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Miltassia Charles M. Fitch 'Izumi'

April 2021 Newsletter

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NEXT MEETING SUNDAY 25TH APRIL

1.30 pm	Bench Orchids
2.00 pm	General Meeting

Venue: Albany Bridge Club, Mill Street Albany

Competition Plant for April:- *Cymbidiums* and *Dendrobium* 'Stupid Orange' x *Dendrobium* 'Rusty Buckets'

AOS Calendar 2021 Please keep these details handy on your fridge or on your mobile phone

Morning Cuppa Friday 16th April	10 00am at Hardie Road Café, Spencer Park
AOS Monthly Meeting Sunday 25th April	1.30pm benching 2.00pm Meeting begins

BENCHING RESULTS FOR March 2021

GROWERS

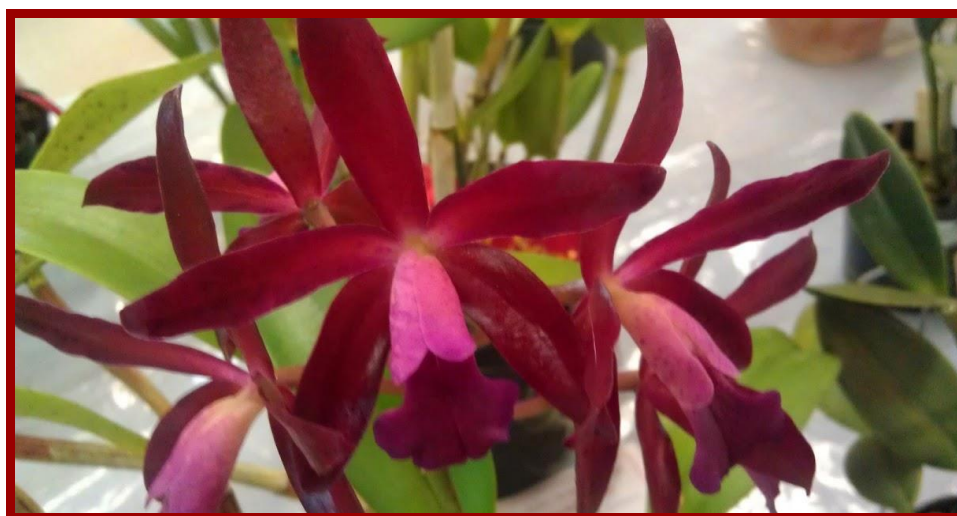
OPEN SECTION

1 st <i>Maxillaria Meleagris</i> x <i>Maxillaria Hematoglossa</i>	3 points	Jane Arnol
1 st <i>Cattleya</i> Towering Inferno	3 points	Deidre Black
1 st <i>Cattleya Bowringiana</i> Purple King x <i>Cattleya Bowringiana</i> 'Coerulea'	3 points	Ron Gresswell
1 st <i>Brassia</i> Orange Delight	3 points	Mary Warnes
1 st <i>Dendrobium</i> Rutherford Starburst 'Tinonee'	3 points	Mary Warnes
1 st <i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	3 points	Julie Elliott
1 st <i>Dendrobium Dockrillia</i> 'New Guinea' x <i>hepatica</i> x <i>fuliginosa</i>	3 points	Julie Elliott
1 st <i>Masdevallia</i> Flight of Fancy Macrum 'Big Pink'	3 points	Julie Elliott
2 nd <i>Dendrobium</i> Louise's Rainbow	2 points	Julie Elliott
3 rd <i>Dendrobium</i> Rutherford Starburst 'Tinonee'	1 point	Julie Elliott
3 rd <i>Masdevallia</i> Midas Touch 'Golden Dynasty'	1 point	Julie Elliott
1 st <i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	3 points	Carol White
1 st <i>Dendrobium</i> Uncatum	3 points	Carol White
1 st <i>Paphiopedilum</i> Dark Matter x <i>Paphiopedilum</i> Yi-Ying Firefox	3 points	Carol White
1 st <i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	3 points	Carol White

NOVICE SECTION

1 st <i>Phalaenopsis</i> Unknown	3 points	Maria Noakes
1 st <i>Miltassia</i> Charles M. Fitch 'Izumi'	3 points	Donna Stretton

The most popular vote was a draw between *Cattleya* Towering Inferno unknown and was grown by Deidre Black and *Paphiopedilum* Dark Matter x *Paphiopedilum* Yi-Ying Firefox and was grown by Carol White.



Cattleya Towering Inferno

March meeting Raffle results:-

1 st Prize	Barbara Hawes
2 nd Prize	Sandra Bright
Door Prize	Yvette Hamilton

CUPPA MORNING

Our next cuppa morning is on Friday 16th April at 10am, the venue is Hardie Road Cafe in Spencer Park Shopping Centre, Hardie Road. Hope to see you there.

COMPETITION PLANTS

The competition plants for March meeting are the cymbidiums also *Dendrobium* 'Stupid Orange' x *Dendrobium* 'Rusty Buckets'

Please bring your plants to the meeting, so Jane can record your plants' progresses.

OVERDUE MEMBERSHIPS

Albany Orchid Society annual memberships were due by the February meeting. Thank you to all our members who have paid their subscriptions for 2021-22. To keep receiving this newsletter and to bench your orchids, you must be a financial member. If you would like to remain a member of AOS please pay at the next meeting, or contact our treasurer Glenn Diggins on 0411054750 to arrange to pay your subscriptions, the cost per year is \$20 per member or \$30 per couple and \$10 for juniors.

AGM MEETING

Thank you to all AOS financial members who nominated the candidates for our 2021-22 office bearers & Committee members. Thanks goes to Murray Montgomery for your participation in running the voting. Thank you to all the outgoing 2020 office bearers. The votes were cast at the March meeting and here are the results.

Albany Orchid Society Office Bearers and Committee Members 2021

President	Mrs Barbara Hawes
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Treasurer	Mr Glen Diggins
Immediate Past President	Mr Ron Gresswell

Committee

Mrs Mary Warnes
Mrs Carol White
Mrs Edna Murdoch
Mrs Julie Elliott
Mrs Gail Brodziak
Newsletter Editor

Mrs Gail Brodziak



Dendrobium Rutherford Starburst 'Tinonee'

Vale June Newman

It is with great sadness that we must announce the passing of June Newman,
Loving mother of Yvette Hamilton

June was born on 7th December 1929 and passed away peacefully in her sleep on 31st March 2021

June and her late husband Bert, were founding members of Albany Orchid Society in 1982

June was "our treasure", she was a loving, people person who always enjoyed a joke and a bit of gossip
June always loved to dressed up for an occasion, whether for a club dinner or our monthly morning teas

And she always enjoyed attending club meetings, dinners and our annual orchid shows.

R.I.P. June, we are all going to miss you and your smiles.