THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SA INC.



Gazette

October 2022

Patron: Coralie Hills FAOC President: Michael Willoughby

AT A GLANCE

The next General Meeting of the South Coast Orchid Club of South Australia will be held on Monday 10th October 2022 at 8.00 pm. at RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens. Our Guest Speaker will be Graham Guest speaking on Cymbidiums.

LEARNERS' GROUP: There will be a Learners' Group Meeting at the October Meeting at 7.15pm.

JUDGING: 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.

DAYTIME CHAPTER: The next meeting will be held on Thursday 13th October 2022 at 2.00 pm. Our Guest Speaker will be Vicky Cooper providing a practical demonstration on caring for your orchids in October.

SOUTHERN REGION: The next meeting will be held at 2.00 pm on Sunday 16th October 2022 in Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor. We will be having a Workshop presented by Michael Wiiloughby consisting of short talks and demonstrations.

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.

VALE - SID JAMES

It is with deep regret that the Club and especially the Southern Region Group learned of the passing of Sid James after a short illness. Sid was a stalwart of the Club displaying many beautiful orchids. He will be sorely missed.

R.I.P.

DEADLINES FOR NEXT GAZETTES 30 October and 27 November



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SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Subscriptions for 2023 are shortly to be paid. Details of costs etc. will be in next month's Gazette. We do value your membership and seeing you at meetings each month.

RATES – One membersh	nip covers all groups
Family Membership	\$38.00
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President's Message



The 2022 Spring Show has been a great success held at the Seaford Central Shopping centre once again. The beautiful display of 93 plants was put together by the method of many hands make light work which worked a treat, it was a sight to behold as it showed our Members' plants to their best for the interested public; a fantastic effort. One comment from the public was that it was the best display they had seen for many years.

Congratulations to the growers of the Grand Champion of the Spring Show, *Paph.* Chouvetii 'van Dyke', grown by Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju. Congratulations to Anne & Phil Steer Champion First Division and Dudley & Genny Huxtable Champion Second Division and also the Genera Champions These plants were on view to an admiring public which raised many questions for the members on the trading table at the time. Results of the show are to be found in this Gazette.

This month we welcome Graham Guest from Guest Orchids who will be presenting Cymbidium Orchids. Don't miss this very interesting talk.

Now is the time to look at your *Sarcochilus* plants and start preparing them for our annual *Sarcochilus* show held in conjunction with our November Main meeting. Many plants should be showing their spikes, have a close look at the leaf axils. It looks like another good flowering year.

The committee each year steps down from their positions and now is a good time to consider if you are able to spare some of your valuable time as a member of our committee. It is very rewarding and the club cannot function without a good working committee.

We wish all the best to our members who are experiencing difficulties with their health at this time.

Successful growing & showing

Michael Willoughby



Happy Birthday

VICKY COOPER, LEE GAFTON, KEVIN TREVAN, MALCOLM YOUNG, SUZY BRATUZ, ANNE STEER, ADRIAN BOCKMANN, PAULINE VLACHOS, MONICA SORRELL

Is your name in the Birthday Book ??

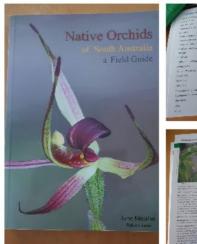




ORCHID CALENDAR 2022 [These dates are subject to COVID-19 directives]

MAIN MEETING	Monday 10th October 2022 8.00 pm RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens Guest Speaker: Graham Guest talking on Cymbidiums
COMMITTEE MEETING	Wednesday 12th October 2022 7.30 pm The Southern, South Road, St Marys
DAYTIME CHAPTER	Thursday 13th October 2022 2.00 pm Lou Kesting Hall , Dover Square, Brighton South Guest Speaker: Vicky Cooper - a practical demonstration on caring for your orchids in October.
<u>SOUTHERN REGION</u> MEETING	Sunday 16th October 2022 2.00 pm Carrickalinga House, Victor Harbor Workshop presented by Michael Willoughby of short practical talks and demonstrations.
<u>CHRISTMAS DINNER</u> MAIN MEETING	Monday 12th December 2022 RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens Keep this date free for a great break up for the year. Details in next Gazette.

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The Australian Orchid Foundation

to hear the guest speaker

Phil Spence

It is impossible to summarise Phil Spence's lifetime with orchids into a few words. He is an authority on the orchids of PNG; he has been a major producer of new orchid hydrids, especially *Dendrobium*; he is an Honorary Research Associate of the Herbarium of the Royal Botanic Garden Sydney; he was the recipient of the AOF Award of Honour in 2013. In addition, he has lectured around the world and has just completed a new book on *Dendrobium* section *Latourea* which will be released shortly.

His topic: Dendrobium Sect. Latouria

Phil will speak about his *Latouria* book which is being published by the American Orchid Society and sponsored by the Australian Orchid Foundation. Phil will introduce the book to us, its contents including some species which are new to science and give us some background information on its writing and production.

Venue: City of Whitehorse Horticultural Centre

82 Jolimont Road, Forest Hill Vic. 3131

Date: Saturday, 22nd October 2022

Time: 2pm for AGM followed by Phil's presentation

Attendance at this meeting will also be possible by Zoom link

Afternoon tea provided Plant sales and book sales

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FOR THE ZOOM LINK TO THE MEETING





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2022 SPRING SHOW CHAMPIONS

Tony De Ionno & Toshy Trophy

CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM

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GRAND CHAMPION CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION

Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke'

CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION

CHAMPION SPECIMEN

M. Ng Trophy - Most Floriferous Australian Native

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM Under 60mm

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM 60 - 90mm

CHAMPION LAELIINAE

CHAMPION ZYGOPETALUM

CHAMPION OTHER GENERA not otherwise listed

CHAMPION SEEDLING







GRAND CHAMPION, CHAMP. OPEN DIVISION, CHAMP. PAPHIOPEDILUM, Tony De Ionno & Toshy Trophy *Paph.* Chouvetii 'van Dyke' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju

CHAMPION LAELIINAE C. Ruby Love Jane & Don Higgs





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CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE Onc. Dorothy Winsom 'Golden Gate' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju CHAMP. CYMBIDIUM Over 90mm Elsie Chisholm Trophy *Cym.* Rothesay 'Butterfly' Jane & Don Higgs



CHAMPION ZYGOPETALUM Fsh. Mellow x Pbt. Zodiac Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju

CHAMPION AUST. NATIVE, CHAMPION SPECIES Noel Oliver Trophy Den. speciosum 'Daylight Moon' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMP. CYMBIDIUM Under 60mm Cym. Rod's Tango ' Tobruk' Bill Jayne





CHAMPION SEEDLING Paph. micranthum Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photo Neil Cooper



CHAMPION SPECIMEN, M. Ng Trophy Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photo Neil Cooper



CHAMPION OTHER GENERA not otherwise listed *Max. porphyrostele* 'Pinny' Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photo Neil Cooper



SPRING SHOW DISPLAY AT SEAFORD SHOPPING CENTRE Photo Michael Willoughby

2022 SPRING SHOW RESULTS LIST

OPEN DIVISION

Australian Native epiphyte - Species		
Den. Speciosum 'Daylight Moon' Den. speciosum 'Vincent Vista'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid - Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour' Den. Wayne Turville	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid - Den. Dunokayla Australian Native terrestrial - Species	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Chiloglottis trapeziformis Ptst. nutans Australian Native terrestrial - Hybrid	Don & Jane Higgs (1302) Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3 2
Diuris Earwig Ptst. Dusky Duke Australian Native - Seedling - Chin	Don & Jane Higgs (1302) Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3 2
Den. Wayne Turville Australian Native - Specimen	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour' Den. speciosum 'Daylight Moon' BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Den. speciosum 'Daylight Moon' Cymbidium over 90mm - Any other	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Cym. Rothesay 'Butterfly' Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/	Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3
Cym. Kurralta Park 'Tennyson' Cym. [Rolf Bolin x [Westholme x (Sensation x Cymbidium over 90mm - Seedling -	Don & Jane Higgs (1302) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Cym. Darch Hero x Kimberley Splash Cym. [Rolf Bolin x [Westholme x (Sensation x BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Cym. Rothesay 'Butterfly' Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Any other	Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3
Cym. Louie's Pride 'Smiley' Cym. (Claude Pepper x Mandolin Wind) Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3 2
Cym. Regal Princess 'Seaview' Cym. Red Pepper 'Janice' BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
Cym. Regal Princess 'Seaview' Cymbidium under 60mm -	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' BEST CYMBIDIUM - under 60mm	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
Laeliinae Non-Standard		
C. Ruby Love BEST LAELIINAE	Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3
C. Ruby Love Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm	Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3
Onc. Dorothy Wisnom 'Golden Gate' BEST ONCIDIINAE	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Onc. Dorothy Wisnom 'Golden Gate' Paphiopedilum - Standard	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Paph. Winston Churchill Paphiopedilum - Non Standard	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke' Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke' Paphiopedilum - Seedling -	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3 2
Paph. micranthum Paphiopedilum - Specimen	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke' BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Paph. Chouvetii 'van Dyke' Zygopetalum - Hybrid	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Fsh. Mellow x Pbt. Zodiac BEST ZYGOPETALINAE	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Fsh. Mellow x Pbt. Zodiac	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3

2022 SPRING SHOW RESULTS LIST Cont ...

Any other Genus - Species		
Max. porphyrostele 'Pinny' serapias neglecta	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Don & Jane Higgs (1302)	3 2
Any other Genus - Specimen		2
Max. porphyrostele 'Pinny' BEST ANY OTHER GENUS	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Max. porphyrostele 'Pinny'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
FIRST DIVISION		
Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid -		
Den. Burgundy Cream Den. Jonathan's Glory 'Dark Joy' Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid -	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303) Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3 2
Den. Avril's Gold Den. Andrew Persson 'Hillview' Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid -	Phil & Anne Steer (514) Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3 2
Den. Aussie Victory Den. Avril's Gold 'Jilly' Australian Native - Seedling - Chin	Phil & Anne Steer (514) Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3 2
Den. Tyabb Plum Australian Native - Specimen	Peter Haltis (442)	3
Den. Border Surprise	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Den. Aussie Victory BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	2
Den. Aussie Victory Cymbidium over 90mm -	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Cym. Lowio-grandiflorum Cymbidium over 90mm - Any other	Peter Haltis (442)	3
Cym. Death Wish 'Speckled Spire' Cym. Kimberley Splash 'Tee Pee' Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/	Bill Jayne (1180) Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3 3
Cym. Spring Flame 'Blushing' BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
Cym. Spring Flame 'Blushing' Cymbidium 60 - 90mm -	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
Cym. Andy Devine Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Cym. Kiri Te Kanawa 'Maori Maiden' BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm	Beth Stronach (836)	3
Cym. Kiri Te Kanawa 'Maori Maiden' Cymbidium under 60mm -	Beth Stronach (836)	3
Cym. Thumbs Up Cym. Celtic Imp 'Caprice' Cymbidium under 60mm - Any other	Phil & Anne Steer (514) Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3 2
Cym. Fatal Beauty	Phil & Anne Steer (514)	3
Cym. Pearl Dawson Cymbidium under 60mm - Red/	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	2
Cym. Rod's Tango 'Tobruk' Cym. Guest Work	Bill Jayne (1180) Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3 2
BEST CYMBIDIUM - under 60mm Cym. Rod's Tango 'Tobruk' Laeliinae Standard Hybrid under	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
Ctt. Candy Ball 'Sunlight' Laeliinae Non-Standard	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Ctt. Trick or Treat Rth. Twentyfour Carat 'Lea' BEST LAELIINAE	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303) Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3 2
Ctt. Trick or Treat Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Ons. Midnight Miracles Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm	Beth Stronach (836)	3
Onc. Unknown BEST ONCIDIINAE	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Ons. Midnight Miracles Paphiopedilum - Non Standard	Beth Stronach (836)	3
Paph. British Bulldog 'Personality Peter' Paph. Unknown x charlesworthii	Bill Jayne (1180) Shirley Greig (1128)	3 2

2022 SPRING SHOW RESULTS LIST Cont ...

Paphiopedilum - Specimen		
insigne BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM	Laurie & Sue Carter (1303)	3
Paph. British Bulldog 'Personality Peter' Any other Genus - Species	Bill Jayne (1180)	3
Bulb. ambrosia Max. porphyrostele BEST ANY OTHER GENUS	Beth Stronach (836) Peter Haltis (442)	3 2
Bulb. ambrosia	Beth Stronach (836)	3
SECOND DIVISION Australian Native epiphyte - Species		
Den. speciosum Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid -	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Den. (Victorian Flare x Victorian Stripe) Den. (Victorian Flare x Victorian Stripe) Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid -	Coral Tillmanns (212) Jim Fogarasi (150)	3 2
Den. Gracillimum 'Dashwood' Australian Native terrestrial - Species	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Ptst. curta Australian Native - Specimen	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Den. Gracillimum 'Dashwood' BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Den. Gracillimum 'Dashwood' Cymbidium over 90mm -	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Cym. Lowio-grandiflorum BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3
Cym. Lowio-grandiflorum Cymbidium 60 - 90mm -	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3
Cym. Pharaoh's Dream 'Dural' Cym. Coconut Ice Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/	Helen McIntosh (299) Helen McIntosh (299)	3 2
Cym. (Janis Lin x Tethys) Cym. Khan Flame 'Tuscany' BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279) Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3 2
Cym. Pharaoh's Dream 'Dural' Cymbidium under 60mm -	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Cymbidium under 60mm - Red/	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Cym. Ruby Eyes 'Red Baron' Cym. Brook Street Cymbidium under 60mm - Specimen	Coral Tillmanns (212) Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3 2
Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Cym. Brook Street BEST CYMBIDIUM - under 60mm	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279) Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3 2
Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Ons. Midnight Miracles Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Oot. Cherry Fudge BEST ONCIDIINAE	Jim Fogarasi (150)	3
Ons. Midnight Miracles Zygopetalum - Hybrid	Dudley & Genny Huxtable (279)	3
Z. Unknown BEST ZYGOPETALINAE	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
Z. Unknown	Helen McIntosh (299)	3



September Results List

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Open	Di	/ie	sic	n

Austra	lian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid		
348	Den. Wayne Turville	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
349	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2
Cymbio	dium over 90mm All colours inc Non	-std	
350	Cym. (Darch Hero x Kimberley Splash)	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3 2
351	Cym. [Rolf Bolin x [Westholme x (Sensation x	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2
Garard	/ Western Trophy		
359	Cym. [Rolf Bolin x [(Westholme x (Sensation	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Oncidi	inae - Hybrid < 60mm	ö y (y	
	Onc. Twinkle 'Red Fantasy'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	Seedling - any Genera	3,000 (0)	
357		Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	pedilum - Non Standard	······································	
354	Paph. Quercitron 'Bacon and Eggs'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	pedilum - Species	······································	
	Paph. micranthum	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	pedilum - Standard		5
	Paph. Winston Churchll	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
Specin	ien Species or Hybrid		5
358		Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
	etalinae - Hybrid		5
	Zga. Happy Bay 'Coral Tillmanns'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Circt	Division		
	lian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid		
336		Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3 2
337	Den. Aussie Victory	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	
338	Den. (Victorian Flare x Victorian Stripe)	Peter Haltis (442)	1
	dium 60 - 90mm - Species		
346	Cym. Celtic Imp 'Caprice'	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3

	Den. (vietorian riare x vietorian Stripe)	
Cymbic	lium 60 - 90mm - Species	
	Cym. Celtic Imp 'Caprice'	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)
Cymbic	lium over 90mm All colours inc Non	i-std
343	Cym. Coraki Glowing 'Kentlyn'	Graham Fear (576)
344	Cym. Lowio-grandiflorum	Peter Haltis (442)
345	Cym. [Joan's Era x (Joan's Charisma x Austral	Graham Fear (576)
Cymbic	lium under 60 All Colours inc Non-s	td
	Cym. Yai x Phyllis Hebrard	Graham Fear (576)
Laeliina	ae - Non Standard	
	Ctt. Trick or Treat	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)
	nae - Hybrid < 60mm	
341	Onc. Unknown	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)
	nae - Hybrid > 60mm	
	Ons. Midnight Miracles	Beth Stronach (836)
Orchid	Genera not listed elsewhere - Spec	
332		Beth Stronach (836)
	Serapias lingua	Peter Haltis (442)
334		Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)
Orchid	Seedling - any Genera	
335	Cym. [Joan's Era x (Joan's Charisma x Austral	Graham Fear (576)
Paphio	pedilum - Non Standard	· ·
342	Paph. Giant Spice	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)

Second Division

Austra	lian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid		
324	Den. (Victorian Flare x Victorian Stripe)	Jim Fogarasi (150)	3 2
325		Coral Tillmanns (212)	2
326	Den. Unknown	Craig Humfrey (268)	1
Austra	lian Native Epiphyte - Species		
323		John & Rhonda Wainwright (549)	3
Austra	lian Native Terrestrial - Hybrid		
329	Ptst. x ingens	Craig Humfrey (268)	3
Austra	lian Native Terrestrial - Species	o y (y)	
327	Ptst. curta	Helen McIntosh (299)	3
328		Helen McIntosh (299)	2
Cymbio	lium 60 - 90mm All colours in Non-	std	
	Cym. Foxfire Amber 'Dural'	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3
Cymbio	lium over 90mm All colours inc Non	i-std	
319	Cym. (Lunar Wall x Kakadu Sunset)	John & Rhonda Wainwright (549)	3
320		John & Rhonda Wainwright (549)	2
Cymbio	lium under 60 All Colours inc Non-s	td	
322	Cym. Thumb's Up 'Tamera'	John & Rhonda Wainwright (549)	3
Laeliin	ae - Standard over 100mm		
330	Rlc. Lui's Joyance	Vera Bastian (978)	3
Paphio	pedilum - Non Standard		
331	Paph. Leeanum	Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195)	3
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PLANT COMMENTARY – SEPTEMBER 2022

ORCHID of FIRST DIVISION and PLANT OF THE NIGHT

There were 19 orchids benched in this Division. The plant chosen by the Judges as the Plant of First Division and the Plant of the Night was *Dendrobium* Avril's Gold 'Jilly' grown by Phil and Anne Steer.

This orchid was a large plant that had three, long, eye-catching inflorescences each of which were covered with flowers. The flowers were a bright, buttercup yellow with maroon markings. They had distinctive labellums of maroon and white. The number of flowers and their bright colouring made this orchid a winner.

Well done and congratulations to Phil and Anne Steer.





ORCHID OF SECOND DIVISION Paph. Leeanum Grown by Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes Photo Neil Cooper

ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION and PLANT OF THE NIGHT Den. Avril's Gold 'Jilly' Grown by Phil & Anne Steer Photos Neil Cooper

ORCHID of SECOND DIVISION

There were 18 orchids in Second Division. The winning plant of Second Division was *Paphiopedilum* Leeanum grown by Janet Adams and Gordon Ninnes. *Paphiopedilum* Leeanum is a crossing between *Paphiopedilum insigne* and *Paphiopedilum* spicerianum. The benched plant was evenly covered with lots of well formed, medium sized flowers.

The flowers were fully open and naturally displayed in a hanging pot. This orchid grows outside under shade cloth in Adelaide. The lovely Paphiopedilum was a healthy, well grown plant and a worthy winner of Plant of Second Division.

Well done Janet and Gordon.



SEEDLING of THE MONTH

The Seedling of the Month was Cymbidium [Joan's Era X (Joan's Charisma X Australian Spring)] was grown by Graham Fear. It was a lovely, clean, white colour with pale pink and lemon on the labellum. It had a great shape and substance. The stem habit displayed the flowers well.

SEEDLING OF THE MONTH Cym. [Joan's Era x (Joan's Charisma x Australian Spring)] Grown by Graham Fear Photo by Neil Cooper

GARARD/WESTERN TROPHY

The Cymbidium nominated for the Garard/Western Trophy was bred by Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju. This orchid was called Cym. [Rolf Bolin X [Westholme X (Sensation X Rampur)]] X Valley Splash. The flowers were white with a patterned overlay of maroon. The labellum had a dark, maroon tip with a yellow and white inside. The yellow marking on the labellun provided a contrast to the rest of the flower. The orchid flower markings were distinctive and attractive.

Please do not judge your orchids at home. We encourage you to bring them along to the monthly meeting if they are in flower.

Thank you to our Judges Jane Higgs, Don Higgs, and Peter Haltis for a job well done.

ORCHID of OPEN DIVISION

The plant of Open Division was *Paph. micranthum* grown by Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju. This paphiopedilum is a species orchid that we don't see very often on the show bench in Adelaide. It had a well formed flower with an extra large pouch. The colouring was a soft pink on the pouch and a distinctive, well defined pattern of maroon and yellow on the dorsal sepal and petals.

Congratulations to Michael and Oui.

ORCHID OF OPEN DIVISION Paph. micranthum Grown by Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photo Neil Cooper



Vicky Cooper

Acting Registrar



DAYTIME CHAPTER Thursday 8th September 2022



Hi everyone,

The September meeting of the Daytime Chapter welcomed Ron Parish, a Club Life Member, as our guest speaker. Ron brought along a number of his specimens and spoke on Jewel Orchids. His informative talk, and slide show, covered the selection, potting, fertilising and ongoing maintenance of these beautiful Orchids. The many questions to Ron showed the high interest by members of this species. Thank you Ron.



Congratulations to Coral Tillmanns who won the plant of the day with her *Dendrobium* Burgundy Cream.

Thanks to Patti for organising the the raffles and Alan for operating the trading table.

The meeting ended with afternoon tea and discussions.

Next Meeting : Guest Speaker:

Vicky Cooper

A practical demonstration on caring for your orchids and all things needed to be done in October.

Thursday 13th October – 2pm, Lou Kesting Hall, South Brighton.

Ron also provided a commentary on the other plants presented by members.



Keith and Val Bleechmore



SOUTHERN REGION MEETING Sunday 18th September2022

Convenor, Chris Heysen, opened the meeting at 2.10 pm welcoming the 23 members and visitors present. Welcome also to guest speaker for today – Kevin Western.

Apologies: Phil Steer, Christine Robertson, Bev Gay, Anne Bourne, Julia Mumford, Pam McDonald and Peter and Julie Davidge. Christine is recovering but it will still take some time. I spoke to her this morning, and she's obviously frustrated at not being able to drive.

Vale to Sid James. As I'm sure most of you know by now long-time member and stalwart of the club Sid James passed away last week after a short illness. Anne has written to his family to pass on our sincere condolences. For those who would like to attend his funeral it will be held in the Gospel Centre on George Main Road (opposite VH High School) this coming Wednesday (21/09/22) at 11:00am. Knowing the high regard in which Sid was held in Victor Harbor I'm sure there will be a large crowd. The service will be also available for direct viewing on livestream by searching Sid Andrew James on You Tube.

Thank you to John Gay for his always informative presentation to the Learners Group.

Guest Speaker: Our Guest Speaker, Kevin Western, gave a very interesting talk about orchid propagation with many detailed slides showing each stage of the process for both seed and mericlone reproduction. The attention to detail required to ensure strict hygiene is maintained at every stage was fascinating and clearly showed why this is a very skilled operation that very few people can accomplish successfully. Many thanks Kevin.

Birthday Prize: Eileen Pinnock. **Lucky Name Badge:** Marg Yelland. **Door Prize** – Shirley Greig.

Announcements.

Our show last month was very successful. The display was great and created a lot of interest from the public. Congratulations to Lyn Heysen on winning the Grand Champion and to Peter and Julie Davidge for their Reserve Champion plant.



Sales on the Trading table were brisk, and we had to call for extra plants after the first day. At close of business on Saturday virtually everything had gone. Well done and a huge thank you to all who helped across the 3 days. It was a huge effort but well worth it. Anne Steer presented prize money, Certificates and Trophies to winners from the Show.

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

Judging: Jane and Don Higgs carried out the judging assisted by John Gay.

Judges Commentary: Jane Higgs.

Next meeting – Sunday 16th October 2022. This will be a workshop meeting with demonstrations by a number of members of the Club – including today's guest speaker, Kevin Western - who will demonstrate deflasking of orchid seedlings. I understand that our President may also be here.

The meeting closed at 3:00pm

Chris Heysen

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SOUTHERN REGION PLANT COMMENTARY

Plant of the Day Orchid of Second Division

The Judges chose *Den.* Gracillimum 'Dashwood' as the plant of Second Division and Plant of the Day. This was grown by Dudley & Genny Huxtable and was a well grown plant with many lovely inflorescences carrying multiple flowers.

The flowers were cream with minute reddish brown markings and a white frilled labellum.

Well done Dudley & Genny.

PLANT OF THE DAY ORCHID OF SECOND DIVISION Den. Gracillimum 'Dashwood' Grown By Dudley & Genny Huxtable Photos Jane Higgs

POPULAR VOTE

The Popular Vote was shared by two plants. *Den.* Gracillimum 'Dashwood' grown by Dudley & Genny Huxtable and *Den.* Ellen 'Lorna' grown by Bob & Meaghan Clayton.





Orchid of First Division

The plant selected by the Judges was grown by Chris & Lyn Heysen and was *Phal.* Unknown. This was a very well grown plant with beautiful white flowers with minute mauve spots and a deep purple labellum.

Congratulations Chris and Lyn.

ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION *Phal.* Unknown Grown By Chris & Lyn Heysen Photo Jane Higgs

Thank you to our Judges for a job well done! Good Growing !





Points Awarded

For the Registrar

September Results List

First Division Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid 356 Den. Hilda Poxon 'Pixie' Eileen Pinnock (519) 3 2 357 Den. Jonathan's Glory Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) Laeliinae - Cluster Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Fiery Gold' 3 358 Eileen Pinnock (519) Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid 360 Phal. Unknown Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) 3 361 Phal. Bella Donna Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) 2 ī 362 Phal. Sogo Breeze Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Species 3 363 Coel. cristata Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) Paphiopedilum - Non Standard 3 Paph. (Unknown x charlesworthii) Shirley & Don Greig (1128) 359 Second Division Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid 344 Den. Gacillimum 'Dashwood' Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) 3 2 345 Den. Ellen 'Lorna' Bob & Meaghan Clayton (143) Den. Unknown Bob & Meaghan Clayton (143) 1 346 Australian Native Terrestrial - Species 3 347 Ptst. curta Bob & Meaghan Clayton (143) Cymbidium 60 - 90mm All colours in Non-std Cym. (Janis Lin x Tethys) Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) 3 350 351 Cym. Valley Luck Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) 2 Cym. (Red Coral x Red Valley) 1 352 Bob & Meaghan Clayton (143) Cymbidium over 90mm All colours inc Non-std 3 348 Cym. Unknown Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) Cym. Torchbeam 2 349 Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) Cymbidium under 60 All Colours inc Non-std Cym. Ruby Brook 'Falling Fire' 353 Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) 3 354 Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Oncidiinae - Hybrid > 60mm 2 Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) 3 355 Ons. Midnight Miracles Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)

Orchid Culture Notes for October



With the shows almost over we return back to our orchid enclosures and commence one of the most important periods in the orchid calendar. It is called maintenance and whether we like it or not, it is an important factor in the upkeep of our collections. Repotting, potting on, dividing and feeding marks what I call the busiest time of the year.

After flowering many of our plants commence a new season growth. This growth can be retarded somewhat if the flowers are left on too long, especially with orchids that hold their flowers for a long time. So the decision is do we cut them off after displays, etc.? This is a personal choice. Some will say in nature they don't get cut off. True. But how many grow here and how many are so far removed from their original parentage that they don't know what they are anymore. My preference is that short lived flowers such as the natives stay on until they drop but those that stay on longer such as the Cymbidiums get about four weeks before I cut them and bring them inside. Other even longer lasting orchids like the Paphiopedilums seem to do okay regardless of how long they stay in flower. Only experience with your orchid in your environment will answer this question correctly.

Other factors to take into account are the size of your plants. A large and well grown plant can support large or multiple racemes but what of a small first flowering seedling or a plant stressed from the previous year division, flowering in a last effort to reproduce and survive. It is best to remove these flower spikes early rather than subject the plant to too much added stress. Some Oncidium seedlings come to mind here, literally flowering themselves to death as a first flowering plant. What about those plants stressed after being in a shopping centre or the show for days on end. I find it best to give these plants a rest and remove the inflorescences. Again I stress, this is my personal choice and it is up to the individual to do what they wish with their plants.

Native Dendrobiums should have flowers cut once they start to droop and lose substance. Spent flowers that drop onto leaves and new growths, etc. soon go mouldy and attract fungal problems. One little insect bite or a damaged leaf will provide the perfect entry point for fungus and in the warmth and moisture of October this spreads rapidly. Now is also a good time to pot on and divide Native Dendrobiums as they commence new growth and re-establish quickly. Look for the commencement of new root growth with the new canes. Don't over pot natives and allow enough for two years growth. This is a good rule of thumb.

Always inspect the roots to see how your culture has been. The pots should have roots growing round and round the inside edge of the pot. They should be white and firm with many growing tips. The centre of the plant has fewer roots and most of these will be previous roots, brown and dead looking. If your roots are sparse all through the mix or rotted then you have a cultural problem. There could be many reasons for this. Too much water, the mix has broken down and become acidic, over fertilising or feeding when the plant is dormant or the plant being cold and wet when it should be cold and dry. This applies especially to the hot/colds. For the newer growers a hot/cold Dendrobium is a hybrid where a cool grower such as *Den. speciosum* is crossed with a warmer grower such as *Den. bigibbum*. It gives you a plant that often flowers earlier or later than most natives. The flowers last longer are usually larger and more colourful than the cooler growers. These are rapidly gaining in popularity. Treat them the same as the normal cool growers during the growing season but keep a little drier in winter and provide them with more light.



Zygopetalums should just about be finished flowering now and large

plants can be split. As with most orchids it pays to keep your divisions to a good size of three or four growths as a minimum to ensure flowering next season. Keep an eye out for the Spring looper caterpillars under the leaves from now. They are fond of the soft new leaves of your Zygoes and one or two loopers will make a mess of new growths overnight. Spray with Mancozeb every two months to keep fungal problems to a minimum. Keep water and fertiliser out of the new growths. With fungal problems rife in October your Zygopetalum will be the first to lose growths through rot. At worst it will keep 2 or 3 leaves and will be severely set back, so much so, it may not even produce a worthwhile back bulb, let alone anything strong enough to support a strong growth next year with a flower spike.

Native terrestrials start to look a little sick from now as they begin to yellow and enter summer dormancy. Reduce the watering as they enter dormancy.

New growths on the Cattleyas and Oncidiums start to move now and many will show new roots starting to appear. This tells you they are becoming more receptive to feeding and watering. Aquasol, Thrive and any feed with a high nitrogen component will suffice at this time. With the new roots forming tells you it is also a good time to divide and repot these two genera. The new roots continue to grow to support the division, often with very little set back. Do this at the wrong time and watch your plant wither and struggle.

If you decide to break up an Oncidium or Cattleya/Laeliinae do this before the roots get too long and are easily broken. Secondly if they grow long they become accustomed to an aerial existence and will rot off when placed into the damp confines of a potting mix. Make sure your division is securely positioned in the pot until it establishes.

Sarcochilus will rapidly be showing their flower spikes now as well and it won't be long before we see plenty of flowers. These are one orchid that likes a very weak fertiliser as the roots are highly sensitive. If you see them lose their green tips shortly after a feed then that's the sign that says oops...too strong or I have some micro slugs in the mix. Don't worry, they'll find your flowers sooner or later if you don't bait them now! Keep them moist also as they do not have any pseudobulbs to fall back upon in times of dryness. Rainwater is best if you can provide it and look at increasing the shade levels as well as the sun's intensity rapidly increases this month.

For those that fancy growing orchids on mounts, spring is a good time to start them off as they readily establish when new roots become evident. A good lesson here is to observe the roots. If they touch the mount and die or brown off then they are saying that host is unsuitable. Orchids are wonderful plants. They tell you when something is not to their liking. Learn to observe these signs and you are well on your way to mastering them. Overlook them and your plant will struggle and even die.

Other chores this month involve moving your plants around as the seasons change. I love moving my plants around as I strive to find the sweet spots in my shade house. provide high light for those that like it, cool shady spots for those that hate the heat and the harsh Adelaide sun. I observe the changing microclimates and most of all make sure I don't grow the orchid that didn't flower this year in the same spot with the same treatment. Plants hung high should be lowered a little as the sun's intensity increases dramatically this month and temperatures rise. Remember these exposed plants will need water more often. With November nearly on our doorstep we need little reminding that a hot and stressful Summer is just around the corner.

Steve Howard

ORCHID CLUBS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA General Meeting Times

THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Whilst COVID restrictions are in place the Club meets on the Second Monday of the month at RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens. at 8.00p.m.

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 3rd 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 2^{hd} 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.

NORTHERN AND EASTERN DISTRICTS ORCHID SOCIETY: meets in St. Philip's Church Hall, Galway Avenue, Broadview from 7.30p.m.on the 3rd Thursday 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.

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