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From the July meeting

Best in Open Division
& Best Overall

Coraki Glowing
'Bee Jay'

Grown by John Moor



From the July meeting

**Open Division
1st Small Standard Red**

**Apache Pepper x
Pepper Blaze**

Grown by Chee Ng

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**President
Graham Fear**

Welcome to our August issue,
A great improvement at the July meeting, with many more plants being shown in both Open and Second division. Congratulations to John Moon for his Coraki Glowing 'Bee Jay' which was the best plant of the night.

First division still seems to be in a static state, as the past few shows and monthly meetings have shown. The committee is looking at ways to improve this division and hopefully we can see an improvement in the future, with more plants being shown.

The Spring show at West Lakes is either about to start, or in full swing as you read this. It is starting on the

24th August, and running through to 31st August.

We will need your help so please help on the trading table, and on judging night. If you can help and have not let us know as yet, please let myself (0421 053 951) or Wayne Baylis (08 8235 0340) know when you are available.

There are still a lot of flowers in very tight bud, which are just starting to open. The weather is not doing us a lot of favours with the very cold first week of August, but let's hope we see lots of great plants being judged and on display at West Lakes

Many thanks to Paul DiPuglia, from our Major Sponsor Neutrog for his presentation at the July meeting. It was interesting to hear about happenings and developments in the plant nutrition area.

For the August meeting, our guest speaker will be Randall Robinson, from Melbourne, who always gives us a very informative presentation.

No plants for Judging at the August meeting but we will still have a single flower competition for Second Division. Please make sure your flowers are presented to Don Wallace, at the front of the hall, before the meeting starts. Make sure you put the flower name and your show number on the front, and your name on the back of a plain piece of paper, in front of the flower.

Just a friendly reminder. It would be most appreciated if you have a problem with anything to do with the club, could you come to me, rather than discussing it elsewhere, as between us we can solve most problems, or explain the reason for it.

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I look forward to seeing you all on the 24th

Kind Regards

Graham Fear

Species responsible for our Standard cymbidium hybrids

By Julian Coker and Brian Milligan

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The majority of the standard (large-flowered) cymbidiums that we grow today were derived from only eight cymbidium species, most of them native to the southern or western slopes of the Himalayas. Some of these species were and still are rare in Nature and uncommon in cultivation but others, especially *Cymbidium lowianum*, are quite widespread in Victoria today. The eight species are described in the order in which they were first introduced to cultivation in Britain.

1. *Cymbidium iridioides* (then known as *Cymbidium giganteum*) was first collected in Nepal in 1821 but was not introduced into cultivation until 1837, when John Gibson collected it in the Khasia Hills (northern India) for his employer, the sixth Duke of Devonshire. The fragrant flowers (75-100 mm across) have brown-and-yellow-striped petals that do not reflex and a white, non-hirsute labellum with red spots around its margin and a yellow centre. These features help distinguish it from *Cymbidium tracyanum*, with which it is frequently confused. Its colours are dull and the species has never been popular with hybridists. The species name *giganteum* referred to the size of the plants, not the flowers.

2. *Cymbidium eburneum* was also found in the Khasia Hills at an altitude of about 1500 m. It first flowered in Loddiges nursery in 1847. The flowers, white with yellow-banded lips, are 80-120 mm across. Each pseudobulb usually carries two inflorescences (sometimes more) but there are only one or two flowers per inflorescence. This species has been widely used to confer large size and white colour to its hybrids; unfortunately, it also conferred a low flower count to its early progeny.

3. *Cymbidium hookerianum* (syn. *Cymbidium grandiflorum*) has large green flowers, up to 125 mm across, on a pendulous inflorescence. Introduced to cultivation in 1851, it confers large size and a clear green colour to its hybrids, especially the early flowering greens. The flowers of both it and its progeny are prone to fall at high temperatures. Some growers find it difficult to flower every year.

4. *Cymbidium sanderae* was found in Vietnam by Wilhelm Micholitz in 1904 and introduced into cultivation by Frederick Sander. It carries 10-15 pristine white flowers per inflorescence during winter. The labellum is marked with heavy red bands and the flowers have heavy substance and are heat tolerant. These features are transferred to its progeny. Mrs. Emma Menninger colchicine-converted the diploid form to make the tetraploid generally referred to as *Cymbidium sanderae* 'Emma Menninger'. This is the form most commonly used in hybridising and is being used by Andy Easton to produce heat-tolerant hybrids suitable for warm climates. The most noteworthy hybrid produced to date is *Cymbidium Anna Szabo* 'Geyserland'.

5. *Cymbidium lowianum* var. *lowianum*, first collected in Burma in 1877, is one of the most popular species because it is easy to grow and flower. Also its inflorescences can carry as many as 35 flowers with remarkable keeping qualities, a trait conferred to many of its hybrids. The green flower is 75-100 mm across. Its labellum has a characteristic red V-shaped marking that is conferred to its progeny, even to modern-day hybrids. There are two other important varieties. *Cymbidium lowianum* var. *concolor*, which has green sepals and petals and a yellow V-shaped lip marking, has been widely used in breeding pure-colour, large-flowered cymbidium hybrids. The other variety is *Cymbidium lowianum* var. *i'ansonii*, which has yellow-orange sepals and petals with an orange V-shaped lip marking. This variety has been useful in breeding standard cymbidiums with orange and red flowers.

July meeting Showbench results

| Class | Category | Prize |
|-----------------|------------------------------|--------------|
| Judge's Choice | Best Overall | |
| Judge's Choice | Best in Open Division | |
| Judge's Choice | Best in Second Division | |
| Judge's Choice | Best Large Standard Seedling | |
| Judge's Choice | Best Small Standard Seedling | |
| Judge's Choice | Best Intermediate Seedling | |
| Open Division | Large Standard White | 1st |
| Open Division | Large Standard Yellow | 1st |
| Open Division | Small Standard Red | 1st |
| Open Division | Small Standard Yellow | 1st |
| Open Division | Small Standard Novelty | 1st |
| Open Division | Small Standard Pastel | 1st |
| Open Division | Small Standard Other Colour | 1st |
| Open Division | Intermediate Cream | 1st |
| Open Division | Intermediate Brown | 1st |
| Open Division | Miniature Pink | 1st |
| Second Division | Large Standard Pink | 1st |
| Second Division | Small Standard Cream | 1st |
| Second Division | Small Standard Other Colour | 1st |
| Second Division | Small Standard Other Colour | 2nd |
| Second Division | Small Standard Other Colour | 3rd |
| Second Division | Intermediate Pink | 1st |
| Second Division | Intermediate Red | 1st |
| Second Division | Intermediate Yellow | 1st |
| Second Division | Intermediate Green | 1st |
| Second Division | Intermediate Other Colour | 6 1st |
| Second Division | Miniature White | 1st |
| Second Division | Miniature White | 2nd |

| Plant Name | Exhibitor |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Coraki Glowing 'Bee Jay' | John Moon |
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| Lunar Flame x Red Khan | Peter Haltis |
| Clarence Glory x Amber Harvest | Chee Ng |
| Apache Flame x Pepper Blaze | Chee Ng |
| Devonshire Cream | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Kuranulla 'Maestro' | Graham Blaschek |
| Clarence Glory x Amber Harvest | Chee Ng |
| Apache Flame x Pepper Blaze | Chee Ng |
| Coraki Glowing 'Bee Jay' | John Moon |
| Mesmerise 'Looby Loo' | John Moon |
| Khanebono x Joanstar | Chee Ng |
| Prized 'Symbol' | John Moon |
| Love the Moon 'Milky Way' | Chee Ng |
| Foxfire Amber x Stone Free | Chee Ng |
| Gypsy Rose 'Princes' | Ben Knobben |
| Lunar Flame x Red Khan | Peter Haltis |
| Kingwin 'South Park' | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Prized 'Symbol' | Adrian Bockmann |
| Kalahari Pepper x Karen | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Prized 'Apricot Delight' | Peter Haltis |
| Kirby Lesh x Pepper Blaze | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' | Peter Haltis |
| Pharaoh's Dream 'Dural' | Greg Wallace |
| Devonshire Cream | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Firetail Eternal x Black Pepper | Laurie and Sue Carter |
| Ice-On-Fire 'Nikelta' | Peter Haltis |
| My Sweet 'Amy' | Don Wallace |



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Species responsible for our Standard cymbidium hybrids Continued from P5

6. The first cultivated plant of *Cymbidium tracyanum* flowered in the nursery of Mr. H.A. Tracy in England in 1890. It was a pleasant surprise for Mr. Tracy, who had purchased the plant as one of a batch of *Cymbidium lowianum* plants collected in Burma. The flowers are different to those of *Cymbidium lowianum* in a number of respects. *Cymbidium lowianum* flowers in late spring and has long-lasting flowers, whereas *Cymbidium tracyanum* flowers in winter and its flowers are short-lived when cut. At first *Cymbidium tracyanum* was very expensive but today both species are modestly priced and are common in Melbourne. *Cymbidium tracyanum* is useful in hybridising for conferring early flowering, brown and yellow colours and (occasionally) perfume to its progeny.

7. The most important of all cymbidium species used to produce large-flowered hybrids, *Cymbidium insigne* has variously coloured flowers measuring 75-100 mm across. The lip is patterned with crimson/purple and there are usually 12-25 flowers per inflorescence. Micholitz first collected it for Sander and Sons in Vietnam in 1904. He found it growing at an altitude of 100-1500 m in company with *Cymbidium lowianum* and *Cymbidium eburneum*. There is also an album variety that (with *Cymbidium lowianum* var. *concolor*) has been very important in developing pure-colour cymbidiums. *Cymbidium insigne* has been widely used by hybridists. Without this species cymbidium hybrids would never have reached the stage of development and popularity that they currently enjoy.

8. *Cymbidium erythrostylum* is another rare orchid collected in Vietnam by Micholitz for Sander and Sons. The white flowers, ten or twelve per inflorescence, have unusual forward-swept petals, down-swept lateral sepals and a small labellum, characteristics that are conferred to many of its hybrids. The shape and size of the petals and lip were a disadvantage to its early hybrids but the early-flowering time, pristine white colour and down-swept lateral sepals are useful characteristics that have proved especially useful in breeding early-flowered white and coloured cymbidiums of high quality.

At the next orchid show you attend, marvel at the wide colour range available in standard cymbidiums and give thanks for the eight species that made virtually all of these colorful hybrids possible.



Cymbidium iridioides



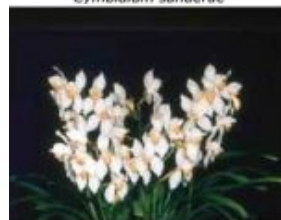
Cymbidium eburneum



Cymbidium sanderæ



Cymbidium insigne



Cymbidium erythrostylum
'Magnificum' HCC/OSCOV



Shown at the July meeting

Above Open Division

Khanebono x Joanstar

Below Second Division

Kalahari Pepper x Karen

1st Small Standard Pastel

Grown by Chee Ng

2nd Small Standard Other Colour

Grown by Laurie & Sue Carter





From the July meeting

**Above Open Division 1st Small Standard Other Colour
Prized 'Symbol' Grown by John Moon**

**Below Second Division 3rd Small Standard Other Colour
Prized 'Apricot Delight' Grown by Peter Haltis**





From the July meeting

Above **Second Division** **1st Intermediate Pink**
 Kirby Lesh x Pepper Blaze **Grown by Laurie & Sue Carter**

Below **Second Division** **1st IntIntermediate Red**
 Marilyn Levy 'Wedding Buttons' **Grown by Peter Haltis**





From the July meeting

**Open Division 1st Intermediate
Cream**

Love the Moon 'Milky Way'

Grown by Chee Ng



From the July meeting

**Second Division
1st Miniature White**

Ice on Fire 'Nikelta'

Grown by Peter Haltis

**The next Meeting of the
Cymbidium Orchid Club of South Australia Inc.**

will be held on

**Wednesday 28th August 2019
at the**

Burnside Community Centre, 401 Greenhill Road, Tasmore, SA

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

Program - August 2019 Meeting

- 7.00pm** Hall is open. Helpers required to assist setting up seating
Beginner's Group meet on the stage. New members are most
welcome.
- 7.15pm** Beginner's Group meet on stage at front of hall
- 8.00pm** Main meeting to open. Our President will welcome any visitors or
new members, and make several announcements.
- 8.25pm** Randall Robinson a well known horticultural expert from Mel
bourne will address us. Randall has an amazing knowledge of
most aspects of multiple orchid species. Expect to hear some amaz
ing facts, and see photographs never seen before. Don't miss this.
- 9.15pm** There will be no judging of plants at this meeting. Bring all your
plants to the West Lakes show.
There will be a special single flower competition for members of
the Beginner's group, and Second Division growers
- 9.30pm** Meeting closes. Please remain for a light supper and a chat with
other members

The next meeting is on Wednesday 25th September 2019. Supper Roster

August Daphne & Glenn Stearnes

September Geoff and Lucy Spear

October Barry Bailey and friends

The Cymbidium Orchid Society of Victoria (COSV) Spring Show, is being held
from Friday 13th September to Sunday 15th September. High quality new cym-
bidiums are always on show there. Consider going over there.

West Lakes Spring Show Saturday 24/08/2019 to 31/08/2019

Entry is via the western end loading dock as per last year next to Woolworths. Park opposite the Lakes Hotel and the entrance is through the large iron gates.

Helpers during the week can get a free parking ticket from the Trading Table or Wayne Baylis

Doors will be open at 5 00 pm Saturday.

Put in 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 for judging, may place them in any of the display areas.

For judging of all divisions (Open, First and Second), signs will be posted in the best lighted areas, indicating where to place each category of plant. If you are doubtful about where to place a plant, get help from a judge, or place it where you think it should go, and if incorrect, the judges will move it to the correct area.

There are nine (9) colour classes: -

| | | | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------|------------------|------|
| White/Cream | Yellow | Green | Red | Pink |
| Pure colour | Brown/Orange | Novelty | Any Other Colour | |

There are four (4) sizes: -

| | | | |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Large Standard | Over 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) member divisions: Open First Second

All plants for judging or for sale on the trading table, must be clean, and not showing signs of virus, 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 an expert panel to give a decision.

The sole sponsor shall be West Lakes Shopping Centre.

Westlake's Show 2019 Prize schedule

| | |
|---|------|
| Grand Champion | \$50 |
| Champion of Divisions (2 prizes - excludes GC division) | \$10 |
| Champion large standard | \$10 |
| Champion small standard | \$10 |
| Champion intermediate | \$10 |
| Champion miniature | \$10 |
| Champion Seedling | \$10 |
| Champion large standard seedling | \$10 |
| Champion small standard seedling | \$10 |
| Champion intermediate seedling | \$10 |
| Champion miniature seedling | \$10 |
| Champion Specimen | \$10 |

Name tags are to be firmly attached to all plants exhibited. (available from the Registrar of Judges)

Open Division - Green, First Division - Buff, Second Division - White

The name of the plant is to be neatly written, and the Exhibitor Number in the bottom right hand corner

If the plant is a first time flowering seedling a yellow dot is to be attached to the label (available from Registrar)

After judging, a blue dot attached to the label indicates a first prize has been won by that plant. A red dot indicates a second prize, and a green dot indicates a third prize. Plants can win prizes in more than one class.

Note A light dinner, soft drinks and tea/coffee will be supplied to all exhibitors and helpers on put in night

Note also. No plants will be judged at the monthly meeting night (Wednesday August 28th). Bring them all to West Lakes.

Starting from the July meeting, there will be a single flower competition for the beginners, and members from the Second Division

Bring along single flowers and show us what you are growing. Expect some useful suggestions from the Judges.

July meeting Best in Divisions – Plant descriptions

Open Division Coraki Glowing ‘Bee Jay’ Grown by John Moon
This was an extra well grown plant. Four flower spikes of 14, 11, 15 and 15 flowers.

All flowers were very well displayed. Colour was a vibrant greenish yellow. Overall it was a brilliant display

There were no First Division plants exhibited.

Second Division Lunar Flame x Red Khan Grown by Peter Haltis
This plant was growing in a 20cm pot, with three backbulbs and four greenbulbs, in a bark and perlite growing mix.

It had a single flower spike, with sixteen large standard pink flowers¹⁷

To those who know, it's obvious. But not all growers appreciate the difference. Loosely speaking, species orchids are native orchids that grow (or grew) wild somewhere in the world. A hybrid is the result of breeding one orchid with a different orchid, be they species or hybrids. The process is usually referred to as hybridising or 'crossing'.

As an example, 'crossing' *Cattleya maxima* with another species *cattleya*, *C. intermedia*, gave the first *cattleya* hybrid, *C. Dominiana* (in 1859). Intergeneric hybrids are produced by crossing different genera. For example, crossing *Laelia anceps* and *Cattleya intermedia* (both species) gave the intergeneric hybrid *Laeliocattleya Interceps*, abbreviated *Lc. Interceps*.

Species orchids are often crossed with another of the same species with the expectation of obtaining improved flowers. *Dendrobium kingianum* is a good example. Sometimes one flower is pollinated using pollen from another flower on the same plant (called 'selfing', and often written 'X self'). More common is 'out-crossing', when the pollen is taken from a flower on a different plant of *D. kingianum*. The resultant seedlings are NOT hybrids, and are still named *D. kingianum*.

The definition of species orchids as orchids that grow wild in Nature is not strictly correct, because hybrids also grow wild occasionally. These are 'natural' hybrids, that have resulted from cross-pollination of species orchids by 'wayward' insects. These natural hybrids have an X in their names. Examples of natural hybrids among our Australian native orchids are *Dendrobium Xruppiosum* (*D. ruppianum* X *D. speciosum*) and *Pterostylis Xingens* (*Ptst. nutans* X *Ptst. falcata*).

When writing the names of species orchids, only the first letter of the genus should have a capital, e.g. *Laelia anceps*. The name should also be italicised, or if that is not possible, it should be underlined. All words in a hybrid name should begin with a capital letter, e.g. *Maclellanara Pagan Love Song* 'Ruby Charles'; only the genus should be italicised or underlined. If everyone did this, we could all tell the difference between species and hybrid orchids.

All species orchids should be entered in the SPECIES ANY GENUS class at monthly meetings and shows. The only exceptions are where there are separate species classes, e.g. *Paphiopedilum* Species or Australian Native!Species.

**Editor's note. This article refers to orchids other than cymbidiums.
Exactly the same principles apply to cymbidium orchids**

Interstate Cymbidium Clubs

Cymbidium Club of Australia (NSW)

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Meetings are on the second Thursday, March to November

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Cymbidium Orchid Club of Western Australia

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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).

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

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.

There will be some First Strike roedenticide bait available from the trading table this month.

Packs of 10 baits \$5.00, Packs of 25 \$10

This new product is getting good reviews from growers interstate who have been using it for some time.

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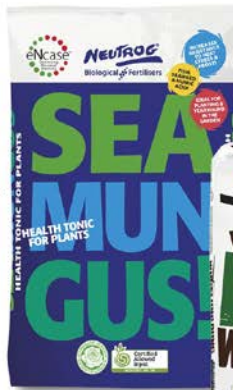
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