



THE SOUTH COAST ORCHID CLUB GAZETTE

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NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday 14th September 1993
Lutheran Church hall, Windsong Crt, Morphett Vale
Benching of plants to be completed by 7.45pm
for judging to begin.
Meeting commences at 8.00pm.

GUEST SPEAKER:

Mrs Rosalie Moore will speak on the cultivation of the Genus *Sarcochilus*. Rosalie is well known to most of us as an excellent grower of quite a variety of different genera.

SUPPER:

Mrs L. Larsen will be in charge.

HALL SET-UP:

Would all will to help please be at the Hall by 7.00pm.

TRADING TABLE:

Mr D. Daykin will be in charge.

DAY-TIME CHAPTER:

2pm. Thursday 16th September, South Brighton Community Hall, Dover Square Reserve, Broadway, South Brighton. Mrs Doreen Garner will talk about *Oncidiums* and related genera. Doreen is one of the authors of the book *Orchid Culture some Sound Advice* published by the Orchid Club of South Australia recently.

COMMITTEE MEETING:

Tuesday 21st September 1993, 7.30pm at the South Brighton Community Hall, South Brighton.

DAYTIME CHAPTER BY R.Clark

Mr and Mrs Oliver, and members who had been absent at the recent meetings, were given a special welcome. They were among the 25 who met for the August meeting.

Noel Oliver, President of the S.A. Orchidaceous Society, took for his topic 'Orchids I Grow'. As in most cases cymbidiums were the 'starters' of his collection, but now this has expanded to a greater variety - and a number of species - including oncidiums and Australian natives. A display board of photos showed the shadehouse covering almost 3/4 of the backyard; the hothouse; as well as many of the plants in gorgeous bloom. The conditions of growth are provided by 70% shadecloth with summer sun til 2pm. and then full shade. Adequate humidity is provided for the Australian natives by growing Baby Tears and Ferns under the benches. Noel then showed suitable mountings, in particular for native species, which thrive in being grown this way. Cork, pieces of tree fern and melaleuca (a natural host) all make suitable mounts. Members appreciated being able to inspect a number of epiphytes mounted on these materials that Noel handed around.

Noel's choice of the benched orchids for the day was H. & B. Viney's Cymbidium Bingo 'Pink Beauty', whilst members chose Keith Northcote's Cym. Kurum X Sylvania 'Winter Cheer'. 2nd was Keith's miniature Cymbidium Lancelot 'Paramour' and John Illman's Slc.

A cuppa and chat concluded a pleasant afternoon.

NEW MEMBERS

It is with great pleasure the we welcome to the Club the following:

David & Sandra Pettet of Morphett Vale,

Deane Barrowman of Warradale,

Neil Willoughby of Marion,

Lorraine Bromilow of Seaview Downs,

and Bob Krygier.

SPRING SHOW

TRADING TABLE

For added security at the Spring Show a two label system has been introduced.

The first label will need the plant number, members show number and plant description as in the past.

The second label will require the plant number and members show number only.

The second label will be retained at the point of sale to confirm the sale.

Plants will still be checked off the lists as usual.

Please collect your labels from Lesley at the next meeting.

*For the Spring Show- please state the colour of flowers.

A Cymbidium potting demonstration will be at the Show on Saturday the 18th at 2pm by Paul Hallam and on Sunday the 19th at 2pm by Keith Northcote.

The Raffle will be drawn at 3.15pm Sunday the 19th.

The Sash presentation will be at 3.30pm on Sunday the 19th.

Put-in time is after 2pm Friday the 17th. **Plants must be benched by 6.45pm.**

Take-out time is 4.00pm Sunday the 19th.

Volunteers to help judging are to be at the Recreation Centre by 6.45pm Friday 17th September.

Assistance by as many Members as possible to assist with packing up of tables to put on the truck on Monday 20th at 9.00am please.

VICTOR HARBOUR

The Lutheran Church at Victor Harbour has arranged an 'Orchid Day' on September 25th 10am. to 4pm.

It will be a combined event of displays, potting demonstrations and sales and will be supported by our Club, Don and Joan Wells from the Native Orchid Society, Adelaide Orchids and other displays of stamps, cards, badges, etc.

We will be supplying a table top display and a trading table. Members who would like to contribute to the success of this event, by providing a few plants for display and sale, or providing transport and help on the day, please contact Lesley 2981809, Rosalie 3813713 or Dale 2962456.

OLD CLARENDON WINERY EXHIBITION

This is to be held on the October long weekend -Saturday 2nd to Monday 4th. Plants will be accepted on Thursday 30th September from 10am. til 8.00pm. Members are encouraged to bring plants as early as possible. Take out of plants will be from 4.00pm Monday.

Could all members exhibiting at Clarendon please contact the Show Marshall, Barry Nurse, as soon as possible on 2987407 or at the next meeting.

PRIZE SCHEDULE

GRAND CHAMPION - Dinner for 2, accommodation overnight.
RESERVE CHAMPION - Dinner for 2.

CHAMPION STD CYMBIDIUM

INT. CYMBIDIUM

MINI. CYMBIDIUM

CATTLEYA

PHALAENOPSIS

PAPHIOPEDILUM

ONC/ODONT/MILT ALLIANCE

AUST. NATIVE

VANDACEOUS

SPECIES

SEEDLING

MISCELLANEOUS

- a bottle of wine for each.

Card classes as in May Gazette.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Open Division - Most plants shown
First Division- Most plants shown
Second Division-Most flowers on any cymbidium plant
Best presented plant
Most plants shown excluding cymbidiums.

No points will be allocated for yearly aggregate scores from this display.

The manager of the Winery, Mr Don Copeland, will present the prizes at 3.00pm Monday.

The Old Clarendon Winery, built in 1861, is part of our heritage. With your help, we can stage a beautiful show. Please give your time and support for a special occasion.

HYGIENIC HOUSEKEEPING

by D. Bloomfield

Pots and containers should be cleaned and disinfected (0.5 - 1%) Sodium Hypochlorite) before use and stored off the ground.

All potting material should be treated with Fongarid. Back cuts dipped in 0.5% Sodium Hypochlorite and then water and Sulphur powder put on cut ends. All tools and equipment should be sterilized either in Bleach, Methylated Spirits or Flamed. All propagation and growing benches disinfected weekly if possible. Glasshouse floors cleaned of plant residue and leaf litter. Hose nozzles should be kept off the ground. Any plant suspected of dying or in difficulties should be separated and treated away from the growing area. Old inflorescences, dead leaves and discoloured leaves should be cut off as soon as possible. Fungal and sunburnt parts of leaves should be cut off. Virus infections can be spread to other plants by contaminated cutting tools and equipment and by aphids which are particularly dangerous since certain species are known to be vectors of certain diseases.

Environmental conditions that contribute to the health of the plant are the right amount of Light, Temperature within the proper day-night range, Humidity coupled with good air circulation, Water to suit the needs of the plants and proper Nutrition combined with root aeration.

Diseases are caused by invading viruses, bacteria or fungi. Also prevention by insect injury is an absolute necessity.

Light- When the light is too strong Chlorophyll is destroyed

faster than it is made and leaves become yellow, or even white in young seedlings.

Temperature - Each kind of Orchid has its own temperature requirements, temperatures above 36c and they will not flower. Temperatures below 7c and they will cease growing.

Humidity- Insufficient humidity in the air makes it difficult to maintain an even supply to the plants. The potting medium dries out quickly and plants rapidly lose water through their foliage. Excessive humidity will create Botrytis fungus unless good air movement can be maintained or other preventive methods introduced.

Watering- Overwatering can be suspected when a plant is not making vigorous new growth. If older leaves are soft and yellow examine potting medium for breakdown and if so repot.

Nutrition- Plants that are loosely potted will suffer from lack of minerals and probably water. Plants potted in bark can suffer from lack of Nitrogen which can also cause yellowing of the leaves. Most fertilizers prepared for bark contain higher concentration of Nitrogen because of inherent lack of Nitrogen in the bark.

Things to watch for are Ethylene Gas which is used to ripen green fruits, it is essential in an aging process. This gas is present in smog and in fumes from incomplete combustion of Hydrocarbons (coal, oil, gas, petrol etc.)

MONTHLY COMPETITION

FLOWER OF THE MONTH: L. LUCY INGRAM grown by R. & B. ANDERSON.

OPEN DIVISION		JUDGE	S.Monkhouse
		ASS.	N.Wolfendale
Aust.Nat.Epi:Hybrid	Den.Eureka X Aussie Starlite	T. DeIonno	3
	Den. Telekon	R.& B.Anderson	2
	Den. Ellen	R. Moore	1
Aust.Nat.Terr:Species	Ptst. <i>concinna</i>	R.& B.Anderson	3
Aust.Nat.Terr:Hybrid	Ptst. Nodding Grace	R.& B.Anderson	3
Standard Cymbidium	Novacastian 'Nancy' ,	T. DeIonno	3
	Solana Beach x (Claude Pepper X Voodoo)	T.& M.Richardson	2
	Enchanted Profile x (Claude Pepper X Voodoo)	T.& M.Richardson	1
Intermediate Cymbidium	Winter Court	T.& M.Richardson	3
	Tanners Prima 'Sandrock'	H. Gerber	2
	*Inferno X Greenoaks Finale	T.&M.Richardson	1
Miniature Cymbidium	Leodegram 'Cradlemont'	H.Gerber	3
	Dag 'Leanna'	K. Northcote	2
	Lancelot 'Paramour'	K. Northcote	1
Standard Cattleya	Lc. Lucy Ingram	R.& B.Anderson	3
	Blc. Meditation X C.Horace	R.& B.Anderson	2
Novelty Cattleya	Lc.Jalapa X Slc.Tatsuo Kawara	R.& B.Anderson	3
	Lc. Molly Tyler	T. DeIonno	2
Nov.Cluster Cattleya	Lc. Happy Valley	R.& B.Anderson	3
Cocktail Cattleya	Slc. Seagulls Apricot	R. Moore	3
	Slc. Jewel Box X Lc.Water Paint	T. DeIonno	2
Dendrobium	Yukidaruma	T. DeIonno	3
Miscellaneous	Lyc. Betty Kool 'Snow Queen'	T.& M.Richardson	3
	Lyc. Koolena	R. Moore	2
	Epidendrum	D. Biebrick	1
Standard Paphiopedilum	Falstaff X Paeony·	R. Moore	3
	Divisadero X Tommy Haines	H.& T.Tormet	2
	Copperspice X (Paeony X Amanda)	D. Biebrick	1
Novelty Paphiopedilum	Meon	D. Biebrick	3
	Eira Harcourt	H.& T.Tormet	2
	<i>barbatum</i> X <i>lawrenceanum</i>	D. Biebrick	1

Species Paphiopedilum	<i>villosum</i>	R. Moore	3
	<i>insigne</i>	H. Gerber	2
	<i>sukhakulii</i>	R. Moore	1
Odont./Onc.Alliance	Oda.Joe Marshall X Ray Buckman	R. Moore	3
	Milt. Nancy Binks	T. DeIonno	2
	Beallara Diana Dunn X Oda. Janise Andrew	R. Moore	1
Species	<i>Onc. pulvinatum</i>	R. Moore	3
Vandaceous	Asda. Caroline Kathleen	R.& B.Anderson	3
	V.Josephine X Gordon Dillon	R.& B.Anderson	2

FLOWER OF THE DIVISION: L.LUCY INGRAM grown by R. and B. ANDERSON

FIRST DIVISION		JUDGE ASS.	K.H.Northcote L.Gunn	
Aust.Nat.Epi:Hybrid	Den. Hilda Poxon		B.& R.Nurse	3
	Den. Aussie Zest X Ellen		B.& R.Nurse	2
	Den. Ellen		V. Rodgers	1
Aust.Nat.Terr:Species	<i>Ptst. coccinna</i>		B.& R.Nurse	3
Aust.Nat.Terr:Hybrid	<i>Ptst. Joseph Arthur</i>		B.& R.Nurse	3
Standard Cymbidium	Arcadian Sunrise		N.Wolfendale	3
	Unknown		G.McMartin	2
	Caramel Toffee		M.& S.Steele	1
Intermediate Cymbidium	Radiant Harry X Dolly		F. Bell	3
	Bingo 'Pink Beauty'		H.& B.Viney	2
	Winter Fire		G. McMartin	1
Miniature Cymbidium	Sarah Jean 'Karen'		W.& M.Vaughan	3
Standard Cattleya	Blc. Nacouchee 'Fantasia'		H.H.Pankoke	3
	Lc. Culminant		R.& B.Wilson	2
Novelty Cattleya	Pot. Amangi 'Orchidglade'		F. Bell	3
	C. Confetti		B.& R.Nurse	2
	Pot. Flameout 'Cherry'		B.& R.Nurse	1
Nov.Cluster Cattleya	C.Chocolate Drop X Trick or Treat	J.Lewis		3
	Sl. Jinn 'Red Robin'	J. Lewis		2
	C. Rose Drop	J. Lewis		1
Cocktail Cattleya	Lc. Jalapa X Slc. Dizac		B.& R.Nurse	3
Miscellaneous	Enc. <i>cochleata</i>		J. Lewis	3
	Z. <i>Blackii</i> X <i>mackayi</i>		Unknown	2

Standard Paphiopedilum	Dena X Golden Orb	J. Lewis	3
	Amanda X Rollright	J. Lewis	2
	Mandy-Lu X Cubby Broccolli	J. Lewis	1
Species Paphiopedilum	<i>insigne</i>	J. Lewis	3
Odont/Onc. Alliance	Wils. Shirley Monkhouse	J. Lewis	3
	Odcdm. Purbeck Gold	J. Lewis	2
	Onc.Irene Gleason X Susan Perreira	B.& R.Nurse	1
Species	Max. <i>picta</i>	B.& R. Nurse	3

FLOWER OF THE DIVISION: Blc. NACOUCHEE 'FANTASIA' grown by H.PANKOKE

SECOND DIVISION

Judges T. Tormet
R. Moore

Aust.Nat.Epi:Hybrid	Den. Aussie Zest X Ellen	J. Kelly	3
Aust.Nat.Terr:Species	Ptst. <i>curta</i>	C. Anderson	3
	Ptst. <i>concinna</i>	C. Anderson	2
	<i>Cyrtostylis reniformis</i>	M. Tiggeman	1
Aust.Nat.Terr:Hybrid	Ptst. Jack Warcup	P.& G. Flavel	3
	Ptst. Nodding Grace	J. Attenborough	2
	Ptst. Nodding Grace	J. Attenborough	1
Standard Cymbidium	Lunagrad 'Elanora'	J. & M. Cunningham	3
	Awakening 'Snow White'	P. & G. Flavel	2
	Kurun 'Magi'	P. Hallam	1
Intermediate Cymbidium	Tricia Allen 'Blacklips'	J. & M. Cunningham	3
	Ivy Fung 'Cossack'	D. & I. Attenborough	2
	Mimi 'Lucifer'	M. Tiggeman	1
Miniature Cymbidium	Pipeta 'Royal Gem'	J. & M. Cunningham	3
	Sarah Jean 'Hackham'	P. Hallam	2
	Alice Williams 'Camden'	L. Gunn	1
Novelty Cattleya	Lc. Trick or Treat X Slc. Rimfire	L. Gunn	3
	Lc. Happy Valley	P. O'Brien	2
Novelty Paphiopedilum	Eira 'Harcourt'	G. Richardson	3
	Gael 'Camira'	G. Richardson	2
	Seedmamana	G. Richardson	1
Species Paphiopedilum	<i>venustum</i>	G. Richardson	3
Species	<i>Cymbidium tracyanum</i>	B. Fisher	3
	<i>Epidendrum boundii</i>	Mr & Mrs A. Thompson	2

FLOWER OF THE DIVISION: PAPH. EIRA 'HARCOURT' grown by G. RICHARDSON
