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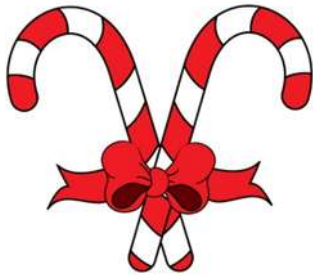
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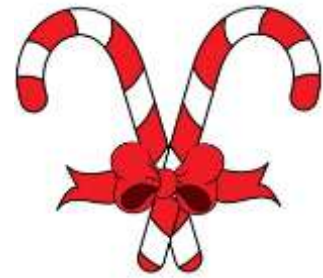
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Merry.
Christmas



Christmas Meeting – 11th December 2012

The next meeting of the Maribyrnong Orchid Society will be held at the Maribyrnong Community Centre, Randall Street, Maribyrnong, on **Tuesday the 11th December 2012.**

The hall is open from 6pm for those members who have tickets for Christmas Dinner.

Members are reminded that the Christmas dinner is BYO drinks, so bring along your own cups and glasses please. Coffee and Tea will be available to all members.

Members not coming to the dinner are advised that a short meeting and presentation will begin at 8pm.

Please bring along your plants for judging. This month is the beginning of the next year for points.

We ask all members to please take home their rubbish, bottles, cups, etc, from the dinner.

We wish everyone a Happy and Safe holiday.

Plant of the Night November



Plant of the Night for the November meeting was Masdevallia Patricia Hill x Tiger Kiss shown by Malcolm Pearce.
Also Best in Open and Judges Vote.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Another year has come and gone. They seem to go quicker the older we get. Once our autumn show is over then it doesn't seem that long before we are having our Christmas party.

Speaking of shows, our club had four successful shows for 2012. The hard work and dedication of the show committee and all those who helped, made every show a delight and all were well received by the general public. A big thank you to all involved, especially those hard workers in the kitchen who keep the workers fed.

Our three bus trips were also very popular. It is a lot of work to get these going and Wilma and Peter Carlesso did a great job. A big thank you to both of them. And thanks to all the members who donated plants for the raffles.

To all of the members who did kitchen duty on club meeting nights, keep up the good work. It is greatly appreciated.

To Margo and Jim Lattimore, thanks for helping with the show sales tickets, and helping out around the club.

To the hard working committee, thank you for doing such a great job. They are often called upon to do things at the last minute and there is hardly a grumble.

Lastly, to my offside Anthony, thank you does not seem enough, but I hope that he knows that I appreciate all that he does for me and the club.

Bye for now.
Elizabeth

Points for 2012

Advanced Novice

1st	J Diwell	126
2nd	M. Grima	110
3rd	V Vika	52
3rd	F Penman	52
4th	K Stringer	32

Intermediate

1st	F & J Spiteri	104
2nd	G Ragg	82
3rd	L Le Tan	75
4th	L & E Johnstone	60

Open

1st	J.Crawford	287
2nd	M Pearce	267
3rd	E & F Wilde	208
4th	J & M Lattimore	122

Congratulations to all the winners.
Looking forward to seeing more plants benched next year, especially from the Intermediates.

Show Coordinator's Report

Show Coordinators Report December 2012

First I would like to wish everybody a Merry Christmas and all the best for 2013.

Our show dates for 2013 are:

Autumn Show

Set up Friday 24 May 2013

Show dates - Sat 25 & Sun 26 May 2013

Winter Show

Set up Friday 12 May 2013

Show dates - Sat 13 & Sun 14 July 2013

Spring Show

Set up Friday 6 September 2013

Show dates - Sat 7 & Sun 8 September 2013

Sarcochilus Show

Set up Friday 8 November 2013

Show dates - Sat 9 & Sun 10 November 2013

This year we have had four (4) very successful shows and without all those people that assist, the shows would not have been such a success. So I would like to thank all those people that helped with the shows in any way through the year.

Once again, have a Merry and Safe Christmas and I look forward to seeing you in the New Year.

Anthony Scerri

Show Coordinator

Speakers for the first six months of 2013

Feb	Helen Richards	Growing Terrestrial Orchids and their Culture
March	Milton Dyer	Maxicrop
April	Stephen Stebbing	TBC
May	Peter Miller	Mounting Australian Native Orchids
June	Grant Garrett	Awarded Orchids 2012

Editor's Note

Thanks to everyone who has worked hard for the club this year. It is those members who make the club successful.

And thank you to those of you who have made favourable comments about the bulletin. I hope you find it useful, and I will endeavor to include more interesting articles next year.

The website will be changing during next year, so do visit and let us know what you think.

Merry Christmas to you all, and a safe and happy New Year, from Jenny and Terry Dark.



Competition Results November
As per judging sheets

OPEN SECTION

Small Cymbidium

- 1st Cym Cricket D Colquhoun
2nd Cym Bunyip 'Owen Seton' B Rowlands

Sarcochilus Species/Hybrid

- 1st Sarco Joy D Colquhoun
2nd Sarco Kunama 'Fireworks' J Haniver

Paphiopedilum – Species

- 1st Paph *hirsutissimum* E & F Wilde

Cattleya Novelty Type

- 1st Catt Lavender Ice x Beaufort J & Y McIntyre
2nd Pot Dal's Jet x Free Spirit J & Y McIntyre

Dendrobium Hybrid/Species (not Aust Native)

- 1st Den *thrysiflorum* x *farmeri* J & D Sharam

Masdevallia Hybrid

- 1st Masd Patricia Hill x Tiger Kiss M Pearce

Species Any Genera

- 1st Coelogyne *mayeriana* M Pearce
2nd Dryadella *edwardii* J & D Sharam

Best in Section (see front page)

- Masd Patricia Hill x Tiger Kiss M Pearce

INTERMEDIATE SECTION

Cattleya

- 1st Lc Claesiana x Sincorana Le Tan Liep

Dendrobium Hybrid/Species (not Aust Native)

- 1st Den Stardust Le Tan Liep

Masdevallia Hybrid

- 1st Masd Sundancer x Antizana 'Beenak' Le Tan Liep
2nd Masd Machu Pichu 'JV' Le Tan Liep

Species Any Genera

- 1st Cattleya *intermedia* G Ragg



Best in Section (above)

- Masd Sundancer x Antizana 'Beenak' Le Tan Liep

ADVANCED NOVICE SECTION

Small Cymbidium

- 1st Cym PeeWee D Brus
2nd Cym Sarah Jean 'Jennifer' J & C Ellul

Aust Native Hybrid Dendrobium

- 1st Dock Oliver Jack P & H Caly

Sarcochilus Species/Hybrid

- 1st Sarco Heidi x Fitzhart H Nyssen
2nd Sarco Fitzhart x Heidi J Diwell

Dendrobium Hybrid/Species (not Aust Native)

- 1st Den Superstar Dandy x Great Expectations D Brus

Species Any Genera

- 1st Den *thrysiflorum* V Vika
2nd Den *hancockii* Tien Nguyen



Best in Section (above)

- Den Superstar Dandy x Great Expectations D Brus

NON SECTIONAL



Seedling Flowering 1st Time (above)

- 1st Sarco *hartmanii* x Fitzhart J W Crawford

Judges Vote

- Masd Patricia Hill x Tiger Kiss M Pearce

Best Cultivated

- Cym Pee Wee D Brus



Above: Coelogyne mayeriana (Malcolm Pearce)

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