

The next Meeting of the
Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc.
will be held on
Wednesday 24th August 2011
at the
Burnside Community Centre
401 Greenhill Road Tasmore SA

**Meetings are held on the 4th Wednesday
of each month February to November**

Program

- 7.00 pm Auditorium opens, benching of plants and trading table
- 7.15 pm Beginners Class. Note early start time (All Welcome)
- 7.45 pm Viewing of Plants and Popular Vote
- 8.00 pm Official Opening and Presidents Report
- 8.15 pm Seedlings on the Show-bench
- 8.20 pm Anton Drew — Digital Cameras made simple.
- 9.00 pm Plant Raffle Draw
- 9.15 pm Popular Vote and Judging Results
- 9.30 pm Close of Meeting and Supper.

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GRAND CHAMPION 2011 WINTER SHOW
Valley Chestnut 'Warrior'
Grown by: John Moon

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SUPPER ROSTER 2011

Wednesday 24 August *Vacant*
Wednesday 28 September *Vacant*
Wednesday 26 October *Vacant*
Wednesday 23 November *Lucy & Geoff Spear*

Please see Yvonne Longbottom to put your name on the Supper Roster—Thank you

PROGRAM 2011

Wednesday 24 August *Anton Drew — Digital Cameras made Simple*
Wednesday 28 September *Glen Heylen — Bugs, Pests & Diseases.*
Wednesday 26 October *Terry Poulton — New Seedlings/New Shadehouse*
Wednesday 23 November *Jim & Evylen Cuming — Our Way on Cyms.*

NEW MEMBERS

The Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc.
extends a warm welcome to:

There were no new members in July.

Miniature Pure Colour First Prize	Katie's Gold 'Sunrise'	Steve Howlett
Miniature Other Colour First Prize	Morialta Falls	Steve Howlett

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT August 2011

We are now about to reap the rewards for our efforts during the year. Preparing for shows and sorting out our plants to keep and those for the Trading Table will keep us busy.

The National Show now over will now focus us on the West Lakes Spring Show with put in on Saturday 27th of August at 5.00pm. We will be looking to all members to support this show, not only with displaying their flowers but also with helping out the Trading Table outlet.

Last meetings presentation by Vince Davey on the history and future of Neutrog was very informative and interesting. Also a special thank you for the generous handout of their product samples, it certainly was much appreciated by all of the members present on the night.

Remember, that if you do not want to join Neutrog's Pooh Bah Club to receive the feedback newsletter and the benefits of cheaper products you must contact Wayne Baylis on 08 8235 0340 before the end of August

Wayne Baylis— President

2011 Winter Show

Well, the show season is finally upon us with everybody eager to show off the first of this years flowers. The winter show for 2011, conducted at the Munno Para Shopping City surprised many members as reports of few flowers opening with the lack of warmth to force the buds open was common. A first time security guard didn't want us to open doors to enter, however everything sorted itself out when the next guard come on duty at 6.00pm and the show was eventually under way. Ben Knobben got things moving quickly and organised his judges who, throughout the night completed a job well done, although debate always reigns over winners and losers.

Enough of the chit chat and let's get down to the orchids. This year a First Division grower took all before him by presenting an orchid in lovely condition that is not new on the scene Valley Chestnut 'Warrior' presented by John Moon with Grand Champion. Johns plant carried 3 spikes with each having between 12 and 14 small standard flowers. Other plants of this were throughout the show but the way John presented it really carried it to Grand Champion.

Open Division was won by a lovely seedling grown by Wayne Baylis who presented (Lancashire Rose x Solana Beach) x (Red Beauty x Terama) with 9 large standard flowers. The flowers are dark pink and presented themselves around the stem evenly enabling all flowers to be seen. A lesson to be learnt in this is presentation as there were some very nice plants presented, but just no effort put in showing them at their best. Wayne's seedling was also judged as Champion Seedling of the show. Champion



Second Division flower was Kelly Blakiston 'Jean May' and isn't it great to see juniors putting in as Daniel Lutz did to win. Juniors are the backbone of any organisation and for me to see this is great.

As with seedlings our Champion Hybrid shown for the first time does create interest in something new. For those members who are not aware of

Small Standard Yellow First Prize	Valley Legend 'Eternity' x Tracey Redaway 'Marie'	Bill Jayne
Small Standard Other Colour First Prize	Margaret Thatcher x (Margaret Thatcher x Valley Legend)	Bill Jayne
Small Standard Other Colour Second Prize	Doris	George Misirlis
Intermediate Pink First Prize	Without Peer 'Soft Touch'	Bill Jayne
Intermediate Pink Second Prize	Kelly Blakiston 'Jean May'	Daniel Lutz
Intermediate Pink Third Prize	Winter Fire x Matipo 'Orchid Land'	Matthew Bray
Intermediate Red First Prize	Ruby Valley 'Clare'	Roger Long
Intermediate Red Second Prize	Night Fire 'Touch of Velvet' '4N'	Daniel Lutz
Intermediate Yellow First Prize	One Tree Hill 'Golden Ball'	Daniel Lutz
Intermediate Other Colour First Prize	Ashley 'Dotty'	Michael Willoughby
Intermediate Other Colour Second Prize	Stone Free 'Jules'	Bill Jayne
Intermediate Other Colour Third Prize	Sarah Jean 'GOK' x Red Beauty'	Daniel Lutz
Miniature White First Prize	Ice on Fire 'Niketta'	Chee Ng
Miniature Pink First Prize	Peggy Foo 'Pink Foo Foo'	Bill Jayne
Miniature Red First Prize	Cherry Cola 'Geyserland'	Daniel Lutz
Miniature Yellow First Prize	Mini Dream 'Gold Sovereign'	Daniel Lutz
Miniature Green First Prize	Prospect x Sylvia Miller	Michael Willoughby

Intermediate Pink First Prize	Lancashire Rose x Minneken	Brian & Shirley Brand
Intermediate Pink Second Prize	Regal Fire x (Sleeping Beauty x Janis Lin)	Peter & Jeanne Hall
Intermediate Pink Third Prize	Without Peer 'Soft Touch'	Brian & Shirley Brand
Intermediate Yellow First Prize	One Tree Hill 'Beenak'	Peter & Jeanne Hall
Intermediate Pure Colour First Prize	Katy's Gold 'Dural'	Peter & Jeanne Hall
Miniature Red First Prize	Peggy Sue 'Five'	Peter & Jeanne Hall
Miniature Brown First Prize	Pumilum 'Zara' x Tethys 'Black Magic'	Brian & Shirley Brand
Miniature Brown Second Prize	Regal Fire x (Sleeping Beauty x Janis Lin)	Brian & Shirley Brand
Miniature Other Colour First Prize	Kings Clown 'Lewes'	Peter & Jeanne Hall

SECOND DIVISION

Large Standard Pink First Prize	Bronze Idol	Michael Willoughby
Large Standard Green First Prize	Royal Fare 'Krista' x Kelly's Winter 'Gold Fever'	Francis & Janet Ling
Large Standard Green Second Prize	Royal Fare 'No 5'	Michael Willoughby
Large Standard Other Colour First Prize	Cronulla 'The Khan'	George Misirlis
Small Standard Pink First Prize	President Gorbachev 'Diplomat'	Bill Jayne
Small Standard Pink Second Prize	Memoria John Wood	Daniel Lutz
Small Standard Red First Prize	Khan Flame x Red Beauty	Steve Howlett

its format the plant must not be in a pot size greater than 200mm and shown for the first time. This year's winner Dolly x (Rose Armstrong x Deadmans Curve) 'Moullache' was grown by Michael Willoughby, displayed 2 spikes in a 175mm pot and spread around the spike evenly.



Champion Miniature was won with One Tree Hill 'Solstice Gold', a lovely plant grown by Denis and Glenys Cook. The One Tree Hills still turn heads when grown well as is this plant.

Seedlings are the future of this club and it's pleasing to see many coming in to our shows as well as our Club Meetings.

Best Small Standard Seedling was Sylvan Star 'Tia' x President Gorbachev grown by Moss and Rosemary Bray. This flower is a lovely clean candy pink with heavy spotting on the lip and a straight up spike, it carried 6 flowers and it's judging on potential makes us want to see it again in the future.

While judging of seedlings is a little bit different than straight out judging the potential of plants is a very big factor. Intermediate Seedling was Jessie Blakiston x Happy Alex grown by Wayne Baylis who had a few of these in displays. Jessie Blakiston has proven to be a very good parent although it has been very dominant. Wayne's plants had varying number of spikes and flowers.

Champion Miniature Seedling was Sarah Jean x Wyel Gold grown by Malcolm and Gay Hall. This was a very large plant carrying 6 spikes bolt upright with many flowers in a 200mm pot. Yellow flowers always catch the eye.

Champion Specimen of the show was Gypsy Rose 'Lee' and carried 6 spikes of dark pink/red flowers of miniature size with many flowers. Grown like this it certainly catches the eye and attracts much interest.



Large Standard Pink First Prize	Kirby Lesh 'Annie's Lane'	John & Sandra Nicholls
Small Standard Pink First Prize	Valley Royale x (Cloris Jean x President Gorbachev)	Ben Knobben
Small Standard Pink Second Prize	Surman's Rose 'Pamela Margaret'	Moss & Rosemary Bray
Small Standard Pink Third Prize	Khan Flame 'Raquel x Mem Joan Bryant 'TP'	Denis & Glenys Cook
Small Standard Yellow First Prize	Coraki Gold 'Kimberley'	Elmore & Pamela Leske
Small Standard Brown First Prize	Autumn Crisp x Paul Robson x Wallacia	John & Sandra Nicholls
Small Standard Novelty First Prize	Kirby Lesh x Hot 'n' Spicy	John & Sandra Nicholls
Intermediate Pink First Prize	Sarah Jean x President Gorbachev	Ben Knobben
Intermediate Red First Prize	Marilyn Levy 'Graham'	Rodney & Lesley Philp
Intermediate Red Second Prize	Marilyn Levy 'The Baron'	Rodney & Lesley Philp
Miniature Pink First Prize	Peggy Sue 'Five'	Elmore & Pamela Leske
Miniature Pink Second Prize	Globe Trotter x Barb x Ice on Fire	John & Sandra Nicholls

FIRST DIVISION

Large Standard Pink First Prize	Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	John Moon
Small Standard Yellow First Prize	Regal Fire 'Camens' x Chocarunta	Peter & Jeanne Hall
Small Standard Other Colour First Prize	Valley Fire 'Inferno' x Laura Arda 'Spectrum'	Peter & Jeanne Hall

Monthly Competition Results

22nd August 2011

POPULAR VOTE

Best Species	Cym Erythraeum	John & Sandra Nicholls
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JUDGE'S CHOICE

Best Overall	Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	John Moon
Best in Open Division	Marilyn Levy 'Graham'	Rodney & Lesley Philp
Best in First Division	Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'	John Moon
Best in Second Division	Cronulla 'The Khan'	George Misirlis
Best Large Standard Seedling	Kirby Lesh 'Annie's Lane'	John & Sandra Nicholls
Best Small Standard Seedling	Valley Royale x (Cloris Jean x President Gorbachev)	Ben Knobben
Best Intermediate Seedling	Lancashire Rose x Minniken	Brian & Shirley Brand
Best Miniature Seedling	Regal Fire x (Sleeping Beauty x Janis Lin)	Brian & Shirley Brand
Best Specimen	Sarah Jean x President Gorbachev	Ben Knobben

OPEN DIVISION

Large Standard White First Prize	(Star Guard x Alvin's Angel) x Southern Ocean	Moss & Rosemary Bray
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Unusual flowers these days in shows are our original species, and there were a few as well as novelty types on show. One plant that caught my eye was Dave's Dream x Pharaoh's Gold an intermediate grown by Moss and Rosemary Bray and is the richest yellow anyone could want, clean and beautiful shape with lots of flowers.

Ray O'Donoghue's plant of Pumilum x Woorak, a cascading green miniature carrying many spikes and flowers attracted much comment as does a lot of cascading types.

During shows there is always one plant that catches your eye and Dean Roesler used to always have the "Eye Catching orchid", for me this year it was a seedling of John Nicholls, Kirby Lesh x Hot "n" Spicy, an intermediate novelty green covered with red slashes throughout. Only one spike was open with 12 flowers, another still in tight bud.

The Management of Munno Para Shopping City were completely overwhelmed with the success of the 2011 Winter Show and have approached me with some new ideas for next year which in due course will be discussed with the committee. All in all it has been a fantastic effort by the members and a big thank you must go to all those involved whether it be in judging, selling raffle tickets, manning the trading table or just bringing in plants for displaying. Well done !

Ray Brady.

Some Good Old One Liners.

My neighbour knocked on my door at 2:30am this morning, can you believe that 2:30am ! Luckily for him I was still up playing my Bagpipes.

The Grim Reaper came for me last night, and I beat him off with a vacuum cleaner. Talk about Dyson with death.

I've just had a letter back from Screwfix. They said they regretted to inform me that they're not actually a dating agency.

What's the difference between Iron Man and Iron Woman? One's a superhero and the other is an instruction.

A wife says to her husband you're always pushing me around and talking behind my back. He says what do you expect? You're in a wheel chair.

Major Prize Winners COCSA Winter Show 2011

Grand Champion	Valley Chestnut 'Warrior'	John Moon
Champion in Open Division	(Lancashire Rose x Solana Beach) x (Red Beauty x Terama)	Wayne Baylis
Champion in First Division	Valley Chestnut 'Warrior'	John Moon
Champion in Second Division	Kelly Blakiston 'Jean May'	Daniel Lutz
Champion Seedling	Lancashire Rose x Solana Beach) x (Red Beauty x Terama)	Wayne Baylis
Champion Hybrid Shown First Time	Dolly x (Rose Armstrong x Deadmans Curve) 'Mouliache'	Michael Willoughby
Champion Large Standard	Lancashire Rose x Solana Beach) x (Red Beauty x Terama)	Wayne Baylis
Champion Small Standard	Valley Chestnut 'Warrior'	John Moon
Champion Intermediate	Kelly Blakiston 'Jean May'	Daniel Lutz
Champion Miniature	One Tree Hill 'Solstice Gold'	Denis & Glenys Cook
Best In Show Large Standard Seedling	Lancashire Rose x Solana Beach) x (Red Beauty x Terama)	Wayne Baylis
Best In Show Small Standard Seedling	Sylvan Star 'Tia' x President Gorbachev	Moss & Rosemary Bray

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Kelly's Winter 'Golden Sovereign'	x	Strath Shades 'Eye Catcher'
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Choc Valley 'Sylvie'	x	Strath Beauty 'Super Lips'
Choc Valley 'Sylvie'	x	Strath Wonder 'Cream Puff'
Cronulla 'The Khan'	x	Strath Beauty 'Super Lips'
Strath Wonder 'Cream Puff'	x	Strath Beauty 'Super Lips'
Regal Fire 'Camens'	x	(Sleeping Beauty Janis Lin)
Regal Fire 'Camens'	x	Chocarunta 'Wow'
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Best In Show Intermediate Seedling	Jessie Blakiston x Happy Alex	Wayne Baylis
Best In Show Intermediate Seedling	Sarah Jean x Wyel Gold	Malcolm & Gay Hall
Best In Show Miniature First Shown Hybrid	Dolly x (Rose Armstrong x Deadmans Curve) 'Mouliache'	Michael Willoughby
Best In Show Specimen	Gypsy Rose 'Lee'	Ben Knobben
Best In Show Species	Tracyanum 'Dark'	Malcolm & Gay Hall

Judges Forum

On Sunday 31st of July the club held a Judges Forum at the home of Moss and Rosemary Bray. This was run by our Registrar of Judges Ben Knobben and was ably assisted by Peter Hall. There were many topics up for discussion but one of the main points to come out of the meeting was that most of the judges missed out on hearing a lot of the guest speakers at the monthly club meetings. To get around this issue plants to be judged on the night will need to be tabled by 7.30pm sharp for judging to commence at 7.45pm on the dot. This way formalities can be completed for judges to be able to join in and listen to the nights speaker, especially if the club brings in a speaker from interstate.

Moss also bought in and tabled a number of plants whereby the judges discussed. For a learner such as myself it also gave the opportunity to ask questions and was able to get answers from many of our experienced panel, it certainly will come in helpful. The first lesson I need to learn is to be critical of my own plants before I can be critical of somebody else's

After all of the formalities were completed we were treated to a wonderful lunch. If anybody present went home hungry afterwards I'd be very surprised, the catering and hospitality from Rosemary and Moss and ably assisted by Jeanne was nothing short of exemplary. I wouldn't be surprised if Moss is still trying to finish of the remaining party pies and sausage rolls.

Bill Jayne

PLANT WRITE UP JULY 2011

JUDGES CHOICE— BEST IN FIRST DIVISION—
BEST OVERALL

Hungarian Beauty 'Frieke'

grown by: John Moon

This plant was judged as a Large Standard, grown in an 8" pot and has 3 green bulbs as well as 2 backbulbs. On the plant there are 2 spikes, each with 12 flowers. The petals are a lovely light pink colour and the labellum has a strong red banding. This plant was a standout on the bench at the meeting and is a credit to grower John Moon. Well grown indeed.



JUDGES CHOICE— BEST IN OPEN DIVISION

Marilyn Levy 'Graham'

grown by: Rodney & Lesley Philp

Grown in bark in an 8" pot, this plant was judged as an Intermediate Red. There are 4 spikes averaging about 17 flowers on each. The flowers have dark red petals and there is dark banding on the lips. To go with the 6 green bulbs there is also 4 backbulbs on this plant.



JUDGES CHOICE— BEST IN SECOND DIVISION

Cronulla 'The Khan'

grown by: George Misirlis

This is a beautifully grown plant in a 10" pot. There are 3 tall stems, well shaped flowers and had been judged as Large Standard Other Colour. There are more than 12 flowers per spike and were well spaced along each stem.

