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The next Committee meeting will be at 7.30pm on Wednesday 1st OCTOBER
Venue: 77 Carrington Blvd Thomastown.

**The Warringal Orchid Society meets at the Watsonia Community Hall,
35 Lambourn Road Watsonia**

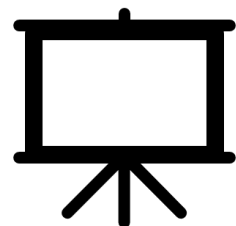
The next Meeting will be on Wednesday 17th. SEPTEMBER

The hall will be open from 7.00pm. You are welcome to bench plants for judging and to socialise with other members. A sales table operates with pots and other orchid accessories when available. Members are able to submit up to 6 orchid plants for sale (plants to be well established in their pots and in a clean condition). The society deducts a 10% commission on sales. Plants should be listed on a sales form available at sales table.

Please be seated on time for meeting to commence at 8.00pm.

This month: Our speaker will be Hendrik Venter

Hendrik will be speaking on one of his favourite orchid species, Vanda Falcata.



CLUB NOTICES

New growers group –

New members wishing to develop their orchid-growing skills are welcome to join the New Growers Group conducted by Jason Khoo. This group runs for approximately 30 minutes prior to the start of the monthly meeting.

Monthly meeting - Supper

All members are invited to bring a plate of supper to share at the end of our meeting. We all value this social time, so do not leave it to the same providers every month. Also, please help pack up chairs/tables etc prior to enjoying supper.

Monthly meeting – Setting up

Help is needed to set the hall up for our meeting. The hall is open from 6.00pm. Come early and get to know other members as you help set-up.

Bulletin Postage

Due to increased cost of postage, members wishing for a paper copy of bulletin will incur a \$20.00 annual fee added to their membership. Email copy of bulletin is free of charge.

Warringal Orchid Society QR code



Committee

Any member interested in joining the committee should contact our President, Andrew Fernandez, for more information about what is involved.

SHOW DATES

Don't forget to add these dates to your diary.

SPRING SHOW 4 - 5 OCTOBER 2025

Volunteers are required to help set-up on Friday 3rd. and help out during the show and the kitchen.

The more workers we get the easier it will be for everyone. Help make our show a success, even if you can only spare 1 day. If you can help out let our show manager Jerry Karbownik know what times and days you will be available.

PROGRESSIVE SCORES – AUGUST 2025

OPEN		ADVANCED NOVICE	
M. Coker	286	K. Trueman	73
A. Rogers	131	Z. Giavris	36
G & C. Dimech	111	A&S La Rocca	28
K. Lam	54	J. Wong	20
A Magnano	51	Z. Saleras	9
D. Wain	33	I. Katis	4
E & D Baxter	31	G. Sullivan	4
M. Mally	30	F. Verlaan	3
A. Fernandez	27	J. Kremer	3
J & L Karbownik	24		
J. Khoo	21		
S. Pantelejenko	21		
B. Duncan	20		
M. Bastecky	15		
J. Sharam	13		
G. Browning	11		
M & N Truong	8		
N. Maggetto	7		
T & A Pleitner	7		
Le Tan Liep	6		
C. Krolikowski	5		
INTERMEDIATE		NOVICE	
P. Kennedy	61	K. Lee	60
M. Volodina	38	K. Sloane	38
S. Grinzic	30	G. Benson	13
M. Grzan	20	A. Duerden	9
L & A Shepherd	8	T. Honson	9
L. Smith	5	D. Parry	8
		A. Angerossa	6
		F. Walton	6
		K. Littleboy	2
		I. Neary	1
		D. Westhead	1



"You only live once, but if you do it
right, once is enough."

Mae West

JUDGING RESULTS - AUGUST 2025 meeting

OPEN

Aust. Native Species

1 st Den. Aemulum	A. Rogers
2 nd Den. Kingianum	M. Coker

Aust. Native Hybrid

1 st Den. Brimbank Fire 'Robbie'	A. Rogers
2 nd Den. Valley Delight	A. Rogers
3 rd Den. Ellen	G & C Dimech

Aust. Native Terrestrial

1 st Pterostylis Russellii	G & C Dimech
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Novelty Cattleya

1 st Catt. Volcano Trick	M. Coker
2 nd Dals. Choice 'Merrigum	M. Coker

Vanda

1 st Rhynchostylis Choralood	M. Coker
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Masdevallia Hybrid

1 st Red Hot Chilli x John Tomasuke	M. Coker
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Standard Cymbidium

1 st Paradisian Beach 'Pink Sensation'	A. Rogers
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Miniature Cymbidium

1 st Pathfinder 'Polly Pouch'	M. Bastecky
2 nd Pink Iccicles	J. Khoo
3 rd Deloris Hoyt x Tom Thumb	G & C Dimech

Phalaenopsis

1 st Zheng Min Anacondar x Cds	M. Coker
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Dendrobium

1 st Yukidania 'The king'	M. Coker
2 nd Nagami	M. Coker

Paphiopedilum

1 st Galaxy Stone	M. Coker
2 nd Pacific sunset x Emerald Crazy	M. Coker
3 rd Thunder World	G & C Dimech

Maudiae Paphiopedilum

1 st Dot's Delight x Wood Wonder	M. Coker
2 nd Black spider	M. Coker

Novelty Paphiopedilum

1 st Godefroyal x Papilio Laoticus	M. Coker
2 nd Dollgoldi	M. Coker
3 rd Spicerianum x Rosy Prospect	A. Rogers

Species Paphiopedilum

1 st Wardii	M. Coker
2 nd Fairricanum	M. Coker
3 rd Henryanum	M. Coker

Oncidium

1 st Rhynchostele Videtta Von Holm	M. Coker
2 nd Twinkle 'Fragrant Fantasy'	M. Bastecky

3 rd Bratonia Estrelilta	M. Coker
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Miltonia

1 st Miltoniopsis Rouge	M. Coker
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Lycaste

1 st Lycast Muromachi	M. Coker
2 nd Lycast Cherish	M. Coker
3 rd Lycast Sunset Delight	G. Browning

Any Other Hybrid

1 st Phrag. Jason Fisher No1	M. Coker
2 nd Calanthe Kryptonite	M. Coker
3 rd Phrog. Jason Fisher No2	M. Coker

Species - Any Genera

1 st Phrag Besseae	M. Coker
2 nd Cym. Goeringii x Self	B. Duncan
3 rd Catt. Lurdii	M. Coker

Best in Section – Open

Phrag Besseae	M. Coker
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INTERMEDIATE

Novelty Cattleya

1 st LC. Secret Love	L. Smith
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Miniature Cymbidium

1 st Freeling 'Green Ice'	S. Grzinic
2 nd Cherry Cola	S. Grzinic

Best in Section – Intermediate

Freeling 'Green Ice'	S. Grzinic
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ADVANCED NOVICE

Intermediate Cymbidium

1 st Sleeping Sarah x Valley Splash	S&A LaRocca
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Oncidium

1 st Onc. Midnight Miricles	K. Trueman
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Species - Any Genera

1 st Laelia anceps Var. Dawsonii	K. Trueman
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Best in Section – Advanced Novice

1st Ptero. Pedunculata

D. Pary

Sleeping Sarah x Valley Splash S&A La Rocca

NOVICE

Standard Cymbidium

1st Gold Woodendense
2nd Unknown

A. Duerden
A. Angerosa

Any Other Cymbidium

1st Mem. Makia Gaye
2nd Little Amy

K. Sloane
A. Duerden

Any Other Hybrid

1st Phal Unknown
2nd Phal Ox Royal Yellow
3rd Coel. Cristata x Flacida

K. Lee
K. Lee
G. Benson

Species - Any Genera

1st Pluuro. Restrepoides

D. Pary

Aust. Native Species or hybrid

Best in Section – Novice

Phal Unknown

K. Lee

President's Choice

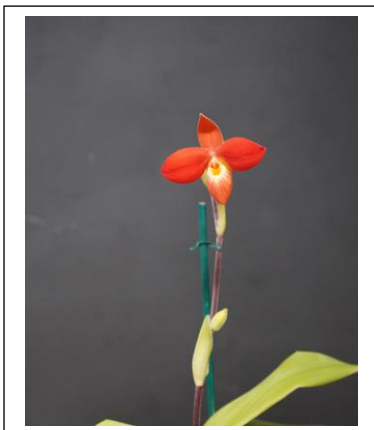
Den. Brimbank Fire 'Robbie McInnes'
A. Rogers

Seedling Flowering First Time

1st D. Aust. Obsession x Cosmic Gold A. Rogers
2nd Sarc. Kulnura wild x Kulnura Glow M. Coker
3rd D. Tooradin x Aust Colorfest A. Fernandez

Best in Section August 2025

OPEN



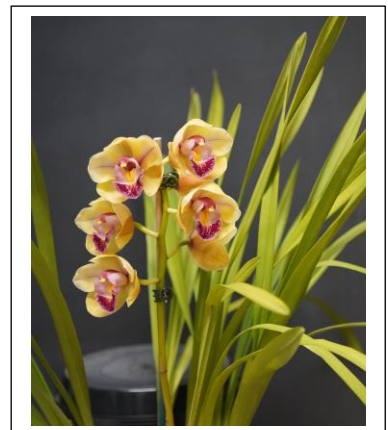
Phrag. Bessaeae
M. Coker

INTERMEDIATE



Cym. Freeling Green Ice
S. Grzinic

ADV. NOVICE



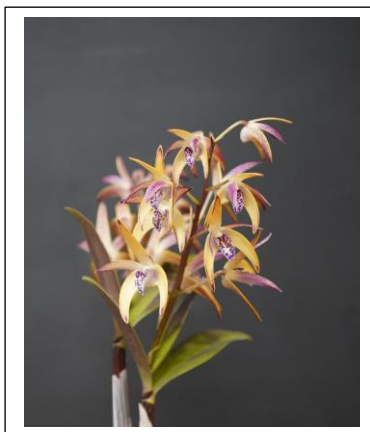
Cym. Sleeping Sarah x
Valley Splash
S & A La Rocca

NOVICE



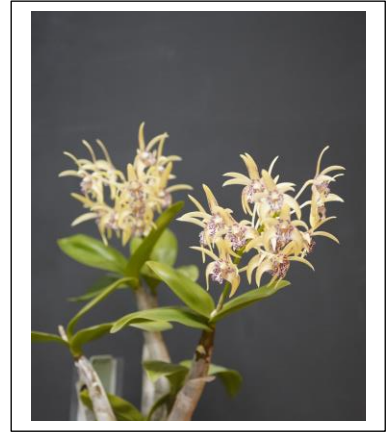
Phal. Unknown
K. Lee

Seedling 1st. Flowering



D. Aust. Obsession x
Cosmioc Gold
A. Rogers

Presidents Choice



D. Brimbank Fire 'Robbie
McInnes'
A. Rogers

WARRINGAL ORCHID SOCIETY INC. - WINTER SHOW SUMMARY - 2025

AWARD	Plant No.	PLANT NAME	PLANT OWNER
GRAND CHAMPION ORCHID	50	Dinema Polybulbon	A. Rogers
RESERVE CHAMPION ORCHID	6	Rlc. Hsinying 'Aloha Super'	K. Lee
CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM ORCHID	133	Cym. Templestow Charm 'Julie'	D. Wain
CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE	48	Den Melbourne 'Robbie McInnes	A. Rogers
CHAMPION SPECIES ORCHID	50	Dinema Polybulbon	A. Rogers
CHAMPION OTHER HYBRID ORCHID	6	Rlc. Hsinying 'Aloha Super'	K. Lee
CHAMPION SPECIMEN ORCHID	50	Dinema Polybulbon	A. Rogers
Best Paphiopedilum - Open	100	Paph. Sukhakulli	K. Lam
Best Paphiopedilum - Intermediate		N/A	
Best Paphiopedilum - Novice/Advanced Novice	5	Paph. Liemianum	K. Lee
Best Masdevallia - Open	104	Masd, Rein Staal x Midas Touch	K. Lam
Best Masdevallia - Intermediate		N/A	
Best Masdevallia - Novice/Advanced Novice	74	Masd. Coriacea	S & A La Rocca
Best Large Cymbidium - Open	130	Cym. Arcadia Ruby x Regal Blaze	D. Wain
Best Large Cymbidium - Intermediate	84	Cym. Kellys Winter 'Electric Green'	M. Volodina
Best Large Cymbidium - Novice/Advanced Novice	89	Cym. Second Renaissance 'Jenny Wren'	K. Sloane
Best Medium Cymbidium - Open	133	Cym. Templestow Charm 'Julie'	D. Wain
Best Medium Cymbidium - Intermediate		N/ A	
Best Medium Cymbidium - Novice/Advanced Novice	78	Cym. One tree Hill 'Johns Quest	K. Trueman
Best Small Cymbidium - Open	32	Cym. Gypsy Rose 'Mini Tee Pee'	B. Duncan
Best Small Cymbidium - Intermediate	44	Cym. Gypsy Rose 'Princes'	S. Grzinic
Best Small Cymbidium - Novice/Advanced Novice	91	Cym. Rod's Tango 'Tobruk'	K. Sloane
Best Australian Native - Open	48	Den Melbourne 'Robbie McInnes	A. Rogers
Best Australian Native - Intermediate		N/A	
Best Australian Native - Novice/Advanced Novice	80	Den. Ellen	K. Trueman
Best Other Hybrid Orchid - Open	24	Lycaste Sunray	A. Magnano
Best Other Hybrid Orchid - Intermediate		N/A	
Best Other Hybrid Orchid - Novice/Advanced Novice	6	Rlc. Hsinying 'Aloha Super'	K. Lee
Best Large Display of Orchids			
Best Medium Display of Orchids			
Best Small Display of Orchids	A		G & C Dimech
Display of Orchids - Novice/Advanced Novice			
Best Basket of Orchids	3		K. Lam

2025 WINTER SHOW WINNERS

GRAND CHAMPION ORCHID CHAMPION SPECIES ORCHID CHAMPION SPECIMEN ORCHID



Dinema Polybulbon
A. Rogers

RESERVE CHAMPION ORCHID CHAMPION OTHER HYBRID ORCHID



Rlc. Hsinying 'Aloha Super'
K. Lee

CHAMPION CYMBIDIUM ORCHID



Templestowe Charm 'Julie'
D. Wain

CHAMPION AUSTRALIAN NATIVE



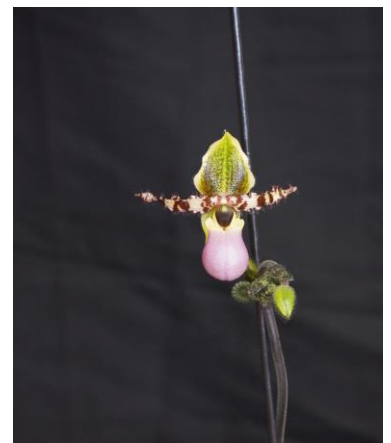
D. Melbourne 'Robbie McInnes'
A. Rogers

Best Paphiopedilum Open



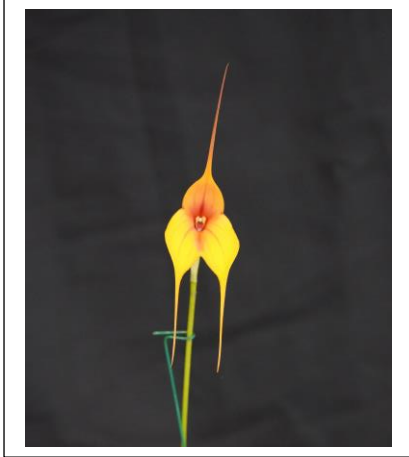
Paph. Sukhakulii
K. Lam

Best Paphiopedilum Novice/ advanced Novice



Paph. Liemianum
K. Lee

**Best Masdevallia -
Open**



Masd. Rein Staal x Midas Touch
K. Lam

**Best Masdevallia –
Novice/Advanced Novice**



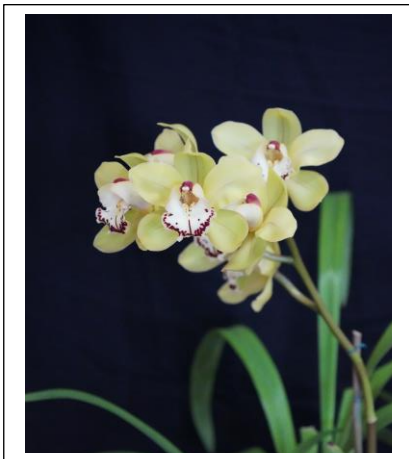
Masd. Coriacea
S & A La Rocca

**Best Large Cymbidium –
Open**



Arcadia Ruby x Regal Blaze
D. Wain

**Best Large Cymbidium -
Intermediate**



Kellys winter 'Electric Green'
M. Volodina

**Best Large Cymbidium -
Novice/Advanced Novice**



Second Renaissance 'Jenny
Wren'
K. Slone

**Best Medium Cymbidium
- Open**



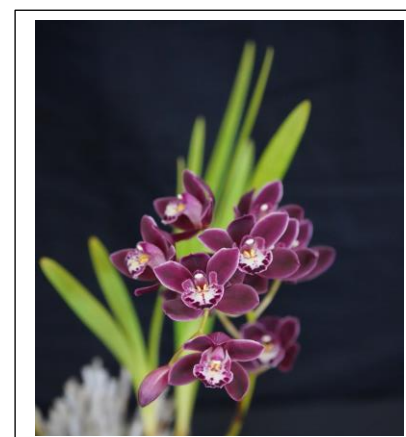
Templestowe Charm 'Julie'
D. Wain

**Best Medium Cymbidium -
Novice/Advanced Novice**



One tree Hill 'Johns Quest'
K. Trueman

**Best Small Cymbidium -
Open**



Gypsy Rose 'Mini Tee Pee'
B. Duncan

**Best Small Cymbidium -
Intermediate**



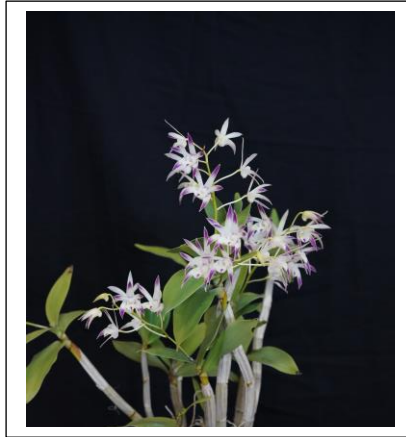
Gypsy Rose 'Princess'
S. Grzinic

**Best Small Cymbidium -
Novice/Advanced Novice**



Rod's Tango 'Tobruk'
K. Sloan

**Best Australian Native -
Open**



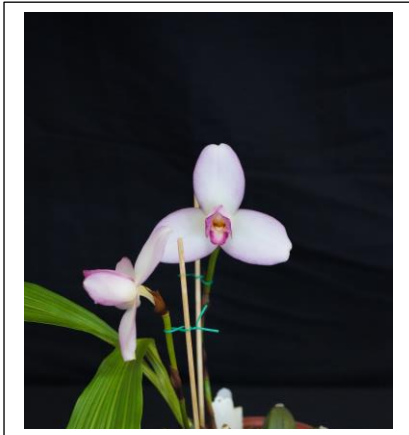
D. Melbourne 'Robbie
McInnes'
A. Rogers

**Best Australian Native –
Novice/Advanced Novice**



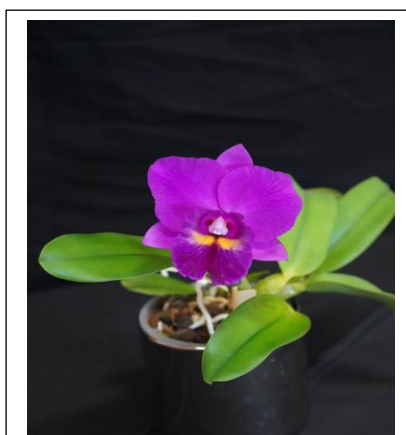
Den Ellen
K. Trueman

**Best Other Hybrid Orchid -
Open**



Lycaste Sunray
A. Magnano

**Best Other Hybrid Orchid
Novice/Advanced Novice**



Rlc. Hsinying 'Aloha Super'
K. Lee

**Best Small Display of
Orchids**



Stand A
G & C Dimech

Best Basket of Orchids



Basket 3
K. Lam

Orchid Conservation Tour

Tuesday 2nd September - Thursday 18th September 2025

See the world's largest endangered orchid conservation program with a behind-the-scenes tour of the Orchid Conservation Program shadehouses.

Orchids are among our most beautiful and intriguing native wildflowers, with Victoria home to over 400 species, most of which grow nowhere else in the world. Sadly, however, half of our native orchid species are threatened with extinction in the wild.

The RBGV Orchid Conservation Program grows threatened orchids and plants them back out into the bush to create new wild populations and reduce their risk of extinction. Underpinning this work, the Program undertakes cutting-edge scientific research on all aspects of orchid ecology, including on pollination, symbiotic fungi, propagation methods, and reintroduction science.

We aim to prevent future orchid extinctions by:

- Storing a genetically diverse collection of seed and symbiotic fungi
- Growing suitable numbers of our threatened orchids for reintroductions
- Reintroducing these species to protected public and private land, where the appropriate vegetation, climate and insect pollinators are present.

Back by popular demand, the nurseries of the RBGV Orchid Conservation Program are being opened to the public to showcase endangered orchids up close. Our world-leading team will explain the important work and intricate science behind this exemplary conservation program. You will have the chance to photograph critically endangered species rarely seen in the wild.

Please note that the minimum age of attendees on this tour is 12 years old, and that the shadehouses are not suitable for anyone requiring the use of mobility aids such as wheelchairs and walking frames.

Price \$35 per person

Bookings essential

Location

Meet 10 minutes before your booked session time at the Visitor Centre, Royal Botanic Gardens Cranbourne

Duration - 1 hr

Session Times

10:45am

12:00pm

Tue 2, 9, 16 Sep

Thu 4, 11, 18 Sep

9:30am

10:45am

12:00pm

1:30pm

2:45pm

Sat 6 Sep





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