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MONTHLY MEETING - CULTURAL SECTION

Our next monthly meeting will be held at the Lutheran Church Hall, Windsong Court, Christie Downs, on Tuesday 11th September, 1979, at 8.00 p.m.

PROGRAMME

Mr. Syd. Monkhouse will again be our Guest Speaker for the evening, continuing his talk about 'South African Swinging Safari.'

Syd showed us a movie sound film of his recent trip to South Africa and spoke of the World Orchid Conference to be held in Durban in September, 1981. With the assistance from the South African Government of 650,000 Rand, it should be the best organized Conference ever. Syd and Shirley Monkhouse went on tours equivalent to those available to visitors who attend the 1981 Conference.

A follow-up film will be shown by Syd at our next meeting in September, as time ran out at the August meeting for his second film to be shown.

NEW MEMBERS

We wish to make welcome the following new members:-
Mrs. Evie Freeman, 56 Scenic Way, Hackham, S.A. 5163.
Miss C.E. Clarke, 28 Petersen Crescent, Port Noarlunga, S.A. 5162.

SPRING SHOW

With only a month to go to our Spring Show it is time to have bits and pieces finalized.

Due to the non-showing of some of our Open Division growers who are going to the Hobart Orchid Conference, we are appealing to more members to exhibit at the Marion Show.

Transport of plants will be provided by the Club, if you require this service contact Mr. Merv Strout please, so that times to suit can be arranged in plenty of time.

Don't forget, of course, that plants and blooms will be required for sale at the Show as we have done at our previous Shows at Marion, particularly plants in bloom.

For the members who attended the August Cultural meeting, you will know where and how to place your names and numbers on your plants, but if you missed this, then Syd Monkhouse will also give a talk at the September meeting on the preparation of plants for our Spring Show.

ORCHID CLUB OF S.A. SPRING SHOW.

Members wishing to exhibit plants at the O.C.S.A. Spring Show to be held at John Martin's from the 17th September, are reminded to contact Keith Northcote of your intentions. All you require to exhibit is a little time and a few good plants.

SITUATION VACANT

A person, aged between 10 and 100 (we are not fussy at this stage!!!!) with sound mind and body, with a good sense for standing a plant the right way up and organizing tables to be placed correctly on legs to be our Show Marshall at the Cultural Meetings.

Reward - guaranteed friendly smile and gratitude from our President and Committee with a top show of being awarded the S.C.O. Club's title of 'MR. WONDERFUL.'

Welcome home to our Club Members Syd and Pam Poole and Chris Heinrich, who have all recently returned from overseas holidays.

They say that your prime of life reaches us at the age of 50?? so Happy Birthday to Claire Strout for the 14th August, you will now know if this is true or false.

FROM SUNNY QUEENSLAND

Les and Neal Poole send greetings to all their friends at the South Coast Orchid Club.

They say that they have very fond and happy memories of their last Club meeting they attended, and wish the Club and their many friends good luck in all they do.

Les has already attended a meeting of the local Orchid Club, i.e., Maryborough Orchid Club, and both Les and Neal extend a warm welcome to all to visit them when in Queensland.

They urge us not to wait on that day alone; but to write as well, and soon, and often, please.

Their new address is:-

26 Teddington Road,
Tinana,
Maryborough, Queensland. 4650

MOSS GATHERING

Just a reminder that the moss gathering expedition takes place on Sunday, September 9th. So don't forget this occasion - meet at the Morphett Vale Hotel on the Main South Road at Morphett Vale at 10.00 a.m.

GROWING ORCHIDS - EASY???

How to grow magnificent orchids without any effort! The lesson comes from a former city councillor and Mayor of Horsham.

Mr. Ern Gerlach believes he has discovered the secret: Leave them alone!

His formula is to buy a pot or orchids, put them under a tree in the backyard and leave them to the elements. The result, AFTER 20 YEARS, is a cluster of about 20 tawny orchids on four spikes.

"I've no idea what type of orchid it is," said Mr. Gerlach. "A friend told me to buy it 20 years ago. It began flowering ten years later and this year it has extraordinary growth on its spikes." "I've put it in my shop window because people were asking about it. But it will go back under the tree again," he said.

(Do not despair all you newer members, the above article for publication in this gazette was handed to me by Allan Kuchel, (thanks Allan) which I think he said he had cut out of a paper many years ago.)

"ORCHIDS THROUGHOUT GOLDEN AUSTRALIA"

OUR

SPRING SHOW FOR 1979

The following notes are prepared for the benefit of Members:-

1. Exhibits may be arranged on Saturday 29 September from 1.30 p.m. to 6 p.m. and also on Sunday 30 September from 8.30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
2. Judging will commence shortly after 11 a.m. on 30th.
3. The Marion Shopping Centre will open from 7.30 p.m. on Monday 1st October to 9.30 p.m. The Opening will take place at approximately 8 p.m.
4. Entrance to the Shopping Centre will be by Invitation only & these are available from Secretary &/or Treasurer. Members will be admitted by wearing Club Membership Card but if bringing a friend an Invitation Card must be obtained. (Shopping Centre Security requirements)
5. The Committee will be supplying liquid refreshment and Members are asked to supplement same by supplying savouries.

CONCERNING EXHIBITS

Show Marshall: Mr. Merv. Strout

Assistant Show Marshall: Mr. John Leeder (Provisional)

Registrar of Judges: Mr. Merv Donhardt

Assistant Registrar: Mr. Kel. Staples

Labelling of Plants and Exhibits.

No plants or exhibits are to be labelled except with the official labels supplied by the S.C.O.C. The usual growers labels may remain in the pot but they should not be prominent. Show Marshalls will remove any unofficial labelling or advertising.

A list of nic-nacs you will find helpful when putting in your exhibits:- Crates of various sizes, short planks to 1 metre long, blocks of wood or foam 14 cm to 20 cm square & varying thicknesses to raise orchids to right level, twisties, newspaper, tub to hold water, watering can, stakes, string, snips knives, moss, bark, 6 inch lengths of wire bent oval one end, foliage plants all sizes, props for theme and last but not least your orchids. These should be already cleaned by removing dried husks, dead tips from leaves and shining of leaves by rubbing with tissues or paper towels & watering thoroughly on Friday or early Saturday morning so that they can drain.

Do you know

'Seedling' shall mean the first flowering of the complete clone. Plants which have been grown on and/or divided prior to being exhibited are no longer eligible to be shown as 'Seedling'. The entire clone of a seedling exhibited as such must be in the possession of the exhibitor. 'Cymbidium Specimen' -- Where a class for this exists a minimum of five (5) spikes in flower/bloom is necessary for the plant to be classified as a specimen.

EXHIBITORS' NUMBERS

Members should ensure that their number is clearly marked on the outside of pots approximately midway from the top. Their number should also appear on the left hand side of the plant label with the name of the plant also appearing. No other information should appear on the label. Exhibitors should use the label supplied by the Club which is colour coded according to the division in which they are exhibiting. This colour code is a uniform colour code agreed upon by all Clubs to assist Judges.

Labels will be available to Exhibitors at the September Cultural Meeting.

Members are reminded that there is still time for their names to be included on the list of exhibitors for the Spring Show. Our Show Marshall Mr. Merv Strout will be happy to receive additional names.

Remember!! You will help make our Annual Spring Show a success by showing your favourite plants. You could be a winner! So please exhibit and help your Club.

COMMITTEE MEETING

Our next Committee Meeting will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. H. Viney, 563 Brighton Road, Brighton at 7.30 p.m. on September 18th 1979.

MONTHLY COMPETITION RESULTS

OPEN DIVISION - Judged by Mr. Tom Burian.

<u>PAPHIOPEDILUM</u>	Hunters Point 'Terry'	Adelaide Orchids	3
	Dusty Miller 'Mary'	" "	2
	Julia Marsh 'Fairfield'	" "	1
<u>NOV. CYM.</u>	Sylvia Miller 'Shirley'	Adelaide Orchids	3
<u>SPECIES PAPH.</u>	Haynaldianum	Adelaide Orchids	3

Open Division Best Orchid was won by Adelaide Orchids exhibit of Paphiopedilum HUNTERS POINT 'TERRY'.

1ST DIVISION - Judged by Mr. Syd Monkhouse.

<u>CYMBIDIUM</u>	Valley Promise	M. & C. Strout	3
<u>CATTLEYA</u>	L.C. Excellency x Blc. 'Dinsmore'	M. & C. Strout	3
	C. Rembrant x Lc. Nes Top. Soulagelautum v 'Malis'	J. Nicholls	2
<u>PAPHIOPEDILUM</u>	Leeanum	M. & C. Strout	3
<u>SPECIES PAPH.</u>	Hay N. Aldianum	Mr. & Mrs. J. Nicholls	3
<u>AUST. NATIVE</u>	Den. Aemulum	P. Speer.	3
	Pterostylis Nutans	P. Speer	2
<u>SPECIES</u>	Phal. Schilleriana	R. Hill	3
	Phal. Mannii	Mr. & Mrs. J. Nicholls	2
	Oncid. Ornithorhyncum	M. & C. Strout	1
<u>MINI CYM.</u>	Pumilum x (Baltic x Epping)	M. & C. Strout	3
	Sarah Jean 'Karen'	Dick Styles	2
	Sarah Jean 'Suzy'	Keith Northcote	1
<u>NOVELTY CYM.</u>	Pelleas 'Monterey'	J. Leeder	3

Best Orchid in the 1st Division was won by Mr. & Mrs. Strout with Cattleya L.C. Excellency x Blc. 'Dinsmore'.

MONTHLY COMPETITION RESULTS (Continued)

2ND DIVISION - Judged by Mr. Peter Speer.

<u>CYMBIDIUM</u>	El. Capitan 'Mem. Robt. Chrisman'	M. Klaveniek	3
	Joyce Duncan 'Kersbrook'	M. Klaveniek	2
	Warrinya var 'Powder Puff'	Mr. Dean Hill	1
<u>PAPHIOPEDILUM</u>	Kitty	Mr. Don Bieback	3
	Anita 'Compactum'	H. & B. Viney	2
<u>MINI CYM.</u>	Pumilum Album x Nila 'Green Gold'	R.M. Moore	3
	Pepeta 'Red Gem'	L.J. Chambers	2
	Tommy v. Amy	K. & B. Lynch	1
<u>NOV. CYM.</u>	Pelleas 'Devonshire'	R.E. Chisholm	3
<u>SPECIES</u>	Cym. Ensifolium	Mrs. V. Strupis	3
	Cym. Tracyawum	L. & J. Chambers	2
	Paph. Insigne 'Hairfield Hall'	Mrs. R.M. Moore	1
<u>AUST. NATIVE</u>	Dend. Aemulum	Mrs. R.M. Moore	3
	Dend. Linguiforme	A. Robertson	2
	Pterostylis Nutans x		
	Pterostylis Curta	Mrs. R.M. Moore	1

The Best Orchid in the 2nd Division was the Cymbidium -
El. Capitan 'Mem. Robert Chrisman' owned by M. Klaveniek.

PRESIDENT'S FLOWER OF THE MONTH

President's Flower of the Month was awarded to Mr. Syd Monhouse's
Paphiopedilum - Hunters Point 'Terry'.

POPULAR VOTES

Orchid - Miniature Cymbidium - Sarah Jean 'Suzy' owned by Mr. Keith
Northcote.

Indoor Plant - Hair Foot Fern owned by Mr. & Mrs. Merv Strout.

FLORAL ART

Floral Art Classes are open to all members and more members
are needed. All those interested, please come and join us. the first
Tuesday of each month.

Floral Art

LIAISON MEMBER TO GENERAL COMMITTEE: MRS. LOIS HANSEN.

INSTRUCTOR:- Mrs. Iris Hutchins.

NEXT MEETING - Tuesday, September 4th, 1979.

First and foremost, thank you and congratulations to all the girls who exhibited in a very successful Floral Art section of the Winter Show.

I was very pleased with the arrangements staged by the Division 1. girls, keep up the good work. The improvement in your arrangements were indeed very gratifying.

Congratulations to Brenda Lynch, who won the Champion Exhibit, it was a lovely arrangement, with good balance, line, rhythm, and depth and the artistic use of the materials used, created a very pleasing and eye-catching arrangement.

In the Open Division, there were also some very good and interesting arrangements, especially the one that took out the Champion Exhibit which was staged by Leora Harvey. Congratulations Leora, this was a very well thought-out Interpretive arrangement.

Now for the Spring Show. Let us look at No. 2 in the Open Division - '2 ARRANGEMENT OF DIFFERENT STYLES.'

Now the first words are '2 Arrangements', therefore, we must not have 2 Arrangements joined together so that they form one arrangement; e.g., if there were 2 containers with an arrangement in each, but the material used joined the 2 arrangements together, this would then become 1 arrangement.

The words 'of different styles' give a very wide scope to work on; here are a few examples :- massed, modern, interpretive, sta-mobile and differing line arr. etc..

When working out your 2 arrangements, just keep in mind that they should harmonize one with the other. Be sure to watch your colour harmony.

HOMEWORK

Any one or more of the Show Subjects.

The next meeting will be held in the Lutheran Kindergarten Hall, Windsong Court, Christie Downs at 7.45 p.m. sharp.

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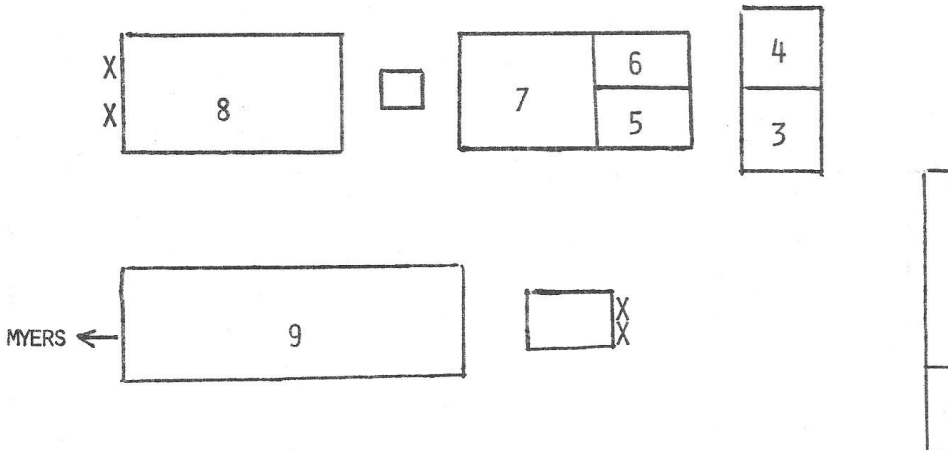
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KEY TO EXHIBITS

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| 1 | Lottery Office | 9 | Native Orchid Society |
| 2 | Escalators | 10 | Plant Stall |
| 3 | B. Hansen) | 11 | R. Gowling) |
| | H. Krastins) | | D. Mills) |
| 4 | M. Strout | 12 | K. & B. Lynch |
| 5 | W. Kiely | 13 | Floral Art) |
| 6 | D. Rogers | 14 | Floral Art) |
| 7 | R. Hill) | 15 | V. Strupis |
| | D. Hill) | 16 | M. Klaveniek |
| | J. Nicholls) | 17 | D. D'Rosario |
| 8 | J. Leeder) | 18 | Composite |
| | K. Northcote) | | |

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RION SHOPPING CENTRE

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EXHIBITORS NUMBERS

B. Hansen	S77	J. Leeder	S102
W. Kiely	S91	I. Nash	S133
R. Hill	S73	K. Northcote	S134
J. Nicholls	S137	C. Patten	S145
M. Strout	S174	S. Poole	S142
C. Strout	S175	A. Robertson	S163
H. D'Rosario	S154	O. & J. Rogers	S161
D. Graves	S56	V. Strupis	S178
L. Harvey	S69	H. Viney	S186
D. Styles	S171	B. Lynch	S101
A. Moffatt	S124	K. Lynch	S100
D. Hill	S75	D. Biebrick	S14
H. Krastins	S89	E. Mackirdy	S132
M. Klaveniek	S88		

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