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Members also help in other ways, like storing Society equipment or lending us resources; organising supper for meetings, and setting out and counting the monthly benching/popular vote.

## Society meetings

While not in lockdown, meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month (except January) at the Ainslie Football Club, 52 Wakefield Ave, Ainslie, at 7:00 pm for a 7:30 pm start. Visitors are welcome.

## Next Meeting

**On Saturday 6 November 2021** a virtual Zoom meeting will be held at **2:30 pm**. David Judge will be giving a presentation on growing Paphiopedilums.

**See the information on the following page of this Bulletin on how to enter plants.**

## Upcoming Events

### Horticultural Society of Canberra Spring Exhibition and Rose Show

13-14 November at Lancaster Hall, Wesley Centre, Forrest

### Albury-Wodonga Orchid Workshop

The workshop is being held on 21<sup>st</sup> of November 2021 at Wodonga Raider's Football and Netball Clubrooms (see details on page 16)

**OSC Christmas Party go-ahead to be advised**

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### Contributions to the next Bulletin

Contributions to the Bulletin are welcome and should be emailed to Geoff Dyne at [gdyne@homemail.com.au](mailto:gdyne@homemail.com.au)  
**Deadline** for January-February edition is Wed 22 December

## From the President

Thanks to the members who submitted 137 entries to the virtual show. A virtual show has its own challenges; getting images that display the best features of the plants can be especially demanding.

A wide range of plants were exhibited with entries in most classes. Congratulations to David Judge – the most successful exhibitor, with four championships. Also well done to novice members who exhibited some well grown plants. Show result details are provided later in this *Bulletin*. A thanks to the judges who did a great job working from the images. Trophies and awards will be handed out when we all get together again.

Speaking of getting together. The COVID situation at time of writing remains uncertain with inconsistencies between the ACT and NSW. In view of this our next meeting will again be by Zoom at 2:30pm on Saturday 6 November. We are getting value from our Zoom subscription, although it is not as satisfying as the conventional meeting.

At this stage it is too early to decide on arrangements for the Christmas party – a decision will have to wait until closer to the time.

A Well Done to Derek Corrigan and the conservation team. Their efforts are applauded by us and were also well received by the ACT authorities. Please talk to Derek if you would like to participate in these activities. In the meantime, enjoy your orchids and submit images for the virtual benching. Look forward to David Judge's presentation on *Paphiopedilums* at the November meeting.

### Virtual Benching Arrangements for 6 November Meeting

- Ideally provide two images, one of a flower or inflorescence and one of the whole plant for each entry. Please be selective in the number of entries you send in.
- Images are to be emailed to [bench@canberraorchids.org](mailto:bench@canberraorchids.org) by 1 November, earlier if possible. Provide the full name and entry class. Preferably one email for each plant entry to make recording easier.
- Plant classes (20) as per our regular meetings.
- Image size, if possible, below 800Kb.
- Popular vote QR code will be circulated once all entries are on the website.
- Updates will be via email.

## Cultural tips for November/December

- Keep moisture up to your plants as the weather continues to warm and the humidity drops.
- Fertilise your plants to ensure the new growth has the best chance of bulking up over summer. Use a fertiliser that orchids can tolerate. Some of the generic versions can be too strong. Always follow the instructions.
- Plan your cool spots and get your shadecloth in place before the heat. Many cooler growing species (such as *Pleurothalids*) need relief from very high temperatures during late spring and summer.
- Monitor for pests. Mites are still active and aphids and munching pests can quickly take hold. Check your plants at night with a flashlight to do some on-the-spot extermination.

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- Allow your Australian terrestrials to dry out as their leaves turn yellow. Repot once the tubers are dormant. Karen Groeneveld will be hosting a native terrestrial orchid potting workshop in January, so keep an eye out for the date and time.
- Bring your plant along to our next meeting if you are unsure how to care for it over summer.
- Check out our Society's book *Growing Orchids in Cool Climate Australia* for more cultural tips.



Annual Show Class 1(s): Australian Epiphytic – Species; First Prize:  
*Thelychiton falcorostrus* grower: David Judge

## Minutes of General Meeting, 4 September 2021

Present: 27 members, 0 visitors  
Apologies: 4

Zoom Meeting commenced at 2.33pm.

President Bill Ferris opened the meeting by welcoming all members to the Zoom meeting. Bill expressed his desire to keep things going for the Society during these times.

Bill advised that today's meeting would cover a range of issues including:

Timing of the next General Meeting to be Saturday, 9 October; Proposal to conduct a virtual show in place of normal show with details to follow; Gauging interest in whether members have orchid plants they wish to sell and explore opportunities to do so.

Bill advised that the Society had two presentations for this afternoon's meeting. Bill would first speak on dendrobiums and Brian Dear would follow with how he grows his Australian dendrobiums and other cool growing orchids.

### Presentation by Bill Ferris on Dendrobiums

Bill provided a presentation discussing the history of dendrobiums from the 1700s as covered in Geoff Dyne's recent presentation on the Golden Age of Orchid Collecting, to more recent developments. He discussed the latest proposed classification system by David L Jones which uses DNA although this is yet to be accepted by KEW.

Bill explained that key to the success in growing orchids is to provide an environment similar to where the orchids grow naturally. Aspects such as temperature, humidity/rainfall, light and air movement are important. Dendrobiums are mostly epiphytic. They occur naturally on the east coast from the top of Cape York to the Victorian border, and from the coastal fringe to the Great Dividing Range.

Dendrobiums need protection from frost (cold) or hot, dry windy conditions. They prefer to be grown on mounts and it is recommended to use material which is long lasting and has a rough surface so their roots can attach. Materials such as iron bark, wood and bark, cork, sheets of bark and branches, baskets of nuggets, coco husk and perlite, and tree fern (especially black) are suitable. The Society has a range of materials available for purchase. A copy of Bill's presentation is on the Members tab of the Society's website.

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### Presentation by Brian Dear on Growing Dendrobiums and other cool growing orchids

Brian's presentation provided an outline of his greenhouse setup, from its construction through to the methods he uses for cool growing orchids. He provided detail on his watering and lighting regime and discussed potting medium, pest control and fertiliser. Of particular note was how he regulates temperature to ensure frost avoidance heating only with heating coming on and off at 10 - 30C. A copy of Brian's presentation that provides further information on each aspect of his setup can be found on the Members tab of the Society's website.

Following the presentation, Bill encouraged members to do their research and recommended the resources available on the Society's website.

### Popular Vote Results: September 2021

#	Class Name	Plant	Owner
<b>OPEN</b>			
1	Australian Epiphyte	<i>Dendrobium</i> Jonathon's Glory	Brian Dear
		<i>Durabaculum undulatum</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
<i>Others Benched: Den. Australian Rhubarb Pie; Den. Balnarring, Thelychiton speciosus, Sarc. falcatus</i>			
2	Australian Terrestrial	<i>Pterostylis curta</i> (variegated form)	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched: Diuris orientis; Ptst. baptistii; Myrmechila platyptera; Ptst. curta</i> (variegated)		
3	Cymbidium	<i>Cymbidium</i> hybrid unknown	Brian Dear
	<i>Others Benched: nil</i>		
4	Laeliinae	<i>Epidendrum centropetalum</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
	<i>Others Benched: Dinema polybulbon</i>		
5	Cypripedioidea	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Michael Koopowitz	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched: Paph. Juliet; Paph. philippinense; Paph. insigne x Gaël</i>		
6	Monopodial Vandaeae	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> Chian Xen Piano 'CX339'	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched: Phalaenopsis lobbii</i>		
8	Pleurothallidinae	<i>Stelis restrepioides</i> 'Dragonstone'	Bill Ferris
	<i>Others Benched: Stelis restrepioides 'Dragonstone'; Rstp. brachypus; Rstp. antennifera; Pleuro. viduata; Trchosalpinx dirhamphis</i>		
9	Exotic Dendrobiinae	<i>Sayeria pallida</i>	Mark Fraser & Sandra Corbett
	<i>Others Benched: Den. paxtonii, Den. sanderae; Epigenium triflorum;</i>		
11	Bulbophyllinae	<i>Bulbophyllum wallichii</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
	<i>Others Benched: Bulb. longissimum; Bulb. nasserii; Hapalochilus speciosus</i>		
13	Exotic terrestrials	<i>Gastrophaius</i> Lady Ramona Harris 'Looking @ You'	Jane Wright
	<i>Others Benched: Ludisia discolor; Stenorhynchos speciosus</i>		
14	Any Other Orchid	<i>Gongora rufescens</i>	Jane Wright
	<i>Others Benched: nil</i>		
<b>NOVICE</b>			
15	Australian Native	<i>Dendrobium</i> . Balnarring	David Rowell
	<i>Others Benched: Den. Aussie Parade 'Carrot Splash'; Ptst. pedunculata; Caladenia latifolia; Chiloglottis sylvestris</i>		
16	Cymbidium	<i>Cymbidium</i> Sedeni	Yi Yu
	<i>Others Benched: Cym. Deathwish, Cym. unknown hybrid</i>		
18	Monopodial Vandaeae	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> hybrid unknown	Nick Westerink
	<i>Others Benched: nil</i>		

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OPEN Orchid of the Night	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Michael Koopowitz	David Judge
NOVICE Orchid of the Night	<i>Cymbidium</i> Sedeni	Yi Yu
Judges' Choice - Species	<i>Bulbophyllum wallichii</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
Judges' Choice - Hybrid	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Michael Koopowitz	David Judge
Judges' Choice - Specimen	<i>Pterostylis curta</i> (variegated form)	David Judge

### Other matters

October Meeting – Virtual show:

Bill put to members the possibility of holding a virtual show at the next General Meeting. The proposed arrangements would be:

- To hold the meeting via Zoom on Saturday, 9 October at 2:30pm;
- Entry into the meeting would be subject to agreeing for the meeting being recorded so that it may be made available on the Society's website for non-attendees to view at a later date;
- The main topic for the meeting would be to review the results of the virtual show;
- The virtual show would comprise 40 classes - made up of the current 20 classes as used for general meetings and split into species and hybrid classes;
- Entries would be limited to members of the Society;
- First and second place certificates would be awarded in each class, subject to the number of entries;
- Championships (glass trophies) would be awarded for the normal championship classes;
- Two images per entry, one of the flowers or inflorescences and one of the entire plant;
- The preferred image size is approximately 800 pixels high or wide (or about 100 to 200KB) – larger files accepted but may be compressed and cropped to suit website presentation;
- Plants in flower between 1 September and 2 October would be eligible for entry;
- Entries to be lodged at [bench@canberraorchids.org](mailto:bench@canberraorchids.org) anytime but no later than cob 2 October, preferably one entry per email;
- The virtual show would be on a publicly viewable page on the website so be aware there would be no control over copying or publishing by others, but small file sizes will discourage use of the photos for printing purposes;
- Judging would be by OSNSW accredited judges;
- There would be a Popular vote, nominating one orchid only;
- As regard to plant sales, members were requested to advise Jane Wright and Bill Ferris if they had any orchid plants they wished to sell and, if so, how many? Once known, the Committee would explore various options for selling plants, Covid-dependent;
- Members were then asked for their comment on the above arrangements and advised that further information would be provided by email.

### Next meeting

9 October – General meeting including results of Virtual Show.

Mid-September – Committee Meeting (time and date to be confirmed).

Meeting concluded at 3.50pm.



Annual Show Class 1(x): Australian Epiphytic – Hybrid; First Prize and Australian Native Champion: *Plectochilus Kilgra*  
Growers: Lynne and Brian Phelan

## Minutes of General Meeting, 9 October 2021

Present: 26 members, 0 visitors

Apologies: 0

Zoom Meeting commenced at 2.34pm.

President Bill Ferris opened the meeting by welcoming all members to the Zoom meeting.

Members were advised at the outset that the meeting was being video recorded in order for it to be made available on the website for those unable to attend.

Bill advised that today's meeting would cover a range of issues including arrangements for next General Meeting, and the results of this year's Virtual Show.

Bill noted that given the current COVID situation, it may be best to hold a Zoom meeting for the November meeting. He requested feedback on whether Saturday still suited people to which it was supported. Bill advised that David Judge had also agreed to be the speaker and would be giving a presentation on Paphiopedilums.

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Plant sales - Bill advised that with easing of COVID restrictions, members who have orchid plants for sale may wish to have them put up on the members' page of the website and were requested to provide details including name and price.

### **2021 Orchid Show results**

Bill advised that this year's show held via Zoom worked very well receiving 137 entries from 24 exhibitors with all but eight classes covered.\*

Andrea Robold acknowledged the amount of work put in to bring about the success of this Virtual Show, particularly the efforts of Bill Ferris and Jane Wright. She also recognised the work of the judges and all contributors.

Jane provided a PowerPoint presentation scrolling through the Show results and Championship winners. The full results are elsewhere in the bulletin. The judges' feedback was that they were impressed with the work Bill Ferris had done in developing and coordinating the virtual show for the website, commenting that very few Societies had been able to achieve this. They also commented on the quality and diversity of the plants submitted.

\* Bill further advised that for the next zoom meeting, the judging of classes would revert to the normal system, *ie* we wouldn't be having separate classes for species and hybrids.

### **Other matters**

#### Conservation Group Report

Kryisia and Jane acknowledged the work of Derek Corrigan in putting together his report to ACT Government on the burnt areas of Namadgi National Park.

Derek also provided an update on the ongoing work they are doing in Namadgi. He further advised of a new submission he has put to ACT Government about natural resource planning for Mulligan's Flat noting that the area has now been significantly expanded.

Derek was to follow up whether his report on Namadgi could be made publicly available to be placed on the website.

### **Next Meetings**

2.30pm, Saturday 6 November 2021 via Zoom  
December - Christmas meeting - to be determined.

Meeting concluded at 3.15pm.

### **Orchid Names**

*Jane Wright*

It's time to sharpen your pencils and rewrite some plant tags.

The *Zygoneria* hybrid that was given out for a growing competition in Nov 2019 has been registered. *Zygoneria* Kuitpo x *Zygotepalum* Advance Australia is now called *Zygoneria* Kiwi Advance.

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We have IDs for a couple of rescued plants that we sorted out at the potting session at Jane Wright's in June, thanks to Jacqui Turner who shared the accompanying photos taken by Claire Turner. The coelogyne is *Coelogyne* Unchained Melody (a white form) and the softcane dendrobium is *Dendrobium* Yukidaruma 'King'.



*Dendrobium* Yukidaruma 'King'  
(Photo: Claire Turner)



*Coelogyne* Unchained Melody  
(Photo: Claire Turner)



## Annual Show results



## Champion Orchids

Class	Description	1st/2nd	Plant	Owner
<b>Open</b>				
<b>Australian Epiphytic</b>				
1(s)	Australian Epiphytic - Species	1	<i>Thelychiton falcorostrus</i>	David Judge
		2	<i>Thelychiton tetragonus</i>	Bill Ferris
1(x)	Australian Epiphytic - Hybrid	 1	<i>Plectochilus</i> Kilgra	Lynne and Brian Phelan
		2	<i>Dendrobium</i> Oliver-Jack Freckles 'Gerard'	Bill Ferris
<b>Australian Terrestrial</b>				
2(s)	Australian Terrestrial - Species	1	<i>Pterostylis curta</i> (variegated form)	David Judge
		2	<i>Diuris orientis</i>	David Judge
2(x)	Australian Terrestrial - Hybrid	1	<i>Pterostylis</i> Dusky Duke	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
<b>Cymbidium</b>				
3(s)	Cymbidium - Species	1	<i>Cymbidium floribundum</i> 'Virginia'	David Judge
		2	<i>Cymbidium lowianum</i>	Bob Forrester
3(x)	Cymbidium - Hybrid	 1	<i>Cymbidium</i> Dr Len 'Te-a-Moana'	David Judge
		2	<i>Cymbidium</i> Anna Szabo 'Geyserland'	David Judge
<b>Laeliinae</b>				
4(s)	Laeliinae - Species	1	<i>Cattleya jongheana</i>	Lynne and Brian Phelan
		2	<i>Epidendrum paniculatum</i>	Andrea Robold
4(x)	Laeliinae - Hybrid	 1	<i>Rhyncolaeliocattleya</i> Goldenzelle	Andrea Robold
		2	<i>Rhyncolaeliocattleya</i> Taiwan Chief Bell 'Wish'	Tony Tritschler
<b>Cypripedioideae</b>				
5(s)	Cypripedioideae - Species	 1	<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Gigantic' x 'Samurai' (= 'Anisha')	David Judge
		2	<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Golden Boy' x 'Giant Wings'	David Judge
5(x)	Cypripedioideae - Hybrid	1	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Juliet	David Judge
		2	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Michael Koopowitz	David Judge
<b>Monopodial Vandaeae</b>				
6(s)	Monopodial Vandaeae - Species	 1	<i>Gastrochilus calceolaris</i>	Jane Wright
		2	<i>Phalaenopsis lobbii</i>	Jane Wright
6(x)	Monopodial Vandaeae - Hybrid	1	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	Craig and Tamsin Allen
		2	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> Gan Lin Yellow Lover	David Judge

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<b>Oncidiinae</b>				
7(x)	Oncidiinae - Hybrid		<i>Oncidium</i> Saint Clement 'Belle'	Lynne and Brian Phelan
		1		
		2	<i>Brassia</i> Rex	Andrea Robold
<b>Pleurothallidinae</b>				
8(s)	Pleurothallidinae - Species	1	<i>Masdevallia caesia</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
		2	<i>Acianthera bragae</i>	Jane Wright
8(x)	Pleurothallidinae - Hybrid		<i>Masdevallia</i> Zoe 'Thea's Sister'	Jane Wright
		1		
		2	<i>Masdevallia</i> Copperwing 'Sunburst'	Jane Wright
<b>Exotic Dendrobiinae</b>				
9(s)	Exotic Dendrobiinae - Species	1	<i>Sayeria alexandrae</i>	Jane Wright
		2	<i>Callista lindleyi</i> (syn <i>aggregatum</i> )	David Judge
9(x)	Exotic Dendrobiinae - Hybrid	1	<i>Dendrobium</i> Unknown	David Judge
		2	<i>Dendrobium</i> Yukidaruma 'King'	Ben and Xiaomei Wallace
<b>Coelogyninae</b>				
10(s)	Coelogyninae - Species	1	<i>Coelogyne cristata</i>	Bob Forrester
		2	<i>Dendrochilum coccineum</i>	Jane Wright
10(x)	Coelogyninae - Hybrid	1	<i>Coleogyne</i> Unchained Melody	Bill Ferris
		2	<i>Coelogyne</i> Unchained Melody	David Judge
<b>Bulbophyllinae</b>				
11(s)	Bulbophyllinae - Species	1	<i>Bulbophyllum wallichii</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
		2	<i>Trias cambodiana</i>	Jane Wright
<b>Lycastineae and Maxillariinae</b>				
12(s)	Lycastineae and Maxillariinae - Species	1	<i>Maxillaria densa</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
		2	<i>Trigonidium egertonianum</i>	Jane Wright
<b>Exotic Terrestrial</b>				
13(s)	Exotic Terrestrial - Species	1	<i>Serapias lingua</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
		2	<i>Stenorrhynchos speciosus</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
<b>Any other</b>				
14(s)	Any other - Species	1	<i>Gongora truncata</i>	Jane Wright
		2	<i>Gongora rufescens</i>	Jane Wright
<b>Novice</b>				
<b>Australian native</b>				
15(s)	Australian native - Species	1	<i>Dendrobium speciosus</i> 'Daylight Moon'	Richard Mayoh
		2	<i>Sarcochilus fitzgeraldii</i>	Nick Westerink
15(x)	Australian native - Hybrid	1	<i>Dendrobium</i> Australian Artist 'Purple Tips'	Richard Mayoh
		2	<i>Dendrobium</i> Midas Touch 'Red Legs'	Richard Mayoh

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Cymbidium				
16(s)	Cymbidium - Species	1	<i>Cymbidium lowianum</i>	Julia Hu
16(x)	Cymbidium - Hybrid	1	<i>Cymbidium</i> Valley Vampire x Choc Nut	Julia Hu
		2	<i>Cymbidium</i> Devon Parish 'Ern's Choice'	Julia Hu
Monopodial Vandaeae				
18(x)	Monopodial Vandaeae - Hybrid	1	<i>Phalaenopsis</i>	Nick Westerink
Any other				
19(s)	Any other - Species	1	<i>Bletilla striata</i>	Julia Hu
19(x)	Any other - Hybrid	1	<i>Gastrophaius</i> Lady Ramona Harris	Nick Westerink



Annual Show Class 3(x): Cymbidium – Hybrid; First Prize and Champion Cymbidium:  
*Cymbidium* Dr Len 'Te-a-Moana' Grower: David Judge



Annual Show Class 6(s): Monopodial Vandee – Species; First Prize and Champion Vandaceous:  
*Gastrochilus calceolaris* Grower: Jane Wright



Annual Show Class 4(x): Laeliinae – Hybrid; First Prize and Champion Laeliinae:  
*Rhyncolaeliocattleya* Goldenzelle Grower: Andrea Robold

**Orchid Society of Canberra Spring Show 2021 Champion Plants**

Championship	Plant	Owner
Champion Orchid of the Show	<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Anisha'	David Judge
Champion Species Orchid	<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Anisha'	David Judge
Champion Hybrid Orchid	<i>Oncidium</i> Saint Clement 'Belle'	Lynne and Brian Phelan
Champion Australian Native	<i>Plectochilus</i> Kilgra	Lynne and Brian Phelan
Champion Cymbidium	<i>Cymbidium</i> Dr Len 'Te-a-Moana'	David Judge
Champion Laeliinae	<i>Rhyncolaeliocattleya</i> Goldenzelle	Andrea Robold
Champion Cypripedioideae	<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Anisha'	David Judge
Champion Monopodial Vandaeae	<i>Gastrochilus calceolaris</i>	Jane Wright
Champion Oncidiinae	<i>Oncidium</i> Saint Clement 'Belle'	Lynne and Brian Phelan
Champion Pleurothallidinae	<i>Masdevallia</i> Zoe 'Thea's Sister'	Jane Wright
Champion Any Other Orchid	<i>Bulbophyllum wallichii</i>	Karen and Zoe Groeneveld
Champion Miniature Orchid	<i>Gastrochilus calceolaris</i>	Jane Wright
Champion Specimen Orchid	<i>Thelychiton tetragonus</i> 'Urunga'	Bill Ferris
Best Orchid Benched by a Novice Club Member	<i>Gastrophaius</i> Lady Ramona Harris	Nick Westerink
Dennis Diehm Memorial Prize for Most Successful Exhibitor		David Judge

**Orchid Society of Canberra Spring Show 2021 Popular Vote Results**

#	Class Name	Plant	Owner
<b>OPEN</b>			
1	Australian Native Epiphyte	<i>Dendrobium</i> Jonathan's Glory	Brian Dear
	<i>Others Benched:</i> <i>Doc. linguiformis</i> x2, <i>fairfaxii</i> , <i>schoenina</i> , <i>Thelychiton speciosus</i> x5, <i>tetragonus</i> x2, <i>capitisyork</i> , <i>melaleucaphilus</i> , <i>falcorostrus</i> , <i>Sarc. falcatus</i> , <i>Durabaculum undulatum</i> , <i>Den. Balnarring</i> , Australian Rhubarb Pie 'Knock Out', Amber Banks, Australian Artist, Andrew Persson, Memoria Garry Gregory, (Yondi x <i>gracillimum</i> ), Delicate Bride, <i>Dockrillia</i> Rosemary Jupp, Oliver-Jack Freckles 'Gerard', <i>Plectochilus</i> Kilgra		
2	Australian Native Terrestrial	<i>Pterostylis</i> Dusky Duke	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
	<i>Others Benched:</i> <i>Diuris orientis</i> , <i>Pterostylis baptistii</i> , <i>curta</i> (variegated form) x3		
3	Cymbidium	<i>Cymbidium</i> Dr Len 'Te-a-Moana'	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched:</i> <i>Cym floribundum</i> , <i>lowianum</i> , Anna Szabo 'Geyserland', Bedivere 'Highbury', Drouin Masterpiece 'Rena', Kiwi Midnight 'Geyserland', New Century 'Marie', Plush Canyon 'Beenak', Ruby Pendant 'Red Cascade', Sims Vision 'Barcelona'		
4	Laeliinae	<i>Rhyncolaeliocattleya</i> Taiwan Chief Bell 'Wish'	Tony Tritschler
	<i>Others Benched:</i> <i>Arpophyllum giganteum</i> , <i>C. coccinea</i> , <i>intermedia</i> , <i>jongheana</i> , <i>Dinema polybulbon</i> , <i>Epi. centropetalum</i> , <i>paniculatum</i> , <i>Rhyncolaeliocattleya</i> Burdekin Storm, Goldenzelle, <i>Rhyncattleanthe</i> Young-Min Orange 'Golden Satisfaction'		
5	Cypripedioidea	<i>Paphiopedilum</i> Michael Koopowitz <i>Paphiopedilum</i> Juliet (tied)	David Judge

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	<i>Others Benched: Paph. rothschildianum</i> x2, <i>urbanianum</i> , Bel Royal 'Terry Turner'; <i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Gigantic' x 'Samurai' (= 'Anisha')		
6	Monopodial Vandeeae	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> Gan Lin Yellow Lover	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched: Gastrochilus calceolaris, Microsaccus griffithii, Phal. lobbii</i> x2, <i>Phal. schilleriana, Phal. Sogo</i> Lawrence, <i>Phal. SION COMPILATION, Phal. unknown</i> x 3, <i>Vanda Peggy Foo</i> 'Angela'		
7	Oncidiinae	<i>Oncidium</i> Saint Clement 'Belle'	Lynne & Brian Phelan
	<i>Others Benched: Brassia rex, Brassidium Golden Harry, Oncidium Living Fire</i> 'Burning Embers' (Solar Landing x <i>maculatum</i> ), <i>Rodumnia Willowbank Whirl</i>		
8	Pleurothallidinae	<i>Masdevallia</i> Copperwing 'Sunburst'	Jane Wright
	<i>Others Benched: Acianthera bragae, Dracula vampira, Masdevallia caesia</i> x2, <i>Restrepia guttulata, mendozae, Zoe</i> 'Thea's Sister'		
9	Exotic Dendrobiinae	<i>Dendrobium</i> hybrid unknown	Ben & Xiaomei Wallace
	<i>Others Benched: Callista lindleyi</i> x2, <i>Coelandria armeniaca, Sayeria alexandrae, pallida, Dendrobium Yukidaruma</i> 'King'		
10	Coelogyninae	<i>Coleogyne</i> Unchained Melody	Bill Ferris
	<i>Others Benched: Coelogyne cristata</i> x2, <i>Dendrochilum coccineum, wenzelii, Coel Unchained Melody</i> x2		
11	Bulbophyllinae	<i>Bulbophyllum wallichii</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
	<i>Others Benched: Bulbophyllum ambrosia, elassoglossum, nasseri, spodotriche, Cirrhopetalum picturatum, Trias cambodiana</i>		
12	Maxillariinae	<i>Maxillaria densa</i>	Karen & Zoe Groeneveld
	<i>Others Benched: Trogonidium egertonianum</i>		
13	Exotic terrestrials	<i>Serapias lingua</i>	David Judge
	<i>Others Benched: Satyrium candidum, Serapias lingua, orientalis, Stenorrhynchos speciosus</i>		
14	Any Other Orchid	<i>Gongora rufescens</i>	Jane Wright
	<i>Others Benched: Gongora truncata,</i>		
<b>NOVICE</b>			
15	Australian Native	<i>Dendrobium</i> Midas Touch 'Red Legs',	Richard Mayoh
	<i>Others Benched: Sarc. fitzgeraldii, Thelychiton kingianus, speciosus</i> x2, Australian Artist 'Purple Tips', hybrid unknown		
16	Cymbidium	<i>Cymbidium</i> Devon Parish 'Ern's Choice'	Jullia Hu
	<i>Others Benched: Cymbidium lowianum, (Valley Vampire x Choc Nut)</i>		
18	Monopodial Vandeeae	<i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	Nick Westerink
	<i>Others Benched: nil</i>		
19	Any Other Orchid	<i>Gastrophaius</i> Lady Ramona Harris	Nick Westerink
	<i>Others Benched: Bletilla striata</i>		
OPEN Orchid of the Show		<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Gigantic' x 'Samurai' (= 'Anisha')	David Judge
NOVICE Orchid of the Show		<i>Gastrophaius</i> Lady Ramona Harris	Nick Westerink
Judges' Choice - Species		<i>Paphiopedilum rothschildianum</i> 'Gigantic' x 'Samurai' (= 'Anisha')	David Judge
Judges' Choice - Hybrid		<i>Oncidium</i> Saint Clement 'Belle'	Lynne & Brian Phelan
Judges' Choice - Specimen		<i>Thelychiton tetragonus</i> 'Urunga'	Bill Ferris

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Annual Show Class 8(x): Pleurothallidinae – Hybrid; First Prize and Champion Pleurothallid:  
*Masdevallia* Zoe 'Thea's Sister' Grower: Jane Wright



Annual Show Class 1(s): Australian epiphytic – species; Champion Specimen:  
*Thelychiton tetragonus* 'Urunga' Grower: Bill Ferris

## Upcoming Events

### Albury-Wodonga Orchid Workshop

The workshop is being held on 21<sup>st</sup> of November 2021. Cost is \$40, which includes morning tea, a two-course lunch and 3 very informative speakers (Jane Wright, Steve Dunstan and Ray Clements). If you would like to attend, could you please deposit your \$40.00 into the club's account by 31<sup>st</sup> October (details below). Morning tea will commence at 9:30am and lunch will be approximately 12 noon. The address is Wodonga Raider's Football and Netball Clubrooms, Marshall St. West Wodonga. Should you have any further queries, please phone Stephen on 0400 457 400. There will be raffles and possibly plant sales. The account details:

Hume Bank BSB 640 000  
Account number 111092534

### Horticultural Society of Canberra Spring Exhibition and Rose Show

This is going ahead on 13-14 November at Lancaster Hall, Wesley Centre, Forrest. Orchid Exhibitors are welcome. Please check the schedule here for orchid classes and entry details:

[https://hsoc.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Schedule\\_for\\_Spring\\_Exhibition\\_and\\_Rose\\_Show\\_2021.pdf](https://hsoc.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Schedule_for_Spring_Exhibition_and_Rose_Show_2021.pdf)

## Awarded Plant

Special mention needs to be made of one of David Judge's entries in the Annual Show. The Judges determined that his *Paphiopedilum rothschildianum* 'Anisha' was deserving of an AM (Award of Merit) from the OSNSW. An Award of Merit is the second highest award (after FCC – First Class Cross) that can be given to an Australian orchid. Congratulations, David!



Annual Show Class 5(s): Cyripedioideae – Species; First Prize and Champion of Show:  
*Paphiopedilum rothschildianum* 'Anisha' Grower: David Judge