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Masdevallia Curacao 'Goldie'
Grand Champion 2023 Spring Show
Owner: Ian Woodgate Photo: Glenn Durkin

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

16th Oct. 2023 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

Presentations of Trophies and Certificates etc. from the Spring Show. Welcome to all new Members.

Guest speaker to be confirmed.

Floral Art: " Spring Basket"

12th Nov 2023 Sarcochilus & Masdevallia Show at the Uniting Church Hall, Kensington Street, Glenorchy.

Full details on Page 8, April 2023 Greenhood.

20th Nov. 2023 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

Presentations of Medallions and Certificates from the Sarcochilus & Masdevallia Show.

Guest speaker to be confirmed.

Floral Art: " The Big & The Little "

11th Dec 2023 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

Christmas supper, so please bring something to share with everyone. Santa will also be visiting us if he can get away from all the snow at the North Pole.

Guest speaker: Geoff Curry to talk on Tasmanian Terrestrial Orchids.

17th Dec 2023 Geoff Curry to demonstrate the methods for repotting Terrestrials. Venue and times to be advised.

Floral Art: "A Christmas Table Arrangement." (Not too big please as the tables will have lots of food on them, I hope.)

15th Jan. 2024 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

It's a New Year, so make an effort to join us all and see what you have flowering at this time of the year.

Guest Speaker to be confirmed

Floral Art: To be advised

20th Feb. 2024 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

Guest Speaker to be confirmed

Floral Art: To be advised

18th Mar. 2024 at Legacy Hall, 159 Macquarie St, Hobart.

Our Annual General Meeting followed by the Annual Presentations to the winning Members who have won points in Classes over the last 12 months.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

G'day all,

Well our Spring Show is over for another year. Even though display numbers were down, the show was a great success. Contributors to the community stands was very disappointing and we hope for a better contribution next year from those unable to enter a display. Congratulations to the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion and all the other winners. A big thankyou to all that helped out. Without your hard work, the show would not have run as smoothly and gone off without a hitch. A special mention to our Show Marshal and his deputy.

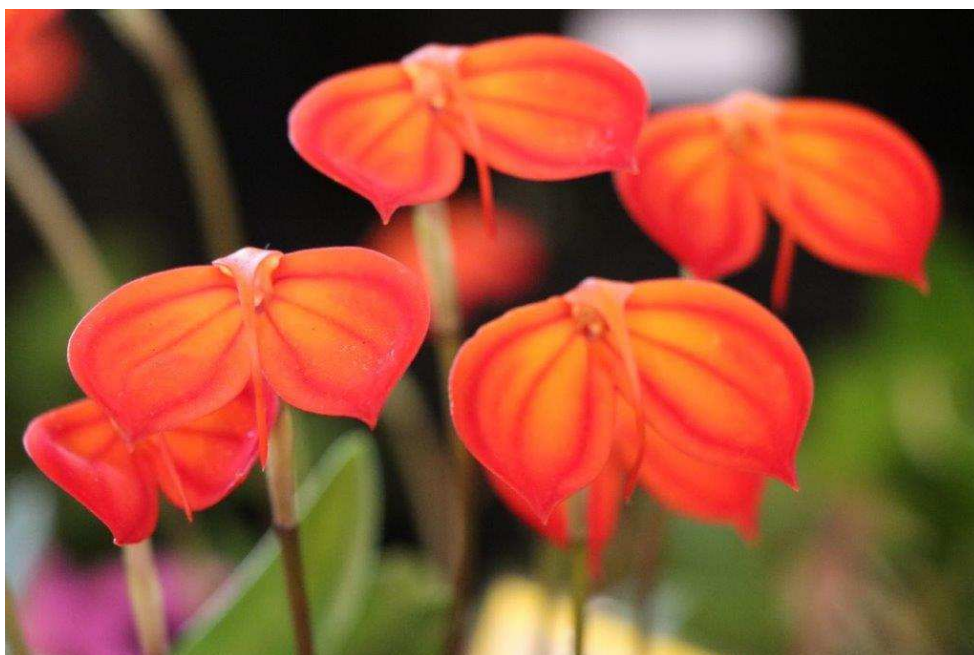
At our next meeting, we will present prizes and certificates to those who were lucky enough to win them. When repotting, put one aside to sell at next years show. The money from your sales helps to fund your addiction of buying more orchids.

One show finishes and we start to prepare for the next one. Our Sarcochilus and Masdevallia Show is to be held on Sunday 12th November at the Uniting Church Hall, 21 Kensington St, Glenorchy. There will be plant sales by Ocean View Orchids from 11am until 3pm. This is a good chance to buy something different. Society members will not be selling plants but there will be club bark and Sarcochilus and Masdevallia mix available.

The show display will open at 12.30pm until 3pm. We will once again be asking for help to set up and disassemble the tables etc. at 7.30am. Plants must be benched by 8.15. After that time no plants will be accepted for judging. The judging will begin at 8.30am sharp. Let's hope for some settled weather so that our plants will flower well and put on a good display.

The time has flown by this year. It won't be long before the old fella in red with the white beard will give us a visit. Unbelievable!!

Hope to see you at our next meeting. Stay safe and enjoy your orchids, Noel.



Reserve Champion
2023 Spring Show

Owners:

B & L Davidson

Photographer:

Glen Durkin

August Meeting Results

Judge's Results 1st. Division

Cymbidium Hybrid over 90mm	1st No entries	
Cymbidium Hybrid 90mm & Under	1st. <i>Cym.</i> Unknown	N & C Doyle
	2nd. <i>Cym.</i> Unknown	N & C Doyle
Laelinae Species & Hybrid	1st. <i>C. coccinea</i>	D & V Cleaver
	2nd. <i>Rth.</i> Chief Sunkiss	I Woodgate
Oncidium & Allied Sp. / Hyb.	1st. <i>Onc.</i> Olympia 'Jacqui'	I Woodgate
	2nd. <i>Rst.</i> Colonel Leith 'Freckles'	B Woodward
Gomesa Species or Hybrid	1st. <i>Gms. (Rst. maculata x Gom. gardneri)</i> 'Troweena's Ball'	B Woodward
	2nd. No Entry	
Masdevallia & Dracula Sp./Hyb	1st. <i>Masd.</i> Copper Angel 'Highland'	D & V Cleaver
	2nd. <i>Masd.</i> Unknown	J & B Smith
Other Orchid Species	1st. <i>Cym. pumilum</i> 'Mini Brown'	D & V Cleaver
	2nd. <i>Lyc. skinneri</i> 'Pink Ball'	M Smith
Other Orchid Hybrids	1st. <i>Z.</i> Artur Elle 'Essendon' x self	M Smith
	2nd. <i>Pln.</i> Shantung 'Shawn'	B Woodward
Aust. Sarcochilus & Allied Sp./Hyb.	1st. <i>Sarco.</i> Kulnura Spotto	I Woodgate
	2nd. <i>Sarco.</i> Sweetheart	I Woodgate
Australian Native Tuberos	1st. <i>Ptst. nutans</i>	J & B Smith
	2nd. No Entries	
Australian Native Other Sp. /Hyb.	1st. <i>Den.</i> Newbold Sheena's Beauty	N & C Doyle
	2nd. <i>Den.</i> Jonathan's Glory 'Dark Joy'	N & C Doyle
Best Species Orchid	<i>Cattleya (C.) coccinea</i>	D & V Cleaver
Best Hybrid Orchid	<i>Dendrobium (Den.)</i> Newbold Sheena's Beauty	N & C
Doyle		
Best of the Best	<i>Cattleya (C.) coccinea</i>	D & V Cleaver
Orchid of the Month	<i>Zygopetalum (Z.)</i> Artur Elle 'Essendon' x self	M Smith

Judges Results 2nd. Division

Cymbidium Hybrid over 90mm	1st. <i>Cym.</i> Unknown	E Mulder
	2nd. No Entry	
Cymbidium Hybrid 90mm & Under	1st. <i>Cym.</i> Sarah Jean 'Paradise'	M Kemp
	2nd. <i>Cym.</i> Unknown	P Scanlon
Laelinae Species & Hybrid	1st. <i>Rth.</i> Nell Hammer 'Lemon Delicious'	M Kemp
	2nd. No Entry	
Oncidium & Allied Sp. / Hyb.	1st. <i>Oncostele (Ons.)</i> Midnight Miracles	E Mulder
	2nd. <i>Onc.</i> Pui Chin 'Flying Tiger'	E Mulder
Gomesa Species or Hybrid	1st. No Entries	
Masdevallia & Dracula Sp./Hyb	1st. <i>Masd. ignea</i> 'Plush'	Byers/Durkin

Other Orchid Species	1st. <i>Restrepia (Rstp.) contorta</i>	M Kemp
	2nd. <i>Aerides (Aer.) vandarum</i>	E Mulder
Other Orchid Hybrid	1st . No Entries	
Aust. Sarcochilus & Allied Sp./Hyb.	1st. No Entries	
Australian Native Tuberos	1st <i>Pterostyllis (Ptst.) curta</i>	M Kemp
	2nd. No Entry	
Australian Native Other Sp./Hyb.	1st. <i>Den. xgracillimum 'Mel' x Star of Gold 'Bathurst'</i>	E Mulder
	2nd. <i>Den. Unknown</i>	E
Mulder		
Best Species Orchid	<i>Restrepia contorta</i>	M Kemp
Best Hybrid Orchid	<i>Den. xgracillimum 'Mel' x Star of Gold 'Bathurst'</i>	E Mulder
Best of the Best	<i>Restrepia contorta</i>	M Kemp
Orchid of the Month	<i>Cym. Sarah Jean 'Paradise'</i>	M Kemp

House Plants

1st. African Violet	Byers & Durkin
2nd. Unknown	E Mulder

Floral Arrangements

1st. "Practice for Spring Show"	G Allen
2nd. " "	M Hope

Popular Vote

1st. Division

1st. <i>Lyc. skinneri</i> 'Pink Ball'	M Smith
2nd. <i>Z. Artur Elle</i> 'Essendon' x Self	M Smith
3rd. <i>Pln. Shantung</i> 'Shawn'	B Woodward

2nd. Division

1st. <i>Cym. Sarah Jean</i> 'Paradise'	M Kemp
2nd. <i>Rstp. contorta</i>	M Kemp
3rd. <i>Den. xgracillimum</i> 'Mel' x Star of Gold 'Bathurst'	E Mulder

House Plants

1st. Poinsettia	W Glidden
2nd. Cyclamen	A Gerrard

Floral Arrangements

1st. "Practice for Spring Show"	G Allen
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Rhyncattleanthe (Rth.)
Nell Hammer 'Lemon Delicious'
Owner & Photo Matt Kemp



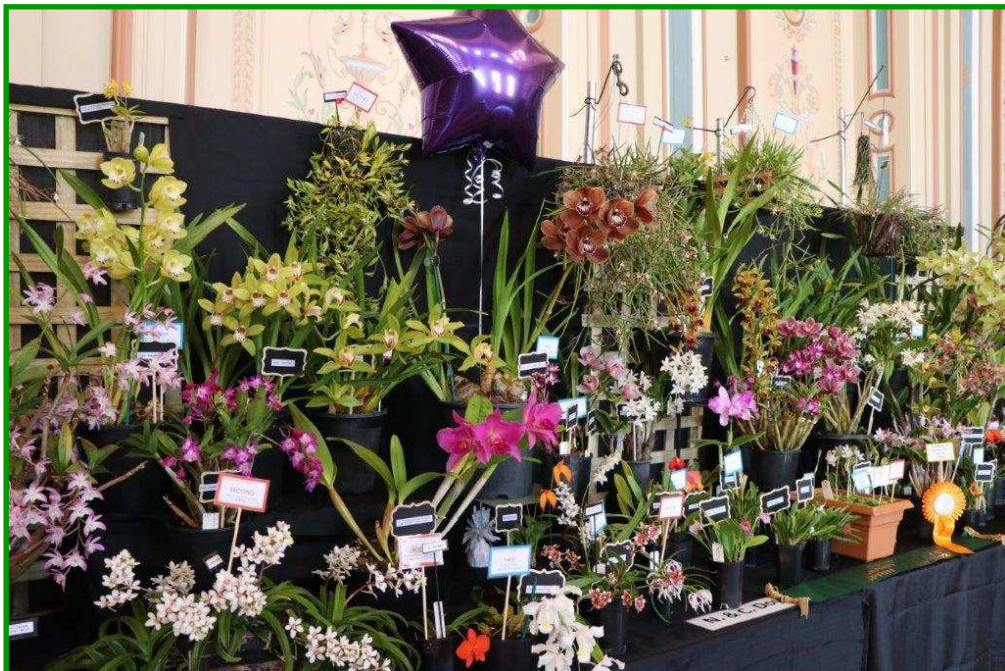
Aerides vandarum
Owner & Photo E Mulder



Z. Artur Elle 'Essendon'
X Self
Owner & Photo M Smith

A TRIBUTE TO VIC DAWES

The trophy awarded to the Champion Miniature Cymbidium at the Spring Show is now full with no room to put the names of the winners, so David and Vicki Cleaver have donated a new trophy made from a lovely piece of Huon Pine. This will be called the Vic Dawes Memorial Trophy. Through their generosity we will have an ongoing tribute to a well liked and respected Life Member.



CHAMPION DISPLAY SPRING SHOW 2023

N & C DOYLE

SHOW MARSHALL REPORT

Congratulations everyone!! Our major event of the year has concluded after another successful five days at the beautiful Hobart Town Hall Ball Room. Everyone who took part should be very proud of our achievement. I would like to thank you all, for while many people offered me congratulations personally on the outcome, no-one can do it alone. Exhibitors and volunteers alike should be very proud of their effort.

I am grateful to everyone who contributed throughout the event. Starting with our President, Secretary and Treasurer who were very busy before, throughout and after the show. Much of the work they and others do often goes unseen. Publicity for the event is another demanding task where little is seen by the members. I dislike naming people for fear of overlooking someone, however on this occasion I make an exception, this role was taken on by Eve Mills for the first time this year and she has done a wonderful job. Stewards on the floor, plant checkers and sellers, raffle ticket sellers, to name just a few, your efforts made the event the success it was.

There were a number of newer members who volunteered for the first time, I thank you for your contribution and hope you enjoyed your time.

Judges Ken Siew from Sydney, Darryl Corbett and Warren Brooks from the North West Coast along with their assistant judges and scribes completed their duties admirably. Thank you.

To Ian Woodgate Grand Champion, Barry and Lorraine Davidson Reserve Champion, Noel and Christine Doyle Champion Display, and Gwen Allen Champion Novice and Champion Floral Art, congratulations. To all Special and Class winners, also well done. Full results will be published separately.

Glenn Durkin

Right: Grand Champion

Masdevallia Curacao 'Goldie'

Owner: Ian Woodgate Photo: Glenn Durkin



Left: Brenda, Barry and Bev in deep contemplation at the sales table.

Photo: Glenn Durkin



TASMANIAN ORCHID SOCIETY INC.
SARCOCHILUS & MASDEVALLIA SHOW SCHEDULE

Venue – Glenorchy Uniting Church Hall
Kensington Street Glenorchy

Date 12th November 2023

Setting up from 7.30 - 9.00am Open to public 12.30am – 3 pm.
Plant sales 11.30am - 3pm

Prizes for all sections: First - \$5.00 and certificate
Second – Certificate

Champion Sarcochilus - Medal and \$30

Reserve Champion – Medal and \$20

Best Species - \$10

Best Hybrid - \$10

Best Specimen Plant - \$10

Best Culture - \$10

Best First Flowering Seedling - \$10

Most Colourful Orchid - \$10

SPECIES SECTION

- 1 Sarcochilus Species
- 2 Australian Sarcanthinae – Other than Sarcochilus

HYBRID SECTION

- 3 Melba (*hartmannii* x *falcatus*)
- 4 Fitzhart (*fitzgeraldii* x *hartmannii*)
- 5 George Colthup (Melba x *hartmannii*)
- 6 Burgundy on Ice (Judith x Fitzhart)
- 7 Heidi (Fitzhart x *hartmannii*)
- 8 Thomas Kinsella (George Colthup x Duno Nicky Twin)

- 9 Sarcochilus – *Sarco. weinthalii* as one parent
- 10 Sarcochilus – *Sarco. ceciliae* as one parent
- 11 Australian or other Intergeneric Sarcanthinae Hybrid

FIRST FLOWERING SEEDLING

- 12 White
- 13 Red
- 14 Pink
- 15 Spotted
- 16 Other Colour
- 17 Red Centre
- 18 Yellow

OTHER SARCOCHILUS HYBRID

- 19 Predominantly white
- 20 White with red centre
- 21 Predominantly yellow
- 22 Predominantly red
- 23 Predominantly pink
- 24 Any other colour or colour combination
- 25 Spotted

NOVICE

SPECIES

- 26 Sarcochilus species
- 27 Australian Sarcanthinae – other than Sarcochilus

HYBRID

- 28 Predominantly white
- 29 Predominantly coloured
- 30 First flowering seedling

MASDEVALLIA

Champion Masdevallia - Medal and \$30

Reserve Champion - Medal and \$20

Best Species - \$10

Best Hybrid - \$10

Best Specimen Plant - \$10

Best Culture - \$10

- 1 Dracula Species or Hybrid (includes Dracuvallia)

Masdevallia

- 2 Yellow
- 3 Pink
- 4 Orange
- 5 Red/Brown

- 6 White/Blush Shades
- 7 Purple
- 8 Striped
- 9 Miniature under 40mm (any colour)
- 10 Other Pleurothallidiniæ Species or Hybrid

OTHER GENERA

- 1 Best Hybrid - \$10
- 2 Best Species - \$10
- 3 Best Specimen Plant - \$10
- 4 Best Culture - \$10

MISCELLANEOUS GENERA

- 1 Cymbidium Hybrid over 90mm
- 2 Cymbidium Hybrid under 90mm
- 3 Laelinia
- 4 Oncidium & Allied Species or Hybrid
- 5 Gomesa Species or Hybrid
- 6 Other Orchid Species
- 7 Other Orchid Hybrid
- 8 Australian Native Tuberous



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The Society thanks Horticultural and Landscape Supplies for all the assistance they give us in supplying the composted bark we sell to our Members for potting Cymbidiums and Dendrobiums.

TROWEENA ORCHIDS ACCESSORIES PRICE LIST

70 mm squat pots	20 for	\$3.60
100mm squat pots	10 for	\$3.00 or \$0.35 each
100mm tall pots	10 for	\$4.50 or \$0.50 each
115mm squat pots	10 for	\$3.25 or \$0.35 each
125mm squat pots	10 for	\$3.50 or \$0.40 each
150mm squat pots	10 for	\$5.00 or \$0.60 each
175mm squat pots	10 for	\$6.00 or \$0.65 each
200mm slimline standard pots		\$0.80 each
80 mm Net pots		\$1.40 each
3 prong Hangers, black heavy weight 35cm	5 for	\$4.00
3 prong Hangers, black heavy weight 45cm	4 for	\$4.00
Shuttle tray 140mm		\$3.50 each
Shuttle Tray with handle		\$7.00 each

Vinyl Labels

Mini white labels		approx. 50 for	\$0.25 Priced to clear
White, yellow, red, blue & orange labels.	18mm	21 for	\$2.00 old stock
White, yellow, red, blue & orange labels.	18mm	27 for	\$3.00
White & Yellow labels	18mm	48 for	\$5.00
Pink	25mm	22 for	\$3.00
Permanent Black Label Pens (SCAUF) The best you can get!			\$3.00 each

Bamboo stakes

45mm	20 for	\$2.00
60mm	20 for	\$4.00
90mm	10 for	\$3.00
Plastic dipped florist wire	45mm heavy gauge	\$3.00 bundle

Florist's Knife \$2.90

<u>Tapex Twisties</u>	100mm	\$1.00 bundle
	150mm	\$1.30 bundle
	200mm	\$2.00 bundle

<u>Easyklips</u>	Small	27 for	\$4.00
	Medium	20 for	\$4.00
	Large	11 for	\$4.00

Perlite 8 litre bags Jumbo Grade \$ 9.00

As I don't bring a full sample of the above items to meeting any more, please email or phone me on 0413 136 413 with details of your requirements and I will bring your order to the next General Meeting of the Society. As I don't have credit card facilities any more, payment by cash or cheque or even a direct debit to my account is the way to go.

Many thanks,

Bev Woodward, Troweena Orchids bev@troweena.com.au

10/2023



Onc. Kendrick Williams 'Rosslow'
X *Tiger Hambuhren 'Mieke'*

Owner: Marcus Smith
Photographer : G Durkin



Cymbidium Unknown

Owner: Gwen Allen Photographer: G Durkin



Cym. Gentle Touch 'Bon Bon'

Owner: D & V Cleaver
Photographer : G Durkin



Pleurothallis anthrax

Owners: B & L Davidson Photo: G Durkin



Front Desk aides. Sharn Davies and Donna Brown
Photographer: G Durkin