THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SAINC.



Gazette

June 2024

Patron: Coralie Hills FAOC President: Michael Willoughby

AT A GLANCE

The June General Meeting of the South Coast Orchid Club will be held on Wednesday 5th June 2024 at 8.00 pm at the Marion-Warradale Uniting Church Hall, Corner of Township Road and Church Crescent. Our Guest Speaker will be John Eaton speaking on Eastern and Western underground Orchids and the mycorrhiza and micro - bacteria that they are dependent upon.

LEARNERS' GROUP: There will be a Learners' Group Meeting at the June Meeting at 7.15pm. All members are welcome to attend. Bring your problems / plants for discussion.

<u>JUDGING:</u> Please have your plants benched by 7.40pm so Judging can commence at 7.50pm. If you are running late due to work commitments please phone Phil on 0438 891 612.

<u>DAYTIME CHAPTER:</u> The next meeting will be held on Thursday 13th June 2024 at 2.00 pm at the Lou Kesting Hall, off Broadway, South Brighton. Our Guest Speaker will be Ron Parish talking about Growing orchids in a suburban backyard and a virus talk.

SOUTHERN REGION: The next meeting will be held at 2.00 pm on Sunday 15th June 2024 in Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor. Our Guest Speaker will be Roger Herraman speaking about the Santa Barbara Orchid Show. Roger will bring plants for sale. Learners Group meets at 1.15 pm.

NEW MEMBERS: The Club would like to welcome a new member Ralf Brandt. We hope that your time with the Club will be a happy one and that you learn a lot about the orchids that we all love so much.

LUCKY NAME BADGE: Make sure you wear your Name Badge to meetings, you may win a prize.

<u>PUBLIC LIABILITY:</u> Under Insurance Guidelines all members and Committee attending any function or meeting held by the Club must sign and print your name in an Attendance Book.

BUNNINGS BBQ

The Club has been invited to run the Bunnings BBQ at the Marion Store on Friday 26 July. This is a terrific fund raising opportunity for the Club. We ask you all if you will be able to help the Club man this stall. If you are able to help on the day please contact Anne Steer on 8270 3090



DEADLINES FOR NEXT GAZETTES 23 June and 28 July

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YOUR COMMITTEE FOR 2024

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Convenor Main Learners Group Craig Humfrey

LIFE MEMBERS * denotes Member who has passed away.

1978 Dulcie Grave * 1978 Leora Harvey 1978 L. & H. Poole * 1978 Ellie Shaw * 1979 Syd Monkhouse 1979 Bernie Hanson * 1981 Lois Hanson * 1981 John Leeder* 1985 Brenda Lynch 1985 Bubs Gready *	1986 Harry Viney * 1986 John Nicholls * 1989 Helen Edwards 1990 Dr, Keith Northcote * 2003 Norman Gitsham * 2005 Merve Steele * 2005 Shirley Steele * Circa Tony and Toshy Deonnio * 2007 Ron and Irene Parish 2007 Murray Baulderstone * 2008 Geoff and Lucy Spear	2009 Don Biebrick * 2009 Henk Van Leuveren * 2010 Dorothy Carassai 2011 John and Bev Gay 2012 Noel Oliver * 2015 Lesley Fenton 2015 Rod McRedmond 2018 Kevin Western 2020 Malcolm Mangelsdorf 2021 Donna Meeuwsen
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SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Subscriptions for 2024 are now due. There will be no increase in subscriptions for 2024. We do value your membership and seeing you at meetings each month.

RATES - One membership covers all groups

Family Membership \$38.00 Rural and Interstate Membership
Single Membership \$30.00 Family Membership \$34.00
Junior Membership \$22.00 Single Membership \$28.00

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(Use your grower number for Reference)

President's Message



Congratulations Sue and Laurie Carter on growing the Grand Champion of our recent Autumn Show with *Gomesa* Moon Shadow 'Tiger Tail' and to all the Champions, prize winners and exhibitors at our Autumn Show, a job well done.

The display this year again, with reduced area to work in than usual, was a sight to behold. Credit must be given to the fantastic help members put in for setting up the display and sales area. Many congratulations to all those who made this show a success. Give yourselves a well-deserved pat on the back.

The SA Orchid Fair this year will be held on the June long weekend Saturday 8th & Sunday 9th of June. It will be held at the Campbelltown Function Centre, 172 Montacute Road, Rostrevor.

This month we have a very interesting guest speaker Mr John Eaton who will tell us about a most unusual and very rare orchid, the Underground Orchid.

Hopefully by the end of May we will have had some significant rainfall to somewhat fill our water tanks as this unusually dry Autumn continues.

Be aware of the nasties that love new growth and spikes on our plants. I have already noticed caterpillars, snails, slugs and earwigs on the move as well as ants which can transfer scale from plant to plant. They will be on the move as soon as we have some rain. Pest control is vital so as to the avoid damage that can be wreaked in a very short time, namely by Slugs, Snails and Caterpillars.

Successful growing & showing

Michael Willoughby

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A NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER

If you would like to served on the South Coast Orchid Club's Committee, you would be very welcome. There is a vacancy for one new member on the Committee. You would be required to attend Meetings that are held on the second Wednesday of the month 7.30-9.30pm. Also to help in any way that you can with the activities of the Club. It is an interesting activity and you can learn a lot. If you are interested please ring Anne Steer 8270 3090, or Michael 0479 762 527



Happy Birthday

JANETTE SMITH CRAIG BUDGEN





ORCHID CALENDAR 2024



MAIN MEETING Wednesday 5th June 2024 8.00 pm

Marion-Warradale Uniting Church Hall, Cnr Township Road and

Church Crescent, Marion.

Guest Speaker: John Eaton speaking on Eastern and Western underground Orchids and the mycorrhiza and micro-bacteria that

they are dependent upon.

Learners' Group Meeting at 7.15 pm

COMMITTEE MEETING Wednesday 12th June April 2024 7.30 pm

The Southern, South Road, St. Marys

DAYTIME CHAPTER Thursday 13th June 2024 2.00 pm

Lou Kesting Hall, Off Broadway, South Brighton

Guest Speaker: Ron Parish talking about Growing orchids in a

suburban backyard and a virus talk.

SOUTHERN REGION

MEETING

Sunday 16th June 2024 2.00 pm Carrickalinga House, Victor Harbor

Guest Speaker: Roger Herraman talking about the Santa Barbara

Orchid Show in the USA, Roger will have plants for sale.

Learners' Group Meeting at 1.15 pm

SA ORCHID FAIR Saturday 8th June and Sunday 9th June 2024

Cambelltown Function Centre, 172 Montacute Road, Rostrevor

<u>WINTER SHOW</u> Friday (Put In) 5th July to Sunday 7th July 2024

Marion-Warradale Unting Church Hall. Cnr Township Rd and Church

Crescent, Marion.

SOUTHERN REGION

SHOW

Wednesday (Put In) 21st August to Friday 23rd August 2024

Victor Central Shopping Centre, Victor Harbor

SPRING SHOW Friday (Put In) 20th September to Sunday 22 September 2024

Marion-Warradale Unting Church Hall. Cnr Township Rd and Church

Crescent, Marion.



WAINS' ORCHID EXCELLENCE FERTILIZER

1 Litre pack Part A and Part B \$25

2.5 Litre pack Part A and Part B \$45

If you wish to order please contact Bill Jayne on 0419 039 022





2024 AUTUMN SHOW CHAMPIONS

GRAND CHAMPION
CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION

CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE

Gom. Moon Shadow

Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)

CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION

Onc. Space Mine 'Red Rendezvous'

Vicky & Newil Cooper (1119)

CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION

Phal. Fancy Freckles Graham & Janette Smith (217)

CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM CHAMPION SPECIES

Paph. glaucophyllum Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM Over 90 mm

Cym. tracyanum Phil & Anne Steer 514

CHAMPION OTHER GENERA not otherwise listed

Den. Woo Leng 'Blue Lip' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)

CHAMPION LAELIINAE

L. anceps Jane & Don Higgs (1302)

CHAMPION PHALAENOPSIS

Phal. Help for Heroes. Jane & Don Higgs (1302)

CHAMPION ZYGOPETALUM

Z. Kiwi Fifty One 'K1' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)

CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham' Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)

CHAMPION SPECIMEN

Den. bigibbum var. compactum Phil & Anne Steer (514)

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR CHAMPION WINNERS

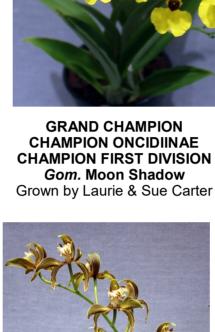
2024 AUTUMN SHOW CHAMPIONS



CHAMPION LAELIINAE

L. anceps

Grown by Jane & Don Higgs



CHAMP CYMBIDIUM
Over 90mm
Cym. tracyanum
Grown by Phil & Anne Steer



CHAMPION PHALAENOPSIS *Phal.* Help for Heroes
Grown by Jane & Don Higgs



CHAMPION ZYGOPETALINAE

Z. Kiwi Fifty One 'K1'

Grown By

Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM
Paph. glaucophyllum
Grown By
Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju

All Photographs by Neil Cooper

2024 AUTUMN SHOW RESULTS LIST



OPEN DIVISION

Over DIVISION Combidium over 90mm - any other		
Cymbidium over 90mm - any other Cym. Sundaani Mali	Pauline & Mark Hockey (1556)	3
BEST CYMBIDIUM Cym. Ba Trieu	Peter Haltis (442)	3
Cymbidium 60 - 90mm predominantly Cym. Thumbs Up 'Tamera'		3
Cymbidium under 60mm - any other		
Cym. Ba Trieu Dendrobium (not Aust Native) -	Peter Haltis (442)	3
Den. Woo Leng 'Blue Lip' Laeliinae - species	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
L. anceps Laeliinae Standard Hybrid under	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Rlc. Rosella's Lollipop Laeliinae Standard Hybrid over 100m	Jane & Don Higgs (1302) m	3
C. Ovation Laeliinae Cluster	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Ctt. Rose Drop Ctt. Towering Inferno BEST LAELIINAE	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3 2
L. anceps Oncidiinae - Species	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Gom. flexuosa Milt. moreliana Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm	Jane & Don Higgs (1302) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Onc. Space Mine 'Red Rondezvous' Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance' Oncidiinae - Specimen	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance' Gom. flexuosa BEST ONCIDIINAE	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Onc. Space Mine 'Red Rondezvous' Paphiopedilum - Species	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119)	3
Paph. glaucophyllum Paph. insigne BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Paph. glaucophyllum Phalaenopsis Standard	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Phal. Help For Heroes Phal. Fancy Freckles BEST PHALAENOPSIS	Jane & Don Higgs (1302) Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3 2
Phal. Help For Heroes Zygopetalum - Hybrid	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Z. Kiwi Fifty One 'K1' Zga. Grenfell's Glory BEST Zygopetalinae	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Pauline & Mark Hockey (1556)	3
Z. Kiwi Fifty One 'K1' Any Other Genus - Species	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Sngl. longifolia Sngl. Longifolia Any Other Genus - Hybrid	Jane & Don Higgs (1302) Peter Haltis (442)	3
Sngl. Venus 'Noel' Sngl. Venus 'Noel' Any Other Genus - Specimen	Pauline & Mark Hockey (1556) Pauline & Mark Hockey (1556)	3 2
Sngl. longifolia BEST ORCHID ANY OTHER GENUS	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
Den. Woo Leng 'Blue Lip'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
FIRST DIVISION Australian Native epiphyte - Species		
Den. bigibbum var. compactum Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham' Den. Australian Tiger BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3

2024 AUTUMN SHOW RESULTS LIST Cont ...



Cymbidium Species	D. II. O. A	_
Cym. tracyanum 'Tamborine' BEST CYMBIDIUM	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Cym. tracyanum 'Tamborine' Laeliinae - species	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
L. anceps Laeliinae Standard Hybrid under	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Rlc. Pattra Delight Laeliinae Non-Standard	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
Ctt. Meadii x C. amethystoglossa BEST LAELIINAE	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
L. anceps Oncidiinae - Species	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Ros. grande Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Brat. Carnival Stars Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	2
Gom. Moon Shadow	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Osp. Sunkissed 'Buttercup' Oncidiinae - Specimen	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	2
Ons. Catatante 'Petite Cherie' BEST ONCIDIINAE	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Gom. Moon Shadow Phalaenopsis Standard	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Phal. Unknown BEST PHALAENOPSIS	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Phal. Unknown	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
SECOND DIVISION		
Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid		
Den. Brinawa BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	Pauline Mclean (1053)	3
Den. Brinawa Cymbidium - All sizes and colours	Pauline Mclean (1053)	3
Cym. Summer Pearl Cymbidium Species	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	3
Cym. dayanum Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	3
Ons. Unknown	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Gmk. Honey Bee BEST ONCIDIINAE	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	2
Ons. Unknown Phalaenopsis Standard	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Phal. Fancy Freckles Phal. Mint ? BEST PHALAENOPSIS	Graham & Janette Smith (217) Graham & Janette Smith (217)	3 2
Phal. Fancy Freckles Zygopetalum - Hybrid	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	3
Z. Unknown Z. Artur Elle BEST Zygopetalinae	Pauline Mclean (1053) Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Z. Unknown	Pauline Mclean (1053)	3



CHAMP AUSTRALIAN
NATIVE
Den. Avril's Gold
'Leedham'
Genny & Dudley Huxtable

CHAMP OTHER GENERA Den. Woo Leng 'Blue Lip' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



WINTER SHOW

Saturday 6th July to Sunday 7th July 2024 MARION-WARRADALE UNITING CHURCH HALL Cnr Township Rd and Church Crescent, Marion.

The Committee needs the assistance of the members to volunteer to help on the Trading Table. Sell your surplus plants on the Trading Table, ask Anne for swing tickets and selling sheets. **Reminder:** to sell your plants at the Show and to display your plants you must be a financial member and you must have owned your plant for a least 6 months.

PUT IN: Friday 5th July, 4.00 - 5.00 pm for set up of display area - help is needed.

Plants for Display and Plants for Trading Table when set up is completed.

TAKE OUT: Sunday 7th July at 4.00 pm.

JUDGING: The plants will be judged in-situ in the display. **PUBLIC VIEWING TIMES:** Saturday: 9.00 am - 4.00 pm.

Sunday: 10.00 am - 4.00 pm

Please help make our Winter Show a success by bringing in all your flowering plants. Ribbons and prize money are back.

TRADING TABLE: Please fill out a Sales Sheet and tags as normal for orchid plants. As well as members' plants for sale, we will have a range of Zygopetalums, Cymbidiums, Phalaenopsis, Oncidium, and Australian Native Orchids for sale.

A separate Sales Sheet and tags with your initials and a number is needed for non orchid plants (cacti. Bromeliads, ferns, etc.(and books.

____If you have 20 or more NON-ORCHID Plants to sell, a fee of \$20 will apply and a separate table will be provided for you to man yourself.

TROPHYS AVAILABLE AT THE WINTER SHOW

H & C Edwards Clock Trophy

For the Grand Champion of the Winter Show.

Ira Butler / Kevin Western Trophy

The Best Australian Native Hybrid in the Show will be eligible to be nominated for this award..

Bill Murdoch / Les Nesbitt Trophy

The Best Australian Native Species in the Show will be eligible to be nominated for this award.

Roy Hill Trophy

For the Best Novelty Cymbidium in the Show.

Chin Yew Lian Trophy

For the Best Seedling in the Show.

Garard Western Trophy

For member Hybridiser's Seedling'





WINTER SHOW SCHEDULE 2024

CARD CLASSES NOT FOR PROMOTION – CARD ONLY	PROMOTIONAL CLASS	GENERA & DIVISIONAL CHAMPIONS (PRIZE MONEY)
Australian Native Epiphyte Species Epiphyte Hybrid Terrestrial Species Terrestrial Hybrid Specimen. Seedling	Best Australian Native	Champion Australian Native
Cymbidium - over 90mm All Colours Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Cymbidium Over 90mm	Champion Cymbidium Over 90mm
Cymbidium 60-90mm All Colours Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Cymbidium 60-90mm	Champion Cymbidium 60-90mm
Cymbidium - Under 60mm All Colours Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Cymbidium Under 60mm	Champion Cymbidium Under 60mm
Paphiopedilum. Standard Non Standard Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Paphiopedilum	Champion Paphiopedilum
Laeliinae Standard > 100mm Standard < 100mm Cluster Non Standard Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Laeliinae	Champion Laeliinae
Oncidiinae Oncidium Hybrid < 60mm Oncidium Hybrid > 60mm Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Oncidiinae	Champion Oncidiinae
Zygopetalinae Zygopetalum Hybrid Zygopetalinae Hybrid Zygopetalinae Species Specimen, Seedling	Best Zygopetalinae	Champion Zygopetalinae
Phalaenopsis Standard Non Standard Species, Seedlimg	Best Phalaenopsis	Champion Phalaenopsis
Dendrobium (Other than Aust Native) Hybrid Species, Seedling	Best Dendrobium	
Vandae Standard Non Standard Species, Seedling	Best Vandae	Champion Any Other Genus
Any Other Genus Hybrid Species, Specimen, Seedling	Best Any Other Genus	

THE GRAND CHAMPION IS SELECTED FROM GENERA CHAMPIONS
CHAMPION SEEDLING, CHAMPION SPECIES, CHAMPION SPECIMEN, DIVISION CHAMPIONS

EXHIBITORS' RULES FOR SHOWS

- Orchid Club of South Australia Incorporated, and you must have owned exhibitors must be financial members of the South Coast vour plant for at least 6 months..
 - Entries are free.

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- Exhibitors are bound by the Constitution, Rules, By-Laws and Special Show Rules of the Club.
- Laws or Show Rules. Any objection in this case must be lodged with the which is an infringement by an Exhibitor of any of the Club's Rules, Bydiscussions regarding results will be considered, with one exception. The opinion of the judges is final and binding and no objections or Club Show Marshall/Secretary
 - The Club accepts no responsibility for any loss, damage or infection suffered by any plant or blooms exhibited.

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- The Club reserves the right to photograph any of the exhibits.
- exception of judging) the Show Marshall/Secretary is the ruling authority In all matters regarding the arrangement and conduct of the show (with
- No plants suspected by the Club Virus adjudicators of being infected with virus will be eligible for competition and such plants will be completely solated from all other plants.

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- public or members other than the Show Marshall/Secretary, Judges of the The exhibition areas will be closed during the judging. No exhibitors, the Club, Associate Judges and other persons appointed to assist in judging will be allowed to remain in the exhibition area during this period.
- Non-exhibitors are requested not to congregate in the exhibition area prior to judging so that officials can arrange plants and perform other necessary 6.
- Plants must be labelled with the coloured labels provided by the Club with the exhibitor's number and name of plant. These are available from the Show Marshall/Secretary or his/her nominee. __.
- Exhibitors are to ensure that all labelling be neatly and correctly performed in accordance with the procedure laid down on orchid Nomenclature and Registration. 12
- All plants benched for judging at the show must be made available to be in the Club display.
- All exhibits must be benched by the nominated time on the nominated day for judging. The nominated day and time will be published in the Club Gazette in the month prior to the Show. 4
 - Exhibits must not be removed before nominated time on the nominated day at the end of the Display. The nominated day and time will be published in the Club Gazette in the month prior to the Show. 15.
 - Exhibitors unable to remove their own plants from the show should provide the person so doing with a letter of authorization. 6.
- Damage caused in transit to the show should be reported to the Show Marshall/Secretary or Registrar of Judges prior to judging. 17.
- If, in the opinion of the judges, a plant is not worthy of an award or prize in any specified section, then none shall be given. 8

PREPARING ORCHIDS FOR SALE

- Select the plants that you want to let go.
- recycled from somewhere else, please make sure all advertising Clean all pots. Wipe them over with a damp cloth to remove all white residue or salt from the pots. If these pots have been and price stickers are all cleaned off. ← ~i
- Check all stakes and add more if necessary and re-tie.
- Remove old brown husks from bulbs and remove weeds, snails, ස. 4.
- Remove all dry ends on the leaves and shape to a point.
- 10 parts water). Do not overdo the milk by adding extra as the fat n the milk will clog the pores in the leaves which will then yellow Wipe leaves over with a mixture of milk and water (1 part milk to off and die. 6.5
- Water all plants 2-3 days before, not on the morning that you are bringing them in. This water really makes a mess on our clothes, tablecloths and the floor.
- surface to imprint on the second page. The original and duplicated account the number of spikes and condition of the plant. If you are Get plant sales sheets and plant price tags from Treasurer before club member number, Rule a narrow column down the left side of sheets must be lodged with plants. On the top left hand corner of Without Peer 'Soft Touch' (pink). Be reasonable with the pricing, hand. The sales sheet is a carbonless duplicated sheet, so both the plant. The centre section Is for the name and colour eg Cym. the page. This column is for the plant number 1-30. On the right nand side you need a column a bit wider for the selling price of the page, print your name. On the right hand side write in your sheets are to be used together. Press down firmly on a hard not greedy. Either you want to sell it or you don't. Take into not sure of pricing, ask some one. ∞
- Next write your labels. It's a good idea to do both sides of the tag. Your member number goes on the left hand side and the plant number on the right hand side. Circle the plant number. Write plants, double check that the prices and numbers on the tags your price under these numbers. As you put your tags on the match those on your sales sheets. တ်
- You will be given one sheet back along with payment for sales but you may wish to write out another copy for yourself to keep in the discrepancy, it needs to be attended to and another ticket written meantime. You can help with the checking off by reading out the another person against what you have written on your sheets. When you bring your plants in, they must be checked off by information off against what is on your sheets. If there is a numbers and price while the person checking checks this 6.



May Results List

Ref. No.			Points Awarded
Oper	Division		
	lian Native Epiphyte - Species		-
959 960	Den. bowmanii Den. bigibbum	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Ron & Irene Parish (477)	3 2
	dium 60 - 90mm All colours in Non-		2
968	Cym. Osborn	Peter Haltis (442)	3
	ae - Cluster		_
964	Ctt. Gone Fishing	John Seidel (101)	3
965 Laeliin	Ctt. Rose Drop ae - Non Standard	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119)	2
966	Bc. Binosa 'Kirk'	John Seidel (101)	3
Laeliin	ae - Species		
967	Epi. radicans	Peter Haltis (442)	3
	ae - Standard over 100mm	Michael Millerschier 9 Oct In (4050)	2
961 962	C. Ovation C. Madame Edith Bongo	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
	ae - Standard under 100mm	Michael Willoughby & Oul 30 (1232)	2
963	C. Rosella's Angel	John Seidel (101)	3
	inae - Hybrid < 60mm	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
970	Onc. Shary Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Oncidi i 969	inae - Hybrid > 60mm	Michael Willoughby 9 Out to (4050)	2
	Milt. Kismet 'Kai' inae - Species	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
971	Milt. moreliana	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	Genera not listed elsewhere - Hyb	rid	-
979	Den. Woo Leng 'Blue Lip'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	Genera not listed elsewhere - Spe		2
980 Orchid	Sngl. longifolia Seedling - any Genera	Peter Haltis (442)	3
981	Paph. Via George	John Seidel (101)	3
982	Paph. (Doya Green Prince x Hsinying Citron)	John Seidel (101)	2
983	Den. bigibbum var. compactum	Ron & Irene Parish (477)	1
	pedilum - Non Standard		2
972 973	Paph. Celler Freude Paph. (Doya Green Prince x Hsinying Citron)	John Seidel (101) John Seidel (101)	3 2
973 974	Paph. Via George	John Seidel (101)	1
	pedilum - Species		_
975	Paph. glaucophyllum	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	nen Species or Hybrid	Michael Millerschier 9 Oct In (4050)	2
984 Z vaon	Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
2ygopt 976	etalinae - Hybrid Z. Kiwi Fifty One 'K1'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
977	Npp. Beverly Road x Z. Conway's Choice	John Seidel (101)	2
978	Z. Kiwi Choice	Peter Haltis (442)	1
Eirct	Division		
	ther species		
948	Den. bigibbum var. compactum	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3
	lian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid	4.14 / 11.10 01001 (017)	5
949	Den. Hilda Poxon	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3
	ae - Non Standard	. ,	
952	Ctt. Meadii x C. amethystoglossa	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3
	ae - Standard over 100mm	Pill Joyne (1190)	2
950 Laeliin	C. Mini Purple 'Tamami' ae - Standard under 100mm	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
951	Rlc. Mark's Valentine	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
	inae - Hybrid < 60mm	, (/	ŭ
953	Onc. Pacific Panache 'Dorothy Jean'	Beth Stronach (836)	3
	Genera not listed elsewhere - Hyb		_
954 955	Bulb. Elizabeth Ann 'Bucklebury'	Beth Stronach (836)	3
	Angth. Grandalene Seedling - any Genera	Beth Stronach (836)	2
956	Rlc. Mark's Valentine	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
	nen Species or Hybrid	5, (50)	J
957	Den. bigibbum var. compactum	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3
958	Den. Hilda Poxon	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	2

May Results List cont...

Ref. N	No.		Points Awarded
	ond Division ralian Native Epiphyte - Hyb	uld.	
942			2
	Den. Brinawa	Pauline McLean (1053)	3
943	Cym. Summer Pearl	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	3
Oncid	diinae - Hybrid < 60mm	,	
944	Onc. Sharry Baby	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3
945	Ons. Unknown	Helen McIntosh (299)	2
946	Gmk. Honey Bee	Graham & Janette Smith (217)	1
Orchi	id Genera not listed elsewhe	ere - Species	
947	Snal longifolia	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3

PLANT COMMENTARY - MAY 2024

Orchid of Open Division & Flower of the Night

The Orchid of Open Division and Flower of the Night was *Oncidium* Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance' grown by Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju.

It was a beautifully flowered orchid. The Orchid was clean and healthy with four, equally tall spikes. It was in pristine show bench condition. The flowers were facing towards you along the spikes and had deep contrasting colours.

Congratulations Michael & Oui.



Orchid of Open Division & Flower of the Night Oncidium Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance' Grown by Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photos Neil Cooper



The Orchid of Second Division was *Oncidium* Sharry Baby grown by Coral Tilllmanns. This Oncidium is a reliable flowerer each year. The benched orchid had three tall spikes with well-formed flowers. It had flowered earlier this year with a taller, single- branched inflorescence.

Oncidium Sharry Baby is a favourite addition to many orchid collections. It is well suited to our growing conditions in the Adelaide region.

Congratulations Coral.



Orchid of Second Division
Oncidium Sharry Baby
Grown by Coral Tillmanns
Photo Neil Cooper

PLANT COMMENTARY - MAY 2024 cont ...

Orchid of First Division

The Orchid of First Division was Dendrobium bigibbum var, compactum and was grown by Phil and Anne Steer.

This Orchid is commonly known as the Cooktown or Mauve Butterfly Orchid. It grows on trees (Epiphytic) and on rocks (Lithophyhic) in tropical North Queensland and in New Guinea.

Phil and Anne have grown their plant in a pot and it looked heathy and happy. It was covered in mauve flowers that were evenly displayed on many arching inflorescences. The plant had a lovely display on a smallish, well grown orchid.

Well done Phil and Anne,





SEEDLING OF THE NIGHT Rhyncholaeliacattleya (Rlc.) Mark's Valentine Grown by Bill Jayne Photo Neil Cooper





Seedling of the Night

The Seedling of the Night was Rhyncholaeliacattleya (Rlc.) Mark's Valentine grown by Bill Jayne.

Many of you may remember and still use the old name for the genus of this orchid Potinara (Pot) Mark's Valentine.

The orchid had a single, large, standard shaped flower. It was a bright orange colour with a couple of yellow streaks on the sepals. Well done Bill.

Vicky Cooper
Assistant REGISTRAR



DAYTIME CHAPTERThursday 9th May 2024



Hi everyone,

The daytime meeting group welcomed back our guest speaker Roger Herrraman and long-time members Wally and Shirley Walloscheck.

Roger entertained the group with his Santa Barbara Orchid Show presentation highlighting the variety of species on display and similarities he observed to local orchid plants.

Birthday of the month: The group including many of his long-term member friends recognised Geoff Spear's 91st Birthday.

Lucky name badge: Peter Berry Lucky seat: Bev Mitchell

Many thanks to Patty Abell for managing the door and our raffle sales, thank you to everyone providing raffle prizes and assisting with afternoon tea.

Next Meeting: Thursday June 13th - 2.00pm

Lou Kesting Hall. Broadway, South Brighton

Guest Speaker: Ron Parish Ron will share his tips on back yard orchid growing, no doubt this topic will resonate with many members.

Alan Miller 0434052676 Richard Crinion Anne Steer



AN EXERPT FROM THE 1972 GAZETTE

PAPHIOPEDILUM GROWING by Syd. Monkhouse

Slipper orchids (Paphiopedilums, formerly called Cypripediums) are a very easy genus to grow, as long as one understands their requirements.

They usually inhabit fringe areas in forests, where they make their root growth in the dry leaves on the ground. It is interesting to note that their main root growth is just under the newly fallen dry leaves in the section where the leaves have not yet broken down. Of course, many grow on limestone cliffs in their native habits and often in plain soil. Many of the species from which the present-day hybrids have been developed grow at considerable altitudes and thus do not require a great amount of heat.

This characteristic is inherited by all plain green leafed types and, generally, only the mottled leafed varieties require artificial heat in Southern Australia.

Slippers need more shade than most other orchids and require continual dampness in their compost—THIS DOES NOT MEAN WETNESS. Use tank water where available.

A good, long lasting, open potting medium which will retain some moisture is needed, and a mixture of 4 parts of Fir Bark, 2 parts of Isolite and a little shellgrit is what we use.

Grow your 'slippers' in a cool glassed-in area, or even in a sun-room window. If growing this genus in a window make sure that the plants receive adequate moisture by standing the pots above a tray of dampened marble chips or gravel, or a tropical fish pond. Do not allow the pots to stand in water or else roots will rot off.

Slipper orchids can be grown in a shadehouse but, unless the plants are protected from rain or overhead watering during Autumn and Winter, the young buds may rot off in their early stage and, of course, no flowers will result.

The plants must have more shade than cymbidiums, and a good place to grow them is on the bench under the shade of the cymbidium leaves.

You can feed your slipper orchids every fortnight with a ½ strength solution of Peters 30-10-10 or 18-18-18. They are not gross feeders and therefore cannot be fed heavily.

The beauty of the paphiopedilum is in the very long lasting quality of its blooms. A good healthy plant will carry a bloom for 8 to 12 weeks.

Mealy bug can attack 'slipper' orchids, but a spraying of Rogor 40 will safeguard against these.



SOUTHERN REGION MEETING Sunday 19Th May 2024

Convenor, Chris Heysen, opened the main meeting at 2.00 pm welcoming the 26 members present. Welcome back to Dianne Cawley who has been on the sick list for some time. And welcome to our guest speakers Vicky Cooper and Michael Willoughby. It's great to have Michael, our Club President, here again for the first time in several years. And Vicky, also from our parent Club in Adelaide, is, like Michael, a very experienced grower of a wide range of genera. She is on the judging panel.

Thank you to Jane Higgs for conducting the Learners group.

Apologies: John and Bev Gay, Phil Steer, Heather McDonald and Ruth Creedy.

Guest Speakers: First-up was Vicky Cooper who, despite being hampered by having brought the wrong presentation on her USB stick, gave us an interesting talk on soft cane Dendrobiums. Originating in S-E Asia, usually at an altitude that ensures cooler conditions, these pretty orchids can be grown relatively easily in our climate provided they do not get too hot and dry in summer or cold and wet in winter. Plenty of water in summer – keep them dry in winter.

Secondly, Michael demonstrated how he now deflasks all his Cymbidiums – into community pots using Osmocote Seed Raising mix rather than the traditional fine & medium bark mix. This mix, which looks more like a potting soil than a bark, contains quite a bit of peat moss and so holds more moisture – whilst it drains freely it does not require frequent watering.

Thank you to both Vicky and Michael for your interesting contributions today.

Lucky Name Badge: Marilyn Jelfs Lucky Door Prize: Peter Berry

Announcements:

 The Autumn Show at Seaford was very successful with brisk sales and a lot of interest from the public. Many of the plants sold were from the Syd James collection.

The raffle was held as usual and Chris thanked the donors of raffle prizes.

Judging: was carried out by Jane and Don Higgs. Judges Commentary: Jane Higgs.

The meeting closed at 3:15pm and was followed by everyone joining in to share a cuppa and a selection of cakes and cakes and biscuits.

Chris Heysen 0419 386 769

Next meeting - Sunday 16th June 2024.

Guest speaker will be Roger Herraman who will be talking about the Santa Barbara Orchid Show in California. Roger is well known to us all as he comes down every year or so and always gives an interesting presentation.

May Results List

Ref. N	No.		Points Awarded
Firs	t Division		
	ralian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid		
543	Den. Avril's Gold 'Brian Leedham'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
Cyml	bidium under 60 All Colours inc N	lon-std	
547	Cym. Morialta 'Morialta Falls'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
Laeli	inae - Cluster		
545	Ctt. Portia 'Cannizaro'	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
	inae - Non Standard		
546	C. Deception 'Palouse'	Eileen Pinnock (519)	3
	inae - Standard over 100mm		
544	Blc. Miss Thailand 'Amanda'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
	diinae - Hybrid < 60mm		_
548		Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
	diinae - Species	01.1.11.11.11.11.11.11	
549	Psychopsis papilio	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
	iopedilum - Species	Deth Terrorall (040)	2
	Paph. villosum	Ruth Tugwell (613)	3
	imen Species or Hybrid	Deth Terrorall (040)	2
551	Paph. villosum	Ruth Tugwell (613)	3
Coo	and Division		
	ond Division		
Cyml	bidium 60 - 90mm All colours in I	Non-std	
541	Cym. Pharaoh's Dream	Bob Clayton (143)	3
-	bidium over 90mm All colours inc		
540	Cym. That's Outrageous	Margaret & Warren Yelland (350)	3
	id Genera not listed elsewhere -		
542	Phal. Unknown	Margaret & Warren Yelland (350)	3







ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION and PLANT OF THE DAY Paph. villosum Grown By Ruth Tugwell Photos Jane Higgs



ORCHID OF SECOND DIVISION

Cym. That's Outrageous

Grown By

Margaret & Warren Yelland

Photo Jane Higgs

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Orchid Culture Notes for June

June marks the beginning of winter yet by month end we have our days lengthening out again. June typically sees the first of the frosts in Adelaide. The air tends to be a bit drier at times, and calm clear nights provide the perfect conditions for frost to settle. Fortunately severe frosts in suburbia are rare and most shade houses do provide sufficient protection. By July and August the wind picks up and rain tends to keep frost away, not saying we don't get them. On the subject of cover we should all have at least some additional protection for our more tender orchids. Rain, hail, the wind and just the plain cold all have a detrimental effect on our plants. The colder it is the drier our plants must be to cope. It is best to water only when it is fine and preferably mid morning on a rising temperature with the plan to have all the plants leaves dry by nightfall. Plants in shade houses generally get enough moisture with the natural rainfall anyway. Cover can be as easy as a sheet of plastic or solaweave over a section of your enclosure or placing plants under a sheltered veranda. Use clear plastic as light levels must be as high as possible this time of year. If you are starting to build a new enclosure try to have the minimum amount of shade possible. You can always add shade but you cannot take it away if your roof cover is too shady to start with. Ensure all pots are secured to cope with the winds of winter. Move smaller plants and seedlings to a protected area if you can. Seedlings especially cannot handle the extreme conditions as well as mature plants. The same applies to recently divided plants.

Watering will now be quite infrequent. Cymbidiums, Zygopetalums and Sarcochilus are happy enough to receive normal winter rain. If you grow them under cover then water when they need it. Keep up a regular feeding programme to your Sarcochilus as this their growing season and shortly spikes will show. Also feed up your Zygopetalums as well using a fertiliser with a higher nitrogen component. With many finishing flowering we need to build up those new growths for next season. Many of my orchids are now resting. In particular it's my Cattleyas, Laelias and Ocidiums. There are orchids within this group that will continue to grow through winter as well and these are treated accordingly. I separate them from the resting ones.

Terrestrials are mostly in full growth now and the numbers of flowering plants will begin to increase on the show bench towards the end of the month. Keep an eye out for fungal diseases, caterpillars and water dripping from above eroding your pots. 50% shade is OK to grow most terrestrials but if you have any Diuris then try and give them some full sun. They will reward you for it.

Winter usually means standard shaped Paphiopedilums will start flowering. This is a critical time watering wise as any water that lodges near the embryo flower can cause the whole flower to collapse and rot and that's it until next year. It is wise to give them cover and water by standing the pot in water and let the pot soak it up. That or water the pot, not the plants leaves.

In winter only feed those orchids that appear in active growth. Developing leaves and green root tips are always good indicators of a plant still on the move. When you do feed keep in mind their metabolism has slowed down with the cold and they won't take up as much as they do in the warmer months.

Make it a habit to inspect at least a third of your pots every month. That way they all get picked up at least three times a year. You can then inspect the plant more carefully. Check the undersides of leaves that may harbour a small colony of soft scale or mealy bugs. Feel the weight of the pot. Is it light?

Despite your best intentions regarding watering the fact is that big cymbidium next to it has hogged all the water and hardly any has reached the one you are holding. Occasionally a grower will forget about a plant for ages and then just before a show see it poking its head up and take it in. Of course it wins the show which goes to prove that maybe some plants will only grow good if you forget about them. We all tend to over care for our plants. I've seen a Dendrobium speciosum growing on rocks in full sun most of the day with not a tree within 100 yards. And the rocks were hot to touch and that was April so what extremes does this plant experience in midsummer! It was perfectly healthy with no signs of scorching.

Flowering wise will see more and more cymbidiums gracing the show bench. Continue to train your spikes and leave any manipulation of the spikes to the warmer part of the day when they are supple. Several adjustments may be required before they are ready to show. Native epiphytes will still mostly be showing growth nodes with some having small spikes poking through. Some cover is good for natives as the immature new spikes are very prone to rotting off or experiencing bud drop if kept wet. The cover will also stop them getting too waterlogged when the rains set in.

Be vigilant with the blue snail pellets from now. Any plant in spike should have a few sprinkled on the surface as a precaution. Also watch out for little green looper caterpillars on those orchids with broad and soft leaves and my favourite woolly bears will soon be on the march. The initial hatch can see up to 50 of the little buggers chewing away at a new growth or spike. One day is all they need. The onset of the cold will drive rats and mice into the protection of our orchid houses. Look out for signs of chewed canes, spikes and the odd dropping. If you had issues with them last year, don't wait till they cause damage this year. Get them before they get the plants.

Winter time is now the time to start weeding pots. Oxalis once established is very hard to pull out yet very easy at the 2 leaf stage. Thistles and milkweed are a little easier. Thistles attract aphids and we don't need that. That's it for June. Basically reduce watering, increase light and provide cover and keep warm!!

Steve Howard

ORCHID CLUBS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA General Meeting Times

THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: In 2024, the Club will meet at the Marion - Warradale Uniting Church Hall, Cnr. Township Road and Church Crescent, Marion. at 8.00p.m. on the first Wednesday of the Month

THE DAYTIME CHAPTER: meets at the Lou Kesting Hall, off Broadway, South Brighton on the second Thursday of the month at 2.00p.m.

THE SOUTHERN REGION: meets at Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor at 2.00p.m. on the 3^{rd} Sunday of the month.

THE ORCHID CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: meets at 8pm in The Enfield Community Centre, 540 Regency Road, Enfield on the 1st Thursday of the month.

Daytime Group: meets from 2.00p.m. to 4.00p.m. in the Enfield Community Centre, 540 Regency Road, Enfield on the 2nd Friday of the month.

THE MURRAY BRIDGE AND DISTRICT ORCHID CLUB: meets at 1.45pm in the Seventh Day Adventist Hall, corner Myall Avenue and Standen Street, Murray Bridge on the 4th Sunday of the month.

THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN ORCHIDACEOUS SOCIETY: Meets at the Plympton Community Centre, 34 Long Street, Plympton from 7.30p.m. on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

THE NATIVE ORCHID SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: meets at 7.30p.m. at St. Matthew's Church Hall, Bridge Street, Kensington on the 4th Tuesday of the month.

THE CYMBIDIUM CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Meets at 7.30p.m. at Burnside Community Centre, 401 Greenhill Road, Tusmore on the 4th Wednesday of the month.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN REGIONAL ORCHID COUNCIL: Represents all clubs in South Australia on the Australian Orchid Council. Meets three or four times a year, at which meetings all clubs are represented by a delegate or a proxy delegate. SAROC conducts the **SA Orchid Fair** in June each year.



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