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Canaliculatum 'Alba-A1'

Grown By Rodger Herraman





Best In First Division, Best Specimen and Miniature Other Colour
Kuranda Arthur Dawson
Grown By Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju



Templestowe's Charm "Aiden"
Grown By David Wain
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Presidents Annual Report - 2015

Angus Irwin of (Neutrog Australia Pty Ltd) was the Patron for our club during 2015. Thank you to Angus Irwin for your support and to Neutrog Aust. P/L for their sponsorship to our club during 2015.

Thank you to the 2015 club committee. The committee included Des Bettcher (President), Michael Willoughby (Senior Vice President), Barry Bailey (Junior Vice President), Lyn Staunton Smith (Secretary), Christine Robertson (Treasurer), and committee members Graham Fear - two years (Editor), Peter Rawlins - two years (Webmaster), Max Kahlbaum - one year, Oui Ju - one year, Chee Ng - one year, and Tony Cumming - two years.

The monthly general meetings, from February to November, were held at the Burnside Community Centre on the fourth Wednesday of each month. Our club provided members with a broad range superior speakers, orchid competitions, and social interaction. Speakers for the year included, Paul Dipuglia (Neutrog), Eddie Ng, Colin Gillespie, Kevin Western, David Gynn, Barry Bailey, Gary Edwards (Garden City Plastics) and club members involved in panel discussions and slide presentations.)

General meetings have been strongly supported by you the members, who have embraced the strong influence of both local and interstate/international speakers. a number of whom supply members with a new varied supply of new seedlings and clones.

Last year saw the continued development of a new look monthly magazine which continues to develop. The new colour supplement, magazine layouts and articles implemented by our editor Graham Fear in our monthly magazine has produced a superior quality appearance welcomed by all members.

The introduction of emailing our magazine has only been embraced by a small number of our members, as many of our members may not be computer literate. This is an ideal way to receive the magazine as it assists with easier member storage and reduces club costs. I believe this process will increase in the future.

The regular updating of our facebook has been particularly exciting.

Updates every two days are receiving a100+ visits, 7212 likes and 437 shares in last six months. Our Facebook Manager (Graham Morris) informs me we received around 102,000+ hits last six months. The greatest amount of interest has been from non-club members.

Our club annual shows were strongly supported by our club membership despite an unusually cold start to the season.

Our Winter Show show plants equalled numbers shown in the previous year. The annual Spring Show likewise provided an attractive display of mid season flowering Cymbidiums. Our thanks go to the Munno Para Shopping Centre for hosting our Winter Show and the West Lakes Shopping Centre for hosting the Spring Show.

The Cymbidium Orchid Spectacular, held at the Noarlunga Leisure Centre in late August, sponsored by Onkaparinga City Council and supported by Neutrog, Greg Bryant Orchids and numerous other commercial orchid nurseries, businesses and individual was a tremendous success.

The sub-committee for the spectacular comprising Ray Brady, Wayne Baylis, Ben Knobben and Moss Bray designed, organised and supervised the orchid spectacular to it's success.

The club's financial position is good, with our club producing a slight profit in 2105 including the orchid spectacular. Many thanks to our treasurer who did a great job of keeping the books.

The judging panel comprising Moss Bray, Kevin Mclean, Peter Hall, Ben Knobben, Barry Bailey, Laurie and Sue Carter, Bill Jayne, and Emeritus Judges, once again has carried out a challenging commitment to our club.

Neutrog Fertiliser continues to support our club by providing members with a range of fertilising products at reduced prices. Many thanks go to Neutrog for their continued support.

Congratulations to all club members who supported the Cymbidium Club this year. Supporters included, show-bench exhibitors, supper conveners, show helpers, seedling suppliers, new members conveners, photographers, committee and club members, etc.

Presidents Message February 2016

Happy New Year and welcome to all members of the Cymbidium Club of South Australia Inc. for 2016.

As the retireing president I am taking this opportunity to thank the committee for their support and help during 2015. Also to the members of the Cym. Club. - thank you also for your club support during 2015. An organisation cannot run efficiently without the support of it's membership.

Our February meeting agenda incorporates our Annual General Meeting.

Nominations have been received for all of the vacated positions. As only one nomination has been received for each position, none of

the committee positions will require to be voted on by the general meeting.

This is a gentle reminder that your annual club subscription is now due.

This month's general meeting agenda will include voting for Orchid of the Year 2015, presentation of Seedling of the Year 2015, presentation of 2015 plant aggregate awards and presentation of 2015 AWARDS.

2015 ended with fires to the North of Adelaide which threatened a number of orchid growers, and 2016 began with a short hot period and has dissolved into a warm humid adventure integrated with a good rainfall which has in some areas erupted into floods.

I hope all of you weathered the extremes over the last couple of months and of course your orchids too. But we must not forget HOT weather is still possible over the next couple of months. This is the time of the year to be extra observant when it comes to protecting your plants and making sure your watering program is sufficient to supply your plants. After all, you don't want all your efforts over the last couple of months, to prepare your orchids for this year, to be spoiled by a brief HOT spell this year.

I look forward to another great year as a member of the Cym. Club which I am sure will offer an exciting and interesting program this year.

I wish the new committee all the best for the coming year.

See you at the next meeting.

Des Bettcher

PLANT WRITE UPS November Meeting 2015

Best In Open Division, Overall, Species and Miniature Pure Colour Canaliculatum 'Alba-A1'

Grown By Rodger Herraman

This was a fabulous flowering of one of our Australian native cymbidiums. It was the rare and much sought after, alba form, grown by Roger Herraman. It was seed raised from a flask produced by Kevin Western.

This plant had 3 flower spikes with about 80 or so flowers per spike. A great effort by our highly acknowledged canaliculatum expert. Well done Roger.

Best In First Division, Best Overall and Miniature Other Colour Kuranda "Arthur Dawson".

Grown By Michael Willoughby & Oui Ju

This plant was well grown by Michael and Oui, who present it each year to perfection. It comes from the mating of two Australian native Cymbidiums madidum and suave, and was registered in 1972.

The variety, "Arthur Dawson" is probably the best known of the Kuranda clones, and has been used successfully in breeding programs.

This plant had multiple flower spikes, with 50 or so flowers on many of the spikes. Well done Michael and Oui

Templestowe's Charm "Aiden"

Limited Special Purchase available to members 18 plants only

We posted pictures of Templestowe's Charm "Aiden" on the club Facebook site recently.

It received a huge amount of views, comments, likes and shares. It is relatively new and a high quality intermediate pink.

It was flowered by David Wain, a good friend of the club, from Melbourne.

David has cloned it, and has plants available for sale.

David recently visited Adelaide, and kindly bought **18 plants** with him, for distribution to our members.

They are strongly growing, small bulb and lead size, in 100mm pots, and **will be available for \$20 at our February meeting on a first come first serve basis.**

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Editors Comment

Welcome back to everybody and I hope 2016 is a good year for all. With so few plants shown in November I have put in some not published shots from the September Spectacular (page 15 & 16) for you to see and over the next couple of months until we start getting more plants to flower I will include some not seen before photos for your enjoyment

Don't forget your annual subs are now due and to continue receiving the club magazine and the other club benefits please see Christine at the February meeting

Happy New Years to all, unfortunately I will miss the February meeting with a health issue but I look forward to seeing you all in March

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will be held on

Wednesday 25th February 2016

Annual General Meeting & February Meeting

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. Re Potting Demo Note early start time (All Welcome)

7.45 pm Plants for judging to be in place (unless prior approval sought)

8.00 pm Annual General Meeting, Flower Of The Year and Group Panel

9.30 pm Meeting closes.

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