THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB OF SAINC.



Gazette

August 2022

Patron: Coralie Hills FAOC President: Michael Willoughby

AT A GLANCE

The next General Meeting of the South Coast Orchid Club of South Australia will be held on Monday 8th August 2022 at 8.00 pm. at RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens. Our Guest Speaker will be Maureen and Graeme Hazeldine speaking on Cymbidiums.

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

<u>JUDGING:</u> Please have your plants benched by 7.40pm so Judging can commence at 7.50pm. If you are running late due to work commitments please phone Phil on 0438 891 612.

DAYTIME CHAPTER: The next meeting will be held on Thursday 11th August 2022 at 2.00 pm. Our Guest Speaker will be Paul Dipuglia from Neutrog Australia speaking on Neutrog developments and their products.

SOUTHERN REGION: The next meeting will be held at 2.00 pm on Sunday 21st August 2022 in Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor. Our Guest Speaker will be Ron Parish talking about growing orchids in a backyard and Viruses in Orchids.

SOUTHERN REGION SHOW: The Southern Region Show will bw held from Thursday 25th to Saturday 27th August 2022 at the Victor Central Shopping Centre, Put In Wednesday 24th August.

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

<u>PUBLIC LIABILITY:</u> Under Insurance Guidelines all members and Committee attending any function or meeting held by the Club must sign and print your name in an Attendance Book.

DEADLINES FOR NEXT GAZETTES 28 August and 25 September

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SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Subscriptions for 2022 are now overdue. There will be no increase in subscriptions for 2022. We do value your membership and seeing you at meetings each month.

RATES - One membership covers all groups

Family Membership \$38.00 Rural and Interstate Membership
Single Membership \$30.00 Family Membership \$34.00
Junior Membership \$22.00 Single Membership \$28.00

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President's Message



Welcome back the Winter Show; after two years of not being able to hold a Winter Show, this year it was all hands on deck to make it a successful Show in a new location. The new location, the Marion Uniting Church Hall proved to be well suited for our show from great space and light inside to good off street parking for the visitors. A big Thank You to all members who helped put the Show and Display together. It was a terrific job. Well Done!

Congratulations to Jane & Don Higgs for their Grand Champion *Paphiopedilum villosum* 'Orchidhaven', a magnificent specimen. More results for the Winter Show will appear later in our Gazette.

Last month we were taken through a presentation from Les Nesbitt on Australian Natives. Les took us through many different species which grow in different conditions; all we have to do is understand the different conditions for the different species to achieve some success in growing them.

This month we welcome back Graeme and Maureen Hazeldine. They will be presenting Cymbidiums, which is timely as this is coming into to the main flowering time for these 'King of Orchids' or the Boat orchid.

This month the daytime chapter will be treated to a Neutrog presentation and the Southern Region Group will hear from Ron Parish on Growing orchids in your backyard as well as Aspects of Virus.

The Southern Region Show is being held at a the Victor Central Shopping Centre 274 Torrens Street Victor Harbor from the 25th to the 27th August this year (put in on the 24th). Our growers from the Southern Region always put on a great spectacle, so make a day of it to see the show and visit Victor, you may even see a visitor in the bay.

All our thoughts and best wishes are for those on the sick list, Get well soon.

Successful growing & showing

Michael Willoughby



Happy Birthday .

GRAHAM ZERBE,
CRAIG DICKER, CORALIE HIME,
ELSIE CLIFFORD, VERONICA WALSH,
LYN HEYSEN

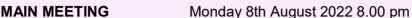


Is your name in the Birthday Book ??



ORCHID CALENDAR 2022

[These dates are subject to COVID-19 directives]



RSL Hall, 4 Prince George Parade, Colonel Light Gardens Guest Speaker: Maureen and Graeme Hazeldine speaking on

Cymbidiums.

COMMITTEE MEETING Wednesday 10th August 2022 7.30 pm

The Southern, South Road, St Marys

DAYTIME CHAPTER Thursday 11th August 2022 2.00 pm

Lou Kesting Hall, Dover Square, Brighton South

Guest Speaker: Paul Dipuglia from Neutrog Australia talking about

recent developments at Neutrog and their products.

SOUTHERN REGION

MEETING

Sunday 21st August 2022 2.00 pm Carrickalinga House, Victor Harbor

Guest Speaker: Ron Parish talking about growing orchids in a

backyard and Viruses in Orchids.

SOUTHERN REGION

SHOW

Wednesday 24th August to Saturday 27th August 2022

Victor Central Shopping Centre

SPRING SHOW Wednesday 14th September to Saturday 17th September 2022

Seaford Central Shopping Centre

SOUTHERN REGION SHOW Thursday 25th to Saturday 27st August 2022 VICTOR CENTRAL SHOPPING CENTRE 274 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor

Please remember the current health directives for COVID 19 will apply to our site. The Committee needs the assistance of the members to volunteer to help on the Trading Table. See Shirley or Chris if you are able to help.

Sell your surplus plants on the Trading Table, ask Anne for swing tickets and selling sheets.

Reminder: to sell your plants at the Show and to display your plants you must be a financial member and you must have owned your plant for at least 6 months if you are planning to show it..

PUT IN: Wednesday 24th August 4.30 pm.

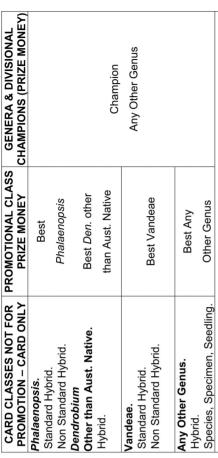
People are needed to set up of the display and trading table areas near Woolies. This will entail bringing in the crates, tables, canvas covering etc. from the trailer, to build the Show Stand.

Plants for Display & plants for Trading Table should not be brought in until 5.00 pm.

TAKE OUT: Saturday 27th August 5.00 pm.

SOUTHERN REGION SHOW SCHEDULE - 2022

| Australian Native. Epiphyte Species. Epiphyte Hybrid. Terrestrial Species. Specimen, Seedling. Cymbidium - Over 90mm. All Colours Best Cymbidium Champion (Over 90mm. | Champion Australian Native Champion Cymbidium Champion Cymbidium Over 90mm Champion Cymbidium Over 90mm Any Other Conie | Best Phalaenopsis Best Den. other than Aust. Native Best Vandeae | |
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| Best Cymbidium Over 90mm. | | than Aust. Native | |
| | Sund Const | | Champion Any Other Genus |
| Best Cymbidium 60-90mm. | Champion Cymbidium 60-90mm TROPHIES: VICTO | er Genus. Best Any Specimen, Seedling. Other Genus THE GRAND CHAMPION IS SELECTED FROM GENERA CHAMPIONS TROPHIES: VICTOR HARBOR TROPHY FOR GRAND CHAMPION | SENERA CHAMPIONS GRAND CHAMPION |
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| specimen, Seedling dilum. Best Paphiopedilum Specimen, Seedling. | _ | | |
| Standard >100mm. Standard <100mm. Standard <100mm. Best Laeliinae Non Standard. Species, Specimen, Seedling. | Chambion Champion Chambion & Dudley | | |
| Best Oncidiinae | Ву | | |



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Zygopetalinae Champion

Zygopetalinae Best

Zygopetalum Hybrid. Zygopetalinae Hybrid. Zygopetalinae Species. Specimen, Seedling.

EXHIBITORS' RULES FOR SHOWS

- 1. All exhibitors must be financial members of the South Coast Orchid Club of South Australia Incorporated, and you must have owned your plant for at least 6 months..
- 2. Entries are free.
- 3. Exhibitors are bound by the Constitution, Rules, By-Laws and Special Show Rules of the Club.
- 4. The opinion of the judges is final and binding and no objections or discussions regarding results will be considered, with one exception, which is an infringement by an Exhibitor of any of the Club's Rules, By-Laws or Show Rules. Any objection in this case must be lodged with the Club Show Marshall/Secretary.
- 5. The Club accepts no responsibility for any loss, damage or infection suffered by any plant or blooms exhibited.
- 6. The Club reserves the right to photograph any of the exhibits.
- 7. In all matters regarding the arrangement and conduct of the show (with the exception of judging) the Show Marshall/Secretary is the ruling authority.
- 8. No plants suspected by the Club Virus adjudicators of being infected with virus will be eligible for competition and such plants will be completely isolated from all other plants.
- 9. The exhibition areas will be closed during the judging. No exhibitors, the public or members other than the Show Marshall/Secretary, Judges of the Club, Associate Judges and other persons appointed to assist in judging will be allowed to remain in the exhibition area during this period.
- 10. Non-exhibitors are requested not to congregate in the exhibition area prior to judging so that officials can arrange plants and perform other necessary duties.
- 11. Plants must be labelled with the coloured labels provided by the Club with the exhibitor's number and name of plant. These are available from the Show Marshall/Secretary or his/her nominee.
- 12. Exhibitors are to ensure that all labelling be neatly and correctly performed in accordance with the procedure laid down on orchid Nomenclature and Registration.
- 13. All plants benched for judging at the show must be made available to be in the Club display.
- 14. All exhibits must be benched by the nominated time on the nominated day for judging. The nominated day and time will be published in the Club Gazette in the month prior to the Show.
- 15. Exhibits must not be removed before nominated time on the nominated day at the end of the Display. The nominated day and time will be published in the Club Gazette in the month prior to the Show.
- 16. Exhibitors unable to remove their own plants from the show should provide the person so doing with a letter of authorization.
- 17. Damage caused in transit to the show should be reported to the Show Marshall/Secretary or Registrar of Judges prior to judging.
- 18. If, in the opinion of the judges, a plant is not worthy of an award or prize in any specified section, then none shall be given.

PREPARING ORCHIDS FOR SALE

- 1. Select the plants that you want to let go.
- 2. Clean all pots. Wipe them over with a damp cloth to remove all white residue or salt from the pots. If these pots have been recycled from somewhere else, please make sure all advertising and price stickers are all cleaned off.
- 3. Check all stakes and add more if necessary and re-tie.
- 4. Remove old brown husks from bulbs and remove weeds, snails, scale etc.
- 5. Remove all dry ends on the leaves and shape to a point.
- 6. Wipe leaves over with a mixture of milk and water (1 part milk to 10 parts water). Do not overdo the milk by adding extra as the fat in the milk will clog the pores in the leaves which will then yellow off and die.
- 7. Water all plants 2-3 days before, not on the morning that you are bringing them in. This water really makes a mess on our clothes, tablecloths and the floor.
- 8. Get plant sales sheets and plant price tags from Treasurer beforehand. The sales sheet is a carbonless duplicated sheet, so both sheets are to be used together. Press down firmly on a hard surface to imprint on the second page. The original and duplicated sheets must be lodged with plants. On the top left hand corner of the page, print your name. On the right hand side write in your club member number, Rule a narrow column down the left side of the page. This column is for the plant number 1-30. On the right hand side you need a column a bit wider for the selling price of the plant. The centre section Is for the name and colour eg *Cym*. Without Peer 'Soft Touch' (pink). Be reasonable with the pricing, not greedy. Either you want to sell it or you don't. Take into account the number of spikes and condition of the plant. If you are not sure of pricing, ask some one.
- 9. Next write your labels. It's a good idea to do both sides of the tag. Your member's number goes on the left hand side and the plant number on the right hand side. Circle the plant number. Write your price under these numbers. As you put your tags on the plants, double check that the prices and numbers on the tags match those on your sales sheets.
- 10. When you bring your plants in, they must be checked off by another person against what you have written on your sheets. You will be given one sheet back along with payment for sales but you may wish to write out another copy for yourself to keep in the meantime. You can help with the checking off by reading out the numbers and price while the person checking checks this Information off against what is on your sheets. If there is a discrepancy, it needs to be attended to and another ticket written out if need be.

WINTER SHOW 2022 - GRAND CHAMPION





GRAND CHAMPION, CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION, CHAMPION SPECIMEN, CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM, CHAMPION SPECIES

Paph. villosum 'Orchidhaven'

Grown by Jane & Don Higgs Photos Neil Cooper





2022 WINTER SHOW CHAMPIONS

GRAND CHAMPION CHAMPION OPEN DIVISION CHAMPION SPECIES **CHAMPION SPECIMEN**

CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM

Paph. villosum 'Orchidhaven' Jane & Don Higgs (1302)

CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION

Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham' Phil & Anne Steer (514)

CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE

Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'Chian-Tzy Yearning' Coral Tillmanns (212)

CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Acianthus pusillus Jane & Don Higgs (1302)

CHAMPION OTHER GENERA not otherwise listed

Den. (Chao Praya Sweet x Garish) Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM

Cym. Sikkim Charm Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252)

CHAMPION LAELIINAE

Oui Ju & Michael Willoughby (1252) L. anceps

CHAMPION SEEDLING

Paph. sukhakulii Oui Ju & Michael Wiiloughby (1252)



2022 Winter Show Placings Results List

| OPEN DIVISION Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
|---|---|--------|
| Den. Avril's Gold 'Pumpkin Pie' Den. Regal Affair Australian Native terrestrial - Species | Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Acianthus pusillus Acianthus pusillus Australian Native - Specimen | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 2 |
| Acianthus pusillus BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 |
| Acianthus pusillus Cymbidium over 90mm - Species | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 |
| Cym. tracyanum Cymbidium over 90mm - Brown/Any | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 |
| Cym. Sikkim Charm Cymbidium over 90mm - Red/ Pink | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Cym. (Lunar Blaze x Kirby Lesh) BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm | Geoff & Lucy Spear (5) | 2 |
| Cym. Sikkim Charm Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Species | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Cym. erythraeum 'Paradise' Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Brown/Any | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Cym. Wilpena 'Erna' Cymbidium under 60mm - White/Crea | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) am | 2 |
| Cym. Elegant Elf 'Nan' Cymbidium under 60mm - Specimen | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Cym. Elegant Elf 'Nan' Dendrobium (not Aust Native) - | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | |
| Den. (Chao Praya Sweet x Garish) Den. [Elva Ann x (Dal's Delux x Dal's Appeal)] BEST DENDROBIUM - (Not Aust Nativ | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) e) | 3 |
| Den. (Chao Praya Sweet x Garish) Laeliinae - species | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| L. anceps L. anceps Laeliinae - Specimen | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Ron & Irene Parish (477) | 3 |
| L. anceps BEST LAELIINAE | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| L. anceps Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Brat. Aztec 'Toni' BEST ONCIDIINAE | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Brat. Aztec 'Toni' Paphiopedilum - Species | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Paph. villosum 'Orchidhaven' Paph. sukhakulli 'Vincent Vista' Paphiopedilum - Standard | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 2 |
| Paph. Winston Churchill 'Indomitable' Paphiopedilum -Nonstandard | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Paph. Fanaticum Paphiopedilum - Seedling | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Paph. sukhakulii Paph. villosum var. annamense Paphiopedilum - Specimen | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Paph. villosum 'Orchidhaven' BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 |
| Paph. villosum 'Orchidhaven' | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
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CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM Cym. Sikkim Charm Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION AUST. NATIVE
Acianthus pusillus
Jane & Don Higgss

FIRST DIVISION

Australian Native epiphyte - Hybrid

Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham'

Den. Star of Gold 'Boronia'

BEST AUSTRALIAN NATIVE

Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham'

Phil and Anne Steer (514)

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2022 Winter Show Placings Results List cont...

| Cymbidium over 90mm - Species | Detect Helife (440) | _ |
|---|--|--------|
| Cym. tracyanum 'Tamborine' Cymbidium over 90mm - Non Standar | Peter Haltis (442) rd | 3 |
| Cym. That's Outrageous Cymbidium over 90mm - Seedling | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Cym. That's Outrageous Cymbidium over 90mm - Specimen | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Cym. tracyanum 'Tamborine' BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm | Peter Haltis (442) | 3 |
| Cym. That's Outrageous Cymbidium 60 - 90mm - Red/ Pink | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Cym. Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' Cym. Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' Cymbidium under 60mm - Red/ Pink | Peter Haltis (442) Peter Haltis (442) | 3 2 |
| Cym. Cherry Blossom Cymbidium under 60mm - White/Crea | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) a m | 2 |
| Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade' Cymbidium under 60mm - Seedling | Peter Haltis (442) | 3 |
| Cym. Cherry Blossom Laeliinae - species | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 2 |
| L. anceps 'Rosy Tiger' Psh. cochleata 'Rita' Laeliinae Non-Standard | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) Phil and Anne Steer (514) | 3 2 |
| Ctt. Candy Ball 'Sunlight' BEST LAELIINAE | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Ctt. Candy Ball 'Sunlight' Laurie & Susan Cal Oncidiinae Hybrid >60mm | rter (1303) 3 | |
| Onc. Unknown Mps. Golden Snows 'White Light' Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 2 |
| Osp. Sunkissed 'Buttercup' Onc. Speckled Spire 'Snowflake' BEST ONCIDIINAE | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 2 |
| Osp. Sunkissed 'Buttercup' Paphiopedilum - Standard | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Paph. British Bulldog Zygopetalinae - intergeneric | Bill Jayne (1180) | 2 |
| Zga. (Denpasar x Kings Road) Zygopetalum - Seedling | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Zga. (Denpasar x Kings Road) BEST Zygopetalum | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Zga. (Denpasar x Kings Road) | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| SECOND DIVISION Cymbidium over 90mm - Brown/Any | | |
| Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan' BEST CYMBIDIUM - over 90mm | Helen McIntosh (299) | 3 |
| Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan' Oncidiinae Hybrid <60mm | Helen McIntosh (299) | 3 |
| Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'Chian-Tzy Yearning' Oncidiinae - Specimen | Coral Tillmanns (212) | 3 |
| Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'Chian-Tzy Yearning' BEST ONCIDIINAE | Coral Tillmanns (212) | 3 |
| Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'Chian-Tzy Yearning' Paphiopedilum -Nonstandard | Coral Tillmanns (212) | 3 |
| Paph. Leeanum Paphiopedilum - Specimen | Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) | 3 |
| Paph. Leeanum BEST PAPHIOPEDILUM | Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) | 3 |
| Paph. Leeanum | Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) | 3 |

MORE CHAMPIONS FROM WINTER SHOW





CHAMPION SECOND DIVISION, CHAMPION ONCIDIINAE Onc. Tsiku Marguerite 'Chian-Tzy Yearning'
Coral Tillmanns



CHAMPION FIRST DIVISION Den. Avril's Gold 'Leedham' Phil & Anne Steer





CHAMPION LAELIINAE *L. anceps*Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



CHAMPION SEEDLING
Paph. sukhakulii
Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju

All Photos by Neil Cooper



July Results List

| Ref. No. | resures Lise | | Points Awarde |
|------------------------|---|--|---------------|
| Open | Division | | |
| Australi | an Native Epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
| 246 Australi | Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ross Watts' an Native Terrestrial - Species | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| 243 | Acianthus borealis | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 3 |
| 244 | Ptst. sanguinea | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 2 |
| 245 | Acianthus pusillus | Jane & Don Higgs (1302) | 1 |
| 248 | ium over 90mm All colours inc Non Cym. Elegant Elf 'Nan' | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| | e - Species | Wildriger Willoughby & Sur 94 (1202) | 3 |
| 247 | L. anceps | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| Oncidiin 249 | nae - Hybrid > 60mm | Michael Willoughby 9 Out In (1252) | 2 |
| | Brat. Aztec 'Toni' Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybr | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) id | 3 |
| 255 | Den. (Chao Praya Sweet x Garish) | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| | Seedling - any Genera | | - |
| 256 257 | Paph. Fanaticum Paph. (Alma Gevaert x Hsinying Bonjour) | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 2 |
| | edilum - Non Standard | Wildrael Willoughby & Out 50 (1252) | 2 |
| 250 | Paph. Fanaticum | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| 251 Panhion | Paph. (Alma Gevaert x Hsinying Bonjour) edilum - Species | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 2 |
| 252 | Paph. insigne 'Harefield Hall' | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| 253 | Paph. sukhakulii 'Vincent Vista' | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 2 |
| 254 | Paph. wardii | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 1 |
| 263 | g of the Night Paph. Fanaticum | Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju (1252) | 3 |
| 203 | Tapin Tanadeani | menaer vimoagnay a carba (1202) | J |
| First I | Division | | |
| | an Native Epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
| 226 | Den. Hilda Poxon 'Stevie' | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| 225 Cymbidi | Den. Star of Gold 'Boronia' ium 60 - 90mm All colours in Non-: | Phil and Anne Steer (514) | 3 |
| 232 | Cym. Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' | Peter Haltis (442) | 3 |
| 233 | Cym. Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' | Peter Haltis (442) | 2 |
| | ium over 90mm - Species | Deter Hellie (440) | 2 |
| 231 Cymbid i | Cym. tracyanum 'Tambourine' ium over 90mm All colours inc Non | Peter Haltis (442) | 3 |
| 230 | Cym. That's Outrageous | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| | e - Species | | _ |
| 228 229 | L. anceps 'Gaynor' L. anceps 'Rosey Tiger' | Peter Haltis (442) Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 2 |
| | e - Standard under 100mm | Laurie & Susair Carter (1303) | 2 |
| 227 | C.(Deception x Penny Kuroda (Caudebec Gp)) | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| | nae - Hybrid < 60mm Osp. Sunkissed 'Buttercup' | Lauria & Cusan Carter (1202) | 2 |
| 236 237 | Onc. Speckled Spire 'Snow Sprite' | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 2 |
| | ae - Hybrid > 60mm | 244.10 (1000) | _ |
| 234 | Mps. Golden Snows 'White Light' | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| 235 Orchid S | Onc. Unknown Seedling - any Genera | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 2 |
| 239 | Cym. That's Outrageous | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| 240 | Zga. (Denpasar x Unknown) | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 2 |
| Zygopet 238 | :alinae - Hybrid Zga. (Denpasar x Unknown) | Laurie & Susan Carter (1303) | 3 |
| 230 | Zga. (Deripasai x Olikilowii) | Laurie & Susair Carter (1303) | 3 |
| Secon | nd Division | | |
| | an Native Epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
| 221 | Den. Hilda Poxon | Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) | 3 |
| • | ium over 90mm All colours inc Non | | 2 |
| 223 Laeliina | Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan' e - Standard over 100mm | Helen McIntosh (299) | 3 |
| 222 | Rlc. Pastoral 'Innocence' | Craig Humfrey (268) | 3 |
| | edilum - Non Standard | | - |
| 224 | Paph. Leeanum | Janet Adams & Gordon Ninnes (1195) | 3 |

PLANT COMMENTARY – JULY 2022



ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION AND PLANT OF THE NIGHT C. (Deception x Penny Kuroda (Caudebec Gp)) meeting if they are in flower. You may get a Grown by Laurie & Sue Carter Photo by Neil Cooper

Seedling of the Month

The Seedling of the Month was Paph. Fanaticum. This plant was the Flower of the Night at the June meeting at South Coast last month. It was also the Grand Champion of the SA Orchid Fair and Seedling of the Month at the SC June meeting. I has had a long and successful life as a winner.

Congratulations Michael and Oui.

SEEDLING OF THE NIGHT Paph. Fanaticum Grown by Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju Photo by Neil Cooper

Orchid of First Division Plant of the Night

The plant chosen by the Judges was a lovely C. (Deception x Penny Kuroda (Caudebec Gp)) grown by Sue and Laurie Carter.

This Cattleya had only one flower but what a flower! It was small, well formed and a standard shape with a waxy texture. The colour was bright yellow with an intense red labellum

The orchid caught the Judges eye with its quality and beauty so as well as being Plant of First Division it was also chosen as Plant of the Night.

Congratulations Sue and Laurie Carter.

Please do not judge your orchids at home. Bring them along to the monthly surprise and own a winner like Sue & Laurie Carter.



PLANT COMMENTARY - JULY 2022 cont ...



Orchid of Open Division

The plant of Open Division was *Dendrobium* Hilda Poxon 'Ross Watts' grown by Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju.

The large flowers covered the entire plant in an eye catching display. The flowers were yellow with an overlay of a maroon on each of the segments. It was a well grown Dendrobium.

Congratulations Michael and Oui.

ORCHID OF OPEN DIVISION Den. Hilda Poxon 'Ross Watts'

Grown by
Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju
Photo Neil Cooper

Orchid of Second Division

The plant chosen by the Judges was an Over 90mm Cymbidium, *Cym*. Cronulla 'The Khan' grown by Helen McIntosh. .

The flowers were beautifully displayed on a single stem. They were fully open and looking at you. The colour is better appreciated in full light due to its complex blend of pastel colours including cream, pink and green. The labellum lip was a lovely contrast of dark red. This is an old orchid but a very good orchid.

Well done, Helen.

ORCHID OF SECOND DIVISION Cym. Cronulla 'The Khan'

Grown by Helen McIntosh
Photo Neil Cooper

Thank you to our Judges Jane Higgs, Don Higgs, John Harris, Peter Halts for a job well done. Good Growing Vicky Cooper
Acting Registrar



DAYTIME CHAPTER Thursday 14th July 2022



Hi everyone,

The July meeting of the Daytime Chapter welcomed **Roger Herraman** as guest speaker on the topic of "**Cattleyas**". Roger's talk followed how he has successfully grown Cattleyas over the years, and gave the advice on plant placement, shade covering, and watering around the year.

He also discussed the fertilisers he uses for his Cattleyas, again suggesting when to fertilise for best results. He mentioned that diseases hadn't really affected his growing, though pests still need care.

Roger went on to present a wonderful slideshow of the different Cattleyas he has grown. The members really appreciated Roger's knowledge on Cattleyas as evident in the interesting "Q and A" session that followed his presentation.

Roger then delivered the Commentary on the plants brought in by members.

Congratulations to **Patty Abell** who won the Plant of the Day with her Zygopetalum:

Z. Maverick x Npp. Ann-Margaret 'Patricia's Choice'.

Thanks again to Roger, and Josie and Coral for the aft









Next Meeting : Guest Speaker: Paul Dipuglia
Neutrog Products

Thursday 11th August – 2pm, Lou Kesting Hall, South Brighton. Andrew Dean
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SOUTHERN REGION MEETING Sunday 17th July 2022

Convenor, Chris Heysen, opened the meeting at 2.05 pm welcoming the 26 members and visitors present. Special welcome to visitors Robin Clayton and Jeanette and Graham Smith who are potential new members. Welcome also to guest speaker for today – Laurie Carter – and his wife Sue. And also to Bill Jayne who has a special fertiliser product he will talk about after Laurie.

Apologies: Phil and Anne Steer, Bev Gay, Megan Clayton, Alan Clayton, Julia Mumford, Ruth Tugwell and Sid James. Phil Steer is in hospital undergoing treatment. Chris proposed to send him an e-card wishing him a speedy recovery – all members readily agreed.

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

Guest Speaker: Our Guest Speaker, Laurie Carter, gave an interesting presentation on how he looks after his large orchid collection. His aim is to keep everything as simple as possible especially in regards to his potting mix and fertiliser regime. He uses only Orchiata bark – which he says lasts several years longer than cheaper alternatives before needing to be replaced/repotted. He uses Wain's Orchid Excellence Fertiliser almost exclusively – supplemented with Seasol and GoGo Juice as a root stimulant and conditioner. Laurie is also now experimenting with Gro-Lights to extend the daylight hours for his flowering plants. He believes that this will produce more and better flowers.

Bill Jayne then told us the story about how Wain's Orchid Excellence Fertiliser was developed by an orchid grower in Victoria who was also a chemistry teacher. It comes in a 2-pack which should only be mixed immediately before application. It contains all the essential elements and micronutrients required for orchid growth and flowering.

Many thanks Laurie and Bill, for a very interesting talk.

Birthday Prize: Andrew Craig Lucky Name Badge: Don & Shirley Greig.

Door Prize – Andrew Craig.

Announcements.

1. The Winter Show for the main group will next week (July 22nd to 24th) at the Marion Warradale Uniting Church. Please see the Newsletter for full details. Anne tells me that they are in need of plants for both the show and for the trading table. Because

- this show is in a church hall there is no restriction on what type of plants they can sell so there will be a table for other plants if you have e.g. some succulents for sale. The club will only charge 10% for these rather than the usual higher rate for orchids.
- 2. Our own Show is the following month Wednesday 24th August to Saturday 27th in Victor Central Shopping Centre just a few days after our next meeting. We need volunteers for the 3 days of the show. Roster is being passed around. I'll be having a meeting with a small group in the next week or so to start planning for the show.

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

Judging: In Phil Steer's absence Jane and Don Higgs carried out the judging assisted by John Gay. Christine Robertson did the data entry and card printing.

Judges Commentary: Jane Higgs.

Next meeting – Sunday 21st August, 2022. Our Guest speaker will be Ron Parish - Ron will be talking about growing orchids in your back yard and as well will have a short presentation on Viruses with photos of plants that have proven infections of specific viruses.

Chris Heysen

The meeting closed at 3:05pm

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SOUTHERN REGION PLANT COMMENTARY

Orchid of Second Division Plant of the Day

The Judges chose *Cym*. Khan Flame 'Tuscany' as the plant of Second Division and Plant of the Day. This was grown by Genny and Dudley Huxtable and was a well grown plant with two lovely inflorescences carrying multiple flowers and another spike still to open..

The flowers were a beautiful bronze brown with a red marked white labellum.

Well done Genny and Dudley.

ORCHID OF SECOND DIVISION
PLANT OF THE DAY
Cym. Khan Flame 'Tuscany'
Grown By Genny & Dudley Huxtable
Photos Christine Robertson

Orchid of First Division

The plant selected by the Judges was grown by Chris & Lyn Heysen; *Phal.* Magic Art. This was a very well grown small plant with beautiful white, lilac and maroon flowers with a matching labellum.

Congratulations Chris and Lyn.





ORCHID OF FIRST DIVISION

Phal. Magic Art

Grown By Chris & Lyn Heysen

Photo Christine Robertson

POPULAR VOTE C. Rosie's Surprise

Grown by Genny & Dudley Huxtable Photo Christine Robertson

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



For the **Registrar**

July Results List

| Ref. N | 0. | | Points Awarded |
|--------|--|---------------------------------|----------------|
| First | t Division | | |
| | alian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
| 234 | Den. Anne's Rainbow Surprise | Shirley & Don Greig (1128) | 3 |
| 236 | Den. Faye Roshan | Shirley & Don Greig (1128) | 2 |
| 235 | Den. Australian Tiger | Shirley & Don Greig (1128) | 1 |
| Cymb | idium 60-90mm All colours inc Non- | std ´ | |
| 239 | Cym. Lancashire Khan | Sid James (170) | 3 |
| Cymb | idium over 90mm All colours in Non- | ·std | |
| 238 | Cym. Yellow River 'Ester' | Sid James (170) | 3 |
| Laelii | nae - Non Standard | | |
| 241 | Rlc. Village Chief 'Green Genus' | Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) | 3 |
| Orchi | d Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybr | id | |
| 242 | Phal. Magic Art | Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) | 3 |
| 243 | Den. (Seri x Triangel) 'Orchid World' | Chris and Lyn Heysen (1140) | 2 |
| 244 | Den. Australian Freckles | Shirley & Don Greig (1128) | 1 |
| | opedilum - Non Standard | | |
| 240 | Paph. insigne | Shirley & Don Greig (1128) | 3 |
| Seco | ond Division | | |
| | alian Native Epiphyte - Hybrid | | |
| 222 | Den. Avril's Gold `Leedham' | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) | 3 |
| 223 | Den. Anne;s Rainbow Surprise 'Sari' | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) | 2 |
| 224 | Den. Cheryl's Glory 'Robbie McInnes' | Peter and Julie Davidge (970) | 1 |
| Cvmb | idium 60-90mm All Colours in Non-s | | _ |
| 228 | Cym. Khan Flame 'Tuscany' | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279 | 3 |
| | idium over 90mm All colours inc Nor | n-std | |
| 227 | Cym. That's Outrageous | Margaret & Warren Yelland (350) | 3 |
| Cymb | idium under 60 All Colours inc Non-s | std Č | |
| 229 | Cym. Morialta 'Morialta Falls' | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) | 3 |
| 230 | Cým. [Red Beauty x (Valley Vampire x Hypno)] | | 2 |
| Laelii | nae - Standard over 100mm | | |
| 237 | C. Rosie's Surprise | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) | 3 |
| Laelii | nae - Standard under 100mm | | |
| 226 | C. Unknown | Bob & Meaghan Clayton (143) | 3 |
| Oncid | liinae - Hybrid <60mm | | |
| 231 | Oncidopsis Nelly Isler | Peter and Julie Davidge (970) | 3 |
| Orchi | d Genera not listed elsewhere - Hybr | rid | |
| 232 | Phal. Unknown | Margaret & Warren Yelland (350) | 3 |
| 233 | Phal. Unknown 'Laura Ellen' | Genny & Dudley Huxtable (279) | 2 |
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Orchid Culture Notes for August

The last month of Winter is already on our doorstep and the Spring shows not that far away. August weather is still cold but we seem to get enough 20° to remind us that Winter is starting to lose its hold. After a very cold and wet July this is surely a positive to look forward to.

We are nearing the peak months of our flowering season especially for those with collections dominated by natives and cymbidiums. This year displays have seen quite a high percentage of plants showing the effects of cold and exposure. Even when grown under cover effects of botrytis are apparent and although we will soon enter a drying phase, most of our flowering plants will still suffer the effects. The only way to combat this is to remove plants to an area under cover where the air is quite dry. That is why I test the boundaries at home and load up my laundry. Even though I have an 8 x 3 flowering house outside, I too cannot escape the marking of the flowers that is so bad this year. The laundry will provide me the dryness I need: I can always hang my clothes in the flowering house!

Very soon it will be time to look at the annual task of re-potting and division. Whilst still a couple of months away, now is a good time to take stock of the numbers of plants that need work so we can stock up on pots, mix, etc. I usually start looking at the seedling catalogues about now to get my orders in to coincide with Spring. No point really subjecting little plants to our cold Winter unless you have the right protection, so getting them at a time of year with the weather warming and the plants entering new growth is a sound decision if we are to get them underway.

Many orchids are still resting and a keen eye will already see the commencement of new shoots to herald the start of a new season. It is hard to believe but by the end of August we have already put nearly 90 minutes of extra daylight onto the Winter solstice. This is plenty of daylight increase to tell the plants it is time to start moving again soon.

Not all plants rest over winter. Zygopetalums are one orchid that do not appear to have a resting period, as are the cymbidiums. Sure they slow up but never really go dormant. With weather still cool and the humidity high, watering is still infrequent and should be applied only when the plants are dry and ideally left to the warmer days. Zygopetalum new growths should be well advanced so stick with the higher nitrogen to balanced feeds until they bulb up later on.

Those looper caterpillars are quite bad this year and have been all over Winter so regular inspection of any chewing activity under the leaves is a must. The cold and wet of this winter has also taken toll on some of the new growths and they have rotted out or at best lost a few leaves. Either way this growth will be severely restricted and will not build up a new bulb, if it even does so and unlikely to produce a new growth big enough to flower off next year.

Now is the time to reduce the watering on the natives and dry them out somewhat. In the eastern states the Spring months are the driest part of the year and this is where most, if not all our Australian natives come from. Watch out for aphids on the new spikes and keep dry. One cold. wet episode will have buds dropping like flies. If you can, try to maximise light levels as the natives flower to bring out the colour.

Cattleyas will soon show new growth eyes developing from the base of the previous years canes and the sheaths of the spring flowering species and hybrids will start to fill out. If these sheaths show any sign of fungal spots I would be peeling them back to expose the buds and keep the buds dry. Leaving the spots to enlarge will invariably mark or even rot out the buds. A Cattleya will only flower once off a pseudobulb. Watch out for any fungal problems near the growth buds. This is usually indicated by the presence of black sheaths. Preventative sprays of fungicides can certainly reduce this somewhat.



Orchid Culture Notes for August cont..

Oncidiums have now finished their flowering and are generally resting. Those in active growth are only watered if conditions are very dry or the plant grown under cover. Feeding is monthly at my place for these as the cool temperatures slow down the plants metabolism and their need for supplementary feeding. I only feed Oncidiums that show active roots.

Even though the Oncidiums have largely finished there are plenty of Oncidiinae intergenerics around that will grow cold and provide colour for much of the year. Colmanaras, Beallaras, Odontocidiums (now Oncidiums) and Vuylstekearas are just a few of the complex that are quite happy here grown above the Cymbidiums. I also find that these intergenerics are quite variable in their flowering times as well and even have the luxury of sporting a second spike after the first one has died down. A little more cover over Winter will improve your results as these do mark easily.

The majority of the terrestrials we see benched will begin flowering from now on. Starting off with the greenhoods (*Pterostylis*) and later on the donkey orchids (*Diuris*) and the sun orchids (*Thelymytra*). Keep evenly moist and try to keep the light levels up. Weak feeds of organic based feeds like seaweed and fish emulsions will assist growth. Avoid chemical fertilisers. Pull out weeds as they appear and remove any plants that show signs of virus or fungal problems. This is usually Identified by odd markings. and yellowing of the leaves. Fungus affected plants literally fall out of the pot when you lift up a leaf. Virus in *Diuris* shows up with brown markings.

Paphiopedilums are well into their flowering season and like many genera are easy to grow once the culture and correct conditions are provided. The large standard Paphiopedilums (standard referring to shape) usually peak this time of year with the smaller novelties later on as the weather warms. The trick with Paphiopedilums is to keep them evenly moist and moving. They don't mind being grown close together and take up little space and are a low light orchid. So for those that have a shady section in the shade house a small collection of cool growing Paphiopedilums is worth a try. They are not a hungry feeder, little and often is the key.

A new crop of Spring and Summer weeds will soon show up and should be removed as soon as they appear. Continue to treat for slugs and snails as many genera are now in flower and these new soft spikes make good tucker. Wrapping some copper strip or even cotton wool around the base of the spikes will deter them. Please remove the cotton wool before you show your orchid. We judges want to judge an orchid and not a poodle.

Observe for any fungal problems. With warming weather this will become a bigger problem over the next few months. Remove dead leaves and flowers as soon as you can as these when wet will attract fungal problems overnight. Some plants that do show signs of rot may be telling you something about your culture as well. Factors such as: I am too wet, too cold, lack of air movement, my mix has broken down, I have been damaged, are just some of the many causes of fungal attack. I have been on many orchid walks in the wild yet have never seen the fungal problems there that we have in our collections. So it is clear that these problems are our doing and we must be able to identify why and act accordingly. It is what makes us a better grower, the ability to observe and act. We will never eradicate these problems given that the majority of the genera we grow are so far removed from the species that make up their background that their own natural defences will not work. The best offence to defence is good culture.

The key to August is to provide flowering and near flowering plants with the cover they need to avoid environmental damage. Pest numbers are still down but it won't be long before their numbers increase. Observe plant resting periods and keep an eye out for any developing problems with fungal issues. September is on our doorstep and with it another growing season ready to begin.

Steve Howard

ORCHID CLUBS IN SOUTH AUSTRALIA General Meeting Times

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

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

THE SOUTHERN REGION: meets at Carrickalinga House, 17-19 Torrens Street, Victor Harbor at 2.00p.m. on the 3rd Sunday of the month.

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

Daytime Group: meets from 2.00p.m. to 4.00p.m. in the Enfield Community Centre, 540 Regency Road, Enfield on the 2^{hd} Friday of the month.

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

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

THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN ORCHIDACEOUS SOCIETY: Meets at the Plympton Community Centre, 34 Long Street, Plympton from 7.30p.m. on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

THE NATIVE ORCHID SOCIETY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: meets at 7.30p.m. at St. Matthew's Church Hall, Bridge Street, Kensington on the 4th Tuesday of the month.

THE CYMBIDIUM CLUB OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA: Meets at 7.30p.m. at Burnside Community Centre, 401 Greenhill Road, Tusmore on the 4th Wednesday of the month.

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