all around. A lot of us made it to Dr. Barad's in July, which as usual was a wonderful day (Thank you again, Dr. Barad). We should now look forward to another enjoyable meeting season, and Brenda Rivera has graciously opened her house for us for this month's meeting. Hopefully, the inevitable New York winter chill will hold off as long as possible, so we can enjoy the growing season a little bit longer. So, here's to another happy and healthy meeting season, and I look forward to seeing you all again.

George J. Cambourakis  
Editor

## MEMBERSHIP DUES

Another reminder to please send in your \$25.00 dues to Richard Stone at 183 East 80<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10075.