



Milton - Ulladulla

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MESSAGES:

1] The **February meeting** is coming up fast. A new year of orchid growing and socialising. At the meeting will be a demonstration on deflasking.

2] Our membership is by the financial year, it should already be paid for by now.

3] New 2023 program is in this newsletter, but there are spots for things to be confirmed or completed.

4] NOVCES—please read the President’s report carefully, there are special things happening for us [yes, I am a novice].

5] Bringing in supper and / raffle items is always greatly appreciated. Thank you to those who usually do. Raffle items do not have to be plants.

6] Check your orchids now and protect them til our meeting, lets see if we can have an outstanding showing of our orchids at this year’s first meeting—in all three sections.

Covid is still active. Masks are an option. If unwell please stay home and feel better soon. :) A.M.

CONGRATULATIONS TO FRANCOISE SIKORA

For your fantastic showing year in 2022, your **elevation to Open Grower** :)

and may 2023 see your orchids bloom and grow with extra vigour.

A.M. :)

JANUARY 2023

NEXT MEETING:

Monday, 13 th February 2023

It is a demonstration of deflasking.



WHERE:- Civic Centre Ulladulla [main street]. There is parking available around the back. :)

Christmas Party Gift

From Don Hogan

Your lovely Christmas gift at the MUOS Christmas Lunch of Zygopetalum family is as follows----

- No.1 ZGA is =Zygoneria,
- No.2 ZBA Or ZBST is =Zygopabistia,
- No .3 Z Or ZYGO = Zygopetalum.

Those who got Zygo.Maculatum “trozy blue” that is the SYN. Zygopetalum Mackayi {Species} but this an improved on the old orchid [darker colour].

Also Anne and I got— Zga. crinitum Loddiges X Zga. Freestyle Meadows “Superman”

Michelle said the third is

Zag. Pine Road x Z. Kosiusoko x Zag Clare Fisher ‘Amanda’



FROM THE PRESIDENTS DESK:

G'day Everyone

The beginning of another year always has a sense of anticipation, as to how everything will pan out over the new year. I do hope that you and your families enjoyed the Christmas/ New Year break, and that 2023 brings you all good health and happiness, plus of course, those new plants you received as gifts are receiving due attention. Your Committee has held its first meeting, and a few exciting events are planned. The programme is in its finalisation stage and will be available very soon.

I gather that the Christmas party was a very enjoyable event, the food was good, and a few attendees went away with some lovely goodies.

The Committee decided to change the times for show judging to Friday afternoon on completion of our show marshall's check. As a result, opening times of the show will be - Saturday - 9am - 4pm and Sunday 9am - 2pm.

2023, being 'The Year of the Novice,' we have extended the Novice Corner to each meeting, instead of bi-monthly. Time 1.00-1.30pm in the auditorium room. John Clancy will continue his bi-monthly session, with those in between being run by other members who are also established growers.

We would like all Novice Growers to bring in 2 plants to bench, no matter whether they are in flower or not. They will not be voted on, but members will be asked to give advice as to the plants' condition, and how to grow them to flowering.

At our February meeting there will be de-flasking demonstrations. Novice growers will be given two plants each, the other plants will be available for sale \$5 each. This will be a unique occasion to see how it is done.

At the February meeting I will be asking for volunteers who would like to mentor new members for the first few meetings they come along to. For new members' it takes a little bit of time to meet other members and how things work. So please give this some thought in the meantime.

Congratulations to Francoise Sikora on her elevation, to the Open Grower Section of our club - well done.

I look forward to seeing you all again in February.

Rod



YES it is a quiz.

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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 2023

"YEAR OF THE NOVICE"

VENUE FOR ALL MUOS ACTIVITIES - DOWNSTAIRS CIVIC CENTRE, ULLADULLA, unless otherwise stated

Novice Corner - 1.15pm - 1.30pm each meeting in Conference Room

13th February	General Meeting -	Deflasking Demonstration.
13th March	General Meeting	Speaker - David Brooks
19th March	Presidents Meet & Greet	43 Voyager Cres, Bawley Point, 11.00am - 3.0 Chairs limited so bring one just in case needed
10th April	General Meeting	Speakers - Brian & Lynne Phelan
8th May	General Meeting	Speaker - Ron boyd
21st May	Roving Day	TBA
12th June	General Meeting	Speaker - Peter Stubbs
TBA	Bunnings Orchid Display - Bunnings Store, Ulladulla	9am - 3pm.
30th June, 1st-2nd July	MUOS Winter Show	Set up Friday 30th June 12.01pm, Benching 2-4pm. Judging 5pm
TBA	Eurobodalla Orchid Club - Winter Show	
10th July	General Meeting	Speaker - Mitch Karnaghan
8th July	Shoalhaven Orchid Society - Winter Show	
15-16th July	Batemans Bay Orchid & Foliage Society Winter Show	Batemans Bay Soldiers Club
14th August	General Meeting	Speaker - Jane Wright Presentation of awards - Winter Show
TBA	Eurobodalla Orchid Club - Spring Show	
18th - 20th August	St Ives Orchid Fair.	St Ives Showground
2nd September	Shoalhaven Orchid Society - Spring Show	Bomaderry Community Centre, 19 Birriley St.
2nd-3rd September	Batemans Bay Orchid & Foliage Society - Spring Show	
2nd September	Shoalhaven Orchid Society -	Spring Show Bomaderry Community Centre, Bomaderry
9th-10th September	MUOS Spring Show	Set up 8th Sept. 12.01pm Benching 2-4pm Judging 5pm
11th September	General Meeting	

Program continued.

- 20th September 50th Anniversary Luncheon - 12.00 - 3.00pm
Presentation of Spring Show Awards
- 29th Sept. - 1st Oct. South West Regional Show - [Cobargo Showground](#)
- 9th October AGM & General Meeting.
MUOS Native Show - Internal event
- 21st - 22nd October Batemans Bay Orchid & Foliage Society - Native Orchid Show
[Batemans Bay Soldiers Club](#)
- 21st October Shoalhaven Orchid Society October Show
[Bomaderry Community Centre, Bomaderry](#)
- 13th November General Meeting - Anything Orchid Auction
- 11th December Christmas Party
[Upper level, Civic Centre - 12-3pm](#)



POINT SCORE WINNERS FOR 2022

OPEN

Michelle & Bruce McIntosh	220
Liz Cleaver & Tony Groube	72
Brian & Lynne Phelan	68
Garry & Pat Callaghan	64
Don Hogan	43
John Clancy	18
Jo Church	11
Yvonne Young	9
Ron Boyd	8
Ron Findlater	8
Bob Harper	8

NOVICE

Keith & Anne Moody	43
Annette Neilsen	24
John Cameron	20
Fran Sheil	17
Rhonda Spry	15
Lyn Kirkpatrick	6
Lesley Saddington	6
Shelia Gallant	6
Shaaron Williams	6
Di Slye	6
Don Lamont	3
Helen Thompson	3
Phil Parnell	3

INTERMEDIATE

Rod Thomas	104
Francoise Sikora	71
Ross Hahn	55
Wayne Hamilton	49
Sandra Ellis	41
John Harriman	39
Marilyn Higgins	5
Marie Martin	3

ENCOURAGEMENT AWARD went to
Shaaron Williams



Society Polo Shirts

Society Polo Shirts can be ordered from the Secretary.

These are coloured purple with a white logo and are available in the following sizes.

Ladies 8-24

Mens to 5xL

See the Secretary if interested in one.

WISH LIST

Bob Harper—Sarc. George Coulthorpe X Bessie

Sam Burton—yellow Psychopsis

Michelle McIntosh— Oncidium cheiroporum.

Dianne Slye— [Zygoneria Adelaide Meadows X Zygopabista Beenak Jester] X Zygote Arthur Elle 'Essendon' AM-AD/AOC

Anne-Marie Collins— Loquat tree, any kind of fruit tree or bush or vine.

- Neofinetia falcata
- Stenoglotis woodii
- Daphnia bush

Rod Thomas—Den. Enobi Purple 'splash'

FOR SALE

Do you have an orchid to sell or orchid related item.

Send in the details to Anne-Marie and it will go here. :)

Ron BOYD has Cymbidium Sarah Jean 'Ice Cascades' for sale. A beautiful white miniature in 150mm pots. Contact Ph 0421 366 823

" For those wanting Bob Bishops bark please phone John Harriman on 44439462 - . John will be bringing bags to the meetings each month or you can collect from his home - please phone and ask him if you require bags brought to the meeting .

ORCHID PHOTO TIME

If you have an orchid , which you think is pretty spectacular—send me a clear picture of it , with its name. I will use it to make our newsletter look more interesting. Thank you for your picture, in advance.

Michelle sent this in. Its roots are wrapped through the bench and can't be shown—its huge.



V. Pachara Delight 'Nakorn Blue'

More from our 2022 Christmas Party



THANK YOU

Thank you to all who have donated. Everything is thriving at the block. I still have more room for fruit trees, vegetable and herb seedlings and cuttings—anything that produces edible products.

Thank you A.M.

We stock an extensive product range for all your orchid needs.

Take advantage of your V.I.P. Customer Pricing.

Come in and visit us at 21 Bellevue Street, South Nowra or ring 44232359

BISHOPS

5% discount—show your card.



Get Well Wishes

to any club member recovering from treatment, surgery or sickness . :)



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Shirley Vaughan

Condolences to Peter and his family ,
over the loss of his wife ,
from our society.

The committee would like to thank those generous members that provide the goodies for afternoon tea and also the members who bring in plants etc. for our monthly raffles. Also we thank the people who help set up and clean up the hall as with many hands it doesn't take very long.

-REMEMBER -

Please do not water your plants before benching them, at our meetings or shows, as it makes quite a mess. Thank you. :)



**A HAPPY HEALTHY NEW YEAR 2023,
from the Committee,
Milton Ulladulla Orchid Society.**