



WAGGA WAGGA ORCHID SOCIETY INC NEWSLETTER

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Next General Meeting: This will be on Thursday 14th September at 7.30 pm with the venue being the ARCC Hall in Tarcutta Street.

Next Committee Meeting: The next committee meeting will be on Sunday 17th September at 10am, at the home of John Dawe & Anita Laidlay's at 59 Mitchelmore St Turvey Park.



Popular Vote went to Keith & Margaret Scott
With their beautiful Paphiopedillum Hellas x Personella.



The Cultural Award went to Keith & Margaret Scott
With their magnificent Dendrobium *stenophyllum*.

Winners at our August Meeting

This month's Members Draw was No 64 Dianne Campbell and as she was not present the cash will be \$20-00 for September. The prizes for this month's raffle were won by Keith Bergmeier, Maureen Hoppe, Martin Quinn & Anne Christie. Thank you to Brian Dear for bringing in the extra raffle prizes. Congratulations to the winners and good luck to all in the next draw.

Welcome to our New Member

A special welcome to Anne Christie of Wagga Wagga

New BSB

Beyond Bank have given us a new BSB No could you please make alterations to your Files thank you.

Name Badges

If there is any member who needs a name badge can you please contact John Dawe and he will arrange for one to be made up. John's Phone Nos 0408692573 69253097 a fee of \$12-50 per badge with the Club supplying the Wagga Wagga Orchid Society badge glued on.

Home Visits 3rd Sunday of the month at 2 pm

September 23rd & 24th WWOS Spring Show

October 22nd at Andrew Easton's 33 Trevor St Wagga Wagga.

Please remember to bring a chair and a plate.

If you need a urn for the day please give me a call on 0408692573 also if you need cups call Janet on 69226675.

Home Visit for August

At Keith & Margaret Scott's. Unfortunately Anita & I could not attend as we were travelling to Melbourne to attend Anita's Mum's Funeral. I have been told it was an excellent afternoon with 22 members in attendance.

Coming Events and Shows 2017

September 23-24 Wagga Wagga Spring Orchid Show

September 30 October 1 Albury Wodonga & District Orchid Show (South & West Regional Orchid Show & Conference 2017)

October 8 Interclub Walkabout put on by Sheperton Orchid Club (more details coming)

October 6-8 Southern Spectacular, Caringbah High School NSW

November 25-26 The Three Rivers Orchid Show, Corowa NSW

Walkabout

For the 8th October to Shepparton. We had a sheet at the July meeting for our members who wished to go and with a good response I have looked at hiring a mini bus for the day. We have 13 members nominating to go by Bus from Wagga Wagga and 5 from Albury/ Wodonga. The cost for the day will be \$20-00 for Members & \$25-00 for non Members payable to Anita at our September Meeting.

Inter Club Walkabout October the 8th 2017

Albury Wodonga & District Orchid Club,

Wangaratta & District Orchid Society Inc,

Wagga Wagga Orchid Club,

Murray Valley Orchid Club,

The Goulburn Valley Orchid Club will be hosting the interclub walkabout this year as you should all know by now. This Year we welcome Wagga Wagga to our gathering.

I am just writing to tell you a bit more about the walkabout we have planned.

We will commence our walkabout on Sunday 8th October at Colin and Noelle Cleak's place at 31 Murchison Rd, Kirwins Bridge, arriving 10 am for morning tea and to look around his magnificent orchids and his large fern collection

Then it will be time to go to Chris and Lindsay Ibbotson's, at 29 Minchin Rd Tatura. Where they grow their Cymbidiums in a white shade house and there Cattleya's in a heated tramp house which the roof can be raised by a lift chair, Chris and Lindsay grow many different genera of orchids. Here we will have a BBQ lunch with salad and sweets. After lunch about 2pm we will be off to Tony Madafferi's place at 327 Channel Rd. Orrvale,(Shepparton). Tony has a massive collection of mainly Cymbidiums and extensive size glass houses and a massive shade house. While we are there, we will have afternoon tea. We can browse around and look at Tony's many orchids. Tony will be more than happy to explain his cultural techniques to all.

At all these venues there will be orchids for sale from our different club members.

We look forward to seeing all the clubs and their members on the 8th October.

Could you please forward numbers of members that will be attending, so we can calculate the amount of food for the BBQ by Monday the 2nd of October?

There will be green and gold balloons out at each place.

Please don't hesitate to contact me on Ph.0417 923 874 or Email: chris.ibbotson123@gmail.com

Kind regards
Chris Ibbotson. President.

Plant Sales at our Show

Members plants for our Show sale with each member 'No' being entitled to 20 plants on the tables at a time we will accept plants to 4-30pm on the Friday no later. I will have the sales tags for your plants at the September meeting and will explain how it works for our newer members.

Members who wish to obtain Plants on the Friday may select four plants and put them under the benches in a container with their name on it and have them paid for by 10am on the Saturday after which they will be placed back on the bench for re-sale.

September Meeting

Janet, Anita and Self will talk on preparing and presentation of our Orchids for the Show.

Show Schedule's

Show Schedule's will be emailed out to our members who have an email address we will also have hard copies at our September Meeting and if anyone needs one mailed out Please contact Anita or Myself on 69253097.

Show Sales Table

Could members let Tony or Janet know at the meeting or ring 69226675 if they will be selling their orchids at the show and a rough estimate of how many, to felicitate the setup of the sales tables, and to ensure they have them their before 4.30pm of Friday setup day, otherwise you will have to bring them in Saturday or Sunday

Sponsorships 2016 Spring Show

A big thank you to all our Members who collected Sponsorship's for our Spring Show without your help it just would not happen, a great effort from you all. Thanks again.

Spring Show Raffle

The major prizes for the raffle have been acquired but we are still seeking smaller items to put into the cart for the first prize. Thank you to all who have contributed.

Raffle Tickets

Raffle Tickets for our Show Raffle to be drawn at our Spring Show were posted out with the May newsletter, With one book of 10 per member, Can we have all these raffle books back to John at the next Meeting prior to our show so they can ticked off and accounted for Thank You All.

Trophies

Could our members who received trophies at our last Show please bring them in to our September meeting out of town members at the Show Thank You.



ORCHID HELP AT THE BAUMER'S Not sure what to do with any orchid in your collection whether to pot or not, well I'll help you to pot and divide or mount it, what sort of pot, or should it be mounted, what sort of potting mix, or if it's the right time of year, or an orchid that doesn't look well, help in IDing an orchid and all the other things to do with orchids. Starting now and until Christmas any club members are welcome to come around to my **place every Saturday** (could you ring the day before) **between the hours of 10am to 11.30am at 36 Overdale Drive, Bourkelands, ph.69226675** and bring along.

THE ORCHID

A POT TO POT IT INTO OR A MOUNT

AND POTTING MIX

Janet Baumer

Report on discussions at the August committee meeting

- Show schedule being finalised and will be available as soon as checked.
- Secretary to write to judges when show schedule available advising of location and timing of show. Will indicate judging to commence at 5pm with break at 6.30 for dinner.
- Replacement service medal arrived for Marie Engelbrecht.
- John Dawe arranged publicity session with 2AAAFM at 10.45am on 20 September.
- Keith Scott indicated he needs to replenish shop supplies and an order for about \$400 was approved by the committee.
- Keith Scott requested 2 additional bins of bark and John Dawe, John Titus and Andrew Easton offered to collect the bark from Beechworth.
- John Dawe to ask Anne Adams to arrange judging for floral entries at the show.
- John Dawe to ask Michael Pym to judge the photographic entries at the show.
- Major sponsors to have names printed on 3 ribbons to be awarded at the show.
- Committee asked Janet Baumer to arrange the banners for the entrance signs on Edward Street and underpass.
- Committee requested Janet Baumer to arrange for payment of the hall hire.
- Secretary to send a letter to the judges confirming show arrangements once show schedule available.
- Committee asked John Dawe and Anita Laidlay to purchase raffle prizes from Bunnings to an approximate value of \$200-250.
- The committee proposed to pay judges a similar honorarium as last year.
- The committee will arrange for a session at the next general meeting for new members explaining how plants are to be prepared and submitted to the show. They will also explain how club members can purchase plants prior to the opening of the show.
- Secretary to arrange for promotion of annual orchid show on Adrian Podmore's ABC radio weekend gardening program.
- Donation of \$50 received from Granger Chiropractors.

Monthly Benching Results August 2017 as per Judging Sheets

OPEN

Cymbidium Alliance - species

1st *Cym. erythraeum* 'Paradise'

K & E Bergmeier

Cymbidium Alliance – Standard

1 st	Cym. Unknown	K & E Bergmeier
2 nd	Cym. Yowie Pepper x Cym.Khan Flame	K & E Bergmeier
3 rd	Cym. Angela 'Redvale' HCC/OCNZ	K & E Bergmeier

Cymbidium Alliance – Intermediate

1 st	Cym. Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascade'	K & E Bergmeier
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Cymbidium Alliance – Minature

1 st	Cym. Ice on Fire 'Nikkietta'	K & E Bergmeier
2 nd	Cym. Melanie 'Rip it Up'	K & E Bergmeier

Laeliinae Alliance (Over 115mm) – Hybrid

1 st	Lc Tropical Sunset 'Cheer Girl' x Blc Izumi Charm 'Winterday'	K & M Scott
2 nd	C. Dendi's Fantasy x Lc. Mari's Love 'Dianne'	K & M Scott
3 rd	Catt. Unknown	J Titus

Laeliinae Alliance (Between 115mm & 65mm) – Hybrid

1 st	Rth. Jungle Jumbalaya	K & M Scott
2 nd	Slc. Mari's Beat	B & P Dear

Laeliinae Alliance (less than 65mm) – Hybrid

1 st	Blc. Young – Mini Orange 'Golden Satisfaction'	K & M Scott
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Laeliinae Alliance Species

1 st	Laelia <i>gouldiana</i>	K & M Scott
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Oncidiinae Alliance – species

1 st	Onc. <i>varisosum</i>	K & M Scott
2 nd	<i>Tolumnia</i>	K & M Scott

Oncidiinae Alliance – Hybrid.

1 st	Odcdm. Tiger Butter	J Titus
2 nd	Odcdm. Tiger Barb	J Titus
3 rd	Onc. Twinkle 'Fragrance Fantasy'	J Titus

Paphiopedilum Alliance – Hybrid

1 st	Paph. Unknown	K & E Bergmeier
2 nd	Paph. Ceres	K & M Scott
3 rd	Paph. Unknown	K & E Bergmeier

Paphiopedilum Alliance – species

1 st	Paph. <i>venustum</i>	J Titus
2 nd	Paph. <i>spicerianum</i> x sibling	K & E Bergmeier
3 rd	Paph. <i>spicerianum</i> x self	J Titus

Paphiopedilum Alliance – Hybrid Complex/Exhibition

1 st	Paph. Hellas x Personella	K & M Scott
2 nd	Paph. Winston Churchill x British Bulldog	K & M Scott
3 rd	Paph. In-charm Gold x Yi-Ying Colourful Clouds	K & E Bergmeier

Vandaceous Alliance – Phalaenopsis

1 st	Phal. Unknown	K & M Scott
2 nd	Phal. Dou – Dii Rose x Ching Her John	K & M Scott

Dendrobium Exotic

1 st	Dend. Unknown	J Titus
2 nd	Dend. Samarai	J Titus
3 rd	Dend. Airy Alowana	K & E Bergmeier

Australian Native Dendrobium – Hybrid

1 st	Dend. Esme Poulton 'Tinonee'	K & M Scott
2 nd	Dend. Avril's Gold	K & M Scott

Australian Native Terete leaved Dendrobium (Dockrillia) – Hybrid

1 st	Dend. Doc. Baseyana x <i>nugentii</i>	K & M Scott
2 nd	Dend. Doc. <i>nugentii</i> x <i>bowmannii</i>	K & M Scott

Vandaceous Alliance – species

1 st	<i>V. aerides vandarum</i>	J Titus
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Any Other Alliance

1 st	Ddc. <i>stenophyllum</i>	K & M Scott
2 nd	Coel. <i>Intermedia</i>	K & M Scott
3 rd	Arpophyllum <i>spicatum</i>	K & E Bergmeier

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Cymbidium Alliance – species

1 st	<i>Cym. iridioides</i>	M Quinn
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Cymbidium Standard – Hybrid

1 st	Cym. Unknown	M Quinn
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Cymbidium Miniature – Hybrid

1 st	Cym. Unknown	M Quinn
2 nd	Cym. Unknown	M Quinn

Cultural Commendation

Keith and Margaret Scott benched a well presented and grown *Dendrochilum stenophyllum* species with racemes all the way around and evenly placed throughout, well done.

Popular Vote

Keith and Margaret Scott have scooped up the Popular vote as well with their *Paphiopedilum Hellas* x *Personella*, very well grown.

WWOS MONTHLY BENCHING COMPETITION RESULTS FOR AUGUST 2017

OPEN		NOVICE		POINTS
NAME	POINTS	NAME		
K & E BERGMIEIER	200	M QUINN		19
K & M SCOTT	137	D MARSH		12
J DAWE/A LAIDLAY	81	P WHITE		3
J TITUS	52			
R & K HOLDING	31			
J & T BAUMER	15			
T MILTON	11			
P & F TENISON	9			
B & P DEAR	6			
N & A ADAMS	2			
CULTURAL AWARD		POPULAR VOTE		
R & K HOLDING	6	K & E BERGMIEIER		9
K & M SCOTT	6	R & K HOLDING		6
K & E BERGMIEIER	3	J DAWE/A LAIDLAY		3
J DAWE/A LAIDLAY	3	K & M SCOTT		3
J TITUS	3			

