

CYMBIDIUM NEWS

Published by the Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc.

<http://www.cymorcsa.com.au> also see us on **Facebook**

Print Post Approved PP 100018071



May Meeting

Judge's Choice Best Overall

Best in Open Division

**Open Division
Best Small Standard Pink**

Vanessa Amorosi 'Stargate'

Grown by Graham Morris



At left

Best in First Division

**First Division
1st Intermediate Brown**

The Real Thing '105'

Grown by Andrew Koch

Below

Best in Second Division

**Second Division
1st Small Standard Cream**

Lucky Strike x Valley Fire

Grown by Peter Hennesey



Cymbidium News, Volume 19 No. 5 June 2017

The New Cymbidium News is published monthly, February to November inclusive and is the Official Newsletter of the **Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc**

Editor Graham Morris Ph 0419 823 724 email gralinmorris@bigpond.com

Patron Angus Irwin Neutrog Australia Pty Ltd

President Graham Fear Ph 0421 053 951 woodworthpark1@bigpond.com

Club Postal Address 11 Jeanes Ave, Glenelg North 5045

Treasurer Christine Robertson, Ph 08 8536 3948 kloval@westnet.com.au
PO Box 454, Strathalbyn 5255

Registrar of Judges Ben Knobben Ph 08 8356 0215 bcknob@adam.com.au

Assistant Registrar Chee Ng Ph 0411 776 507 chee78@optusnet.com.au

Immed. Past Pres. Des Bettcher Ph 0466 797 485 kangas53@hotmail.com

Committee Members

Vice President,	Barry Bailey	0428 847 042	barrybailey2@bigpond.com
Junior Vice President	Wayne Baylis	08 8235 0340	wwbaylis@bigpond.net.au
1 year term	Max Kahlbaum	08 8356 9625	maxkahl39@gmail.com
1 year term	John Howard	0419 814 981	hijon@adam.com.au
1 year term	Adrian Bockman	0439 803 261	ajbocky@yahoo.com.au
2 year term	Moss Bray	08 8382 8822	simsorch@bigpond.com
2 year term	Ben Knobben	08 8356 0215	bcknob@adam.com.au
2 year term	Alex Priadko	0418 897 465	priadkohome@bigpond.com
Show Marshalls	Peter Aigner Muehler and Wayne Baylis		

Life Members

Ray Brady,	Moss Bray,	John Longbottom,	Yvonne Longbottom,
Graham Morris,	Dean Roesler #,	Jeanne Hall #,	Wayne Baylis,
Ben Knobben	Brian & Shirley Brand,		# indicates Deceased

Index

May meeting photos	Page 1, 2, 23 & 24
Committee details & Index	Page 3
President's Message	Page 4
Your Committee, get to know them	Page 5
May meeting showbench results	Pages 6, 7
June meeting guest speaker introduction	Page 7
Munno Para Winter Show information	Page 8, 9
Beginner's nursery tour report	Page 10
Photos of Beginners Tour & SAROC Show	Pages 11, 12, 13 & 14
Announcements	Page 15
Pauline's laboratory Service, Trading table details	Page 16
June Meeting Agenda	Page 17
Notice Board	Page 18
Interstate Cymbidium Clubs, Facebook information	Page 19
Neutrog	Pages 20 & 22
Garden City Plastics July Special	Page 21

We are now on Facebook. Lots of up to date information and photos. Over 1000 views on many postings. Follow this link <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Cymbidium-Orchid-Club-of-South-Australia/149369758460045?hc>

COPYRIGHT All contributions in the New Cymbidium News, which have acknowledged authors, are automatically covered by copyright. We believe that most authors would be willing to allow free use of articles for publishing elsewhere, if written approval is sought, through the Secretary of this Club.



Graham Fear

Presidents Message June 2017

Welcome to our June issue. Another great meeting in May, with another informative insight into our grower of the month, Glenn Stearns. What a great set up he has down at Goolwa, with his trials and tribulations growing in a salty environment. He is to be congratulated for the result he is getting down there. Thank you Glenn for showing us how you do things.

Thanks to our guest speaker from Victoria, Phil Grech, for a very informative insight into his organic fertilising program, and how he grows his orchids in Bairnsdale, Victoria. Thanks also to David Wain for bringing Phil

over, and for bringing an array of plants which were quickly sold out.

Chee Ng will bring some more plants in this month, so if you missed out last month, there will be another trading table of his at our June meeting. Chee has some very good plants at a reasonable prices. If any other members would like to sell plants on a Trading Table, just let me know, and as long as we don't clash too much with our guest speakers selling plants, we can find you a time to do it.

The SAROC show has come and gone. Many thanks to Ben Knobben, for putting up, and organising the display, with very few plants to choose from. It ended up being a very good display, thanks to all who brought in plants. Well done to Chee, who won a major prize with Cara Black #2, Champion Cymbidium under 60mm. Our winter show at Munno Para is only three weeks away starting on Saturday 8th July. Here's hoping some flowers start to open up, as I know most of you are having the same trouble, plenty of spikes but no flowers yet. We want as many as possible for the displays and trading table, so let's hope we get the flowering going in the next couple of weeks.

We will be trialling Rosettes instead of sashes at the winter show, as they look smarter, don't take up too much space, and are better priced than sashes. They are used by many other clubs, so it will be interesting to see how good they look. One thing new that we will be doing at this year's show, after many requests from members, we will trial putting our show numbers on the back of our plant name cards. **Don't forget to put them on the back not on the front.**

This month we will be getting an insight into Max Kahlbaum's set up, as Grower of the Month. We will all look forward to seeing how he grows his orchids and what set up he has.

From now on the beginner's class will run from 7.00pm to 7.40pm so all participants can have time to look at the show plants on display, and vote on the single flower contest, as previously they just finish and we start the main meeting.

June is as busy as ever, with spikes getting bigger, hoping they will open in time for the show or trading table, and our normal weekly maintenance. No rain over the last few months has increased the need to water more frequently, and fill up empty water tanks. Let's hope it turns around soon.

The committee has come up with some great ideas for our break up November meeting, which we will let you know more about, as we finalize planning in the next month or so.

I look forward to seeing you all on the 28th

Kind Regards

Graham Fear

President

Committee and Major Support Members 2017



Christine Robertson



Ben Knobben



Barry Bailey



Wayne Baylis



Max Kahlbaum



John Howard



Adrian Bockmann



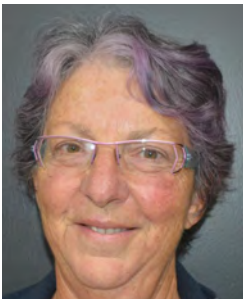
Moss Bray



Alex Priadko



Chee Ng
(Assistant Registrar)



Sue Hollands
WebMaster (Mistress?)



Max Kahlbaum

Not presented here yet (next month) Peter Aigner Muehler

May 2017 meeting Showbench results

(If viewing in single page mode, Page 7 adjoins the RHS of these results)

Prize	Class	Prize
Judge's Choice	Best Overall	
Judge's Choice	Best in Open Division	
Judge's Choice	Best in First Division	
Judge's Choice	Best in Second Division	
Judge's Choice	Best Small Standard Seedling	
Judge's Choice	Best Intermediate Seedling	
Judge's Choice	Best Miniature Seedling	
Open Division	Small Standard Pink	1st
Open Division	Intermediate White	1st
Open Division	Intermediate Brown	1st
Open Division	Miniature Other Colour	1st
First Division	Small Standard Other Colour	1st
First Division	Intermediate Brown	1st
Second Division	Small Standard Cream	1st

Showbench results – May 2017 meeting

Open Division

Vanessa Amorosi ‘Stargate’ Grown by Graham Morris

This plant was growing in a 175mm pot, with 14 flowers on a single flower spike. The colour was a pale pink, radiating out to white. The lip was white, with a dash of yellow in the centre. The edge was pink with maroon spotting

First Division

The Real Thing ‘105’

Grown by Andrew Koch

This was a healthy, well grown plant in a 250mm pot. There were 5 flower spikes with all flowers open, and 1 spike of buds. The flowers were a rich brown, with a bold red lip, and 10 to 12 flowers per spike. An unusual feature was that 1 flower spike had slight feathering.

Second Division

Lucky Strike x Valley Fire Grown by Peter Hennesey

6

This plant was in a 200mm pot, with 6 flower spikes of up to 9 flowers per spike. They were a creamy green colour, with well displayed maroon spotted lips.

(If viewing in single page mode, the LHS of this page adjoins page 6 RHS)

Plant Name

Vanessa Amorosi 'Stargate'
Vanessa Amorosi 'Stargate'
The Real Thing '105'
Lucky Strike x Valley Fire
Anzac Gold x Valley Freestyle
Sundaani Storm 'Tylo'
Sundaani Autumn ('Tess' x 'Nellie')
Vanessa Amorosi 'Stargate'
Vanessa Amorosi 'Regal'
Sundaani Storm 'Tylo'
Sundaani Autumn ('Tess' x 'Nellie')
Anzac Gold x Valley Freestyle
The Real Thing '105'
(Lucky Strike x Valley Fire)

Exhibitor

Graham Morris
Graham Morris
Andrew Koch
Peter Hennessy
Chee Ng
Pauline & Mark Hockey
Pauline & Mark Hockey
Graham Morris
Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju
Pauline & Mark Hockey
Pauline & Mark Hockey
Chee Ng
Andrew Koch
Peter Hennessy

June meeting Guest Speaker Geoffrey Bailey

Geoff is the Editor of the Australian Cymbidium Scent magazine. He is a very experienced and popular speaker at Orchid Club meetings. Geoff was recently invited to speak at the Santa Barbara (USA) International Orchid Show Congress.

This show is huge, with very large numbers of visitors, and a huge numbers of plants sold during the show, often at large prices.

The show itself is spectacular, with many huge and very professional displays on show. Many other genera of orchids are displayed, as well as the cymbidiums.

Geoff will talk about the show, and show photos of many of the plants on display. The cymbidiums are very different to those winning major prizes at Australian Shows. The spotted types, and the pendulous varieties are very much worth coming to see. Don't miss this meeting.

Geoff will also ask the question "Where to now", and will undoubtedly challenge the progressive growers to seek even greater challenges.

There will be a few plants offered for sale, sourced from Collector's₇ Corner (Victoria). They are renowned for producing superior pendulous varieties. Get in quick. There won't be many available.

Also available will be plants from our local grower Chee Ng. He has some great plants available

Munno Para Show Saturday 12th July to Saturday 19th July 2017

Entry is via the eastern entrance.

Turn left at the Uley Road traffic lights, then right at the round-about (third entrance or Cheap as Chips).

Shopping Centre is open till 5.00pm. Our club members can enter after 5.00pm, but please wear your membership badge

Put in for plants to be judges is from 5 00 pm— 5 45 pm. Judging starts at 6.00pm.

All displays to be completed and fenced by 10.30pm.

Any person with plants for displays, but not in judging, may place them in any of the display areas.

Open Division

Will be sign posted and in the best lighted areas.

First Division .

As above

Second Division

As above

There are the five (5) colour classes: -

Predominately White/Cream

Predominately Yellow/Green

Predominately Red/Bn.

Predominately Pink

Any Other Colour

There are four (4) flower sizes: -

Large StandardOver 100 mm,

Small Standard.....85 mm—100 mm

Intermediate.....60 mm— 85 mm,

Miniature.....Under 60mm

Measurements are horizontally across the widest part of the flower.

There are three (3) divisions:

Open

First

Second

All plants must be clean and virus free or the judges or show marshal will reject them. The judge's decisions are final. Should any protest be lodged, the Show Marshal will call a panel to give a decision

The sole sponsor shall be Munno Para Shopping Centre.

Munno Para Winter Show 2017 Prize schedule

Grand Champion	\$50
Champion Seedling	\$10
Champion large standard seedling	\$10
Champion small standard seedling	\$10
Champion intermediate seedling	\$10
Champion miniature seedling	\$10
Champion large standard	\$10
Best Specimen	\$10
Best species	\$10

All plants exhibited can receive a \$3.00 payment so long as they are of showbench quality. Please provide a list of your plants to the Show Marshall, Peter Aigner Muehler or one of his deputies.

Take out is 5.00pm on Saturday 19th July **after 5.00pm**

Foliage plants may be used to supplement displays

Shopping Hours	
Sunday	11.00am to 5.00pm
Monday to Thursday & Friday	8.00am to 5.30pm
Thursday	8.00am to 9.00pm
Saturday	8.00am to 5.00pm

Security guards will be in attendance, so please wear club membership badges when in the shopping centre.

At least two (2) people are required, at all times, to monitor displays, to man the trading table, and to answer any questions from the public.

Trading Table Munno Para Winter Show July 2017

People who assist on the trading table, or assist with security for at least four (4) hours during the show, will pay only 20% on trading table sales. Others pay 25%, except those working, or operating a business, or for special circumstances. The four (4) hours, only applies from Sunday to Friday trading hours, inclusive.

The show sales help us fund both the club and our hobby, as well as providing an opportunity to showcase orchids to the public and possibly new members

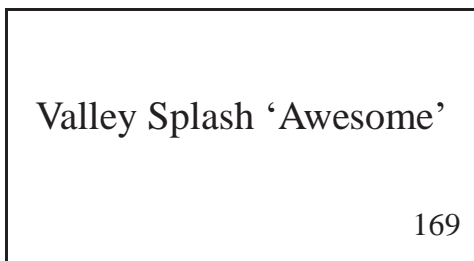
We will need members to man the trading table so please help us help you by volunteering to spend some time helping out.

Keeping up sufficient quality plants for sale can be an issue and so members are urged to provide as many plants as possible for the trading table.

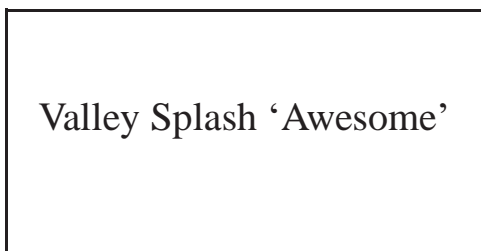
It makes the sellers job easier if plants and pots are presented in a clean and acceptable condition. Record sheets, labels and pop sticks for selling, and plant labels for showing, will be available at the June meeting

A light dinner will be provided on Saturday 12th for all exhibitors and helpers

The labelling style below **is not to be used for Munno Para**



Please put your exhibitor number on the **rear of the label** as below



On Sunday 21st May, Graham Morris organised an informal gathering of keen orchid growers to meet at his house, to learn more about different aspects of growing cymbidium orchids.

About 20 people attended including experienced growers, as well as "beginners" and everyone found it a most informative day. Graham showed the group how he successfully grows orchids in his shade house, as well as how to identify potential pests and viruses in the plants. In addition, he discussed the uses of a variety of fertilisers and pesticides. There were lots of opportunities to ask questions and Graham was always happy to resolve any concerns or challenges growers face with their plants.

After this session, the group visited well known COCSA member, Kevin Western's property at Coromandel Valley. Kevin gave the group the opportunity to tour his extensive shade houses, as well as his tissue culture laboratories. Members were intrigued by his incredible range and varieties of orchids, and the method of cultivation in controlled environments, as well as in external shaded areas. There were opportunities to ask questions about the process involved in cloning, and cultivating seedlings. Kevin was generous in sharing his time and expertise. Following this, the group returned to Graham's place for a pizza lunch before heading off to Adrian Bockman's place and then on to our President, Graham Fear's home.

All attendees found this day most informative, as members could learn from the "experts", as well as gain some motivation to persist with their plants, even when challenged by slugs, virus problems, and / or no spikes!

A special thank you to Graham, Kevin, Adrian and Graham.

Thank you to Felicity for this report.

We plan to have more teaching sessions, similar to this one, in the future.

Just a little more on the tour. The collections visited were specifically chosen, to give a good cross section of the types of collections which our members have developed.

The Morris collection is relatively large (about 150 square metres).

It consists of about 70% (by space) of mature plants, and 30% small plants, ranging from just deflasked, to ready to pot on into flowering size pots. More than 60% are seedlings. It is typical of a more experienced grower, particularly in that plants are overcrowded.

Kevin Western was chosen mainly to show the visitors what a tissue culture laboratory is like. Kevin also has some relatively large growing areas (shadedcloth covered, also polycarbonate covered areas), and grows a wide range of orchids, other than cymbidiums. Most of the group were shocked and amazed to see what is involved in operating a tissue culture laboratory. Thank you to Kevin for allowing us to see your nursery.

Adrian Bockman's collection was chosen to show what can be achieved in a relatively short time. Adrian has been a member of our club for just a few years, but has put together a good sized and very comprehensive collection. He has worked hard and put a lot of thought into establishing his growing environment, and his collection. Expect to see him winning some good prizes soon. Thank you to Adrian and his partner Margaret, for allowing us to visit.

Graham Fear is also relatively new to our club. He also has established a significant collection, in just a few years. He has utilized a number of available areas in his garden, and is producing very good results. It is particularly interesting to compare what he has done, with Adrian's efforts. They have both made the best use of what areas they have available. Thank you to Graham and Anne, for allowing us to visit.

We hope the beginners can use some of the methods they saw, to establish their own collections. It was really good to get this group together, and get to know one another. It is now really a club, within a larger club. More members are welcome.



Above Some of the Beginners at the recent 'Beginner's Nursery Tour'
Below Kiwi Devonport 'Flying High' Geoff Bailey may bring some for sale





The COCSA display at the recent SA Regional Orchid Council Show at the Parade Ground in early June. Below is Chee Ng's plant of Cara Black #2, which was Champion Cym under 60mm





**Cara Black #2
(Close up)**

**Champion
Cymbidium
Less than 60mm**

**At the SAROC
Show**

**Grown by
Chee Ng**

**Plants for sale at the
SAROC Show
By a well known
COCSA member
Moss Bray**





SAROC Show



Please note the following show dates for 2017

**Munno Para Put in Saturday 8th July, Show runs Sunday 9th till Saturday 15th
Take out Saturday 15th July after 5.00pm**

**West Lakes Put in Saturday 26th August. Show runs Sunday 27th till Sat. 2nd Sept.
Take out Saturday 2nd September after 5.00pm**

Please start your planning soon, to make the shows a huge success.

**Interstate Shows - Dural (NSW) 11th to 13th August
Victoria 8th to 10th September**

Both these shows are very worth attending. It is not difficult (or overly expensive) to travel there. Early booking of transport and accommodation is worthwhile.

In next month's magazine, I intend to publish a list of goods and service providers for Cymbidium growers in South Australia.

I have already compiled a preliminary list, which I will display at the June meeting.

Please browse the list, and let me know if there are more supplies who should be included. If I have any wrong information, I would really appreciate a friendly suggestion on any corrections required.

Beginners please note

We will start at 7.00pm (not 7.15pm) to make time for you to view the plants on the Showbench, and to vote for flower of the night.

Note also

Chee Ng will have plants for sale, before and after the meeting.

If you are not using a sterilant to clean your cutting tools etc, you are packing your collection at risk of becoming infected with a virus. ¹⁵

Tri Sodium Phosphate (TSP) is available from the trading table in small bags, and is great for easily sterilizing any tools.

PAULINE'S LABORATORY SERVICE

FOR ALL ASPECT OF CYMBIDIUM
TISSUE CULTURE

CONTACT PAULINE OR KEV McLEAN

PHONE...(08) 8386 0430

POSTAL ADDRESS...13 WENTWORTH ST.
MOANA
S.A. 5169

EMAIL....kevin.mclean3@bigpond.com

TRADING TABLE SUPPLIES

250mm Pot	\$1.30
200mm Pot	.80c
180mm Pot	.60c
140mm Pot	.50c
Stakes Bundle 25	\$3.50
Twist Ties Bundle 100	\$2.00
Labels Bundle 25	\$2.00
Calcium Nitrate	\$2.50
4 Head Dropper	\$9.00
Single Head Dropper	\$4.50
Trisodium Phosphate	\$5.00 per 500g, \$10 per Kg

Larger bags available but pre ordering is required.

Please phone Wayne Baylis to order

Home 08 8235 0340, Mobile 0417 887 431

(Best time to call is early evening on home number)

**The next Meeting of the
Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc.
will be held on**

**Wednesday 28th June 2017
at the**

Burnside Community Centre, 401 Greenhill Road, Tasmore, SA

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

Program - June 2017 Meeting

7.00 pm Auditorium opens

7.00pm Beginners Class (All welcome). Note earlier start to allow participants to vote on flower of night, before main meeting starts

8.00 pm June Meeting commences.

8.10pm Max Kahlbaum will tell us how he grows his plants

8.30pm Our guest speaker will be Geoff Bailey from Melbourne. Geoff is the Editor of the Australian Cymbidium Scene Magazine, and a well known Judge. He recently visited the Santa Barbara (USA) Show, and will show pictures of that show. He will also discuss "WHERE TO in the future", which is sure to generate some lively discussion. Don't miss it. He will bring some very special plants for sale

9.15pm Judges discuss flowers displayed including single flower competition

**9.30pm Meeting closes
Please remain for light supper and friendly discussions**

The July meeting is Wednesday 26th July

Supper Roster 2017

June Trevor & Margaret Jacob

July Julie & Stacy Bagwell

August Glenn & Daphne Stearnes

September Trevor & Margaret Jacob

October Geoff & Lucy Spear

November Barry Bailey and Xmas helpers

NOTICE
IN FUTURE ONLY PREORDERED ITEMS
WILL BE BROUGHT TO MEETINGS

For enquires regarding Pots, Stakes, Foggers, Labels,
Calcium Nitrate, etc.;

Please contact Wayne Baylis
Home 8235 0340 Mobile 0417 887 431

PLANTS WANTED

2 x Tethys 'Black Magic'
Zumma Boyd 'Magnificent, Appleby 'Carolina'
D Bettcher 0451 035 045

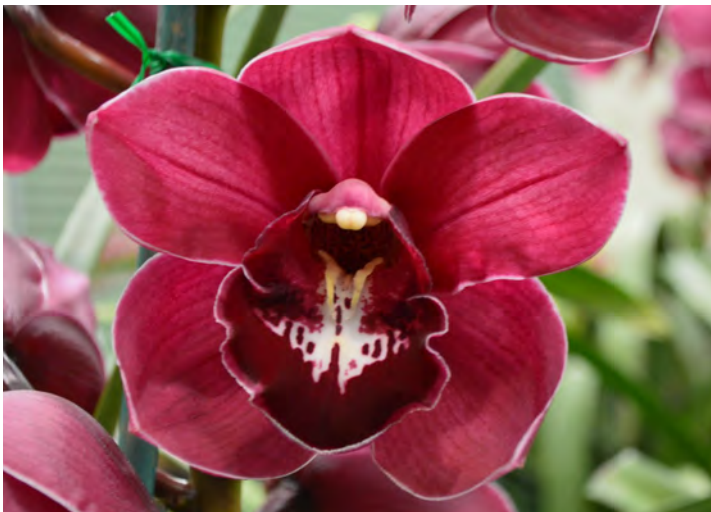


Cuddles 'Orange' Peter Aiger-Muehler 0422483567
Flaming Pepper 'Black Magic' Alex Priadko 0418897465

Black Flame 'Starburst' Julie Bagwell

Bags of TriSodium Phosphate are now available from the trading table (for sterilizing cutting tools etc). One Kilogram bag \$10, 500 grams \$5.00. Larger bags are available on request.

Note, these prices are much cheaper than you can get privately.



This is Regal Flames 'Queen of Hearts'. It is a sensational new Champion Cymbidium. You can only see the colour of this flower, by registering to receive this magazine as an Email. We can only print a few pages in colour, and this page is not one of them. We will be publishing more colour photos in future. Register soon to see them all

Single Flower Competition (May to October only)

At each meeting this year, we will be promoting a single flower competition. We love you to bring your whole plant in flower to exhibit, but there are many reasons why this may not be possible. If this is the case, take this opportunity to show off your single flowers. Please ensure the plant name is on a card, and if possible add a short description of the plant. For example indicate how many flowers per spike, plant size and how many flower spikes, or any other points of interest. Flowers exhibited should be collected after the meeting by the exhibitor. If not possible, please arrange an alternative arrangement with the judges when presenting your flowers for judging. Flowers not collected will be destroyed.

Interstate Cymbidium Clubs

Cymbidium Club of Australia (NSW)

Secretary Mrs Judith Brooks Ph 02 9773 9197 email jahamilton.17@btinternet.com **Web-site** ccansw.com.au **Facebook** [cymbidiumclubofaustralia](https://www.facebook.com/cymbidiumclubofaustralia)

Meetings are on the second Thursday, March to November

Cymbidium Orchid Society of Victoria

Secretary Julie Forrest Ph 0417 339026

email efo28308@bigpond.net.au.

Website cosv.com.au Meetings Second Tuesday February to December

Cymbidium Orchid Club of Western Australia

Secretary Helen Stretch Ph 08 9362 4120 email hstretch2007@bigpond.com

Website cymbidiumorchidclubwa.com.au Meetings third Monday Feb. to Nov.

For details of other South Australian Orchid Clubs, refer to our Web Site cymorchidssa.com.au

Our “Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia” Facebook site is receiving well over 1000 views per posting, from growers all around the world. Plants shown at our meetings are posted, and we try to add some interesting articles, which often cannot be published in this magazine. Try to look in on us and support the site (please).

Stop Press We recently received well over 5000 views in 24 hours for the posting of Spotted Madam ‘Brydie’ We regularly get over 1000 views in the first 24 hours, sometimes 2000+ views, but never before well over 5000

Refer also to our Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Website
cymorchidssa.com.au

**Please note the product range below
and new pricing.
All will be available at Club Mates Rates**

SPECIALIST FERTILISERS

Bush Tucker
An organically based fertiliser, developed for the specialised needs of Australian native plants - even the most phosphorous sensitive. 20kg bag **\$37**

Gyganic
Perfect for fruit and citrus. Gyganic has been specifically developed to enhance fruit size, quality and taste. 20kg bag **\$37**

Kahoona
Ideal for all acid loving plants such as Camellias, Gardenias, Azaleas and Rhododendrons. 20kg bag **\$37**

Sudden Impact for Roses
Ideal for all flowering and fruiting plants - not just roses. 20kg bag **\$37**

Strike Back for Orchids
Ideal for all potted flowering and fruiting plants - not just orchids. 20kg bag **\$37**

Strike Back for Orchids Liquid
Ideal for all potted flowering and fruiting plants - not just orchids. 1L bottle **\$14**

Sudden Impact for Lawns
Ideal for new and established lawns, along with other non-flowering plants such as palms, ferns and conifers, as well as leafy vegetables and herbs. 20kg bag **\$37**

Upurge
Ideal for turf to improve soil structure and increase earthworm activity, root growth and resistance to pests and disease. 7.5kg bag **\$20**

ORGANIC FERTILISERS

Bounce Back
A high quality, general purpose fertiliser, specifically formulated for the most effective and safe feeding of all your garden plants. Ideal for winter and summer application. 100% organic and ACO registered. 20kg bag **\$17**

Rapid Raiser
A high quality, boosted general purpose fertiliser. The increased phosphorus level makes it ideal for planting and promotes faster, healthier and sustained growth for all plants. Particularly suitable for heavy feeding plants such as roses and citrus. 100% organic and ACO registered. 20kg bag **\$17**

Blade Runner
A high quality, general purpose lawn fertiliser. Ideal for all use on all lawns, particularly new lawns and summer application of established lawns where the slow release properties help to prevent thatch build up. 100% organic and ACO registered. 15kg bag **\$19**

Rocket Fuel
Specifically developed for growing healthy, organic fruit and vegetables. A portion of all retail sales go to supporting the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Foundation. 100% organic and ACO registered. 15kg bag **\$17**

Cock'n Bull
A mix of cow and chicken manure. Cock'n Bull is ideal for conditioning the soil whilst adding nutrients. A perfect additive to any garden or veggie bed. 100% organic and ACO registered. 30L bag **\$10**

Meat Works Blood 'n' Bone
An all-purpose organic fertiliser manufactured from meat and bone meal. 25kg bag **\$37**

BOOKS SA VC NSW

From the Ground Up SA, VC, NSW

Seamungus Pellets
Ideally suited for establishing new plants (particularly bare-rooted roses) and for use on natives. Seamungus can also be used as a plant tonic to revitalise all your plants throughout the year. 100% organic and ACO registered. 20kg bag **\$27**

Seamungus Liquid
Ideally suited for establishing new plants (particularly bare-rooted roses) and for use on natives. Seamungus can also be used as a plant tonic to revitalise all your plants throughout the year. 1L bottle **\$14**

Seamungus Green
The smaller crumble form makes Seamungus Green ideal for lawns and in dry conditions where more immediate breakdown is required. It can also be used as a plant tonic to revitalise all your plants throughout the year. 100% organic and ACO registered. 20kg bag **\$32**

GOGO Juice
A pro-biotic for your soil and plants. GOGO Juice provides all the benefits of applying liquid kelp, seaweed and humic acid, whilst adding beneficial bacteria to assist in breaking down the organic matter, maximising the nutrients available to your plants.

1L Concentrate **\$14**
2L Concentrate **\$19**
2L Ready to Use **\$14**

20 LITRE

As noted in the magazine last month, John Howard is now managing our Neutrog products.

Regularly stocked items will be

20Kg Strike Back for Orchids, 20kg Rapid Raiser, 20Kg Seamungus Pellets
1 Litre Seamungus liquid, GoGo Juice 1 & 2 Litre Concentrate and 2 litre premixed.

All other products shown above, are available, but need to be ordered at least 1 week before each monthly meeting, if required that month.

Collect from John at Strathalbyn or at meetings
John Howard Phone 0419 814 981 Please phone him before visiting him.



GCP July 2017 SPECIAL

10-12 Hakkinen Road

Wingfield, SA 5013

Phone: (08) 8168 4100

Fax: (08) 8168 4199

Email: sa@gardencityplastics.com

20% Off Damm Watering equipment For July

1st July through to the 31st July 2017

(There may have been a price increase since your last purchase)



DRAMM WAND SET

Prices last time on special . (May have increased a little now)

16" wand set - \$37.49 - 20% = \$29.99 + gst = \$32.99

30" wand set - \$43.48 - 20% = \$34.78+ gst = \$38.26

9 position revolver sprayer- \$23.19 -20% =\$18.55+ gst =\$20.41

Neutrog are great supporters of our Club.

**Please support them wherever possible and tell others
about them**

The Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia, was actively involved in developing and testing Strike Back for Orchids and endorses it's use.

Strike Back[®] for Orchids



Follow us on facebook via
the link on our website

NEUTROG[™]

The Experts' Choice

www.neutrog.com.au



**Above Judge's Choice Best Miniature seedling Grown by Mark & Pauline Hockey
Sundaani Autumn 'Tess' x Sundaani Autumn 'Nellie'**

**Below Open Division 1st Intermediate White Vanessa Amorosi 'Regal'
Grown by Michael Willoughby and Oui Ju**





Above

**Judge's Choice
Best Small Standard**

Anzac Gold x Valley Freestyle

Grown by Chee Ng



At Left

**Judge's Choice
Best Intermediate Seedling**

Sundaani Storm 'Tylo'

**Grown by 24
Pauline and Mark Hockey**