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**NEXT MEMBER'S
MEETING**
Thursday 22nd April
2021 at the Collaroy
Plateau Community
Centre, 36 Blandford
Street, Collaroy
Plateau.

**NEXT COMMITTEE
MEETING**
1^{3th} May 2021 at
Angies house at
7.30pm

**THIS MONTHS MEETING WILL BE IN THE
COLLARROY PLATEAU COMMUNITY
CENTRE, 36 BLANDFORD STREET, (OFF
TELOPEA STREET), COLLARROY PLATEAU.
THERE IS PLENTLY OF PARKING OUTSIDE
THE HALL WITH EASY ACCESS.**

President's Report:

It was great to have a guest speaker at our March meeting. David Monroe shared a lot of down to earth practical growing tips particularly his willingness to try something different.

At the meeting we asked for interest in a bark order , So far we don't have enough to make it viable but if you are interested let the committee know.

Again I must ask for some help with the role of treasurer, as a society we cannot function without one.

See you all at the auction

AUTUM/WINTER SHOW 6,7,8 May 2021. Glenrose Shopping Centre. Set up is Wednesday from 5pm with Judging at 7pm.

Bring in your sale plants that are clean and established in the pot. We will need help over the three days with sales and raffle so please support this show and help make it a success.

MEMBER'S AUCTION 18TH APRIL 2021.

Please remember to come along and help out on the day. Set up is from 7.30am. Should be a good day as there are lots of interesting plants up for grabs.

REGULATIONS FOR MEETING

Do not come to the meeting if you are feeling unwell.

Sign in on the form provided with your name, telephone number and time in and then note time as you go out. There will be a QR code but you will still need to sign in on the sheet provided for our records. Observe social distancing – 1.5metres. Masks are recommended but not compulsory. Sanitise your hands with your own sanitiser or the one provided. At the end of the meeting wipe chairs with the sanitiser wipes provided and place chairs on the trolley. Help out with wiping down the tables.

DIARY DATES 2021

April 18th AUCTION

April 22nd Member's Meeting (**Collaroy Plateau Hall**)

May 6,7,8 Winter Show @ Glenrose

May 7th Member's Meeting

June 24th Member's Meeting

June 26,27 Mingara Orchid Show & Fair

July 22 Member's Meeting

August 5,6,7 OBTS Show @ Glenrose (still to be confirmed)

August 13,14,15 St. Ives Orchid Fair

August 26 Member's Meeting

September 16,17,18 Spring Show @Glenrose (still to be confirmed)

September 23 AGM and Member's Meeting

October 28 Member's Meeting

November 14 Auction

November 25 Member's Meeting

December 5 Christmas Party

December 16 Member's Meeting

BARK ORDER

We intend putting in a bark order in the near future if we can get enough members interested. You can also order perlite for \$49 (jumbo is the most used size). Orchiaata Bark comes in a 35 litre bag with the following sizes 3-6mm, 6-9mm, 9-12mm, 12-18mm and 18-25mm. Cost is approx.. \$30 per bag. Orchiaata is a premium New Zealand bark with long lasting qualities. (you don't have to repot as often). Unfortunately they don't have any sphagnum moss as there is a world wide shortage).

MWOS BRANDED TOPS AND JACKETS.

An order for polo tops and fleecy jackets is also in the pipeline. Please let Tinka know if you wish to place an order.

VALE

Ray Schuback passed away on 3th April. Ray was a member for many years and only gave up growing orchids when he

moved into Willandra Village several years ago. He was our regular potting demonstrator for many shows and always had a small crowd in attendance. He loved to chat and always had a story to tell. He was mentor to several of our members when they first joined the Society. Our sincere condolences to his wife Leonie and family.

Paphiopedilum charlesworthii
Species grown by G. & A. Cushway



A striking presence, this plant grows as a lithophyte in leaf mould on the sides of cool damp limestone cliffs from 1200-2000m of elevation. It is found growing in Assam, Myanmar, Thailand and Southeastern China. The quality of flower, like many *Paphs* can vary, so always best to acquire plants of a known quality, like this one.

Hybrid grown by A. Sulfaro
Epi. Volcano Trick



This is the same plant as last month, and has lasted well. See last month's bulletin for more.

Novice grown by P. Johnson
Oncidium Sharry Baby



Wonderfully fragrant, this plant still does well on the show bench, despite now being an older cross. One of the easier *Oncidiums* to grow and flower, it is well worth having a piece and growing into a large plant to reach its full potential.

Specimen grown by T. Riddell
Dendrochilum latifolium var. *Macranthum*



Like most *Dendrochilums*, these are easy to grow and flower here in Sydney with adequate water and the right light levels. As I say (most months) they respond vigorously to being grown in waterwell pots. One of the larger *Dendrochilum*, definitely worth having and growing into a large specimen.

MARCH BENCHING POINT SCORE 2021

OPEN DIVISION

| | |
|---|-----------------|
| 1. Sarcochilus Hybrid | 0 Plants |
| 2. Australian Native Hybrid | 2 Plants |
| 1. Den. Jazz 'Windsor Downs' x Aussie Parade 'Carrot Splash' | I. Tanner |
| 2. Den. Regal Hilda 'Nova' x Jesmond Sparkler 'Greg Hall' | I. Tanner |
| 3. Den. unknown | I. McKenzie |
| 1. Den. Hilda Poxon | L&B Dobson |
| 3. Australasian | 2 Plants |
| 1. Den. Andre Miller x Den. polysema | A. Sulfaro |
| 2. Den. Pink Orb (engae x lithocola white 'Red Lily' I. Nelson | |
| 4. Dockrillia Hybrid | 0 Plants |
| 5. Laeliinae Hybrid (Exhibition) >120mm | 1 Plants |
| 1. Blc. Burdekin Heights | A&GCushway |
| 6. Laeliinae Hybrid (Exhibition) <120mm | 7 Plants |
| 1. Pot. Lisa Taylor Gallis 'Nora' | A&GCushway |
| 2. Aloah Dream 'Magic' | A. Sulfaro |
| 3. Lc. Maris Love 'Taka' | A&GCushway |
| 7. Laeliinae Hybrid (Multifloral/Novelty) | 6 Plants |
| 1. Lc. Angel Heart 'Sumi' | G&ACushway |
| 2. Ctna. Splash of Port 'Yellow Face' | A. Sulfaro |
| 3. Ctna. Red Tape 'Dark Horse' | A. Sulfaro |
| 7A. Laeliinae (Novelty Type) Hybrid | 6 Plants |
| 1. Lc. How Yuan Angel x Lana Coryell 'Ellen' | A. Sulfaro |
| 2. Bc. Capricorn Charm 'Aunty A' | A. Sulfaro |
| 3. C. Pricilla Ward | F&M Lee |

8. Laeliinae Hybrid (Miniature)

1. Ctna. Red Tape 'Dark Horse'
2. Pot. Burrana Angel Hysinying
3. Slc. Elusive Dream 'Peace'

8A.Laeliinae Epidendrum

1. Eplc. Volcano Trick
2. Epi. Topaz Special

9. Cymbidium Standard**10. Cymbidium Intermediate**

1. Cym. Vennie Bleruton ?

11. Cymbidium Miniature**12.Dendrobium**

1. Den. Mingle's Sapphire
2. Den. Hibiki
3. Den. unknown

13. Oncidiinae 30mm and less

1. Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'
2. Onc. Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'
3. Pas. Chian-Tzy Lovely "CT Coldmine"

14. Oncidiiae 30mm - 60mm

1. Odcdm. Everglade Elegance 'Nancy Lee'
HCC/AOS
2. Onc. unknown

15. Oncidiiae 60mm and above

1. Colm. Wildcat 'Bobcat'
2. Mtssa. Dark Star
3. Bit. Nelly Isler 'Red'

16. Paphiopedilum Exhibition**17. Paphiopedilum Novelty**

1. Paph. Hung Sheng Mishima

18. Phalaenopsis Exhibition

1. Phal. unknown
2. Phal. unknown

19. Phalaenopsis Novelty

1. Phal. Dou Dii Rose x Ching Her 'John'
2. Phal. unknown
3. Phal. unknown

20. Vandaceous >51mm

1. Vanda Princess Mikasa var alba
2. Vanda Princess Mikasa v. alba

21.Vandaceous/Ascocendas

1. Asc. Unknown
2. Sarconopsis Lavinia

22. Other Orchid Hybrid

1. Coel Janine Banks
2. Galeopetalum Arlene Armor' Conching'
3. Zygopalostia Dragon Kitten 'Purr'

SPECIES**38. Sarcophilus Species****39. Australian Epiphyte Species**

1. Den. bigibbum v compactum
2. Oberonia crateriforma
3. Den. malbrownii

40. Australasian Epiphyte Species

1. Den. subcalosum var. alpina

41. Dockrillia**42. Australasian Terrestrial****43. Laeliinae Alliance (cattleya & laelia))**

1. C. bowringiana 'Select'
2. C. bowringiana 'Splendens'
3. C. labiata var rubra

44. Laeliinae Alliance

1. Encyclia cochleata 'Tinonee' x var. alba
2. Prosthecia cochleata
3. Enc. guatemalensis

45. Oncidiiae Alliance Species

1. Miltonia spectabilis
2. Gomesa recurva
3. Gomesa crispa

4 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro

2 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro

0 Plant**1 Plant**

- I. McKenzie

0 Plants**4 Plants**

- F&M Lee
- A. Sulfaro
- I. Nelson

5 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro
- T. Riddell

2 Plants

- F&M Lee
- T. Riddell

5 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- Li Shan Fan
- A. Sulfaro

0 Plants**1 Plant**

- I. Nelson

2 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro

3 Plants

- A.Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro
- I. Nelson

2 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- A. Sulfaro

2 Plants

- I. Nelson
- A. Sulfaro

4 Plants

- A. Sulfaro
- T. Riddell
- I. McKenzie

0 Plants**5 Plants**

- A. Sulfaro
- G. Cantor
- G. Cantor

1 Plant

- G. Cantor

0 Plants**0 Plant****4 Plants**

- P.McDonough
- P.McDonough
- P.McDonough

11 Plants

- I. Tanner
- T. Riddell
- G. Cantor

4 Plants

- T. Riddell
- G&ACushway
- I. Turner

46. Other Species 'The Americas'

1. Max. praestans
2. Max. grandis
3. Max. callichroma

47. Dendrobium Species

1. Den. lamellatum

48. Paphiopedilum Species

1. Paph. charlesworthii
2. Paph. spicerianum

49. Phalaenopsis Species

1. Phal. equestris var 2N Blue
2. Doritis pulcherrima

50. Vandaceous species

1. Rhyn. retusa
2. Aeranthes grandiosa

51. Dendrochilum Species

1. Ddc. latifolium var macrantham
2. Ddc. latifolium var macrantham
3. Ddc. odotstum

52. Other Species 'Asia & Rest of World'

1. Coel. celebensis
2. Stenoglottis longifolia
3. Coel. fimbriata

53. Miniature max. 150mm**54. Miniature Species min. 150mm**

1. Restrepia cloesii

55. First Flowering Species**56. First Flowering Seedling Hybrid****NOVICE****23. Australasian Species**

1. Coelogyne sp.

24. Laeliinae

1. Epi. elongatum

25. Oncidiiae Species**26. Any other Species of Americas****27. Species Rest of the World**

1. Gongora galleata
2. Den. unknown
3. Den. unknown

28. Australasian Hybrids**29. Cymbidium Standard****30. Cymbidium Intermediate & Miniature****31. Paphiopedilum Hybrid****32. Dendrobium Hybrid****33. Laeliinae Hybrid**

1. Lctna. Red Tape 'Dark Horse'
2. Cattleya Bactia 'Grape Wax'
3. Cat. unknown

34. Oncidiiae Allied Intergenerics Hybrid

1. Onc. Sharry Baby
2. Milt. Goodale Moir 'Golden Wonder'
3. Beallara unknown

35. Hybrid of Americas All Others

1. Zygo. Arthur Elle 'Essendon'
2. Zygo. Warigal Wonder x Arthur Elle

36. Other Orchid Hybrid

1. Phal. unknown
2. Phal. unknown
3. Phal. unknown

3 Plants

- T. Riddell
- P.McDonough
- G. Cantor

1 Plants

- ??

2 Plants

- G&ACushway
- P.McDonough

2 Plants

- T. Riddell
- A.Sulfaro

2 Plants

- I. Nelson
- A. Sulfaro

3 Plants

- T. Riddell
- A. Sulfaro
- P.McDonough

6 Plants

- G. Cantor
- T. Riddell
- Li Shan Fan

0 Plants**1 Plants**

- F&M Lee

0 Plant**0 Plant****1 Plant**

- L. Foley

1 Plants

- T. Agrela

0 Plant**0 Plants****3 Plants**

- T. Agrela
- K. Hsiao
- K. Hsiao

0 Plant**0 Plants****0 Plants****0 Plant****0 Plants****7 Plants**

- T. Agrela
- K. Nelson

G.Cadwallader**5 Plants**

- P. Johnson
- T. Agrela
- P. Johnson

2 Plants

- T. Agrela
- L. Foley

3 Plants

- P. Johnson
- P. Johnson
- N. Macri

Novice growers, could you please check your plants for insect activity before you bench at the meetings. There was an incidence at the last meeting where one grower noticed insect activity several days after the meeting when one of her plants became infested when it has never been a problem before now.