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# The South Coast Orchid Club Inc. Gazette

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**THE NEXT MEETING** of the South Coast Orchid Club will be held at 8 pm on 9 July 2002 at St. Bernadette's Hall St. Marys.

**SPEAKER** Graham Hazeldine on How his Orchids Grow

**DAYTIME GROUP** at the South Brighton Community Hall Dover Square Broadway South Brighton 11 July at 2.00pm **SPEAKER** Jane Higgs on Conservation on the Higgs Property

**SPECIES GROUP** at the South Brighton Community Hall Dover Square Broadway South Brighton. 1 July 2002 at 8.00pm All growers welcome

**BEGINNERS CLASSES**: 7.30 pm Before the main meeting —

**THANK YOU** Jim Shaughnessy for the donation of Orchid Bark for our special raffle. Moss Bray for Last Months raffle Plants. And keith Northcote for his donation of plants for raffles

Have an opinion or something to say

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Items must be delivered to the Editor by 10 days prior to the first Monday in the next month.

# 2002 Club meeting dates

Winter Show 21 July 2002 At Pasadena Shopping Centre

5 August 2002 Species group 13 August 2002 Main Group Peter Flavel will talk on Gemstones 15 Aug 2002 Daytime Group

2 Sept 2002 Species group10 September 2002 Main GroupJohn Gay will talk on African Violets12 Sept 2002 Daytime Group

7 Oct 2002 Species group 8 October 2002 Main Group 10 Oct 2002 Daytime Group

4 November 2002 Species group 12 November 2002 Main Group Richard Fishlock will talk on Virus in Orchids 17 November Visit to George Abell14 Nov 2002 Daytime Group

10 December 2002 Main & Species Groups combined12 Dec 2002 Daytime Group



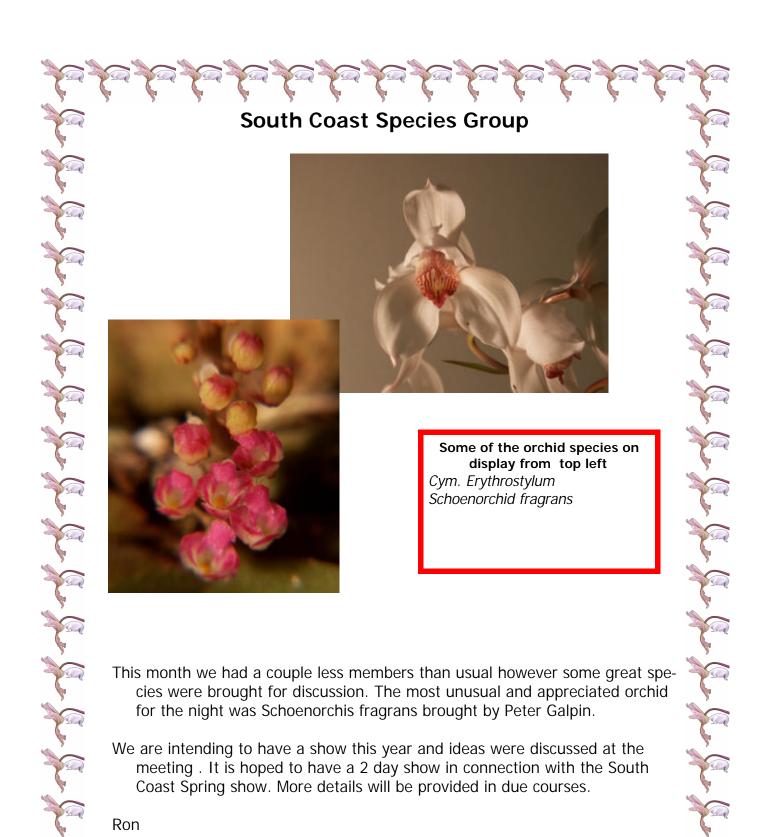
**Club Display At the SAROC Fair** 

Welcome to our New Member Neil Shirley

# For sale(s)

John Jacobsen has a shade house and entire collection of plants etc. for sale Contact John on 82988948

Jim Shaughnessy has some 40-50 bread trays (Legal) for sale at \$2.00 each Contact Jim on 0419380126



Help
We need another SAROC Delegate to assist the organising
Committee - Please See Murray for details



# Second Division Flower of Division:

*Cym.* Warringah Spring grown by Terri Rees



# Open Division & Flower of the Night

## Flower of Division:

Rssgls. grande grown by Peter and Geraldine Flavel



# First Division

# Flower of Division:

Paph. insigne grown by Murray Baulderstone

# Second Division Results June, 2002

### **<u>Flower of Division:</u>** Cym. Warringah Spring grown by Terri Rees

Cym Little DannyMalcolm Young3Cym Peggy Sue 'Five'John Robinson2Cym Greenoaks x Tom ThumbJohn Robinson1

#### Cymbidium 60 - 90 mm (all colours)

Cym Warringah Spring Terri Rees 3

Cym Jill Katalniga Graham & Patricia Smith 2

#### Cymbidium > 90mm (all colours)

Cym Luana 'Aurora' Chris Cooke 3

#### Orchid species not listed elsewhere

L. anceps Terri Rees 3

# First Division Results June, 2002

## Flower of Division: Paph. insigne grown by Murray Baulderstone

#### Australian native epiphyte species

Den. (Louise's Rainbow x John Upton)David & Kay Cammack 3Den. WarnamboolDavid & Kay Cammack 2Den. Hilda PoxonMichael Cunningham 1

#### Cymbidium < 60mm (all colours)

Cym. Fire Eyes 'Kinsly' Murray Baulderstone 3

#### Cymbidium 60 - 90 mm (all colours)

Cym. Pendragon 'Broadmoor' Norman Woodend 3

#### Cymbidium > 90mm (all colours)

Cym. Bethlehem 'Early Times' Graham & Wendy Shevlin 3

#### Laeliinae Non Standard Other

Slc. Kauai Starbright x Blc. Erin Kobayashi Rick Pankoke 3

#### Paphiopedilum (Standard)

Paph. ((Pacific Ocean x Tearlath) x Winston Churchill)

Suzanne Willcox 3

#### Paphiopedilum Novelty

Paph. Crossianum Murray Baulderstone 3

#### Paphiopedilum species

Paph. insigneMurray Baulderstone3Paph. insigne 'Tiki'Murray Baulderstone2Paph. villosumSuzanne Willcox 1

Oncidiinae hybrid Howeara Mary Eliza

Murray Baulderstone

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Norman Woodend 3 David & Kay Cammack Rick Pankoke 1

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Orchid species not listed elsewhere Cym. dayanum Stenaglottis longifolia Onc. brunleesianum Seedling any genera Paph. ((Pacific Ocean x Tearlath) x Winston Churchill)

Suzanne Willcox 3

# **Open Division Results June 2002**

**Flower of Division:** Rssgls. grande grown by Peter and Geraldine Flavel

Australian Native Epiphyte Hybrid Den. (Hastings x Ku-Ring-Gai)	Don Biebrick	3	
Cymbidium > 90mm (all colours) Cym. Tracey Reddaway 'Marie'	Peter & Geraldine FI	avel	3
Cymbidium 60 - 90 mm (all colours) Cym. Trinket 'No.2'	Helmuth Gerber	3	
<b>Cymbidium &lt; 60mm (all colours)</b> <i>Cym</i> . Kauilani 'Irma'	Halmardh Carlery	2	
Cym. Kauilani 'Concordia'	Helmuth Gerber Helmuth Gerber	3 2	
<b>Laeliinae Non Standard Cluster</b> <i>C</i> . Chocolate Drop 'Anthea'	Don Biebrick	3	
<b>Laeliinae Standard &lt; 100mm</b> <i>C</i> . Portiata	Don Biebrick	3	
Laelinae Standard > 100MM Lc. Shellie Compton 'Touch of Class'	Peter & Geraldine Fla	vel 3	
<b>Paphiopedilum Novelt</b> <i>Paph.</i> (Gigi x Holdenii)	Gerald Voskamp	3	
<b>Paphiopedilum Species</b> <i>Paph.</i> gratrixianum	Ron & Irene Parish	3	
Paph. insigne	Helmuth Gerber	2	
Oncidiinae Hybrid McIna. Pagan Love Song 'Ruby Charles'	Carald Vaskama	2	
Mtssa. Citron x Onc. Gold Coin	Gerald Voskamp Gerald Voskamp	3	
<b>Phalaenopsis Standard</b> <i>Phal</i> . Gabriella x <i>Dtps</i> Modern Beauty	Trevor Garard	3	
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#### REPORT FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Since the last Bulletin several significant events have taken place. I report as **follows:** 

#### S.A.R.O.C. FAIR

Members of your Club, along with most Clubs of the Metropolitan and Country areas, took part in this event.

It consisted of a series of displays of varying sizes in area, the smallest being of 12 plus plants up to those in excess of 50 plus orchids & 5 commercial outlets from plants to growing aids. The aim of the Fair was to bring to the public the beauty and quality of our hobby, together with the opportunity to purchase plants and aids to achieve similar results in their own home garden. Organisation of the event set out to achieve the fellowship and mutual interaction of the members of S.A.R.O.C.

This end achieved and they can be very proud of the event and I believe that each year it will grow in size and participation.

Saturday night Dinner was an excellent evening, we were fortunate to have Murray Eldridge, National President of the Australian Orchid Council as Guest Speaker who shared with the 63 people present his views on Orchid growing in the Eastern States and where he believed Clubs are going and should be in the future, a very enlightening and challenging talk. (Subjects that your Club Committee will examine and develop in the future).

Many of your Club members took part in displaying their plants and competing in competition. I acknowledge them for their involvement as follows:

W. & R. Clark, D. Cammack, T. De Ionnio, P & G. Flavel, L. Gunn, D. & J. Higgs, G. Shevlin, R. & 1. Parish, R. & B. Wilson, N. Woodend, G. Voskamp. Don and Jane Higgs' plants of Native Terrestrial received nomination for the Bill Murdoch Trophy, an A.O.C. Award.

Most of these exhibitors were successful in obtaining prizes for their plants, my personal congratulations are extended to them all. As a Club, we were the most successful in obtaining Certificates for Best Display of 30 or more plants together with Certificate and Rosette for Champion Display of the Fair, an excellent achievement.

Most of the credit for this achievement belongs to the following individual persons, along with the members listed above, who supplied plants, they being:

L. Gunn, J. Higgs for the theme used and assisted by N. Woodend and G. Voskamp as the labour force under direction of Jane to assemble the display. It would be remiss of me not to

acknowledge Ron and Irene Parish for the technology and production of the prize cards and lastly, but not least, Don and Jane Higgs as our S.A.R.O.C. Delegates for their commitment to assisting to achieving a memorable Annual Fair and the development of S.A.R.O.C. a future that is now assured.

Your Species Group met following the Fair and whilst attendance was small, input and actions took place, these being: Photos of the display— page 2.

Welcome to Neil Shirley from Stirling a devoted species grower as a new member.

Jim Shaughnessy of Mount Gambier was able to attend and report the following "that a colony of the Underground Orchid has been discovered in the South-East of S.A". and a photographic record is to be taken. Jim has also applied to A.O.C. for some assistance in defining the precise location of the colony. (It was interesting to read in the current issue of Australian Orchid Review, an article by David P. Banks of the Underground Orchids in Australia of another rediscovery and plants known in Western Australia.

The Species Group bench at each and every meeting, orchids being grown by Club members in their collections. These are discussed, photographed and recorded. This group wishes to mount and display at one of our future shows.

At our meetings, you will have seen a raffle in progress for 2 bags of Orchid Bark to raise funds for Prize Cards and perpetual trophies appropriate to Species Orchids exhibited. It is planned to draw this raffle in September.

We will commence another raffle to be drawn at Christmas as a fundraiser. The donor of the 4 bags of Bark as prizes was Jim Shaughnessy.

#### **MONTHLY MEETING:**

An excellent display of plants benched, the prizes achieved (noted elsewhere).

Trevor Jacobs, Guest Speaker, gave an interesting talk on Orchid History and says we have only heard part of the information, we may ask Trevor to complete the balance in the near future.

#### DAY TIME GROUP:

The writer convened this group as the regular Co-ordinator, Jane Higgs, was on the sick list and we wish her a speedy recovery.

22 members were in attendance and were entertained by Ron Parish who gave us some sound knowledge on photographing orchids and the use of a Digital Camera and a Computer to store and replay our plant records. This talk was concluded by the showing of plants/ flowers of the Cattlya Alliance using the techniques explained above. Thanks Ron for a most informative session. The next meeting Don and Jane Higgs will explain "Conservation at the Higgs' Property".

Thank you members for your involvement in your Club and in conclusion, draw attention to a visit to the collection of G. Abell (Club Member) where George will explain his techniques in the growing of the genus Sarcochilas. This event will take place on November 17 2002, details in a later Bulletin.



#### Cymbidium erythrostylum

This plant is grown by John Nicholls And carries the clonal name of 'Magnificum' d it has been used by hybridists as a parent in breeding.

This species comes mainly from Vietnam where it grows as a terrestrial lithophytic and some times epiphetic plant.

It will grow happily along with other Cymbidiums.

# **Sponsors for our Club**

We wish to thank the following persons who have supported us and our shows with donations etc.

Members are requested to keep these people in mind when purchasing orchids and supplies

Colonnades Shopping Centre

Geoff Spear

Gordon Brooks

Harry Lambert

Jim Shaughnessy

John Nicholls

Keith Northcote

Les Nesbit Orchids

Moss Bray

**Noel Oliver** 

Pasadena Foodland

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Richard Fishlock

Stephen Monkhouse

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Trevor Garrad

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