



THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SA INC.

Gazette

September 2018

President: Michael Willoughby Patron: Sydney Monkhouse

AT A GLANCE

The next meeting of the South Coast Orchid Club of South Australia will be held on Wednesday 5th September 2018 at 8.00 pm. at St Bernadette's Church Hall, corner of Walsh Avenue and South Road, St. Marys. Our Guest Speaker will be Coralie Hills who will speak on the recent World Orchid Conference in Ecuador. **PLEASE BRING A PLATE** for Supper.

BEGINNERS' GROUP: The next class will be 5th September 2018 at 7.30 pm with Geoff Spear.

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 0479 162 527

DAYTIME CHAPTER: The next meeting will be held at Lou Kesting Hall, off Broadway, South Brighton on Thursday 13th September 2018 at 2.00 pm. Our Guest Speaker will be Coral Tillmanns telling us all about her recent trip. Beginners Class with Geoff Spear before the meeting at 1.30 pm.

SOUTHERN REGION: The next meeting will be held at 2 pm on Sunday 16th September 2018 in Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor. Our Guest Speaker will be Geoff Spear speaking about Cymbidium Culture after the Flowering Season. Learners Class with Christine & Lyn Heysen commences at 1.15pm before the main meeting. Committee and members are welcome.

NEW MEMBERS: We welcome as new members to our Club, Van and Charles Ortlipp, John and Rhonda Wainwright, Erica Austin and Andrew Gotzheim. We hope that your time with the Club will be enjoyable and very informative on the orchids we all love.

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

VALE - Juliana Kusac

It is with deep sadness that we advise that Juliana Kusac has passed away on 14 August, aged 69. Juliana over the years had many hobbies before joining the South Coast Orchid Club three years ago. In her time as member she would never miss coming to our shows to purchase her beloved orchids. Juliana is survived by her loving husband, son, daughter in law and grandson, she will be sorely missed at our meetings.

PUBLIC LIABILITY: Under Insurance Guidelines all members and Committee attending any function or meeting held by the Club must sign and print your name on an Attendance Sheet.

DEADLINE FOR NEXT GAZETTES: 20 September and 28 October



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YOUR COMMITTEE FOR 2018

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 Christine Robertson, Craig Humfrey
 Jim Fogarasi, Steven Monkhouse



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Convenor S. R. Group Geoff Spear
Convenors Daytime Chapter Barbara Almond, Patty Abell

LIFE MEMBERS

* denotes Member who has passed away.

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

SUBSCRIPTIONS:

There is no change in subscription rates from last year.
 We do value your membership and seeing you at meetings each month.

RATES – One membership covers all groups

Family Membership	\$38.00
Single Membership	\$30.00
Junior Membership	\$22.00

Rural and Interstate Membership

Family Membership	\$34.00
Single Membership	\$28.00



Happy Birthday

**DOROTHY CARRASSI, PETER FLAVEL, OUI JU,
 JOHN ROBINSON, MICHAEL WILLOUGHBY,
 SUE ZERBE, RICHARD WILSON,
 HELEN MCINTOSH, DON GREIG, ERICA AUSTIN,
 JOAN McMAHON, EILEEN PINNOCK,
 STEVEN DAVEY, KAY DAVEY**



Is your name in the Birthday Book ?? Please see - Heather Wright

President's Message



Our Winter Show, after last minute changes, was held at the Colonnades Shopping Centre. It was a great show, a credit to you the members for the spectacle that greeted the public. Congratulations to Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju on growing the Grand Champion of the Winter Show, a most magnificent specimen. Our Spring Show is at the Seaford Shopping Centre this year running from the 22nd September to 29th September. We need all your flowering plants to show off to the public the magnificence of orchids. Not all plants in a display need to be judged, so bring any plant in flower and good condition to add to the display. Plants are required for the trading table. See what you can part with. See Lucy for plant sales sheets and tags. Please check the Gazette for the Spring Show put in times as they are slightly different from the normal put in times.

After a slight technical issue with our published speaker, SCOCSA member Henry Hancock (we will schedule Henry's presentation at a later date), Philip Steer delivered his presentation on how the Ira Butler Trophy Awards came into to being, the history of Ira Butler himself, as well as showing some of the more recent awards granted. It was very informative and very well put together. This month we welcome Coralie Hills FAOC as our guest presenter. Coralie will treat us to the World Orchid Conference that was held in Ecuador late last year.

We have a Plant House Visit this month at Laurie & Susan Carter's house on Sunday the 9th September - look for more details in the Gazette.

As we approach the last shows of 2018, now is the time to think about the coming year for our plants as there are many things to attend to in our growing areas. Spring is the time for repotting and dividing when we see signs of the new season's growth. The committee each year steps down from their positions and now is a good time to think if you are able to spare some of your valuable time as a member of our committee, it is very rewarding.

Successful growing and showing

Michael

UNUSUAL PLANT OF MONTH - *Paphiopedilum appletonianum*

This *Paphiopedilum* species has been seen on our show and display benches in recent months. It comes from Thailand, Cambodia, Laos and Vietnam and has recently been found in China. It is a humus epiphyte, growing in deep leaf litter, detritus or leaf mould in forest areas where it is usually cool and mist shrouded.

This plant has leaf span of 46 cm, with 3-8 closely spaced strap shaped leaves which are smooth with a minutely papillose margin. The erect inflorescence can be up to 60cm tall covered with short hairs. The single flowers have an apple green dorsal sepal marked with darker veins. The petals are bright green to purple towards the tip with small brown spots at the base. The lip is purplish brown with an olive green lip margin.

This is an highly awarded plant with 90 awards worldwide. Four plants have been awarded an HCC in Australia.





ORCHID CALENDAR FOR 2018

PLANT HOUSE VISIT

Sunday 9th September 2018. 11.00 am
Sue and Laurie Carter have invited our Club for a Plant House Visit
and BBQ at Uraidla. Address: 1 Squires Court Summertown

SPRING SHOW

Sunday 22nd to Saturday 29th September 2018
Seaford Rise Shopping Centre, Seaford

OPEN DAY

Saturday 6th October 2018
Noarlunga Orchids and Roses extends an invitation for a visit and
BBQ. Orchids, Roses, Letter Boxes.
Address: 180 Commercial Road Seaford Meadows
Phone; 8386 1581

SOUTHERN REGION WORKSHOP

Saturday 27th October 2018 at Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens
Street, Victor Harbor. 4 excellent speakers and BBQ.

OPEN DAY

Sunday 28th October 2018
Kevin Western has invited us to visit his laboratory, see his orchids and
enjoy a BBQ.

OPEN DAY SATURDAY 6 OCTOBER

Noarlunga Orchids and Roses, Letter boxes and tanks has extended an invitation to
Visit and BBQ at 180 Commercial Road Seaford Meadows. Phone: 8386 1581

What to bring - a salad or cake, your own drinks. The club will provide meat and
bread.

*Thank
You*

Thank you to Shirley and Don Greig for all the
help you have given at the main meeting over the
last few years, especially with hall and meeting
preparation and as Supper Convenor. Your help
has been very greatly appreciated.

Shirley and Don are now concentrating on the
Southern Region Group.



We would like to welcome our new
Supper Convenor Vera Bastian.



PLANT HOUSE VISIT SUNDAY 9 SEPTEMBER

The Club has been invited by Laurie and Sue Carter for a Plant House Visit and BBQ at their home 1 Squires Court Summertown.

What to bring - a salad or cake, your own drinks. The club will provide meat and bread.

SPRING SHOW

SEAFORD RISE SHOPPING CENTRE
ROAD

SATURDAY 22 SEPTEMBER TO SATURDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2018

SHOW SET UP: Friday 21 September from 7.00 - 9.00pm the frame work of the Display will be built at Seaford Rise Shopping Centre. Also the Trading Table and early Trading Table Plants will be set up. **Saturday 22 September** the Trading Table will open for business from 7.00 am to 5.00 pm. After Judging the show plants are to be delivered in an orderly fashion to go in the Display.

SHOW SCHEDULE AND EXHIBITOR RULES: These were printed in the August Gazette

JUDGING: Saturday 22 September at Hamilton Secondary School, 815 Marion Road, Mitchell Park held in the Basketball Stadium.

PUT IN TIME: 9.00 - 10.45 am

JUDGING: 11.00 am Sharp.

After judging plants are to be taken to Seaford Rise Shopping Centre. Please make prior arrangements to take your plants from Hamilton School to Seaford Rise. Your display plants may be taken straight into Seaford Rise. Please take your plants to Seaford Rise as soon as possible after judging, for us to build a beautiful display.

TRADING TABLE: Members may bring their plants at this time or at anytime during the week. Remember the Shows are the Club's bread and butter. Please bring along any plants you have for sale.

Remember Sunday 23rd September will be the best selling day from 12 noon.

ASSISTANCE NEEDED: The Committee needs the assistance of members to:

- Help on the Trading Table.
- Sell your surplus plants on the Trading Table, ask Lucy for swing tickets and selling sheets.
- Provide Flowering Orchid plants for the display, prepared in Show condition for judging with clean pots. Please do not water plants on the day you put them into the Show, the day before is better. Committee will look after your plant's needs while in the Show.
- Provide Trading Table plants in good condition with clean pots. You may bring in plants without flowers but please include a photo of the bloom.

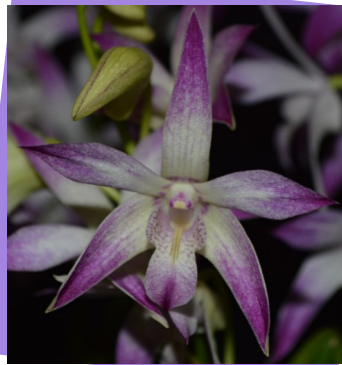
REMINDER: To sell your plants at the Show you must be a financial member and to show a plant you must have owned it for 6 months.

MOST IMPORTANT: The Show Marshall will ring any member if for some reason she feels that any plants may be showing signs of distress.

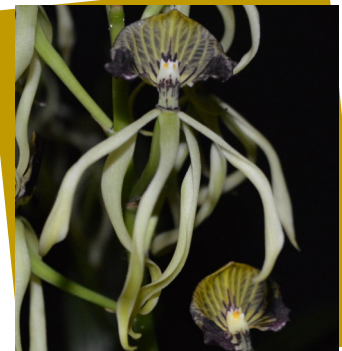
WINTER SHOW PHOTOGRAPHS



GRAND CHAMPION
Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'
Grown by Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION
Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise
Grown By Paul & Donja Hayes



CHAMPION LAELIINAE
Psh. cochleata 'Rita'
Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju



South Coast Orchid Club Winter Show Display at Colonnades Shopping Centre



WINTER SHOW CHAMPION LIST

GRAND CHAMPION

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

Ira Butler Trophy Nomination

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM Under 60mm

Cym. Fatal Beauty 'Rosalie'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM 60 - 90mm

Cym. *erythraeum* 'Paradise'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM Over 90mm

Cym. Lancashire Khan 'Evie'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION LAELIINAE

Psh. *cochleata* 'Rita'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE

Gom. [(barbata x varicosa) x forbesii] Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM

Paph. *appletonianum*

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION OTHER GENERA not otherwise listed

Phrag. Perseus 'Highclere'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION SPECIES

Cym. *erythraeum* 'Paradise'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION SEEDLING

Cym. (Jessie Blakiston x Flaming Vulcan) Oui Ju & M. Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION SPECIMEN

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

Reg Shooter Trophy Award (Hybrids)

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION

Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise

Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)

McFarlane Trophy for A/Asian Nomination

Den. Amphion Veil

Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)

CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION

Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'

Beth Stronach (836)



WINTER SHOW RESULTS LIST

Open Division

Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Den. Saigon Victory 'Springers 13'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2

Australian Native - Specimen

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ern'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm -

Cym. (Valley Angel x Valley Zenith) 'Goliath'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
Cym. Tracey Reddaway 'Marie'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	2

Cymbidium over 90mm - Brown/Any

Cym. (Lunar Blaze x Kalahari Pepper)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2
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Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/ Pink

Cym. Lancashie Khan 'Evie'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Cym. (Lancashire Khan x Wyong Flame)	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	2

Cymbidium over 90mm - Seedling

Cym. (Lancashire Khan x Wyong Flame)	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
Cym. (Lunar Blaze x Kalahari Pepper)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2

BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm

Cym. Lancashire Khan 'Evie'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Species

Cym. erythraeum 'Paradise'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Brown/Any

Cym. Redvale Beauty	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/ Pink

Cym. (Jessie Blakiston x Flaming Vulcan)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Cym. (Lady Angela x FLaming Vulcan)	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	2

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Seedling

Cym. (Jessie Blakiston x Flaming Vulcan)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Cym. (Lancashire Khan x Wyong Flame)	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	2

BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm

Cym. erythraeum 'Paradise'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium under 60mm - Brown/Any

Cym. Fatal Beauty 'Rosalie'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Cymbidium under 60mm -

Cym. Ice-On-Fire 'Nikelta'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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BEST CYMBIDIUM - under 60mm

Cym. Fatal Beauty 'Rosalie'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Laeliinae - Specimen

Psh. cochleata 'Rita'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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BEST LAELIINAE

Psh. cocheata 'Rita'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm

Gom. [(barbata x varicosa) x forbesii]	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Onc. Twinkle 'Red Fantasy'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2

Oncidiinae - Specimen

Onc. Twinkle 'Red Fantasy'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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BEST ONCIDIINAE

Gom. [(barbata x varicosa) x forbesii]	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Paphiopedilum - Species

Paph. appletonianum	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Paph. insigne f. sanderae	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2

Paphiopedilum -Nonstandard

Paph. (Duo de Citron x insigne)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Paph. Crossianum	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	2

BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM

Paph. appletonianum	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
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Any other genus - Hybrid

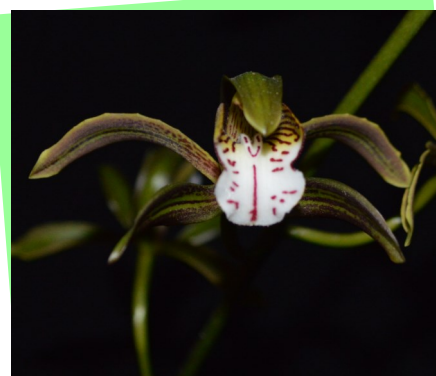
Phrag. Perseus 'Highclere'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	3
Fdk. After Dark 'Lachlan'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)	2



CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM

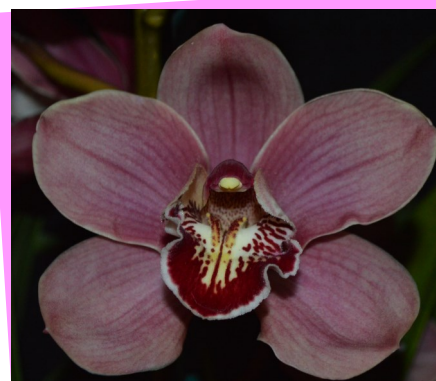
Under 60mm

Cym. Fatal Beauty 'Rosalie'
Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM 60-90mm

Cym. erythraeum 'Paradise'
Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM

over 90mm

Cym. Lancashire Khan 'Evie'
Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju

WINTER SHOW RESULTS LIST Cont.

Any other genus - Specimen

Fdk. After Dark 'Lachlan' Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3

BEST Any other genus

Phrag. Perseus 'Highclere' Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3

First Division

Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid

Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

Den. Hilda Poxon 'Nailsworth' Phil & Anne Steer (514) 2

Australian Native - Specimen

Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/ Pink

Cym. Serhan's Passion 'Marion' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm

Cym. Serhan's Passion 'Marion' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Yellow/Green

Cym. Blazing Dream 'Tee Pee' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Cym. Katy's Gold 'Bracelet' Phil & Anne Steer (514) 2

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/ Pink

Cym. Peggy Foo 'Pink Foo Foo' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Seedling

Cym. (Chocarunta x Cronulla) Bill Jayne (1180) 2

BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm

Cym. Blazing Dream 'Tee Pee' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Dendrobium (not Aust Native) -

Den. Amphion Veil Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

BEST DENDROBIUM - (Not Aust Native)

Den. Amphion Veil Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

Laeliinae - species

Psh. cochleata Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

Laeliinae Standard Hybrid under

Rth. CRB's Rainbow 'Leonie' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Rth. Burana Angel 'Hsinying' Bill Jayne (1180) 2

Laeliinae Non-Standard

Rlc. Burdekin Carnival 'Leonie' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

BEST LAELIINAE

Rth. CRB's Rainbow 'Leonie' Bill Jayne (1180) 3

Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm

Alcra. Spiderman 'Teflon 2' Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm

Oncsa. Sweet Sugar 'Sweet Sugar' Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

BEST ONCIDIINAE

Oncsa. Sweet Sugar 'Sweet Sugar' Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

Phalaenopsis Standard

Phal. Sweet Talk Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

BEST PHALAENOPSIS

Phal. Sweet Talk Phil & Anne Steer (514) 3

Any other genus - Species

Pths. palliolata Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3

Lhta. oerstedii Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 2

BEST Any other genus

Pths. palliolata Paul & Donja Hayes (1129) 3



McFarlane Trophy Nomination

Den. Amphion Veil

Grown by Paul & Donja Hayes



CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM

Paph. appletonianum

Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION OTHER GENERA

Phrag. Perseus 'Highclere'

Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju

WINTER SHOW RESULTS LIST Cont.

Second Division

Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid

Prschs. Cherub	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
Den. Megan's Charm	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	2

Australian Native - Seedling

Den. Megan's Charm	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	3
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BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Prschs. Cherub	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm predominantly

Cym. Valley Chestnut 'Delight'	Jim Fogarasi (150)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm -

Cym. (Red Nelly x Tracey Reddaway)	Sid James (170)	2
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Cymbidium over 90mm - Brown/Any

Cym. Unknown	Sid James (170)	2
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Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/ Pink

Cym. Valley Olympic 'Rose'	Jim Fogarasi (150)	2
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Cymbidium over 90mm - White/Cream

Cym. Devonshire Cream	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm - Seedling

Cym. Devonshire Cream	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm

Cym. Valley Chestnut 'Delight'	Jim Fogarasi (150)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Yellow/Green

Cym. Unknown	Sid James (170)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Brown/Any

Cym. (Firetail Eternal x Black Pepper)	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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Cym. (Vivacious x Stargard)	Sid James (170)	2
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Seedling

Cym. (Firetail Eternal x Black Pepper)	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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BEST CYMBIDIUM - 60 to 90mm

Cym. (Firetail Eternal x Black Pepper)	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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Cymbidium under 60mm -

Cym. Sarah Jean 'Christine'	Sid James (170)	3
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BEST CYMBIDIUM - under 60mm

Cym. Sarah Jean 'Christine'	Sid James (170)	3
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Dendrobium (not Aust Native) -

Den. (Tweetas x bowmanii)	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	3
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BEST DENDROBIUM - (Not Aust Native)

Den. (Tweetas x bowmanii)	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	3
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Laeliinae Non-Standard

C. Cariad's Mini-Quinee 'Angel Kiss'	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	3
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BEST LAELIINAE

C. Cariad's Mini-Quinee 'Angel Kiss'	Rowan Crowhurst (763)	3
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Oncidiinae - Species

Onc. sotoanum	Laurie & Susan Carter (1303)	3
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Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm

Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'	Beth Stronach (836)	3
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Oncsa. Sweet Sugar 'Million Dollar'	Jim Fogarasi (150)	2
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Oncidiinae - Specimen

Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'	Beth Stronach (836)	3
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BEST ONCIDIINAE

Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'	Beth Stronach (836)	3
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Phalaenopsis Standard

Phal. Unknown	Coral Tillmanns (212)	3
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Zygopetalum - Hybrid

Z. (Scott Peters x Wilpena)	Sid James (170)	3
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CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION

Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'

Grown by Beth Stronach



CHAMPION SEEDLING

Cym. (Jessie Blakiston x Flaming Vulcan)

Grown By Oui Ju & M. Willoughby



CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE

Gom. [(barbata x varicosa) x forbesii]

Grown by M. Willoughby & Oui Ju

August Results List

Ref. No.



Points Awarded

Open Division

Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid

1648	Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham'	John & Bev Gay (65)	3
1649	Den. Intense	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2

Australian Native Terrestrial - Species

1650	Ptst. concinna	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	3
1651	Cyrtostylis reniformis	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	2
1652	Corybas	John & Bev Gay (65)	1

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - any other colour

1671	Cym. Foxfire Amber 'Dural'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Species

1672	Cym. erythraeum 'Paradise'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm Red Pink Brown

1668	Cym. Valley Olympic 'Pink Perfection'	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)	3
1669	Cym. (Jessie Blakiston x Flaming Vulcan)	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2
1670	Cym. (Khanebono x Firetail Showpiece)	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	1

Cymbidium over 90mm - any other colour

1667	Cym. (Lunar Blaze x Kalahari Pepper)	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown

1665	Cym. Anniversary Flame	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1666	Cym. Lunakira 'Pale Yellow'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5)	3
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Cymbidium under 60- any other colour

1675	Cym. Fatal Beauty 'Rosalie'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green

1673	Cym. Ice-on-Fire 'Nikelta'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
1674	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Golden Cascade'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2

Laeliinae - Standard under 100mm

1653	Rth. Burana Angel 'Hsinying'	John & Bev Gay (65)	3
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Oncidiinae - Hybrid < 60mm

1676	Onc. Twinkle 'Red Fantasy'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
1677	Onc. Zoes Fire 'Floricultura'	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	2

Oncidiinae - Species

1678	Cuitlauzina pulchella	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321)	3
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Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid

1693	Lmc. Yasaka	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
1694	Phrag. L'unique	Jane & Don Higgs (1302)	2

Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Species

1695	Mormolyca ringens	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321)	3
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Orchid Seedling - any Genera

1696	Cym. Anniversary Flame	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Paphiopedilum - Non Standard

1681	Paph. (Duo de Citron x insigne)	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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Paphiopedilum - Species

1682	Paph. appletonianum	Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252)	3
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First Division

Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid

1683	Den. (Brolga x Hilda Poxon)	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)	3
1684	Den. Hilda Poxon 'Stevi'	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	2
1685	Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	1

Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1692	Cym. Rosefieldense	George Misirlis (1125)	3
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Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green

1688	Cym. Ice-on-Fire 'Niketta'	George Misirlis (1125)	3
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Laeliinae - Non Standard

1686	Psh. Sunburst	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)	3
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Oncidiinae - Hybrid < 60mm

1689	Oncsa. Sweet Sugar 'Sweet Sugar'	Phil and Anne Steer (514)	3
1690	Onc. Twinkle 'Yellow'	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	2

Oncidiinae - Species

1691	Lockhartia oerstedii	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)	3
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Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Species

1687	Pths. restepioides	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)	3
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August Results List cont.

Second Division

Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid

1663 Den. Star of Riverdene Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) 3

Australian Native Terrestrial - Species

1664 Corybas diemenicus Beth Stronach (836) 3

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm Red Pink Brown

1660 Cym. (Baltic Harvest x Red Beauty) Sid James (170) 3

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1661 Cym. Baltic Glacier 'Mint Ice' Sid James (170) 3

Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown

1659 Cym. Valley Chestnut 'Delight' Jim Fogarasi (150) 3

Cymbidium under 60- any other colour

1656 Cym. Unknown Sid James (170) 3

Cymbidium under 60 Red Pink Brown

1662 Cym. Unknown Sid James (170) 3

Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green

1655 Cym. Music Box Dancer 'Ballerina' Jim Fogarasi (150) 3

Oncidiinae - Hybrid < 60mm

1658 Oncsa. Sweet Sugar Helen McIntosh (299) 3

Oncidiinae - Hybrid > 60mm

1657 Alcr. Tahoma Glacier 'Green' Sid James (170) 3

Zygopetalinae - Hybrid

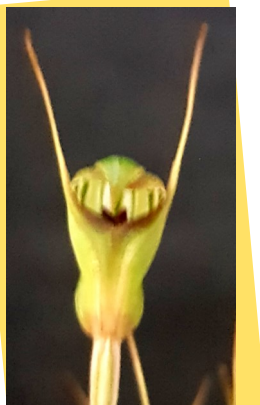
1654 Zga. Dynamite Beth Stronach (836) 3

PLANT COMMENTARY FOR AUGUST

There were some really nice plants on the 3 Division tables, with 12 plants in second division, 11 for first and a pleasing 26 plants in Open division, and with a good cross section of genera.

Orchid of the Night and Orchid of Open Division

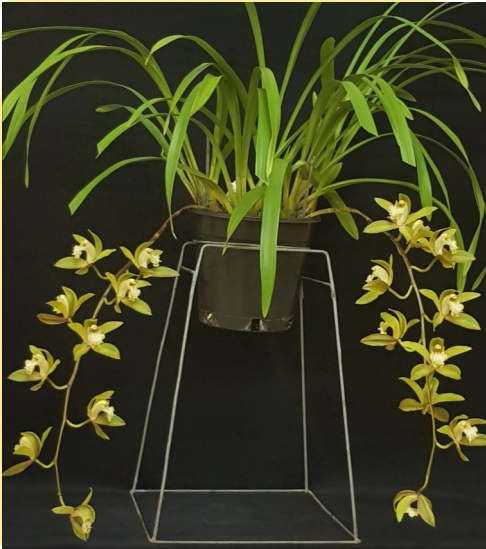
The Orchid of Open Division and Plant of the Night was *Pterostylis concinna* grown by Jane and Don Higgs. This was an amazing display of one of our Australian native terrestrials. This particular pot of *Ptst. concinna* was from the Warrandyte State Park in Victoria. It had 40 beautiful little flowers on very even length spikes. The pot was full of rosettes and was certainly a spectacle. Congratulations Jane and Don.



Stop Press !!
This plant was awarded
Reserve Grand Champion
at the Orchidaceous
Society's Winter Show.

**Orchid of the Night and
Orchid of Open Division**
Ptst. concinna
Grown by Jane & Don Higgs

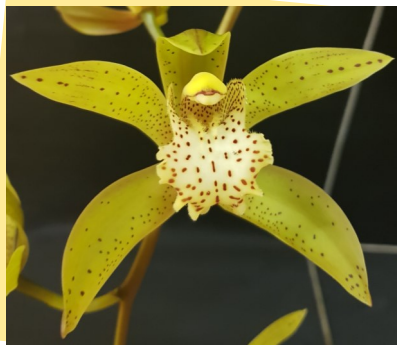
PLANT COMMENTARY FOR AUGUST cont.



**Orchid of
First Division**
Cym. Rosefieldense
Grown by
George Misirlis

Orchid of First Division

The plant of First Division was grown by George Misirlis and was *Cymbidium Rosefieldense*. This plant had 2 long arching spikes evenly displaying nine flowers on one spike and ten on the other. This primary hybrid first bred in 1908, is a crossing of *Cym. tracyanum* and *Cym. hookerianum*. This crossing replicates the broad labellum and the strong markings from the parent's petals and sepals. It also brings a perfume from *Cym. hookerianum*. Congratulations George.



Orchid of Second Division

The Judges' Choice was a well grown plant of *Den. Star of Riverdene* which is a crossing of *Den. Star of Gold* and *Den. speciosum*. This plant had 16 inflorescences, some showing varying stages of flowering. This crossing has been awarded on 10 occasions with the most recent in Australia being in 2007 with a HCC/ AOC with 78 points. Both parents were evident in this flowering. This was a well grown plant in an 8" pot and was grown by Janet Adams and Gordon Ninnies. Well done Janet and Gordon.

Orchid of Second Division

Den. Star of Riverdene
Grown by Janet Adams & Gordon
Ninnies



**Seedling of the
Night**
*Cym. Anniversary
Flame*
Grown by Oui Ju
& Michael
Willoughby



A Big Thankyou to our Judges, Recorders & Pencillers for all your efforts. A special thanks to Vicky for stepping in for me at the very last minute. Good Growing and lets all start thinking about our upcoming Spring Show!

Phil Steer Registrar



DAYTIME CHAPTER

Thursday 9th August 2018



Hi everybody,

The warmer weather encouraged our members to leave the warmth of their homes to come and listen to an extremely interesting talk by Lee Grafton. It was lovely to see George Abell looking very dapper and we welcomed Val Bleechmore who is new to the Club. Unfortunately Coral Tillman and Trevor Kenny were unable to be with us, as well as Geraldine Flavell who is unwell and we wish all the best.

The Lucky Door Prize was won by Tony Goder who also won our Father's Day Prize. Andrew Dean won the Name Badge Prize.

Plant of the Day was won by George Abell with a magnificent specimen of *Zelglossada*. Lucy reminded the members of the up and coming Show at Victor Harbor and encouraged everyone to go and support our friends at Victor.

After a few trial and tribulations with the computer we welcomed Lee Grafton who gave the members a wonderful and entertaining talk of some of his experiences while travelling throughout South East Asia. During his talk Lee showed and talked about orchids that he had seen in various out of the way places of South East Asia. He likes to go to areas that are off the beaten track and consequently we saw some lovely photos of orchids and animals in Singapore, Thailand especially up near Chiang Mia, Laos, India and Burma. In Burma he made a particular point that there was a huge trade in endangered orchids.

Geoff gave the plant commentary as well as taking the beginner's group. Thankyou Geoff for all your work. The afternoon finished with the drawing of the raffle and afternoon tea.

Patty & Barbara



A beautiful photo of the Taj Mahal taken by Lee Grafton on his travels in India.



SOUTHERN REGION MEETING **Sunday 19th August 2018**

The Southern Region meeting turned out to be a great day. The weather was a little chilly but the real surprise of the day was the orchids on display for the meeting. The number of display plants was phenomenal and hopefully there will be just as many, if not more for the Southern Region Show in four days time. The display at the meeting was beautiful and a real credit to the growers who brought their plants to be judged.

Geoff Spear opened the meeting at 2 pm, welcoming 41 members, one new member, Regina Lingen, and our Guest Speaker, Angus Irwin. John Gay was thanked for his very popular Learners Group.

Apologies:

Tony Butcher, Kay Davies, Lorna Zerbe

Birthday:

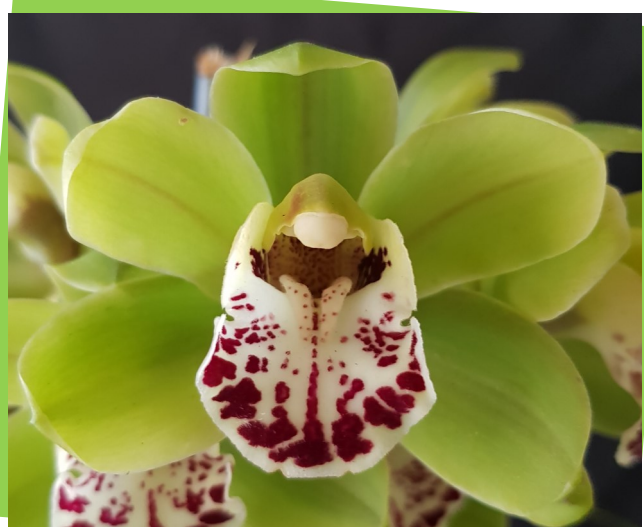
Elsie Clifford

Lucky Name Badge:

Elsie Clifford

Lucky Door Prize:

Meaghan Clayton



Orchid of the Day
Orchid of Second Division
Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon 'Bon'
 Grown by Peter & Julie Davidge

Guest Speaker, Angus Irwin is Managing Director of Neutrog based at Kanmantoo. Angus gave an interesting talk on how he first started the business and then how it progressed to the success it is today. He outlined some of the products available and invited all present to accept a bale of "Whoflungdung" for their trees. Thank you Angus for an entertaining talk.

As Angus finished a little early various members were invited to address certain issues whilst the extensive judging was completed.

- ♦ Lucy Spear spoke about some marvellous library books that have been donated by Denise & Ian Attenborough and how great they are. It will not be long before these can be shared amongst the members in the libraries of both clubs.
- ♦ Graham Zerbe spoke briefly about his visit to the recent AOC Conference at Windsor in Sydney. He spoke of his travels over, his judging experiences, the people he met, the marvellous colourful displays presented, and the interesting orchids shown.
- ♦ John Gay showed members a cymbidium that had flowered two flowers in the one flower. This was interesting to see as this will rarely happen in plants and one might never see it again.

Judging: Thank you to the judges Graham Zerbe, Rowan Crowhurst and John Gay, student judge, Christine Robertson, Photographer Craig Humfrey, and data collectors, Bev Gay and Sue Zerbe for a very good job. Graham gave a judges commentary on all of the plants benchd ably assisted by Christine Robertson.

- **Plant of the Day and Plant of Second Division:**
Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon' Grown by Peter & Julie Davidge
- **Plant of First Division:**
Den. Anthedon Splendour Grown by Eileen Pinnock
- **Popular Vote:**
Cym. Beau Guest 'Glenn' Grown by Genny & Dudley Huxtable
- **Seedling of the Day:**
Cym. (Khan Flame x Lunar Wall) Grown by Helen Humphrys

Next Meeting: Sunday 16th September 2018 at 2.00 pm. Learners' Group 1.15 pm with Christine and Lyn Heysen, as John Gay will be on holidays.
Guest Speaker : Geoff Spear talking about Cymbidium Culture after the Flowering Season.



Popular Vote
Cym. Beau Guest 'Glenn'
Grown by Genny & Dudley
Huxtable



Advance Notice:

The Southern Region Christmas Dinner will be held on 11th November at the Carvery of the Grosvenor Hotel. The cost will be \$28.





Orchid of First Division

Den. Anthedon Splendour
Grown by Eileen Pinnock

Southern Region August Results List

Ref. No.

Points Awarded

First Division

Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid

1264	Den. Anthedon Splendour	Eileen Pinnock (519)	3
1265	Den. Donovan 'Opal Essence'	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	2
1266	Den. unknown 'Aliesha'	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	1

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm Red Pink Brown

1268	Cym. Willunga Regal 'Midnight'	Ruth Tugwell (613)	3
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Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1267	Cym. (Alexandra Beauty x Kellys Winter)	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
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Cymbidium under 60 Red Pink Brown

1269	Cym. Nancy Maxwell 'Shirley'	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	3
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Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green

1270	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Green & Gold'	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	3
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Oncidiinae - Hybrid < 60mm

1271	Onc. Unknown 'Clockwork'	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
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Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid

1273	V. Cedric Saunders	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
1274	Phal. (Duki x Kulnura Frosted Ruby)	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	2

Orchid Seedling - any Genera

1262	Cym. (Alexandra Beauty x Kellys Winter)	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
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Paphiopedilum - Non Standard

1272	Paph. Leeanum	Shirley & Don Greig (1128)	3
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Seedling of the Day

1263	Cym. (Alexandra Beauty x Kellys Winter)	Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140)	3
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Second Division

Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid

1225	Den. unknown	Helen Humphrys (445)	3
1226	Den. unknown	Marilyn Jelfs (590)	2
1281	Den. Victorian King	Bob Clayton (143)	1

Australian Native Terrestrial - Species

1227	Ptst. curta	Gary Clark (224)	3
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Cymbidium 60 - 90mm Red Pink Brown

1244	Cym. Little Waif	Helen Humphrys (445)	3
1245	Cym. Chocolate Gem 'Sparkle'	Sid James (170)	2
1247	Cym. Bingo 'Pink Beauty'	Helen Humphrys (445)	1

Southern Region August Results List Cont.

Cymbidium 60 - 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1248	Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon'	Peter and Julie Davidge (970)	3
1249	Cym. Mini Sarah 'Jillian'	Helen Humphrys (445)	2
1250	Cym. Janis Lin 'Emily Kate'	Helen Humphrys (445)	1

Cymbidium over 90mm - any other colour

1235	Cym.	Helen Humphrys (445)	3
1236	Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan'	Helen Humphrys (445)	3
1237	Cym. (Khan Flame x Lunar Wall)	Helen Humphrys (445)	2

Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown

1230	Cym. Kirby Lesh 'Pink Ice'	Peter and Julie Davidge (970)	3
1231	Cym. Flaming Pepper 'Black Magic'	Sid James (170)	2

Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green

1232	Cym. unknown	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
1233	Cym. Beau Guest 'Glenn'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	2
1234	Cym. unknown	Sid James (170)	1

Cymbidium under 60- any other colour

1238	Cym. Koala 'Cutie'	Sid James (170)	3
1239	Cym. Wilpena 'Kersbrook'	Grace Noll (578)	2

Cymbidium under 60 Red Pink Brown

1251	Cym. Nancy Maxwell 'Shirley'	Marilyn Jelfs (590)	3
1252	Cym. Hiroshima Sweet Eyes 'Pink Temptation'	Sid James (170)	2

Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green

1254	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'	Gary Clark (224)	3
1255	Cym. unknown	Peter and Julie Davidge (970)	1

Laeliinae - Cluster

1228	Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Meredith'	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
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Laeliinae - Non Standard

1229	Rth. Twentyfour Carat 'Lea'	Marilyn Jelfs (590)	3
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Oncidiinae - Hybrid < 60mm

1242	Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'	Marilyn Jelfs (590)	3
1243	Ons. Stirbic	Gary Clark (224)	2

Oncidiinae - Hybrid > 60mm

1240	Cym. unknown	Sid James (170)	3
1241	Whm. Olympia 'Jacqui Louise'	Gary Clark (224)	2

Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid

1260	Masd. Sea Breeze	Sid James (170)	3
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Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Species

1261	Pths. restrepioides	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	3
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Orchid Seedling - any Genera

1224	Cym. (Khan Flame x Lunar Wall)	Helen Humphrys (445)	3
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Paphiopedilum - Non Standard

1256	Paph. (Yachiyo Lady x Holdenii)	Gary Clark (224)	2
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Paphiopedilum - Species

1257	Paph. insigne	Gary Clark (224)	3
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Zygopetalinae - Hybrid

1258	Z. Titanic x Zba. Elfin Jane	Sid James (170)	3
1259	Z. (Beethoven x maculata)	Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279)	2

SOUTHERN REGION OCTOBER WORKSHOP

Please note in your diary October Workshop Date and Venue

Date: Saturday 27th October 2018 **Time:** 10.30am

Venue: Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor
BBQ, etc. Guest Speakers to be notified later.



Orchid Culture Notes for September

Spring at last! This Winter gone was a cold one. It was great for the fruit trees but not that flash for humans and orchids alike. The extra warmth in the sun and the ever increasing fine days remind us that the busiest time of the year is now upon us. We have the Spring shows, we have lots of flowers and of course it will soon be time for the important maintenance of our collection. Question, where to start! Whilst it is nice to view the Spring flush it is also the time of year that we need to plan for the year ahead. What plants will we cull, pot on or divide? Pest problems also build up as do fungal problems. I still sit back and wonder why subject myself to all of this. When I sit down in the shade house after a hard week of work surrounded by a heap of flowers and all the wonderful fragrances it is not a hard question to answer.

September weather is quite changeable, and this gets worse over the next two months as the seasons change. It can range from freezing cold to stinking hot in a short space of time, even this early in the season.

There will be many plants that did not flower so questions must be asked. Where did I go wrong? What made this plant flower well yet the other one did not. Was it the season? Here I was early in the year suggesting that this year would be a great one for the natives, how wrong I was, but good to know I was not alone. I suppose the relentless heatwaves of Summer past had something to do with it.

September will see more and more plants emerge out of dormancy. There will be new growth starting to show and new green tips emerging from white roots that sealed off some time ago. Don't be in a big rush to hit them with gallons of water and fertiliser. Changes of seasons happen gradually and not overnight. This is so easy to do when you hit that first warm day. Gradually increase the water and feeding as they grow and the seasons change. Try and water late morning or early afternoon at the warmest part of the day so plants are dry by nightfall. Tap water is still very cold and you can still get frosts for at least another month yet.

Damping off new growths is common this time of year and water is usually the culprit. If you can, try and water the pot not the plant. This is easy with a small collection and very hard with a large collection. If you do get water into a new growth, try to dry it. Blowing through a straw or using tissue paper whilst fiddly, may save a growth. By month's end the sun will be on the south side of the equator and with the closeness comes the intensity of heat. Plants in full sunlight over Winter will be moved under 50% shade, those hung high in the shade house are lowered and those that prefer shade are moved accordingly. The sun will rise in a more easterly aspect and set in the west and soon rise in the SE and set in the SW. The change in aspect will also mean plants in Winter shade can be exposed to Spring and Summer sun and this will burn them.

Pests will abound overnight. New crops of caterpillars and aphids are lining up for the new seasons growth. Slugs and snails continue to feast so they can fatten up before Summer dormancy. This year botrytis has been bad, a week of cloud and drizzle in July setting up a bad infestation. Soon rust will be on the increase, whilst not a huge problem with orchids, it can cause problems. Scale will start their breeding season. The juvenile nymphs are quite mobile and are looking for new growths. They suck out the goodness from the plants leaves and leave marks. Any marks on the new growths will be exaggerated as they grow larger.

Summer weeds will soon increase, its oxalis time! Pull these out when small and when repotting or dividing make sure all weeds are removed.

Start dividing your plants soon after flowering. I would wait until later in the month when the warmer weather has arrived, but if potting on, you can do this anytime as the plants root system suffers little from the disturbance. Remove flower spikes from weak plants or those you intend to bust up. Weak plants need all the help they can get and maintaining a flower produced in a stress related situation will not help them recover. With plants you will divide, I work on the theory of the longer growing season they have the better they will be, so why leave a spike on for ages when that extra time may give them a good chance to establish to flowering size next year.

Native Epiphytes have had another strange year with many plants in active growth all year. They are now in flowering mode and those of you who grow *Sarcochilus* should have spikes lengthening. At the same time I have single growth plants that have lost the main growth throwing out numerous side shoots. Some of these plants can be quite shy at doing this and removing a primary growing tip is a practice recommended for the experienced or the brave but when nature dishes this treatment out you take your chances. I'll get a few specimens out of this! Watering is when they need it and generally subject to the weather for plants in the open and those under cover are watered and fed weekly. If it remains dry then give them a drink, but if the weather remains wet, then they won't need any additional water.

Natives respond well to a drink of limewater this month at the rate of 1 gram per litre for those grown in bark. Fungicides sprayed on the new growths help stop spotting and damping off due to botrytis. Watering for plants that were dormant should be gradual over this month. Look for signs of movement such as new growths and roots. A few pellets of rapid raiser or blood and bone on the surface of the natives works well. Don't overdo as they will break down and form sludge in the mix that accelerates breakdown.

Keep feeding Zygopetalums with high nitrogen feed until the new growths bulb up and observe for any papery marks on the leaves that will have a looper caterpillar chewing away happily underneath! Cut off old flower spikes and try and finish any division this month. Oncidiums and Cattleyas will show new root growth and growth nodes. Gradually increase watering and start feeding when the roots show growth tips. At the moment I am just misting the roots. These two species will sprout roots from the tips of the old roots, the sides of the old roots as well as the old and new growths. Try and hang all Oncidiums above the Cymbidiums as they love stronger light and air movement. It is still a bit early to attempt any division of these two genera.

For those who grow terrestrials September and October are peak months. Keep moist and give them a weak feed with an organic feed. Two spotted mites have been bad this year so if your flowers are slightly distorted or the leaves looking a bit brown on the edges, there is a good chance that the mites have found them. Once they have finished flowering you can slowly dry off the plants. Keep an eye out for rot in the leaves caused by being too wet. Remove them and spray with a fungicide. If the rot gets into the tubers it usually spells the end of that plant.

Next month is October and is a very busy month as we strive to finish repotting and division so as to give our plants time to settle down before the heat of Summer. We will spend some time next month with some useful tips on how to repot, divide and how to look after them.

Steve Howard



ORCHID CLUBS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA **General Meeting Times**

THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Meets on the first Wednesday of the month at St. Bernadette's Church Hall corner of Walsh Avenue and South Road, St. Mary's. Beginners Class starts at 7.15p.m., meeting 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 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.

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 Adelaide West Uniting Church Hall, 312 Sir Donald Bradman Drive, Brooklyn Park 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, Tasmore on the 4th Wednesday of the month.

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