

The South Coast Orchid Club of SA Inc.

# Gazette



**November  
2014**

**PRESIDENT: Geoff Spear**

**PATRON: Sydney Monkhouse**

The next meeting of the South Coast Orchid Club will be held at 8pm on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November 2014 at St. Bernadette's Church Hall, corner of Walsh Avenue and South Road, St. Marys. Our guest speaker will be Jim O'Shaughnessy who will talk about Sarcocylus Orchids. Patty and George Abell have donated a perpetual trophy to best overall Sarcocylus on the night.

## **BEGINNERS' GROUP**

Before main meeting 7.30p.m. George Abell on Sarcocylus.

## **DAYTIME CHAPTER**

The next meeting will be held at Lou Kesting Hall, off Broadway, South Brighton on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2014 at 2pm. Our guest speaker will be George Abell who will give a talk about Sarcocylus.

## **SOUTHERN REGION GROUP**

The next meeting will be held at 2pm on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2014 in Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor. Our guest speaker is Steve Howard whose subject will be Oncidiums. At the Beginners' Group John Gay will speak on Mixed Genera.

## **NEW MEMBERS**

The President and Committee on behalf of S.C.O.C. welcome Rosemary Maslin. We hope you have a rewarding time with our Club.

## **BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS**

David Cammack, Leslie Fenton, Geraldine Flavel, Trevor Garrard, Daniel Lutz, John Sorrell, Cliff Wegener, David Williams.

## **BIRTHDAY DRAW**

Is your name in the birthday book?

## **LUCKY NAME BADGE**

Make sure you wear your name badge, you may win a prize.

**THANKYOU** to all members who donated plants to the Club for raffles etc. this year. Your donations are always very much appreciated.

## **JUDGING ROSTER 05/11/2014**

**OPEN DIVISION:**                      **Leader** – Noel Oliver, Judy Mc Redmond **Recorder** Peter Haltis

**FIRST DIVISION:**                    **Leader** – John Gay Trevor Stutley **Recorder** Vicky Cooper

**SECOND DIVISION:**                **Leader** – Wendy Lodge, Rowan Crowhurst **Recorder** Graham Zerbe

*Sue Zerbe*

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### **CHRISTMAS DINNER – DECEMBER MEETING**

The main course will be catered for by **TEXAS BULL MACHINE. They will arrive at 6.30 pm.**

The Christmas Dinner will commence at 6.50 pm sharp on Wednesday 3rd December 2014. The Main Meeting will follow the Christmas Dinner and commence at 8 pm.

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

To ensure that everyone has a wide selection, we have organised 4 Committee members to serve the smorgasbord meal. Even though the price has increased, the cost to members will be the same as last year at \$25 per head.

Members who would like to attend should let our Treasurer Barbara know as soon as possible so we can organize the catering.

### **DELUXE SMORGASBORD MEAL**

**WHOLE BAKED SNAPPER  
S.A. PRAWNS  
CHAMPAGNE LEG HAM  
ROAST TURKEY  
SALAMI, CABANA AND METTWURST  
SAUCES, ROLLS AND BUTTER  
DESSERT WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE CLUB**

**Disposable plates, real cutlery, Christmas serviettes**

### **FEATURES OF THE NIGHT:**

**Bring a gift/receive a gift.** If you wish to participate, please bring along a small gift that you would like to receive yourself. You will be given a ticket when you present your gift to enable you to receive a gift later in the evening. Gift ideas include orchids, ferns, nuts, wine etc.

**Giant Christmas Raffle.** Donations would be welcome.

**Father Christmas** has been invited.

Please bring along your plants for judging at the Main Meeting as usual.

**BONSAI CLUB ANNUAL SHOW:** The club held a display and trading table at the annual Bonsai Club Show on 18th October at McLaren Vale. It was a lovely day and the people at the Bonsai show seemed to really enjoy our display. Thank you to the Bonsai Club for inviting us to participate.



Left: Part of the SCOCSA display at the Bonsai Club Annual Show.

Right: Members presiding over our display were, left to right, President Geoff, Shirley and Don Greig and Paul Hayes.



### **UNLEY LIBRARY DISPLAY**

At the request of the Unley Library our Club organised a beautiful display and trading table from Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October to Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October. On Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> October Geoff also presented a potting demonstration at the Unley Town Hall between 3.30 pm – 4.30 pm. This was very well patronised with approx. 40 people attending.



Left: Part of the SCOCSA display at the Unley Library.



Right: President Geoff giving his potting demonstration at the Unley Town Hall.

### **FAREWELL**

Long time member Bill Clark (joined 1991) is relocating to Sydney to be with his daughter and family. He will be sorely missed by the Club. He was presented with a Certificate of Appreciation at the meeting by President Geoff.



### **END OF YEAR BUSINESS**

**Subscriptions for 2015 are due now We do value your membership and seeing you at meetings each month.**

#### **THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA INC.**

<b>Family membership</b>	<b>\$33.00</b>
<b>Single membership</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>
<b>Junior membership</b>	<b>\$17.00</b>
<b>Rural and Interstate membership</b>	
<b>Family membership</b>	<b>\$29.00</b>
<b>Single membership</b>	<b>\$23.00</b>

**Please note there has been no increase in membership fees for next year.**

### **TROPHIES and LIBRARY BOOKS**

**Please return all trophies to the Secretary at the November meeting or as soon as possible and please return all library books to Henk before the December meeting for our annual stock take.**

### **2015 COMMITTEE**

**Time for all members to think about who is going to be responsible for the running of your Club in 2015.**

**At the close of the December meeting we need nomination forms filled in by members nominating other members for Committee positions. See page 19 of this gazette for nomination forms or pick some up at from Lucy at the meeting.**

**Most positions to be vacated can be re-nominated.**

## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

Thank you to all members who helped to make the Spring Show such a success. Colonnades allowing us the extra space, gave us the room to show off the beauty of your orchids very well. Congratulations to Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju on their first Grand Champion with Tyabb Young Splendour and congratulations to all members for a job very well done.

The October meeting was spectacular. It gave pleasure to so many members. Chris Heysen was the guest speaker. What a great journey his family has had. May their retirement at Victor Harbor be just as rewarding.

It certainly has been a very busy month. The Unley Library display and demonstration proved to be a great success. Many people were interested to learn about our Club and the information given on how to grow orchids. The Workshop at Southern Region Group as always, was a great success. Thank you to all concerned. The Club's display at McLaren Vale was also of interest to many people who also wanted growing tips and to learn about our Club. We had a very pretty display. In all a great and busy day.

Thank you to Helmut and Ursula for all the help they gave at the five displays.

Nomination forms for Committee members can be found on page 15 of this Gazette. Some will also be available at the November and December meetings. Please consider filling one in. This is your Club. Why not join the Committee and let us hear your ideas.

Good Growing,  
Geoff.

## **DAYTIME CHAPTER**

Hi Everyone,

Another great day was had by all at our Daytime Chapter. John Gay was our guest speaker. As usual, John had our undivided attention with all his knowledge, hints and tips on maintenance and growing of orchids. All areas of orchid growing were covered. Members asked many questions along the way. Once again, John suggested many different ideas that can all be tried out at home. Thank you John and Bev for sharing your afternoon with us. John also brought along quite a few plants for sale, which the members always appreciate.

Apologies came from Peter and Geraldine Flavel, Patty Abell and Bill Trevaskis. We all wish you well and hope to see you again soon.

Lucy was at the Unley Library and unable to attend our meeting. The trading table and a table top display at Unley were created by Mrs Lesley Gunn. Thank you Lesley. Another of our members who usually attends the meetings, Mrs Barbara Almond, was also helping on the trading table.

Mr. Bill Clark, who has been in charge of Brighton Chapter trading table and library books for many years attended our meeting, doing his duties as usual, quietly and very efficiently in the background. Bill did this today for the last time as he is going to Sydney to live with his daughter and family. He will have lots of company to keep him busy, with his grandchildren and great grandchildren close by. He will also have his own 'Granny' flat so will still have his quiet moments when needed. So bye Bill, you will be greatly missed. I will miss seeing your beautiful orchids but we all wish you many happy years ahead. Take care and please keep in touch. (See Page 2 for Photo).

Mr. George and Mrs Patty Abell's *Zygopetalum* was voted best on display. George certainly knows how to grow them beautifully. This plant was called Zygo. Carew's Fields 'Calypso'. Very well grown and presented with many lovely blooms. Congratulations to you both.

The meeting was closed after another great day together. Thanking all in attendance.

Bye Dorothy,  
8277-1793.



### **SOUTHERN REGION GROUP MEETING SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER**

**Beginners' Group:** 1.30pm. Geoff looking after your plants in general terms.

**Meeting:** The President opened the meeting at 2.00 pm with 37 members present. Geoff welcomed members including our guest speaker George Abell and visitor Gary Clarke (who later in the meeting became a new member). Geoff spoke about a busy four months and how great all the Shows were. He thanked the Southern Region Group members who helped on the B.B.Q. and at Colonnades. He spoke about the spectacular display of mixed genera and quality orchids on the judging bench.

**Lucky name-badge:** Grace Noll

**Apologies:** Steve Howard (unable to be guest speaker due other commitments) and Cliff Wegner.

**Guest Speaker:** George Abel gave a brilliant presentation on his favourite genera being the sarcochilus. Thank you George.

**Next meeting:** 16<sup>th</sup> November 2014 with guest speaker Steve Howard on Oncidiinae.

**December meeting:** 21st December for the Urimbirra lunch. 11:45am. for 12pm. lunch, 2pm. Party time with Graham Zerbe at main meeting venue.

**Judges:** Noel Oliver, Graham Zerbe and John Gay.

**Plant of the day:** Cym. Pure Sarah 'Bridal Beauty' grown by Helen Humphrys.

**Popular vote:** Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst' grown by Eileen Pinnock.

## **SRG October Results List**

Ref. No.

Points Awarded

### **Second Division**

#### **Australian Native Epiphyte – species**

258	Den. <i>linguiforme</i>	Eileen Pinnock	3
259	Den. <i>striolata</i> 'Tassie'	Shirley Greig	2
260	Den. <i>kingianum</i>	Shirley Greig	1

#### **Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid**

261	Sarco. Fitzhart 'Fascination'	Ruth Tugwell	3
262	Den. Elegant Heart	Eileen Pinnock	2
263	Sarco. Patricia Abell 'Personality'	Ruth Tugwell;	1

#### **Laeliinae – Standard - over 100mm.**

264	Blc. Bundy's Pearl x Rlc. Mount Sylvan	Marilyn Jelfs	3
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#### **Laeliinae – Cluster**

265	Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'	Eileen Pinnock	3
266	L. (Icarus x Gold Star) x Lc. Trick or Treat	Ruth Tugwell	2

#### **Laeliinae – Non Standard**

267	Sc. Daniela	Ruth Tugwell	3
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#### **Laeliinae – Species**

268	C... <i>loddigesii</i>	Judy Crafter	3
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#### **Cymbidium over 90 mm Red/Pink/Brown**

269	Cym. Red Nelly 'Dazzler'	Marilyn Jelfs	3
270	Cym. Unknown	Sid James	2

#### **Cymbidium over 90 mm – White/Cream/Yellow**

271	Cym. Pure Sarah 'Bridal Beauty'	Helen Humphrys	3
272	Cym. Unknown 'Alma #3'	Ruth Tugwell	2
273	Cym. Unknown	Milyn Jelfs	1

#### **Cymbidium over 90 mm – Species**

274	Cym. <i>lowianum</i>	Sid James	3
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#### **Cymbidium 60 – 90 – any other colour**

275	Cym. Gigli 'Gold'	Judy Crafter	3
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## Second Division (cont)

Ref. No.

Points Awarded

### **Cymbidium under 60 Red/Pink/Brown**

276 Cym. Mad Magic 'Amber'

Joan McMahon

3

277 Cym. Dorothy Stockstill 'Rosalie'

Judy Crafter

2

278 Cym. Devon Odyssey 'Wendy'

Judy Crafter

1

### **Cymbidium Under 60 any other colour**

279 Cym. Scallywag 'The Crumpet'

Helen Humphrys

3

### **Orchid Genera – Not listed Elsewhere – Hybrid**

280 Phal. Unknown

Keith &amp; Russ Sutton

3

281 Phal. Sagovivien

Shirley Greig

2

### **Orchid Genera – Not listed Elsewhere – species**

283 *Ansellia africana* 'Concolor'

Shirley Greig

3

### **Orchid Genera - Not listed Elsewhere - Hybrid**

282 Masd. Machu Picchu 'Jayvee'

Ruth Tugwell

1

### **Specimen**

284 Cym. Scallywag 'The Crumpet'

Helen Humphrys

3

285 Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'

Eileen Pinnock

2

286 Sarco. Fitzhart 'Fascination'

Ruth Tugwell

1

## **Plant of the Day**

288 Cym. Pure Sarah 'Bridal Beauty' (below) benched by Helen Humphrys.



## **Popular Vote**

287 Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst' (below) benched by Eileen Pinnock.





Guest speaker George Abel at his Sarc. practical demonstration table (left) and receiving his gift from president Geoff.



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Helen Humphrys receives her coffee mug from Noel Oliver for winning the Plant of the Day with her Cym. Pure Sarah 'Bridal Beauty'

Eileen Pinnock receives her wine glass from Noel Oliver for winning the Popular Vote with her Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'

### **SOUTHERN REGION GROUP WORKSHOP**

An orchid workshop was held at the home of Reg and Elsie Clifford on 18th October 2014.

The weather was perfect and we were privileged to have the following excellent presentations.

Kevin Western— Terrestrials

Lesley Gunn —Zygos

Geoff Spear — Cyms

John Gay — Mixed Genera

Thank you to our presenters for travelling to Victor Harbor to your share knowledge.

Thank you also to Reg and Elsie once again for being such wonderful hosts.

## Southern Regional Group - Annual Show - 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2014 Results List

### Australian Native Epiphyte – species:

Den. <i>kingianum</i>	Eileen Pinnock	1st
Den. <i>kingianum</i>	Bruce Kirk	2nd

### Australian Native Epiphyte – Hybrid:

Den. Flinders '#3'	Ruth Tugwell	1st
Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise	Val Phillips	2nd

### Australian Native terrestrial species:

Ptst. <i>curta</i>	Reg & Elsie Clifford	1st
Ptst. <i>curta</i>	Reg & Elsie Clifford	2nd

### Australian Native - Specimen:

Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise	Val Phillips	1st
Ptst. <i>curta</i>	Reg & Elsie Clifford	2nd

### BEST Australian Native:

Den. Flinders '#3'	Ruth Tugwell	1st
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### Cymbidium – over 90 mm – species:

Cym. <i>lowianum</i>	Sid James	1st
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### Cymbidium – over 90 mm – Red/Pink/Brown

Cym. Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	Helen Humphrys	1st
Cym. Khan Flame 'Tuscany'	Helen Humphrys	2nd

### Cymbidium – over 90 mm – White/Cream/Yellow

Cym. Rembrandt 'Masterpiece'	Sid James	1st
Cym. Valley Zenith 'Green Orb'	Reg & Elsie Clifford	2nd

### Cymbidium – over 90 mm – any other colour

Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan'	Helen Humphrys	1st
Cym. Unknown (22)	Helen Humphrys	2nd

### Cymbidium – over 90 mm – Specimen:

Cym. Rembrandt 'Masterpiece'	Sid James	1st
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### BEST Cymbidium – over 90 mm:

Cym. Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	Helen Humphrys	1st
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### Cymbidium – 60 – 90 mm – Green//Yellow

Cym. One Tree Hill 'Doris'	Bruce Kirk	1st
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### Cymbidium – 60 – 90 mm – Red/Pink/Brown:

Cym. (Rincon Clarise x Willunga Eyecatcher)	Helen Humphrys	1st
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Cym. (President Gorbachev x Red Beauty)		
= Cym. Valley Louise	Sid James	1st

### BEST Cymbidium – 60 – 90 mm:

Cym. (Rincon Clarise x Willunga Eyecatcher)	Helen Humphrys	1st
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### Cymbidium – under 60 – any other colour:

Cym. Sarah Jean 'Peach'	Ruth Tugwell	1st
Cym. Wilpena 'Erna'	Reg & Elsie Clifford	2nd

### Cymbidium – under 60 m – Red/Pink/Brown

Cym. Ruby Eyes 'Red Baron'	Ruth Tugwell	1st
Cym. Kyancutta 'Sweet Lorraine'	Ruth Tugwell	2nd

### Cymbidium – under 60 – Green/Yellow

Cym. Tom Thumb 'Caliope'	Eileen Pinnock	1st
Cym. Sarah Jean	Helen Humphrys	2nd

### Cymbidium – under 60 – Specimen:

Cym. Sarah Jean	Helen Humphrys	1st
Cym. Ruby Eyes 'Red Baron'	Ruth Tugwell	2nd

### BEST Cymbidium – under 60 mm:

Cym. Tom Thumb 'Caliope'	Eileen Pinnock	1st
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### Laeliinae – Cluster;

Cct. Adelaide Ablaze 'Fiery Gold'	Eileen Pinnock	1st
Cct. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'	Eileen Pinnock	2nd

### Paphiopedilum – Non-standard

Paph. Chouvetii	Grace Noll	1st
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### BEST Paphiopedilum:

Paph. Chouvetii	Grace Noll	1st
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### Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - species

Arpophyllum <i>giganteum</i>	Sid James	1st
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### BEST ORCHID GENERA – not listed elsewhere:

Arpophyllum <i>giganteum</i>	Sid James	1st
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### GRAND CHAMPION:

Cym. Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	Helen Humphrys	
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### RESERVE CHAMPION:

Den. Flinders '#3'	Ruth Tugwell	
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# October Results List

Ref. No.		Points Awarded
<b>Open Division</b>		
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid</b>		
379	Den. Jane Leaney	John & Bev Gay (65) 3
380	Den. You Beauty	Henk & Erna Van Leuveren (178) 2
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Species</b>		
376	Den. Linguiforme	Noel Oliver (102) 3
377	Den. Linguiforme	Noel Oliver (102) 2
378	Den. striolata	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) 1
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown</b>		
384	Cym. Black Flame 'Star Burst'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) 3
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
385	Cym. Alexandra Beauty 'Annalise'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) 3
<b>Cymbidium under 60 Red Pink Brown</b>		
386	Cym. Mary Green 'Nifty Guy'	Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) 3
<b>Laeliinae - Standard over 100mm</b>		
381	Blc. Burdekin Heights 'Mary'	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321) 3
382	Blc. (Sunstate Colorchart x Sunset Mel)	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321) 2
<b>Laeliinae - Standard under 100mm</b>		
383	Rth. Shinfong Little Love	John & Bev Gay (65) 3
<b>Oncidiinae - Hybrid &gt; 60mm</b>		
405	Onc. Unknown 'Carmela'	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321) 3
<b>Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid</b>		
400	Masd. Peppermint Glow 'Beenak'	Robert & Lesley Gunn (424) 3
<b>Orchid Seedling - any Genera</b>		
401	Blc. (Sunstate Colorchart x Sunset Mel)	Richard & Beryl Wilson (321) 3
402	Z. Freestyle x Npp. Rymill Park	Robert & Lesley Gunn (424) 2
<b>Zygopetalinae - Hybrid</b>		
398	Z. Purple Panther 'Pride'	Robert & Lesley Gunn (424) 3
399	Z. Freestyle x Npp. Rymill Park	Robert & Lesley Gunn (424) 2
<b>First Division</b>		
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid</b>		
371	Den. (Victorian Flare x Victorian Stripe)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
372	Den. Delicatum	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Species</b>		
369	Den. schoeninum	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
370	Den. kingianum 'Striped Petals'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - any other colour</b>		
396	Cym. Bulbarrow 'Friar Tuck'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
397	Cym. (Tethys x Bega)	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
<b>Cymbidium 60 - 90mm White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
394	Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
395	Cym. Wakakusa 'N.B.'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm - any other colour</b>		
391	Cym. (Ginger Wall x Foxfire Amber)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm - Species</b>		
392	Cym. lowianum	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
393	Cym. lowianum 'Beryl'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown</b>		
387	Cym. Kimberley Lady 'Fabulous'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
388	Cym. (Red Beauty x Valley Regent)	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
389	Cym. Joan's Charisma 'Vanity'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
390	Cym. (Alexandra Beauty x Uluru)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Cymbidium under 60 - any other colour</b>		
408	Cym. Sparksprite 'Sparky'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
410	Cym. Devon Shell	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 1
<b>Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
406	Cym. Pat Anne 'Ernest'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
409	Cym. Mary Green 'Nifty Guy'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
407	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Vapour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Laeliinae - Cluster</b>		
373	Ctt. Adelaide Ablaze 'Sunburst'	Eileen Pinnock (519) 3
<b>Laeliinae - Non Standard</b>		
374	Slc. Hazel Boyd 'Red Stone'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Laeliinae - Species</b>		
375	Gur. aurantiaca	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
<b>Oncidiinae - Hybrid &gt; 60mm</b>		
411	Mclna. Artur Elle	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
412	Colm. Wildcat 'Hildos No.2'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2

# October Results List (cont.)

Ref. No.		Points Awarded
<b>First Division (Cont.)</b>		
<b>Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid</b>		
419	Den. (Thailand Tomoflake x Thaitom)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
420	Phal. Tigrina	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
421	Phal. Unknown	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 1
<b>Orchid Seedling - any Genera</b>		
422	Cym. (Ginger Wall x Foxfire Amber)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 3
423	Cym. (Alexandra Beauty x Uluru)	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
<b>Paphiopedilum - Non Standard</b>		
414	Paph. Chouvetii 'Van Dyke No. 2'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
415	Paph. Rosy Dawn	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) 2
416	Paph. Chouvetii 'Van Dyke'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 1
<b>Paphiopedilum - Standard</b>		
413	Paph. Memoria Barbara Francis 'Castle Ben'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
<b>Zygopetalinae - Hybrid</b>		
417	Z. Titanic 'Monarch'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 3
418	Z. Blue Lake x Zga. Dynamo	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141) 2
<b>Second Division</b>		
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid</b>		
427	Den. X delicatum 'Apple Blossum'	George Misirlis (1125) 3
428	Den. X delicatum	Peter Haltis (442) 2
429	Den. Kathryn Banks	Glynn Furlong (351) 1
<b>Australian Native Epiphyte - Species</b>		
425	Den. speciosum (var. pedunculatum x var.	Rowan Crowhurst (763) 3
426	Den. kingianum	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 2
<b>Australian Native Terrestrial - Species</b>		
430	Cldna. tentaculata	Peter Haltis (442) 3
<b>Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - any other colour</b>		
455	Cym. Pumisan 'Cooksbridge'	Bill Jayne (1180) 3
<b>Cymbidium 60 - 90mm Red Pink Brown</b>		
452	Cym. Kimberely Lady 'Fabulous'	Bill Jayne (1180) 3
453	Cym. Tapestry	Glynn Furlong (351) 2
<b>Cymbidium 60 - 90mm White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
454	Cym. (Coriga x Terama)	Peter Haltis (442) 3
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm - Species</b>		
451	Cym. lowianum	David Williams (1351) 3
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm Red Pink Brown</b>		
448	Cym. Ruby Anniversary 'Pink Surprise'	Peter Haltis (442) 3
449	Cym. (Valley Girl x Valley Splash)	Peter Haltis (442) 2
<b>Cymbidium over 90mm White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
450	Cym. Valley Splash 'War Paint'	David Williams (1351) 3
<b>Cymbidium under 60- any other colour</b>		
459	Cym. Devon Shell	George Misirlis (1125) 3
460	Cym. Pat Anne 'Ernest'	Glynn Furlong (351) 2
<b>Cymbidium under 60 Red Pink Brown</b>		
456	Cym. Dorothy Stockstill 'Forgotten Fruit'	Bill Jayne (1180) 3
457	Cym. Bedevere 'Highbury'	George Misirlis (1125) 2
<b>Cymbidium under 60 White Cream Yellow Green</b>		
458	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'	David Williams (1351) 3
<b>Laeliinae - Cluster</b>		
431	C. (Summer Stars x Trick or Treat)	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 2
<b>Laeliinae - Species</b>		
432	Epi. elongatum 'Fairy Lavender'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 3
<b>Orchid Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybrid</b>		
436	Phal. Unknown 'White'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 3
445	Phal. Unknown 'Cynamon'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 2
<b>Orchid Seedling - any Genera</b>		
446	Cym. (Valley Girl x Valley Splash)	Peter Haltis (442) 3
<b>Paphiopedilum - Non Standard</b>		
461	Paph. Encounter Bay 'Black Pearl'	Bill Jayne (1180) 3
<b>Zygopetalinae - Hybrid</b>		
433	Zga. Maverick	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 3
434	Z. Titanic 'Monarch'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 2
435	Z. Titanic x Zga. Kings Park	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119) 1

## **October Plant Commentary**

**ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION AND FLOWER OF THE NIGHT:** *Cymbidium* Joan's Charisma 'Vanity' was grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby. This amazing orchid had 7 incredible tall upright inflorescences which boasted 65 flowers open with more to open. The flowers were a very clean white, as was the attractive labellum burgundy patterned edge topped off with a dark pink pollen cap. In 1995 the crossing was made between *Cym.* Joan of Arc and *Cym.* Cronulla which was registered as *Cym.* Joan's Charisma. The main species in the background were *Cym.* *eburneum*, *Cym.* *insigne* and *Cym.* *lowianum*. Oui & Michael with your great growing skills and knowledge of orchids you have given us all an orchid to admire and wonder. If it gets much bigger, how on earth you will carry it? Congratulations to you both. A real eye catcher.



**OPEN DIVISION:** *Dendrobium linguiforme* grown by Noel Oliver. This orchid was mounted on a piece of bottle brush which was almost covered with the small little oval shaped leaves, and bunches of white flowers with the finest white petals. A most attractive orchid. Thank you Noel, for bringing in this orchid for us all to see.



## **October Plant Commentary (cont.)**

**SECOND DIVISION:** *Cymbidium* Devon Shell grown by George Misirlis had one very long arching inflorescence with 2 flowers yet to open, 27 flowers. Colour being a creamy/pale green with an overlay of light tan same coloured labellum with a striking burgandy pattern. Well done George.



**SEEDLING OF THE NIGHT:** *Cymbidium* (Ginger Wall x Foxfire Amber) grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby. This young seedling had one inflorescence with 9 slightly cupped flowers, a beautiful orange/tan self-striped in a darker tan, a large flat labellum, yellow with red markings. This orchid will I'm sure grow up to be a real stunner. Thank you Oui & Michael. Seedlings are always like a box of chocolates, you never quite know what you will get and this makes it all very exciting.



Sue Zerbe  
Registrar of Judges

## Spring Show Champions List

<b>CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION:</b>	Den. (Aussie Phil x convolutum)	Peter & Geraldine Flavel (487)
<b>GRAND CHAMPION:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>Bill Murdoch Trophy Nomination:</b>	Den. speciosum var. Curvicaule	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>Ira Butler Trophy Nomination:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM &lt; 60mm:</b>	Cym. Bulbarrow 'Maid Marion'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM 60-90mm:</b>	Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>CHAMPION SPECIMEN:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>M. Ng Trophy - Most Floriferous:</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>Les Nesbit Trophy Award (Species):</b>	Den. speciosum var. Curvicaule	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>Reg Shooter Trophy Award (Hybrids):</b>	Den. Tyabb 'Young 'Splendour'	Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)
<b>McFarlane Trophy for A/Asian Nomination:</b>	Den. Australian Ginger	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)
<b>Elsie Chisholm Trophy</b> <b>- Best Novelty Cymbidium:</b>	Cym. Kimberley Lady 'Lucy'	Rod & Judy McRedmond (1141)
<b>CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION:</b>	Den. (Victoria Stripe x Victoria Flare)	George Misirlis (1125)
<b>CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM &gt; 90mm:</b>	Cym. lowianum 'Green'	George Misirlis (1125)
<b>CHAMPION LAELIINAE:</b>	Cym. Margaret Degenhart 'Saturn'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119)
<b>CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM:</b>	Paph. (boxallii x Radiant Tiger)	Bill Jayne (1180)
<b>CHAMPION ZYGOPETALINAE:</b>	Z. Titanic 'Monarch'	Vicky & Neil Cooper (1119)
<b>CHAMPION OTHER GENERA</b> <b>- not otherwise listed:</b>	Coel. Unchained Melody	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)
<b>CHAMPION SPECIES:</b>	Cym. lowianum 'Green'	George Misirlis (1125)
<b>CHAMPION SEEDLING:</b>	Cym. (Lunar Blaze x Flaming Vulcan)	Bill Jayne (1180)
<b>CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE:</b>	Onc. Aloha	Paul & Donja Hayes (1129)

**Note from Editor:** The complete set of Spring Show results is not printed in the posted Gazette. They will be available as an addition to the printed gazette at the main and SRG meetings for those who would like them. They will, however, be included in the e-mailed Gazette.

### **SPRING SHOW PLANT COMMENTARY** (By Sue Zerbe , Registrar of Judges)

The Judging for the Spring Show met us all with a pleasant September day at the Hamilton Gymnasium. We had 86 high quality orchids to judge. This number of plants made a wonderful display.

I would like to take the time to congratulate those members whose orchids were prize winners, as well as all members who supported the Show, as without your support there would be no Show.

**Grand Champion, Champion of First Division, Champion Australian Native, Ira Butler/Reg Shooter Nomination, Champion Specimen and the M. Ng Trophy – Most Floriferous Orchid:** *Dendrobium* Tyabb 'Young Splendour' was grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby, winning seven acknowledgements in all. .These cheeky white flowers with a pale purple edging and a deep purple labellum held there little faces up high. With so many flowers and inflorescences, there were too many to count. Congratulations, Oui & Michael an incredible orchid and worthy of its win.



**Champion Open Division:** *Dendrobium* (Aussie Phil x *convolutum*) grown by Peter & Geraldine Flavel ,a lovely pot full of terete leaves covered in tiny khaki green flowers with white labellums. Congratulations Peter and Geraldine.



**Champion Second Division:** *Dendrobium* (Victoria Stripe x Victoria Flare) grown by George Misirlis. A striking white flower with purple edged petals and purple labellum.



### **SPRING SHOW PLANT COMMENTARY (cont.)**

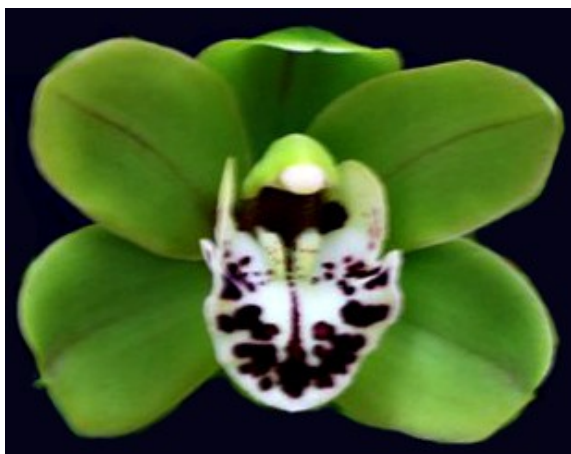
**Champion Cymbidium Under 60mm:** *Cymbidium* Bulbarrow 'Maid Marion' grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby. This plant had six inflorescences with 12 plus flowers evenly grown around the pot with flowers creamy yellow, self-striped in pale red and a deep burgundy labellum. A very attractive orchid Oui & Michael.



**Champion Cymbidium Over 90mm and Champion Species:** *Cymbidium lowianum* grown by George Misirlis. 17 beautiful apple green flowers, typical shape for this species and a white labellum tan fringed. Well done George.



**Champion Cymbidium 60 – 90mm:** *Cymbidium* Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon' grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby. One upright inflorescence boasting 23 green flowers, a white labellum burgundy patterned. A very charming orchid.



### **SPRING SHOW PLANT COMMENTARY (cont.)**

**Champion Laeliinae:** *Cattelya* Margaret Degenhart 'Saturn' grown by Vick & Neil Cooper. This orchid had 2 inflorescences each having 2 incredible flowers each. The dorsal and 2 lower petals pale mauve and the 2 top petals deep mauve with a white stripe down the centre. A real eye catcher Vicky a & Neil.



**Champion Paphiopedilum:** *Paphiopedilum* (*boxallii* x Radiant Tiger) grown by Bill Jayne. Four beautiful flowers. The dorsals were edged in white with a brown overlay on green and the sheen on the petals suggests that *Paphiopedilum villosum* is in the background. Well done Bill.



**Champion Zygopetalinae:** *Zygopetalum* Titanic 'Monarch' grown by Vicky & Neil Cooper. This orchid had 2 inflorescences, 7 flowers in all, petals brown dapples over green and a very deep purple labellum. An attractive orchid Vicky & Neil.



### **SPRING SHOW PLANT COMMENTARY (cont.)**

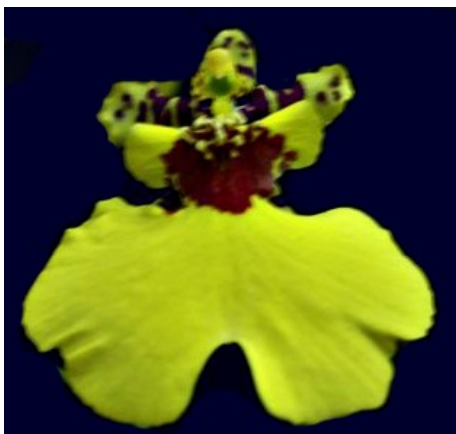
**Champion Other Genera not otherwise listed:** *Coelogyne* Unchained Melody was grown by Paul & Donja Hayes. This orchid had 5 inflorescences with 7 plus crystal white flowers on each, with slightly twisting petals and a white labellum heavily marked in deep yellow. Definitely a great orchid to own Paul & Donja.



**Champion Seedling;** *Cymbidium* (Lunar Blaze x Flaming Vulcan) grown by Bill Jayne. One inflorescence with 7 pale pink self-striped flowers, white labellum edges heavily patterned in pink. A great seedling to have in your collection Bill.



**Champion Oncidiinae:** *Oncidium* Aloha grown by Paul & Donja Hayes. So many beautiful flowers cascading on small inflorescences with yellow petals with brown markings and a large skirt of yellow. An orchid many members would like to own. Thank you Paul & Donja.



**Bill Murdock Trophy Nomination/Les Nesbitt Trophy Nomination:** *Dendrobium speciosum* var *Curvicaule* grown by Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby. This charmer had 5 inflorescences averaging 60 flowers each.

**Hermon G. Slade Nomination/McFarlane Nomination for Australasian Hybrid/Species:** *Dendrobium* Australian Ginger grown by Rod & Judy McRedmond. This orchid was very long terete leaved with small khaki green, fine burgundy lined petals with a white lip with burgundy dots. A lovely orchid Rod & Judy.

**Elsie Chisholm Trophy Best Novelty Cymbidium:** *Cymbidium* Kimberley Lady 'Lucy' grown by Rod & Judy McRedmond. This orchid had four inflorescences with flowers a pink/burgundy, faintly patterned with a burgundy labellum. Well done Rod & Judy, a flower with a difference.

## Orchid Culture Notes for November

November is the start of the dry months, temperatures are generally warm with the odd hot day but heatwaves are uncommon. Light levels are reaching their maximum intensity towards month end and humidity levels decrease. Plants as a rule are in a rapid growth phase. It is also the time to take great care in protecting these vital new growths as without these there will be fewer flowers. Damage to these growths comes from many different quarters. Insect damage to soft chewable growths is common with caterpillars and aphids high on the most wanted list. Water lodging in the growths will rot leaves and take out the developing flower nodes in some varieties. Thrips abound in the dryness that November offers. These tiny sap sucking insects will retard a new growth the same as they damage flowers. *Sarcochilus* are prone to attack and November is a prime month. Distorted flowers and browning of the edges are signs of thrip.

Fertiliser will also burn out these growths and the burn marks leave the plant open to fungal infection as well as being unsightly. A couple of stray slow release fertiliser pellets will do this. Then of course with the re potting and division that takes up a lot of our time this year it is the common factor of human error that will knock off a growth.

Some growths get caught up in sheaths as they grow and must be helped along a bit and others come out looking like one of those brown wrinkly dogs. This is called accordion pleating and is usually a sign of dryness. Once this occurs it cannot be reversed. If one of your growths start growing at a weird angle they will require some training to get them growing upright and this also assists in keeping the plant neat and improves the flowering display.

Inspect those plants that suffered heat damage last year as I feel this year with the dry starting so much earlier we are heading for another extreme summer. These plants should be grouped together if possible so they can be moved if the weather turns very hot. No point leaving them where they burnt last year. As a last effort you may need to bring them inside or somewhere cool. It's a small chore but worth it for your plants sake.

Division of most plants should be completed by now and our main focus now is on providing our plants with the assistance they need during this rapid growth phase. Feeding should be mostly higher nitrogen for the *Oncidiums*, *Cattleyas*, *Zygopetalums*, *Cymbidiums* and *Paphiopedilums*. Native orchids still preferring low nitrogen feeds to avoid sappy, fungal prone poor flowering canes. Always water plants prior to feeding, adhering to the golden rule of never feeding a dry orchid. Try to give plants a good flush weekly as well and if possible use rainwater. Soluble fertilisers contain salts and when the water evaporates it leaves these salts behind. Too much can be harmful to the roots and consequently the plant. Check the surface of the mix or the drain holes of your pots. That white stuff is salt!

Not every plant in a collection will receive the same amount of water. Some will be covered by another plants leaves and receive very little. Feel the weight of a few pots and if they are light due to missing out on water, move them so they don't miss out. Dry thirsty plants won't flower well and will soon be attacked by every mite and scale in the shade house you have.

My watering ritual is a good drenching late afternoon but with enough left in the day so most plants are dry overnight. I will do a light misting first thing in the morning when I do my daily inspection. Mounted epiphytes may get an extra watering during the day if very hot. Remember some pots will dry out faster than others, as will some mixes. Placement will also be a factor with hanging plants drying out at a much faster rate. The rule here is not to water every plant the same amount every day. What might be enough for one will flood the other one. This is particularly important when growing a large number of different genera.

Foliar feeding is also recommended during the growth season. This is particularly important to mounted plants. I tend to balance my feeding with organic and inorganic fertiliser and tend to be weaker in the feeding strength than those in pots. Many of these plants are species orchids and as such are a little more sensitive. When foliar feeding don't forget the undersides of the leaves as this is where their stomata are (breathing pores) Fertiliser is absorbed via these pores. That's one reason why we water first. The plants when watered open up these pores.

After flowering we find our terrestrial orchids will be drying out. Watering will be reduced to an occasional mist to keep the mix just slightly moist. It will soon be time to start thinking about re potting them but I leave that until January. Any later and they are usually on the move again and I do not want to damage and developing shoots.

On the subject of avoiding damage, if you do have to divide a *Cattleya* or an *Oncidium*, now is a great time to do it. The new growths will be well underway and should be showing new roots. When divided now these roots will continue to grow into the mix and feed the plant without too much set back unless your division was too small. If you leave it too late these roots will grow too long and will most likely be damaged in the process. If damaged then they won't feed the plant as well and it will suffer. So much so flowering could be a non event for this season.

That will do for November. It is hard to believe another year is nearing the end!

Steve Howard



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## **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. Marys. Beginners' Class starts at 7.15 pm. Meeting at 8.00 pm.

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

**THE SOUTHERN REGIONAL GROUP:** meets at Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor at 2.00 pm. on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month.

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

**THE DAYTIME GROUP:** meets from 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm in the Enfield Community Centre, 540 Regency Road, Enfield on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month.

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

**NORTHERN AND EASTERN DISTRICTS ORCHID SOCIETY:** meets in St. Philip's Church Hall, Galway Avenue, Broadview from 7.30 pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 7.30 pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

**THE NATIVE ORCHID SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA:** meets at 7.30 pm at St. Matthew's Church Hall, Bridge Street, Kensington on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month.

**THE CYMBIDIUM CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA:** Meets at 7.30 pm at Burnside Community Centre, 401, Greenhill Road, Tusmore on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month.

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