

# *October* 2007

# The South Coast Orchid Club Inc. Gazette

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### **AT A GLANCE**

**THE NEXT MEETING** of the South Coast Orchid Club will be held at 8pm on Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2007, at St Bernadettes Church Hall, corner of South Road and Walsh Ave, St Marys.

Guest Speaker – Kevin McLean

Subject – General Laboratory Work

Introduction to Orchids at 7:30, before the Main Meeting.

Subject – Cymbidiums

Presenter – John Robinson

**DAYTIME GROUP** to be held at Lou Kesting Hall, Dover Square, off Broadway, South Brighton, on Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> October, 2007, at 2pm. Guest Speaker – John Lewis Subject – Phapiopedilums

**SOUTHERN REGIONAL GROUP** on Sunday, 21 October, 2007, at Carrickalinga House, 17 – 19 Torrens St, Victor Harbor, at 2pm. Guest Speaker – Kevin Trevan Subject: - How I Grow my Zygos

**SPECIES GROUP—NOTE CHANGE OF DATE** to be held on 22 October, at 8pm, at Lou Kesting Hall, off Broadway, South Brighton.

**LUCKY NAME BADGE** – Make sure you wear your name badge as you may win a prize.

**BIRTHDAY DRAW** – is your name in the Birthday Book.

### **SPRING SHOW RESULTS**

Interim results will be posted on the internet site by Sunday Evening

### THANK YOU

To all members who donated spare plants to the Club for Raffle plants, new members etc. Your donations really helped the cause..

http://members.optusnet.com.au/vcs\_filming

Check it out to see all the updates gazettes & pictures.

Have an opinion or something to say contact the Editor Ron Parish Ph 08 8298 4118 E-mail vcs\_filming@optusnet.com.au People who submit articles to the Club for inclusion in our Gazette express opinions which are not necessarily those of the Club. No Guarantee is provided to anyone using the ideas & opinions expressed in these articles.

Items must be delivered to the Editor by the Thursday following the Committee meeting.

PUBLIC LIABILITY

Under insurance guideline all members and Committee attending any function or meeting held by the Club must now sign an attendance book by name and signature.

### **2007 CLUB MEETING DATES**

### November

- 7 Main Ron Parish Canada Holiday
- 15 Daytime Chapter
- 18 Southern Regional Group Show
- 19 Species Group

### **December**

- 5 Main Xmas Diner & Species
- 13 Daytime Chapter
- 16 Southern Regional Group Show
- 17 Species Group

### **February**

- 6 AGM Trophy & Flower of the Night
- 14 Daytime Chapter
- 17 Southern Regional Group Show
- 18 Species Group

### March 2008

- 5 Main KEVIN TREVAN Zygo
- 13 Daytime Chapter
- 16 Southern Regional Group Show
- 17 Species Group

### **April** 2008

- 2 Main Netty McGetty (Melbourne) Peru, Ecuador - Species
- 10 Daytime Chapter

- 20 Southern Regional Group Show
- 21 Species Group

### **May** 2008

- 7 Main Autumn Show
- 15 Daytime Chapter
- 18 Southern Regional Group Show
- 19 Species Group

### **June** 2008

- 4 Main Autumn Show Brian & Pena Gerhardt talking on Aus tralian Natives
- 12 Daytime Chapter
- 15 Southern Regional Group Show
- 16 Species Group

### **July** 2008

- 2 Main Autumn Show Speaker Rob Worden
- 10 Daytime Chapter
- 20 Southern Regional Group Show
- 21 Species Group

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### South Coast Display at the Royal Adelaide Show

We received 2 Champion Awards Ron Parish received for Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' And

Malcolm Guy for his Australian Native

### **JUDGING FOR MAIN MEETING**

REGISTRAR - R Shooter

OPEN – G Zerbe, N Oliver PENCILLOR – P Flavel STUDENT JUDGE – M Campbell

FIRST – R Fishlock, J Gay PENCILLOR – G Flavel STUDENT JUDGE – W Lodge

SECOND – H Fishlock PENCILLOR – M Tiggerman STUDENT JUDGE – B Lyttle

Judges to arrive early – R Shooter and N Oliver

### WHAT'S ON BEFORE THE MEETING

Trading Table - Lucky Square - The Library - Beginners Group - Raffle Tickets - Plants for Sale

### **OUR GUEST SPEAKER**

Kev McLean (Only called Kevin when in trouble)

Born and grew up roaming the Prospect/ North Adelaide area. Went to local schools and Adelaide Uni for a Science Degree in Biological Science. Ironically not in plant studies but mainly in Zoology and Biochemistry. Also did Diploma of Education and taught Science, Maths, and Biology at Croydon and Gilles Plains High Schools. Met a bubbly girl called Pauline at Uni and married her in 1974. She got her first job at Adelaide Orchids where she established a laboratory for tissue culture, which was new to the orchid world at that time. We set up our own lab at home in a spare bedroom due to a request from a specific cymbidium grower. Since then things have grown to the point at which I gave up teaching in 1981 and have been full time in the lab ever since. We shifted the lab into a purpose built building in the back yard and have built another area on a spare block. At the moment we employ 2 workers, mainly doing cymbidium seedlings and mericlones, but also bits and pieces of most other genera.

### **SOUTHERN REGIONAL GROUP**

Apologies to you all as last monthly Southern Regional Group segment was not put into August Gazette.

Congratulations to Eileen Pinnock for the Best Plant of the Show. You all need to be Congratulated on your Show and the Craft Fair Displays. The number of plants and the quality was a great effort. Members who have the internet site will have seen Nina with her Without Peer Soft Touch and the Craft Fair Photos Ronda sent Ron. We tried to put the photo of Eileen and Pat up but we only had the Argus Newspaper photo and we couldn't scan the photo.

Christmas Lunch – 11:30am, at Urimbirra Restaurant. Price - \$17.00 for a 3 course meal, before the December Main Meeting. I'm sure you all agree this is a great Restaurant to have our Christmas Festivities and then go on to the Meeting. Next Meeting we will need to know numbers as I have put in a tentative booking for 30, and I will need to finalise this soon with the restaurant.

Thank you to Brian Lyttle for an interesting talk. It was nice for you to meet Brian as you all enjoy growing his plants.

October Meeting you will meet Kevin Trevan, our Zygo man. Kevin loves growing his favourite orchid, the Zygopetlum. His back yard is full of them so this keeps him very busy and he is a wealth of knowledge as he has been growing them for many years.

October, Geoff and I will be in Victor Harbor to find a site for your 2008 Show.

See you all on the 21st. Remember to check your calendar for the Christmas Lunch and phone me please.

### **CHRISTMAS DINNER AND MEETING** on 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2007.

Our Patron, Syd Monkhouse and wife, Shirley have accepted our invitation to attend Dinner.

### **TEXAS BULL MACHINE - CATERERS**

Christmas Dinner at 7pm, with Main Meeting at 8:30. Cost \$20.00

Menue

Whole Decorated Baked Schnapper, Champagne Leg Ham, Carved Roast Turkey, Prawns, Salami, Cabana and Metwurst. Rolls and Butter. Fresh Salads.

Salads -

Potato, Coleslaw, Beetroot, Garden Salad with French or Italian Dressing, Tomato and Cucumber, Fresh Pineapple, Mixed Bean, Watermelon, Tabouli, Curried or Tropical Rice, Apple and Celery, Fresh Mushrooms, Pasta and Zucchini.

Standard Desserts – (Choice of 2 only).

Pavlova, Selection of Cheese Cakes, Apricot Pie and Cream, Fresh Fruit Salad and Cream, Apple Pie and Cream, Plum Pudding and Cream.

The Club will provide nibbles and fruit cup. You may BYO wine, spirits or beer.

Features of the Night

Members who would like to attend Christmas Dinner, please let Judy know as soon as possible so we can organize the catering. Cost to members - \$20.00 per head. You may like to pay a little each month. The Club will also organise a Raffle for a 'Christmas Hamper'. The Club will provide some goodies to be put into the hamper. You may also like to contribute gifts.

**Bring a gift / receive a gift** -If you wish to participate in this scheme please bring along a small gift (which you would like to receive yourself) you will be given a ticket when you present your gift to enable you thru the evening to receive a like gift. A few ideas – orchids, ferns, nuts, wine etc. Something you would like to receive yourself.

During the evening, members from the Species Group will discuss many species of orchids benched on the night. You will be able to see these orchids much closer than usual.

Father and Merry Christmas have been invited.

Please bring your plants along for judging on the night.

### **LOBETHAL CHRISTMAS LIGHTS**

Enjoy a relaxing evening aboard a luxury Corston Coach, as you glide through the Adelaide Hills on your way to Lobethal, to see the wonderful display of Christmas lights, that the hills folk put up for all to enjoy. On the way, the Coach Captain will give a very interesting commentary, and I'm sure you will all learn something.

We will leave the Lou Kesting Hall, Dover Square (Day group meeting hall), off Broadway, South Brighton, at approximately 6.30pm on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2007 having a meal at the Lobethal Sports and Recreation Club (sit-down meal).

**The Menu** will be Marinated Steak or Chicken with a Sausage, Home made Potato Bake, with fresh Home made Salads. Desert – Strawberries and Ice Cream.

Trading Table – Interesting Christmas presents, and also bags of freshly picked Cherries are for sale, along with other Hills produce.

To keep prices to a minimum we need at least 40 members and your friends to come, to cover the cost of the Coach hire. The total cost to members will be –

### \$38.00 including a 2-course meal.

### Drinks are available from the licensed bar.

Judy McRedmond will take your \$10.00 deposit at the next meeting and then you can pay a little each month towards the cost of the coach and your meal, so book your seat early, to have a good night out with all your orchid loving friends.

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Last night when I was thinking about writing my piece for the Gazette, I suddenly remembered in 2005 that I donated 50 seedlings of Dorothea Page 'Red Berret' x Wallamurra x Yowie Flame, and I said, "The first member to bring a flowering plant to a meeting would win a \$50.00 note". Well, 2008 should be the year. I wonder who will win the money. There should be a number of nice looking plants among the members. Mine is looking great, but I am not in the competition. Let me know at the next meeting how your plant is growing.

Each month I enjoy reading the Species Group segment and also the Benched Plant Commentaries. A big Thankyou to Reg Shooter and Ian Attenborough who are both very busy people and make the

time to do such a great report each month.

When you receive this Gazette the Spring Show will be on the way. Congratulations to the Grand Champion and a big Thankyou to everyone else for a job well done. It has been a very busy year, and plants are well on the way for next year.

**Good Growing** 

Geoff

### Epic. Raniferum

This species has canes to about 600 mm and flowers from the tip of the cane and on my plants will flower successively from this point.

The flower spike emerges then droops as the 10 to 20, 25—30 mm flowers emerge.

grow my plant in a 9 inch pot near the roof of the Cattleya House. I seems to like light and also prefers more heat. Plants of this species have been recorded from Mexico to Brazil

& Bolivia.



### **DAYTIME GROUP**

Hi Everyone,

Our Group today was treated to a great afternoon of valuable information and experience by one of our members, Mr Bill Clark. Bill has been a long time member of our Club and grows beautiful Orchids. He now looks after the Trading Table at our afternoon Group sessions and doing an excellent job. Bill brought in quite a lot of plants from home which he spoke about and then showed us a lovely collection of coloured slides taken from Shows and Displays he had visited and enjoyed. He took photos of plants and flowers that appealed to him which were then transferred to slides. Thanks Bill for a great afternoon, and for all the time and effort you put in to make it an enjoyable afternoon for us all.

Apologies today from Don and Audrey Biebrick, Dorrie Coleman, Joan McMahon, Merle Hutchins, Joan Kelly, Ron and Irene and Geoff (who was helping Murray Bridge set up for their Orchid Show). We hope to see you all very soon.

Our display table was down in quantity this month, but we had quality instead. It certainly has been a strange growing season this year. Our popular vote was won by Mr Lance Davis, with a lovely pink specimen size plant of Den. 'Gillian Levy' X Tweed. Congratulations, Lance and well done. Lance and his wife, Barbra are new members to our Club who seem to have quite a bit of knowledge on the growing and flowering of their Orchids. Thanks also to Mr Ralph Lucas for bringing in his lovely plant of Sarah Jean 'Vapour' for us all to admire.

Our Meeting was closed after another great afternoon of friendship and sharing. Thankyou all who attended, and hoping to see you all again next month.

Bye Dorothy.

### SOUTHER REGIONAL GROUP September Monthly Floral Competition Results

Judges Choice – Orchid of the Day

Den Victoria Flare x Kath Zip

**Australian Native Species** 

1 Den speciosum

2 Den gracillicaule

**Australian Native Hybrid** 

Iris Freeman 685

R and D Overall 517 Grace Knoll 578 1 Den Victoria Flare x Kath Zip Iris Freeman 685 2 Den Delicatum R and D Overall 517

Cymbidium 60mm

1 Cym Tommy Amy R Clifford 567 2 Cym Tommy Amy K Sutton 570 3 Cym Mimi 'Sacramento' R Clifford 567

Cymbidium 90mm

1 Strath Beauty R Clifford 567 2 Chocolada x Logfire R Clifford 567

Laeliinae 100mm

1 C. Adelaide Ablaze K Sutton 570

2 Slc. Agent Orange D Bowden & N Cockington 402

Laeliinae 100mm

1 BLC. Sylvia Fry 'Surpreme' D Bowden & N Cockington 402

Oncidiinae Hybrid

1 Wils. Hilda Plumtree D Bowden & N Cockington 402

**Orchid Genera Not Listed** 

1 Phal. unknown D Bowden & N Cockington 402

### SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB BYLAWS IN RELATION TO PROMOTIONS AND SHOWS

- (2) "Exhibitor" shall mean a member of the Club who benches a plant at any show or meeting of the Club. Two or more members who have a common collection of plants may exhibit jointly during any one-year. For the purpose of prizes and promotions form one class to another, such joint exhibitors shall be regarded as a single exhibitor. Those who intend to exhibit as joint exhibitors shall notify the Registrar in writing prior to exhibiting for the first time in any show year and may not exhibit as a single exhibitor in that show year without leave of Committee-
- (3) A "Second Division Exhibitor" shall mean an exhibitor who has nominated for this division. A Second Division Exhibitor shall remain so until the end of the show year during which he gains his (20<sup>th</sup>) major prize or until at least 2 years as a second division exhibitor.
- (4) A "First Division Exhibitor" shall mean an exhibitor who has nominated for this division or who has graduated from the Second Division and is not an Open Division Exhibitor. A member may not exhibit in this division after he has won (40) major prizes in this division, subject to clause 2 above. Members are to exhibit in this division for at least 2 years before being promoted to the Open Division.
- (5) An "Open Division Exhibitor" is an exhibitor who has nominated for this division or who has graduated from First Division.
- (6) A "Major Prize" shall mean any of the following:
  - \* Best in division at any Cultural Meeting, or
  - \* Any First Prize at any show (Autumn, Winter, Spring) or
  - \* Any First placing in any yearly aggregate section in a show year.
- (7) "Show Year" means from the 1st day of January in any year, to the last day of December in the same year.
- (8) "Plants" shall mean Orchid Plants.
- (9) "Judges" shall mean Judges of the Club and any Judges appointed by the S.A. Regional Judging Panel.

### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

2 (a) A person may exhibit at any Cultural Meetings or Shows (being Autumn, Winter, Spring)

upon payment of the fees applicable at that time and who's application is accepted by a majority of Committee present at the time.

- (b) Any Open Division Exhibitor, who, has for two consecutive years, failed to win a total of (3) major prized for those 2 years may seek Committee's approval to exhibit as a First Division Exhibitor. Any First Division Exhibitor who has for 2 years consecutive years failed to win a total of 6 major prizes may seek Committee's approval to exhibit as a Second Division Exhibitor.
- (c) Any exhibitor who exhibits in any particular division in any show year cannot show in another division for that show year (whether eligible for that other division or not) without leave of the Committee.
- (d) Where an exhibitor has exhibited in a higher division in any other Club in Australia, he may be prevented from exhibiting as a Second Division Exhibitor by the Committee.
- (e) Any flower or inflorescence competing at any show or meeting must have been owned by the exhibitor for the proceeding 6 months.
- (f) A member exhibiting in the Open Division and who also belongs to another Club may apply to the South Coast Orchid Club for dispensation to exhibit in First Division in the other Club at the discretion of the Club.

## **September Results List**

### **Open Division**

Austr	alian Native Epiphyte Hybrid						
385	Den. Zipalong 'Burnt Orange'	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	2				
386	Dopck. Gillieston Glow	Bev & John Gay (65)	1				
384	Den. (Zip x falcorostrum)	Malcolm Guy (248)	1				
Austr	Australian Native Epiphyte Species						
381	Den. aemulum	Bev & John Gay (65)	3				
382	Den. speciosum	Malcolm Tiggeman (465)	2				
383	Den. falcorostrum	Malcolm Guy (248)	1				
Austr	Australian Native Terrestrial Species						
387	Diuris conspicullata	Malcolm Guy (248)	3				
388	Caladenia latifolia	Malcolm Guy (248)	2				
389	Ptst. anatona	Malcolm Guy (248)	1				
Cymbidium < 60mm (all colours)							
390	Cym. Winter Fire 'Abbeville'	Malcolm Tiggeman (465)	3				
Cvmb	Cymbidium 60 - 90 mm (all colours)						
391	Cym. One Tree Hill 'Doris'	Malcolm Tiggeman (465)	3				
392	Cym. Sylvia Miller 'Golden Rod'	Malcolm Tiggeman (465)	2				
393	Cym. Narela 'Jennifer Gail'	Malcolm Tiggeman (465)	1				
Laelii	nae Non Standard Cluster						
405	Lc. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	3				
Oncid	Oncidiinae Hybrid						
436	Aliceara Sunday Best 'Muffin'	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	3				
Oncid	liinae Species (	,					
435	Onc. pulvinatum	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	3				
	d Genera not listed elsewhere - I	` ,	-				
397	Lyc. (Lasioglossa x Frank Hoy)	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321)	3				
	d Genera not listed elsewhere - S	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	3				
394	Den. filiforme	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	3				
395	Pleuro punctulata	Ron & Irene Parish (477)	2				
396	Ludisia discolor	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	1				
	opedilum Novelty	r ctor & Scrataine riaver (407)	'				
411		Pon & Irono Parich (477)	3				
	Paph. Fairy x Liem LS x Maud Magic	Ron & Irene Parish (477)	3				
	opedilum Species	Deign Lottle (O4.4)	2				
409	Paph. villosum	Brian Lyttle (214)	3				

410	Paph. villosum	Malcolm Guy (248)	2
Zygop	etalum Hybrid (inc. intergenerics)		
400	Zba. Kiwi 'Brian'	Trevor Garard (152)	3
401	Zga. Clare Fisher 'Park'	Trevor Garard (152)	2
Zygop	etalum Species		
398	Z. crinitum	Ron & Irene Parish (477)	3
399	Prom Crawshayana	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	2
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First	Division		
Austra	alian Native Epiphyte Hybrid		
372	Den. (Hamilton x self)	David & Kay Cammack (1535)	3
373	Den. (Rosalind x Surprise)	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	2
374	Den. (Peewee x falcorostrum)	David & Kay Cammack (1535)	1
	alian Native Epiphyte Species	De : 1.0.16 Occupent (4505)	2
369 370	Den. speciosum Den. aemulum	David & Kay Cammack (1535)	3 2
370	Den. speciosum	David & Kay Cammack (1535) David & Kay Cammack (1535)	1
	alian Native Terrestrial Hybrid	David a riay daminadir (1888)	·
378	Ptst. Dusty Duke	Kevin Trevan (295)	3
379	Diuris Pioneer 'Big Ears'	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	2
380	Ptst. Bantam	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	1
Austra	alian Native Terrestrial Species		
375	Ptst. curta	Kevin Trevan (295)	3
376	Diuris lancemlata	Norman Woodend (1525)	2
377	Ptst. pedunculata 'Kuitpo'	Kevin Trevan (295)	1
	dium < 60mm (all colours)	D': 0" (000)	•
437 438	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Cym. Sarah Jean 'Jodie'	Rito Silvestri (302) Malcolm Young (754)	3 2
430	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Helen'	John Robinson (1448)	1
	idium > 90mm (all colours)	defini (1440)	
443	Cym. (Cariga x Terama 'Carma Judy')	Malcolm Young (754)	3
444	Cym. Persian Bronze 'Apricot Swirl'	Malcolm Young (754)	2
Cvmbi	dium 60 - 90 mm (all colours)	<b>3</b>	
440	Cym. Willunga Magic 'It's Magic'	Malcolm Young (754)	3
441	Cym. Freeling 'Green Ice'	John Robinson (1448)	2
442	Cym. Owzat	John Robinson (1448)	1
	nae Non Standard Other		
446	Lc. Aussie Sunset x Pot. Dal's Emperor	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	3
	nae Standard > 100MM	II. (I. E. II. (1000)	•
445	Lc. Nippon Livinza	Heather Engelhardt (263)	3
4.47	iinae Hybrid	0	2
44 <i>1</i> 448	Bllra. Marfitch 'Howard's Dream' Zed. Golden Handshake 'Freckles'	Suzanne Saunders (1481) Suzanne Saunders (1481)	2
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412	d Genera not listed elsewhere - Spe Serapias lingua	Kevin Trevan (295)	3
413	Serapias lingua	David & Kay Cammack (1535)	2
414	Osmoglossum pulchellum	Terri Rees (50)	1
Orchid	d Seedling any genera		
415	Den. Mega	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	3
416	Fish. Bill Fishefr	Kevin Trevan (295)	2
417	Den. (Dunu Vivspot x Starsheen)	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	1
	opedilum Species		-
403	Paph. villosum 'Josie'	Merv & Shirley Steele (140)	3
-	opedilum Standard	Out and a County (4.404)	2
404 <b>7</b>	Paph. British Bulldog	Suzanne Saunders (1481)	3
	etalum Hybrid (inc. intergenerics)	John Dohinos - (4440)	2
418 419	Z. Kuipto Z. Wilpena	John Robinson (1448) Kevin Trevan (295)	3 2
420	Fish. Bill Fisher	Kevin Trevan (295) Kevin Trevan (295)	1
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Seco	ond Division		
	alian Native Epiphyte Hybrid	Tony 9 Lynn Fisher (400)	2
367 366	Den. Hilda Poxon 'Sharon' Den. (Hastings x Ku-Ring-Gai 'Bellinger')	Tony & Lynn Fisher (488) Wendy Lodge (406)	3 2
368	Den. (Glamour x Rutherford Surprise)	Tony & Lynn Fisher (488)	1
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Australian Native Epiphyte Species				
364 Den. tetragonum var. giganteum	Tony & Lynn Fisher (488)	3		
365 Den. speciosum	Wendy Lodge (406)	2		
Cymbidium < 60mm (all colours)				
427 Cym. Sarah Jean 'Peach'	Jim Fogarasi (150)	3		
Cymbidium > 90mm (all colours)				
433 Cym. Memoria Merv Dunn 'Gold Treasure'	Wendy Lodge (406)	3		
434 Cym. (Dorothea Page x Khan Flame)	Tony & Lynn Fisher (488)	2		
Cymbidium 60 - 90 mm (all colours)				
428 Cym. (Tethys 'Black Magic' x Bega 'Black	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	3		
429 Cym. (name unknown)	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	2		
432 Cym. Tarrango 'Geyserland'	Wendy Lodge (406)	1		
Laeliinae Non Standard Other				
402 Blc. Waikiki Sunset x Lc. Wainae x Blc. Sylvia	Wendy Lodge (406)	2		
Oncidiinae Hybrid				
421 McIna. Pagan Lovesong 'Ruby Charles'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	2		
Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Species				
408 McIna. porphyrostele	Wendy Lodge (406)	3		
Paphiopedilum Novelty				
422 Paph. Chouvetii 'Van Dyke'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	3		
423 Paph. Venus Hold	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	2		
424 Paph. (name unknown)	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	1		
Vandeae Interge Species				
425 Angcm. sesquipdale	Wendy Lodge (406)	3		
426 Angcm. eberneum	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	2		
Zygopetalum Hybrid (inc. intergenerics)				
406 Zga. Maverick 'Marvel'	Tony & Lynn Fisher (488)	3		
407 Npp. (Adelaide x Rymill Park)	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)	2		

### Best in Open Division and Flower of the Night:

Dendrobium aemulum grown by Bev and John Gay. An Australian native, commonly called the Ironbank Orchid, found in rain and sclerophyll (hard leaf plant) forests in Queensland. A very well grown cork mounted plant with about 26 – 28 canes, most carrying at least one inflorescence and some multiply inflorescences. The small white spidery flowers, all in excellent condition, made a beautiful 'all over' display.



### **Best in First Division:**

Paph. villosum 'Josie' benched by Merv and Shirley Steele. A large well grown plant carrying four good sized glossy flowers, about 90mm across and 115mm tall, each on a single stem. The dorsal sepals were striped brown on a light green background and white edge, the ventral sepal light green. The upper half of the petals were brown, lower half lighter brown and the two shades divided with a darker brown stripe and the pouch glossy light brown.



### **Best in Second Division:**

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Charon' benched by Tony and Lynn Fisher. This plant had five canes carrying a single upright inflorescence with many well displayed 'meaty' or 'heavy substance' flowers. They had greenish yellow sepals and petals set off nicely with the cream striped and spotted maroon labellum.

### A few other plants benched by members:

### Open Division.

Zygopabstia (Zba.) Kiwi 'Brian' benched by Trevor Garard. Asmall well grown plant with a single inflorescrncew bearing four four well displayed flowers. This is a fourth generation hybrid with more than 50% Z. crinitum and 25% Pabstia jugosa in its background, as well as other Zygopetalum species. The striking flat flowers, 86mm wide and 80mm high were coloured differently from those usually seen in the Zygopetalum alliance. Petals and sepals were yellow spotted in maroon-brown and complimented by the white labellum with purple striping.



### First Division.

*Bllra*. Marfitch 'Howard's Dream', a complex intergeneric hybrid within the Oncidiinae grown by Suzanne Saunders. It had a single inflorescence with ten flowers 110mm across and 95mm high. The sepals and petals were very dark red with some small lighter lavender-pink markings. The large frilled labellums were also dark red with light pink markings and a deep yellow calyx.



### Second Division.

Paph. Venus Hold benched by Rod and Judy McRedmond, a third generation hybrid between the species Paph. venustum and a Maudiae type hybrid, Paph. Holdenii. A small plant with a single flower of green striped on white dorsal and ventral sepals, and green petals shading to purple/pink on the outer third of their length. Petals also had deep red warts with fine hairs distributed along their upper and lower edges, inherited from the Paph. Holdenii. The labellum was light greenish brown with a net of darker green veining as seen in the species parent.

### Ian Attenborough

### **SPECIES GROUP**

This month saw a reduction in numbers attending due to sickness however the 12 members attending were not disappointed as we had a good selection of species orchids to look at. Amongst the range of genera we saw representations from Australian Natives, *Cattleyas, Oncidiums, Restrepias, and Dendrochilum.* Size of flowers was significant with the smallest represented by *Bulbophullum sherperdii* while the largest flower shown was *Angraecum sesquipadale.* A beautiful flowering of *C. intermedia 'Amethistina Arrambeen* was the nicest flower for the night.

A very early flowering of *Oncidium spachalatum* caught everyone's attention and *Oncidiums* were disacussed to some time.



C. intermedia 'Amethistina Arrambeen

### **CULTURE DVD's**

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