

# **The British Orchid Council Year Book 2018**



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### **Front cover**

*Dactylorhiza incarnata*, Ivar Edvinsen , Hardy Orchid Society.  
1<sup>st</sup> place in the BOC Photographic Competition

## Welcome

Hi everyone, welcome to this edition of the British Orchid Council Yearbook. I hope that you find it enjoyable and informative. If you have any suggestions for changes or improvements to future editions please let me know.

2017 has been a difficult year for our hobby, with five of our affiliated societies closing due to lack of support and shrinking membership. I have allowed time at future BOC meetings for discussion about the challenges and successful ideas in meeting them. I hope that by sharing information we can recruit new members and keep our hobby fit for the future. It is important that members send delegates to our meetings to share their experiences.

Despite this, next year promises to be an exciting one, with many orchid events throughout. Apart from the London Show in spring and Malvern in mid-June there is a European Orchid Congress in Paris in March and a BOC Congress at Writhlington School in November. In addition, the RHS have chosen Orchids as the theme for their Chatsworth show in June. Details of these and local shows are contained in this yearbook.

I am looking forward to a good year, packed with excellent events.

Happy orchid growing!

Arthur Deakin, Chairman, BOC

### About The British Orchid Council

The Council is a registered charity, whose main objectives are promoting knowledge of orchids and encouraging excellence in their culture. We achieve this as follows.

- BOC funds annual international speaker tours.
- We aim to organise a Congress for members every other year.
- We run a judging scheme with regular training events for judges and trainees. Our judges' qualification is recognised around the world.
- We maintain a list of speakers, diary of events, lists of societies, trade contacts and judges, plus cultural advice and issue an annual newsletter.
- Our annual photographic competition is organised for members.
- We provide a website & database for our members and the public.
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- We offer bargain tickets for the Malvern International Orchid Show to our members.
- We provide up to fifty Yearbooks free to member societies.
- We are developing a slide/digital presentation library for our member societies to use.
- We represent our members on both European and International bodies.

**There is a digital version of this Yearbook online.  
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See the BOC Database at [www.british-orchid-council.info](http://www.british-orchid-council.info)**



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## **Orchids as Houseplants**

By Sara Rittershausen, Burnham Nurseries [www.orchids.uk.com](http://www.orchids.uk.com)

The types of orchids that we grow in our greenhouses, conservatories or in the home would naturally grow in rainforests all over the world. We try to recreate these conditions to get the best from our plants and this need not be as hard as you think!

**TEMPERATURE:** Orchids usually fall into 1 of 3 categories - **cool, intermediate or warm** - here is a guide to the temperatures:

<b>Cool:</b>	winter minimum 10°C (50°F)	summer maximum 22°C (75°F)
<b>Intermediate:</b>	winter minimum 12°C (55°F)	summer maximum 25°C (80°F)
<b>Warm:</b>	winter minimum 18°C (65°F)	summer maximum 27°C (85°F)

The winter minimum temperatures are more vital for night-time and it is natural for there to be a rise and fall between day and night and between the seasons.

**LIGHT:** Orchids do not like bright light, in the rainforests only dappled light will reach them through the leafy canopy. Direct sun, especially in summer, can burn their leaves quite easily so keep them in dappled shade during the warmest months. In winter when the sun is not so strong, full light is fine and indeed necessary to help them to flower well the following season.

**WATERING & HUMIDITY:** Rainforests are naturally humid places so to create this at home you can grow other suitable companion plants such as ferns and air plants with your orchids. Misting the foliage and aerial roots several times a week, especially in warmer conditions will help the humidity. Take care when misting Phalaenopsis however that the water does not collect in the crown of the plant. Stand the pots on damp pebbles and the moisture will evaporate around the plants. When it comes to actually watering the plants, do not rely on them taking up water from underneath the pot as this can lead to the compost becoming too wet. Instead take your plant to the sink and water from above, letting it run through the open bark-based compost. This is usually done 1 - 2 times a week with a little orchid fertiliser every 2nd or 3rd watering.

Avoid standing your orchids anywhere too hot and dry in the home. Directly above a radiator or television can provide a lot of dry heat, which simply dehydrates the plants more quickly. A bathroom or kitchen can often be the best places as these naturally are a little more humid.

Many houses now have conservatories attached to them and these can make ideal orchid growing areas. Shade, ventilation and humidity for summer and insulation and heating for winter are necessary though, so a few adjustments are usually required to make the conservatory “orchid friendly”. If these changes are not made then a conservatory can be quite desert-like with hot, bright and dry summers and cold winters, far from ideal for orchids.

Clean your orchids as well as your furniture! Household dust will collect on their leaves so wipe them regularly to keep them healthy and looking good.

## Dendrobiums

The genus *Dendrobium* is one of the largest in the orchid family and includes more than 1000 species. Dendrobiums occur naturally from India to Japan, south to Australia and east to some of the Pacific islands. Their altitudinal range is from sea-level to more than 3000m. Plant size covers the full gamut from true miniatures to monsters more than 5m tall. With their mostly colourful and attractive flowers, dendrobiums have always been popular in cultivation and although commonly available plants tend to be hybrids, many fine species are also propagated and grown.



In general terms dendrobiums like plenty of light and air movement, and when actively growing, a lot of water. At one extreme are those plants such as *D. aphyllum* which are fully deciduous and thus kept mostly dry for part of the year and at the other are those like *D. cuthbertsonii* which come from high altitudes and must never be dry for more than a day or two. As a general rule, plants which bear leaves throughout the year will appreciate regular watering but much less frequently when growth slows down or stops during the winter months.

Small plants may be mounted or grown in free draining pots whereas larger ones whose natural habit is pendulous are better mounted or planted in hanging containers to allow better root development. Most other plants will form compact upright clumps which are most easily accommodated in pots.

Suitable temperatures will depend on the origins of particular plants. Those from tropical montane habitats or temperate regions of Australia will prefer a winter minimum of around 10 C but will tolerate less but with a rise during the day and a few degrees warmer during the growing season. Plants from monsoon climates will experience dry days for part of the year but night time humidity is high as are light levels during the day so some water is required even in winter just to avoid shrivelling.

Popular hybrids derived from *D. nobile*, a monsoon plant, need to grow strongly after spring flowering so that new growths are fully formed by the time winter comes with cooler and drier conditions. These will encourage the formation of the next flower buds which appear in clusters on stem nodes. Hybrids derived from *D. bigibbum* produce sprays of long lasting flat phalaenopsis-type blooms from the upper stem nodes but are truly tropical in their needs which means a winter minimum of 15°C with a day rise and 18°C minimum during growth.

For those who would like to know more, 'Dendrobium and its relatives' by Lavarack, Harris and Stocker and published by Timber Press in 2006 cannot be too highly recommended.

*By David Menzies*

## Oncidiums - Dancing Ladies . . . . . Warm Section

There are several hundred recognised oncidium species, plus a large number of hybrids. The most common oncidiums grow well under normal indoor conditions as well as intermediate to warm greenhouse conditions. They have large pseudobulbs that arise from a mass of thin white roots. The large leaves (up to 2 ft.) emerge from the pseudobulbs. Most species generally flower in autumn although modern hybrids flower all year round.

**Light:** Oncidiums are much more forgiving of bright, even direct, light than other popular orchids, they can handle direct morning light and prefer bright to very bright conditions. The leaves should be bright green as opposed to dark green or reddish green. Reddish green indicates too much light and dark green too little light.

**Water:** During the growing season, water every few days, they should however be moderately dry between watering. Be careful, though, drainage is an absolute priority, and the potting media must be perfectly free draining. Since oncidiums have large, fleshy pseudobulbs and masses of roots, they are very prone to rot. If you see a pseudobulb beginning to rot, cut it out with sterile secateurs and reduce the amount of water. In the winter, reduce watering to monthly or less. They can withstand considerable drought because of their large pseudobulbs. Wrinkled pseudobulbs generally indicate a lack of water.

**Fertiliser:** During the growing season, feed with a weak orchid fertiliser every 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> watering. Although there are many species and hybrids, in general, the larger the plant, the more heavily it will feed.

**Temperature:** Warm growing oncidiums can be found in many habitats, from semiarid subtropical lowlands to high mountain region cloud forests. Generally, the most popular oncidiums, which feature small yellow flowers, large pseudobulbs and strappy leaves, need minimum temperatures ranging from 13°C, to 25°C.

**Humidity:** Oncidiums enjoy moist air, requiring a minimum of 40-50% humidity in the immediate vicinity of the plant. Humidity should be increased with higher temperatures. The ideal humidity is between 55 and 75%, with as much ventilation or air movement as possible without any cold drafts.

**Flowering:** Oncidiums are magnificent in flower. A large, well grown plant may send out six or seven branched sprays of yellow flowers. The effect is very much like a cloud of butterflies each flower resembling dancing ladies.

**Potting:** Oncidiums do not like root disturbance and should only be repotted when either the compost becomes broken down or the pot becomes too small for the new growth. They like to be slightly under potted in a very free draining bark based potting media. In general only repot when necessary but every two years is ideal when the new growth is 2-3 inches long.



*By John Gay*



## Oncidiums (Now Odontoglossum) Cool Section

**Oncidium** Cambria type hybrids are widely available and relatively easy to grow. Species *Oncidium* are more challenging and suitable for enthusiasts only.



**Light:** Oncidiums (cool growing types) grow under filtered subdued light ; in the home they do best in a North or North-East facing window. However, do not place them in the middle of the room as they need to be close to a certain amount of light to do well. In the greenhouse, they need shade from late March until the end of September. We do not recommend putting Oncidiums outside during summer due to the risk of wind and sun damage to the leaves.

**Fertiliser:** Most hybrids grow continuously all the year round and so feeding should match. From February until August, feed with high nitrogen (20:10:10), using it at half strength at every second watering. From September until February, feed with high potash (4:4:8), using it at half strength at every second watering. Occasionally a foliar feed can be used as a tonic.

**Watering and Humidity :** Water every 5-7 days, all the year round if they are being grown as house plants. In the greenhouse, water every 4-7 days from the end of February until September, depending on weather conditions. During October and November when not much heat is needed and light is reduced, they may go 10- 14 days between watering. From December until the end of February when heating is on, you will need to water every 7-10 days. The ideal humidity is between 60%-70%, but do not worry if this falls in summer while the ventilators are open. This can be remedied by floor damping in the early evening.

**Temperature:** Cool growing *Oncidium*, mainly from the high Andes need a minimum night temperature of 52°F (11°C). This should rise in the daytime by 10°F (6°C) during Autumn and Winter and by 20°F (11°C) during Spring and Summer. Temperatures a little outside these extremes can be tolerated; ventilation should be used from March to September. *Oncidiums* love fresh, airy conditions and it is a good idea to install a circulating fan, running all the time.

**Flowering:** Most *Oncidiums* flower once each year when mature, the blooms lasting six weeks or more. The main flowering time used to be late winter and spring, but modern breeding has given us plants in flower at any time of the year.

**Potting:** Repotting is best carried out from February to April or late August to early October. The timing depends on the young shoot being between 1 inch and 3 inches in height.

*By John Gay*

## Phalaenopsis

(from [www.phalaenopsisandmore.co.uk](http://www.phalaenopsisandmore.co.uk))

*Phalaenopsis* (moth orchids) are found mostly in Asia, from India to the Philippines, and to the north of Australia. They are monopodial epiphytes (growing on trees), with thick, leathery leaves and showy flowers produced on long inflorescences. Their ease of care makes them the ideal orchid for growing on a bright, shaded windowsill in your home.



**Light:** *Phalaenopsis* like to be grown in bright shade conditions, but their leaves will burn quickly if exposed to strong sunlight. Generally a bright north windowsill, or an east or west windowsill, with a short amount of either early morning or late afternoon sun will be the ideal spot for growing your moth orchid.

**Temperature:** Most *Phalaenopsis* species and hybrids are warm growers, and need temperatures between 22 – 28°C during the day, with a nightly drop in temperature to around 15–18°C, although they can tolerate temperatures outside this range for short periods of time without any problems. In winter, when growth rate slows down, a temperature difference of about 5°C between day and night will encourage your plants to initiate flowering.

**Water and humidity:** *Phalaenopsis* do not have pseudobulbs to store water, neither do they have a rest period. This means that they need to be watered consistently all year round. Water your plants thoroughly once a week during Spring and Summer, and reduce this to once every 10 to 14 days between Autumn and Summer. Ensure good humidity around your plants by standing them on a tray with pebbles filled with water, or by having foliage plants around them. Never allow water to sit in the crown of your plants, and do not let the roots sit in water. A dilute, balanced fertiliser applied every other watering is recommended for strong growth and flowering.

**Potting:** *Phalaenopsis* can be repotted at any time of the year, although it is best done in early Spring. Use a mixture of coarse bark with charcoal and perlite, although some species are better grown in pure *Sphagnum* moss. Do not overpot, and replace your potting medium every two or three years if using a bark-based medium, or every year if using *Sphagnum* moss.

By Francis J Quesada-Pallares

## Phragmipedium Culture

These orchids come mostly from Ecuador and Peru live in a wide range of habitats. This means that they are subjected to varying light, temperatures and humidity and therefore these notes only provide a general guide to cultivation.



**Watering:** All of these plants like their “Feet Wet” and should be kept moist at all times. As a guide you should water every two or three days in summer and once a week in winter, with something in between for Spring and Autumn. Rain, or reverse osmosis water is preferred with a pH between 6.2 and 6.8 if possible. The only exception is *kovachii* which seems to like harder water at a pH of 7.0+. If you are brave you can stand the plants in trays of water during the summer, which is a death warrant to most other orchids.

**Fertiliser:** Like most orchids they do require feeding to get good growth, but generally you should not exceed 300ppm for species and hybrids. The exception to this is any plant of *longifolium* and its hybrids which will take 500ppm without burning the roots. A good balanced feed works well as too much nitrogen makes for soft growth in many of the species.

**Temperatures:** Success can be achieved in a wide range of temperatures, but most phragmipediums like a minimum night temperature of 13/15oC, with a daytime rise of 10°C if possible.

**Humidity:** A range of between 50% to 70% relative humidity should be maintained. More than this can cause significant problems with fungal disease in new growths and buds rotting away. Less than this can cause issues with bud drop and red spider mite.

**Light:** Moderate levels seem to work well for these plants. Around 1500 to 2500 foot candles provides strong growth; it is essential to look at your plants to check if the leaf colour is a mid green and move as necessary.

**Repotting:** Because of the frequency of watering they require regular repotting as the compost breaks down or becomes tainted with the build-up of salts. Annual inspection is recommended, repotting into a moisture retentive but free draining compost. Success is achieved with mixes based on bark or rockwool cubes and plastic pots to retain the moisture.

*By Arthur Deakin*

## Hardy Garden Orchids

### Choosing and buying your plants

While a fortunate few may have some native orchids growing wild in their gardens, most people will need to buy plants. For growing in gardens, hybrids are often better than species, more vigorous, bigger flowers and easier cultural requirements. Start with good sized plants; getting seedlings to establish can be difficult and slow.

Good plants for novice growers include

*Bletilla striata*. Possibly the easiest garden orchid in the UK. Grow in any reasonable garden soil with sun for at least half the day.

*Epipactis gigantea* and its hybrids such as *E. Sabine* pictured here on the right. Easy garden plants that form large clumps if grown in sun in almost any soil. The essential requirement is constant moisture at the roots.



Dactylorhizas. This genus provides many floriferous garden hybrids. If you want to grow a native species, try *D. fuchsii* or *D. maculata*.

Cypripediums. These showy orchids grow best where they are not crowded by other plants and are shaded from midday sun. A moist but open woodland soil is ideal with a mulch of pine needles, bark or chopped leaves to protect the growing points in winter. Start with hybrids such as Ulla Silkens, pictured below.



**Culture** Most garden orchids like a growing site in dappled shade where the soil does not dry out. If you can't provide this, try a raised bed, a large pot or a patio tub. Prepare the soil well. Dig in some leaf mould or well rotted compost. Add grit or sharp sand if the soil is heavy. Prepare a hole a little larger than the pot. Knock the plant gently out of the pot, avoiding root disturbance. These roots are usually thick and fleshy – damage one and it will die. Backfill gently with residue from the pot, a bought-in loam or garden compost. Orchids do not like being moved, so try to choose a good site initially. If you must move plants, do this while they are dormant or just coming into growth.

Water regularly during their first season and after that if the weather is very dry. Most garden orchids need relatively little fertiliser and may be harmed by large amounts, so feed lightly by adding a little fertiliser such as bone meal or blood, fish and bone to the soil. *Bletilla striata* and Cypripedium hybrids are exceptions; fertilise regularly during the growing season. Mulching with leaf mould during the winter improves soil structure.

**Book.** Hardy Orchids: orchids for the garden and frost-free greenhouse - Philip Cribb & Christopher Bailes, ISBN 0 7470 0416 1. Now quite old but full of practical advice.

To learn more, join the Hardy Orchid Society. <http://www.hardyorchidsociety.org.uk>

*By Celia Wright*

## Orchid Pests and Diseases

Pests and diseases cause serious damage, reduce plant vigour, flower count and quality. The plant may die.

### Prevention

Optimum culture creates healthy orchids that are more resistant to infection. Prevention is preferable to eradication.

Cultural dos and don'ts include: good greenhouse hygiene (sterile tools – pots etc), avoidance of overcrowding, morning watering, ensuring plants are dry for nightfall, segregation of new plants, constant vigilance - early detection, treatment and quarantine/disposal of infected plants. Prevention is more important now than ever as most systemic insecticides are no longer available.

### Common pests

#### Scale Insect

*Boisduval* is a hard scale from tropical America commonly found in collections. It can seriously debilitate or kill if not controlled quickly. It mainly attacks cattleyas and phragmipediums. Early detection is difficult as it is concealed under sheaths, leaves and pseudobulbs.

First indication is yellow patches on the leaf caused by the adult female feeding, with corresponding circular cream coloured scale on the underside of the leaf. Eggs are laid under the scale which protects them from insecticides and predators. These hatch into mobile nymphs/crawlers which are vulnerable to sprays. Immature males form a white cottony mass, often mistaken for mealy bugs, although quite different in appearance- white, narrow and elongate.

**Brown scale** also attacks orchids but is easier to eradicate.

#### Control and Eradication of Scale Insect

Control methods are most effective against crawlers for about 2 weeks. Horticultural oils and insecticidal soaps are effective for suppression but are unlikely to eradicate.

Light infestation – remove visible scales with methylated spirit and cotton wool bud. Remove all sheaths to check for scale underneath.

Severe infestation – spray with systemic insecticide, the only readily available one is Bug Clear Ultra. Alternatively use SB Plant Invigorator and Bug Killer (SBPI) at 7-14 day intervals at least 3x, to eliminate nymphs as they hatch. Or use a horticultural oil. Repot and isolate.

Resistance to insecticides is an increasing problem. Changes of insecticide and treatment methods are recommended. SBPI has a physical mode of action and is unlikely to cause resistance.

Despite regular scheduling of control methods eradication is often unsuccessful and the only option is disposal of the plant.

Yellow patches from  
Boisduval scale



Boisduval scale developmental stages: 1. crawlers, 2. mature females, 3. immature males, 4. mature males





Red Spider Mite



Mealy Bug  
adults and immatures

**Mealy Bug** This is a soft scale, a common serious pest resembling a small white woodlouse. It attacks all orchids, especially *Phalaenopsis* and *Paphiophedilum* and seriously weakens them. The main signs are fluffy white wax and sooty moulds on leaves. It has a white waxy protective coating and is concealed under leaves, sheaths, flowers and compost. Unlike hard scale it is very mobile and can spread rapidly.

**Treatment** As for Scale. If **SBPI** is used, spray once and again one day later, then at weekly intervals.

**Spider Mite** Very small, sap sucking mite. It is invisible to the naked eye, but can be seen with a magnifying glass. Causes mottled leaves and a silvery appearance underneath. It progresses to webs if a severe infestation and particularly affects *Cymbidiums* and *Oncidiums*.

**Treatment** Increase humidity. Mites like hot, dry conditions. Spray with Bug Clear Ultra or SB Plant Invigorator. Spray 2 or 3 times at 2 or 3 day intervals followed by a few re-applications at weekly intervals, or use fatty acids or plant oils.

Biological control - *Phytoseiulus* is an alternative (used without insecticide) but is variably effective.

**Aphids** These are not a serious pest except on *Masdevallia*, where they can spread virus. Treat with contact insecticide.

**Thrips** Very small mobile black sap sucking insects, easily overlooked and most often seen on the flowers. They cause serious damage mainly to the flowers and buds where they hide and feed. Flower damage can mimic viral colour break. They also cause orange/ brown marks and blackish excrement on leaves. They are very difficult to eradicate as they have six stages in their life cycle and are only easily killed in the adult flying insect stage. Also they hide in places where they don't get a contact dose of insecticide.

**Treatment** Spray the buds and flowers every 3 or 4 days for several weeks with an insecticide that contains Deltamethrin or Lambda Cyhalothrin, after which a weekly spray should be sufficient.

Geoffrey Hands recommends the use of a compost drench of Scott's Vine Weevil Killer to kill pupae in the compost. Blue sticky traps are also useful for detection.



Thysanoptera, Thrips

## Diseases caused by Bacteria and Fungi.

### Black Rot.

Fungal rot affects all orchids especially cattleyas. Infected areas appear black and watery.

### Bacterial Soft Rot (*Erwinia carotovara*)

This affects most orchids.

### Bacterial brown rot (*Erwinia cypripedii*)

This affects *Phalaenopsis*, *Paphiopedilum* and *Phragmipedium*.

These infections spread rapidly and if they reach the crown or the stem can kill the plant. If treated early plants can be saved, so vigilance is essential. Rot appears brown/black, **watery** and may smell. Infection can become systemic and therefore incurable.



An example of rot found on a *Paphiopedilum parishii*

### Prevention

Good air movement, ensure leaves and growths dry at night. Calcium is a key nutrient in prevention of bacterial/fungal problems. Always use a fertiliser that contains Calcium and top dress the compost with Oyster Shell.

### Treatment

Remove infected leaf or whole growth for basal rot. Keep plant drier and place under a fan. Repot if infection is severe.

### Fungal Infection

Spray with Fungicide.

**Bacterial Infection** – treat with cinnamon. If unsure of cause of infection use fungicide and cinnamon.

### Slugs and snails

Treatment – Use Scott's Slug Clear. Vigilance and removal after dark.

### Virus

Common in collections. *Cymbidium* mosaic (CyMV) affects 1 in 5 plants. *Odontoglossum* ringspot (ORSV) occurs 1 in 100.

The most frequent symptoms are necrotic or chlorotic spots and streaks. Flowers may show colour break. It is difficult to diagnose virus by appearance alone, as there are many other causes for these symptoms. The plant appears unhealthy. Diagnosis is confirmed by a laboratory Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay test (ELISA). Many orchids that carry virus show no symptoms but can infect other plants. There is no effective treatment, discard or isolate. CyMV and ORSV Viruses are not spread by insects. *Masdevallia* can be infected by aphids. Viruses are spread by infected cutting tools, pots etc. Sterilisation of all tools and good greenhouse hygiene is essential. Avoid overcrowding and assume all plants could be infected.

**NB. All Pesticides recommended in this article are available at the time of writing. However, laws for insecticides are changing rapidly and insecticides available now may be banned in the future.**

*By Hilary Hobbs*

# Orchid Pests and Infections

## Which Spray To Use With Which Pest

**NB Laws for insecticides are changing rapidly and insecticides available now may be banned in the future.**

Active Ingredient	Product Name	Aphids	Red Spider Mite	Mealy Bug	Scale	Thrips
Fatty Acids and Plant Oils	Vitax Organic Pest & Disease Control Concentrate	+	+	+	+	+
	Bayer Organic Bug Free	+	+	+	+	+
	Doff Universal Bug Killer	+	+	+	+	+
	Bug Clear for Fruit & Veg Concentrate	+	+	+	+	+
Acetamiprid	Scott's Bug Clear Ultra	+	+	+	+	
	Scott's Vine Weevil Killer					+
Lambda Cyhalothrin	Westland Resolva Bug Killer	+				+
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Napier Hall, Hide Place, Westminster SW1P 4NJ 13.00 for 14.30 Contact  
Francis Quesada-Pallares 07951 070637 [ols\\_francisjquesadapallares@hotmail.com](mailto:ols_francisjquesadapallares@hotmail.com)

Jan 20<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>th</sup> British Paphiopedilum Society Annual Winter Meeting  
Ramada Jarvis Hotel, Solihull All weekend  
Contact Mrs Linda Phillips 01256 474911 [linda@justinglass.co.uk](mailto:linda@justinglass.co.uk)

Feb 10<sup>th</sup> North of England Orchid Society Monthly Meeting, Show and AGM  
10am - 3pm Barton Community Centre, North of Preston. Visit [orchid.org.uk](http://orchid.org.uk)  
for details. Contact George Barnes 01942810958 or via website

Feb 24<sup>th</sup> Bournemouth Orchid Society Spring Show 12.00 noon - 16.30pm  
Allendale Centre, Hanham Road, Wimborne, Dorset BH21 1AS  
Contact Chris Broomfield 07712 479056 [show@bournemouthorchidsociety.org.uk](mailto:show@bournemouthorchidsociety.org.uk)

Feb 24<sup>th</sup> South West Orchid Society - Annual Show 10:30am - 4 pm  
West Monkton Village Hall, Monkton Heathfield Nr Taunton TA2 8NE  
Contact Marian Saunders 01278 455170 [msaunders1@mail105.co.uk](mailto:msaunders1@mail105.co.uk)

Feb 25<sup>th</sup> Harrogate Orchid Society Annual Show 10.30am 4.00pm  
The Pavilions Harrogate Showground Wetherby Road Harrogate HG2 8NZ  
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Mar 3<sup>rd</sup> Cheltenham & District Orchid Society Annual Show 10.30am - 4pm  
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Mar 3<sup>rd</sup> Wessex Orchid Society Annual Spring Show 12:00 noon - 4:30 pm  
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Contact Tricia Gray 07776255467 [hon.secretary@wessexorchidsociety.org.uk](mailto:hon.secretary@wessexorchidsociety.org.uk)

Mar 10<sup>th</sup> Suffolk Orchid Society Spring Show 10am 4pm  
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Mar 10<sup>th</sup> Orchid Society of Great Britain Open Spring Show  
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10.30 [exhibitors 7.30] - 4pm  
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Mar 11<sup>th</sup> East Midlands Orchid Society Annual Show 10am - 4pm  
Lowdham Village Hall, Main St, Lowdham, NG14 7BD  
Contact Melv. Stephen 01159 198124 [melv\\_and\\_hil@hotmail.com](mailto:melv_and_hil@hotmail.com)

Mar 18<sup>th</sup> South East Orchid Society Spring Open Show 1pm - 4pm  
Ashford Rail Staff Club, Beaver Road, Ashford, Kent. TN23 7RR  
Contact Karina Sellers 01233 720238 [karinasellers@btinternet.com](mailto:karinasellers@btinternet.com)

Mar 18<sup>th</sup> North East of England Orchid Society Annual Show 11am - 4pm  
Bowburn Community Centre, Durham  
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Mar 31<sup>st</sup> Solihull & District Orchid Society Spring Orchid Show 11am - 4pm  
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Apr 6<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> Apr RHS London Orchid Show 11am - 8pm  
Royal Horticultural Halls, 80 Vincent Square, London SW1P 2PE  
For details visit <https://www.rhs.org.uk/londonshows>

Apr 8<sup>th</sup> East Anglia Orchid Society Spring Show 10 am - 4.30pm  
Jubilee Youth Club Hall, Back lane, Hethersett, Norfolk NR9 4AX  
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Apr 8<sup>th</sup> Mid Sussex Orchid Society Show 10 am - 4.30pm  
Tate's Garden Paradise, Newhaven, East Sussex BN9 0DH  
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Apr 14<sup>th</sup> Bristol & West of England Orchid Society Annual Show 11am - 4pm  
Town Hall, Chipping Sodbury, South Gloucestershire  
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Apr 14<sup>th</sup> Hinckley & District Orchid Society Annual Spring Show 10am - 4pm  
Stoke Golding Club CV13 6DZ  
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Apr 28<sup>th</sup> Central Orchid Society Spring Show 11am 4pm  
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Apr 29<sup>th</sup> Cornwall Orchid Society Annual Show 11am - 4pm  
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May 5<sup>th</sup> Devon Orchid Society 43rd Annual Show 10.30am - 4pm  
Budleigh Salterton Public Hall, Station Road, Budleigh Salterton, EX9 6RJ  
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May 6<sup>th</sup> Fenland Orchid Society Annual Show 10am - 4pm  
Terrington St. Clement Village Hall, nr King's Lynn, PE34 4LZ  
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May 12<sup>th</sup> Essex Orchid Society Spring Show 1.30pm - 4pm  
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May 12-13<sup>th</sup> Scottish Orchid Society Glasgow Orchid Fair (Provisional)  
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May 26<sup>th</sup> Lea Valley Orchid Society Show 10am - 4pm  
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Jun 24<sup>th</sup> Harrogate Orchid Society Orchid Open Day 10am - 4pm  
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Aug 4 - 5<sup>th</sup> Harrogate Orchid Society Orchids for Everyone weekend 10am - 4pm  
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Sep 1 - 2<sup>nd</sup> South Wales Orchid Study Group 11th Welsh Orchid Festival  
National Botanic Garden of Wales, Carmarthenshire 10am both days  
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Sep 2<sup>nd</sup> Darlington & District Orchid Society Orchid Show  
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Sep 15<sup>th</sup> Somerset Wiltshire & Dorset Orchid Society Annual Show  
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Sep 29<sup>th</sup> Bournemouth Orchid Society Autumn Show 12 noon - 4.30pm  
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Oct 6<sup>th</sup> OSGB Open Autumn Show 10.30 (8.00 for entries) -4pm  
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Oct 13<sup>th</sup> Wessex Orchid Society Annual Autumn Show 11am - 4:30 pm  
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Oct 14<sup>th</sup> Darlington & District Orchid Society Show  
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Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> CONGRESS Dates & Times To be announced  
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Nov 24<sup>th</sup> Central Orchid Society Autumn Show 11am - 4pm  
Perton Community Centre, Church Road, Perton, Wolverhampton WV6 7PD  
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2<sup>nd</sup> place: *Dendrobium ochraceum*, Stan Taylor Solihull OS

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Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April at the London Orchid Show, RHS Halls, Vincent Square.

Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> October in association with the North of England Orchid Society Show at Brockholes Nature Reserve, Preston, Lancs PR5 0AG.

## **RHS Orchid Committee Programme 2018**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January 11:30am	Jodrell Laboratory, Seminar Room, RBG Kew
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> February 11:30am	RHS Spring Show, Vincent Square, Lawrence Hall, Room 31/32
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> April 1:30pm	RHS London Orchid Show, Lawrence Hall, 2nd floor.
Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2pm	Orchid Weekend, Glasnevin Botanic Garden, Dublin 22 <sup>nd</sup> April: Public event & Open Meeting
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> May 8am	Chelsea Flower Show, RHS Suite, Chelsea Function Room
Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June 10:30am	RHS Chatsworth Flower Show
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2pm	Public Malvern Royal Three Counties Show
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> August 11:30am	RHS Garden Wisley, Upstairs room in the Barn
Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September 11am	Cedar House, Chester Zoo, Upton-by-Chester CH2 1LH
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October 11:30am	Council Room, Vincent Square
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2pm	Public British Orchid Show, Writhlington School, Radstock, Bath
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> December 11:30am	RHS Lindley Library, Council Room, Vincent Square

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**Website:** [www.cambridgeorchidsociety.org.uk](http://www.cambridgeorchidsociety.org.uk)

**Venue:** Harston Village Hall, 20 High St., Harston, Cambridge CB22 7PX

**On:** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday in the month, 7.30pm -10pm (no meetings Jan. & Aug.)

### **Cardiff & Vale of Glamorgan Orchid Society**

**Contact: Mrs Liz Britton-Cumming**

13 Price Avenue, Barry, The Vale of Glamorgan, CF63 1JR

**Tel:** 01446 738472 **Email:** [lizcumming@sky.com](mailto:lizcumming@sky.com)

**Venue:** 'The Old School', Sully, Vale of Glamorgan

**On:** First Saturday in the month at 2pm to 4pm

**Central Orchid Society****Contact: Mrs Hazel Percival**

19, Beverley Close, Penkridge, Staffordshire, ST19 5SS

**Tel:** 01785 715613**Website:** [www.centralorchidsociety.org.uk](http://www.centralorchidsociety.org.uk)**Venue:** The Wrottesley Room, Perton Library, Severn Drive  
Perton, Wolverhampton, WV6 7QU**On:** Last Saturday of most months at 2.00pm**Cheltenham & District Orchid Society** **Contact: Mrs Barbara Glayzer**

Wayside, Bredon's Norton, Tewkesbury, Glos., GL20 7EZ

**Tel:** 01684 772082 **Email:** [secretary@cheltenhamorchids.org](mailto:secretary@cheltenhamorchids.org)**Website:** [www.cheltenhamorchids.org](http://www.cheltenhamorchids.org)**Venue:** St John's Church Hall, St. John's Avenue, Churchdown GL32DA**On:** 4th Tuesday of each month at 19.30hrs (except December)**Cheshire and North Wales Orchid Society** **Contact: Mr Iain Wright**

The Windmill, Vennington, Westbury, Shrewsbury, SY5 9RG

**Tel:** 01743 884576 **Email:** [contact@canwos.org.uk](mailto:contact@canwos.org.uk)**Website:** [www.canwos.org.uk](http://www.canwos.org.uk)**Venue:** Our usual venue is being rebuilt – please check the web site!**On:** Next to last Friday of month at 7.30pm (Summer Time) or next to  
last Saturday of month (GMT) at 2pm. No meeting Jul, Aug or Dec.**Chester Zoo** **Contact: Phil Esseen**

Chester Zoological Gardens, Upton-by-Chester, Cheshire CH2 1LH

**Tel:** 01244 650236 **Email:** [p.esseen@chesterzoo.org](mailto:p.esseen@chesterzoo.org)**Cornwall Orchid Society** **Contact: Nicholla Ingram**

Shirley Farmhouse, High Road, Zelah, Cornwall, TR4 9HT

**Tel:** 01872 540317 **Email:** [nicholla.orchid@outlook.com](mailto:nicholla.orchid@outlook.com)**Website:** [www.cornwallorchidsociety.co.uk](http://www.cornwallorchidsociety.co.uk)**Venue:** Chacewater Village Hall, Church Hill, Chacewater TR4 8PZ**On:** First Sunday of the month at 2pm**Croydon & District Orchid Society** **Contact: Mr Michael Penney**

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**Tel:** 020 8648 7295 **Email:** [michael@penneyorchid.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:michael@penneyorchid.fsnet.co.uk)**Venue:** Wallington Reformed Church, Stanley Park Rd, Wallington, SM6 0EU**On:** 1st Tuesday Monthly at 19.30 NO MEETINGS in January**Darlington & District Orchid Society** **Contact: Mr Len Gray**

114 Station Road, , Billingham, Teesside, TS23 1PD

**Tel:** 01642 552 552 **Email:** [marglenuk@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:marglenuk@yahoo.co.uk)**Website:** [www.darlingtonos.org](http://www.darlingtonos.org)**Venue:** Sadberge Village Hall, Darlington. The hall is off the A66 after you  
leave Darlington heading towards Teesside**On:** 2nd Wednesday of the Month. 7.00pm

**The Devon Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Sue Lane**

28 High Street, , Silverton, Devon, EX5 4JD

**Tel:** 01392 861758 **Email:** [dimorphorchis@gmail.com](mailto:dimorphorchis@gmail.com)

**Web Site:** [www.devon.ukos.com](http://www.devon.ukos.com)

**Venue:** Burnham Nurseries, Forches Cross, Newton Abbott, Devon

**On:** 3rd Sunday of the month (with exceptions) 1.30 for 2pm until 4.pm

**The Orchid Society of East Anglia Contact: Mr Colin Thorburn**

3 Partridge Walk, Brandon, Suffolk, , IP27 0YF

**Tel:** 01842 810520 **Email :** [colin\\_thorburn@hotmail.com](mailto:colin_thorburn@hotmail.com)

**Web Site:** [www.osea.org.uk](http://www.osea.org.uk)

**Venue:** St Mary's Church Community Room Low Road, Hellesdon,  
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**On:** 3rd Friday each month at 19.30

**East Midlands Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Kim Pask**

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**Web Site:** [www.eastmidlandsorchidsociety.org](http://www.eastmidlandsorchidsociety.org)

**Venue:** Bottesford Village Hall, Bottesford, Nottinghamshire.

**On:** Third Sunday of the month at 14.00 to 16.30 (No meeting in August)

**Eric Young Orchid Foundation**

Victoria Village, Trinity, Jersey JE3 5HH

**Tel:** 01534 861963

**Web Site:** [www.ericyoungorchidfoundation.co.uk](http://www.ericyoungorchidfoundation.co.uk)

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**Essex Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Moira Tarrant**

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**Website:** [www.essexorchidsociety.org.uk](http://www.essexorchidsociety.org.uk)

**Venue:** Billericay South Green Memorial Hall, Southend Road,  
Billericay CM11 2PR

**On:** 2nd Saturday Monthly at 1.30pm to 4.00pm. Not July, Aug., Dec.

**Fenland Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Pat Sones**

97 Sluice Road, Denver, Downham Market, Norfolk, PE38 0DZ

**Tel:** 01366 388421 **Web Site:** [www.fenland-os.org.uk](http://www.fenland-os.org.uk)

**Venue:** Terrington St. Clement Village Hall, Churchgate Way,  
Terrington St. Clement, Kings Lynn PE34 4LZ

**On:** First Wednesday of each month (Except January), starts at 7.30pm

**Glasgow Botanic Gardens**

**Contact:** Mr Ewen Donaldson, General Manager Glasgow Botanic

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**Tel:** 01423 506754 **Email:** [dagmarleonard@sky.com](mailto:dagmarleonard@sky.com)

**Website:** [www.harrogateorchidsociety.co.uk](http://www.harrogateorchidsociety.co.uk)

**Venue:** RHS Garden Harlow Carr Harrogate

See website for dates and times and venue details.

**Hinckley & District Orchid Society Contact: Keith Bates**

79 Hereford Close, Barwell, Leicestershire LE9 8HU

**Tel:** 01455 444177 **Email:** [orchids1941@yahoo.com](mailto:orchids1941@yahoo.com)

**Website:** [www.hinckleydistrictorchidsociety.synthasite.com](http://www.hinckleydistrictorchidsociety.synthasite.com)

**Venue:** Constitutional Club Chapel Street, Barwell, Leicestershire

**On:** 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday in the month except July & Aug.

Start time 20.00 hrs

**King Charles I School Contact: Mr Philip Seaton**

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**Lea Valley Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Gillian Radley**

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**Website:** [www.leavalleyorchidsociety.com](http://www.leavalleyorchidsociety.com)

**Venue:** Waterford Village Hall, Waterford, nr. Hertford,  
A602 - Stevenage to Hertford.

**On:** Third Wednesday of each month at 7.45 pm.

**Mid Sussex Orchid Society Contact: Dr Maria Firth**

9 Harlands Close, Haywards Heath, West Sussex RH16 1PS

**Tel:** 01444 413626 **Email:** [drmfirmth@gmail.com](mailto:drmfirmth@gmail.com)

**Venue:** Town Hall, 40 Boltro Rd, Haywards Heath, West Sussex RH16 1BA

**On:** Second Sunday each month at 2.30pm

**North East of England Orchid Society Contact: Pat McLean**

3 Springfield Avenue, Eighton Banks, Gateshead NE9 7HL

**Tel:** 0191 4879515 **Email:** [mcleanpatriciaaw@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mcleanpatriciaaw@yahoo.co.uk)

**Website:** <http://ncmsoc.webplus.net/welcome.html>

**Venue:** Bowburn Community Centre, Durham Road(A177) DH6 5AT

**On:** Last Tuesday of the Month, 19.00-21.30



**North Hampshire Orchid Society Contact: Mr M Moon**

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**Tel:** 01256 420055

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**Website:** [www.north-hampshire-orchid-society.org.uk](http://www.north-hampshire-orchid-society.org.uk)

**Venue:** East Oakley Village Hall, Hill Rd, East Oakley, Basingstoke RG23 7JJ

**On:** Third Sunday at 1400 - 1700 (exceptions, see details on website)

**The North of England Orchid Society Contact: Mr George Barnes**

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**Tel:** 01942 810958 **Email:** [orchidinfo@orchid.org.uk](mailto:orchidinfo@orchid.org.uk)

**Website:** [www.orchid.org.uk](http://www.orchid.org.uk)

**Venue:** Variable, monthly meetings usually on the Saturday of the 2nd weekend of the month. Consult website or contact us.

**Orchid Society of Great Britain Contact: Mrs Val Micklewright**

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**Email:** [val@micklewright.com](mailto:val@micklewright.com)

**Website:** [www.osgb.org.uk](http://www.osgb.org.uk)

**Venue:** Napier Hall, Hide Place, Westminster, London SW1P 4NJ

**On:** On the first Saturday of each month, 13.30 - 16.30,  
13.45 - 14.15 Introductory beginners session, 14.40 Guest Speaker

**Pleurothallid Alliance - UK Contact: Mr D Smallman**

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**Email:** [donaldsmallman234@btinternet.com](mailto:donaldsmallman234@btinternet.com)

**Venue:** Wilnecote Parish Hall, Watling Street, Two Gates, Tamworth B77 5AD

**On:** Contact Secretary for meeting details.

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**Royal Horticultural Society Orchid Committee Contact: Jill Otway**

RHS Orchid Committee, Horticultural Halls, Vincent Sq., London  
Committee Secretary, [jillotway@rhs.org.uk](mailto:jillotway@rhs.org.uk)

**On:** See the Committee Programme on page 27.

**Venue:** RHS Orchid Committee meets at most RHS flower shows, the Chelsea Flower Show, selected society shows and BOC Congress.

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**Venue:** The Kabin, 5 Mayburn Walk, Loanhead, Midlothian EH20 9HG

**On:** Last Wednesday monthly at 18.30 No meetings in July or Aug.

**Scottish Orchid Society GLASGOW Contact: Mr Alan MacKenzie**

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**Website:** [www.scottishorchid.org](http://www.scottishorchid.org)

**Venue:** Hopkirk building, Glasgow Botanic Gardens, Glasgow

**On:** 3rd Monday Monthly at 19.30 No meetings in July or Aug.

**Scottish Orchid Society PERTH Contact: Mr Brian Brocklehurst**

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**Website:** [www.scottishorchid.org](http://www.scottishorchid.org)

**Venue:** Village Hall, Pitcairngreen, Nr Perth, PH1 3LR

**On:** 4th Wednesday Monthly at 1.30pm. No meetings June, July & Dec.

**The Sheffield & District Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Carolyn McQueen**

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**Website:** [www.sheffieldorchids.org](http://www.sheffieldorchids.org)

**Venue:** Sheffield Botanic Gardens - classroom 2.

**On:** Second Sunday of each month, 10.00am to 12.30pm

**Solihull and District Orchid Society Contact: Mr Malcolm Moodie**

16 Old Glebe, Tadmarton, Banbury, Oxfordshire OX15 5TH

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**Website:** [www.solihullorchidsociety.org](http://www.solihullorchidsociety.org)

**Venue:** St George & Teresa Parish Centre, Dorridge, B93 8EZ

**On:** First Saturday of the Month except Aug at 1.00pm. Speaker 2.30pm

**Somerset, Wiltshire & Dorset Orchid Society Contact: Mr Geoff Hobson**

30 Leigh Road, Westbury, BA13 3QL

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**Website:** [www.swdos.org.uk](http://www.swdos.org.uk)

**Venue:** Pen Selwood Village Hall, Wincanton, Somerset

**On:** 1st Sunday of each month at 14.30hrs. Visitors welcome, £2 charge

**South East Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Karina Sellers**

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**Website:** [www.southeastorchidsocietyuk.org](http://www.southeastorchidsocietyuk.org)

**Venue:** Ashford Rail Staff Hall, Beaver Road, Ashford, Kent. TN23 7RR

**On:** Generally the last Sunday in the month, 2.30pm, but check website.

**South Wales Orchid Study Group Contact: Mrs Lynne Harrendence**

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**Website:** [www.orchidstudygroup.org.uk](http://www.orchidstudygroup.org.uk)

**Venue:** National Botanic Garden of Wales

**On:** Saturday, once a month 11.00am to 1.00pm. Check our website for Programme of Events.

**The South West Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Marian Saunders**

105 Wembdon Hill, Wembdon, Bridgwater, Somerset TA6 7QB

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**Venue:** West Monkton Village Hall, Monkton Heathfield, Taunton TA2 8NE

**On:** 2nd Sunday of the month 2:30 to 5:00 pm

**Suffolk Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Jenny Gage**

Honeysuckle Cottage, Church Lane, Aldham, Suffolk IP7 6NP

**Tel:** 01473 822569 **Email:** [roystongage@btinternet.com](mailto:roystongage@btinternet.com)

**Website:** [www.suffolkorchid.co.uk](http://www.suffolkorchid.co.uk)

**Venue:** St Michaels Church Centre, The Drift, Martlesham, Ipswich, IP5 3UY

**On:** Last Wednesday. of month (not Dec, July, Aug.) 7.30pm - 9.45pm

**Thames Valley Orchid Society Contact: Mr Barry Cook**

1 Fontwell Drive, Reading, Berkshire RG30 4QR

**Tel:** 0118 958 0448 **Email:** [barrycookdesign@talktalk.net](mailto:barrycookdesign@talktalk.net)

**Venue:** St. Peters Church Hall, St. Peters Street, Marlow SL7 1NQ

**On:** Generally 3<sup>rd</sup>. Friday each month 8.00pm start.

**Wessex Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Lynn Smith**

9a The Keep, Portchester, Hants, PO16 9PN

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**Website:** [wessexorchidsociety.org.uk](http://wessexorchidsociety.org.uk)

**Venue:** Shawford Parish Hall, Shawford SO21 2AA

**On:** Second Saturday of month (except Mar, Aug, Oct) 2.00 for 2.30 pm

**West Cornwall Orchid Society Contact: Mrs Kit Lindsay**

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**Website:** [www.westcornwallorchidsociety.btck.co.uk](http://www.westcornwallorchidsociety.btck.co.uk)

**Venue:** Camborne Community Centre, Pendarves Road, Camborne

**On:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month at 2, pm except August and December

**Writhlington School Orchid Project Contact: Mr Simon Pugh-Jones MBE**

Writhlington School, Knobsbury Lane, Radstock, BA3 3NQ

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### *Dendrobium* Mr E Donaldson,

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2nd place: see page 26



3<sup>rd</sup> place: *Bulbophyllum comosum*  
Ray Tunnicliff, Central OS



4<sup>th</sup> place: *Phalaenopsis Vienna*  
Liz Fitzpatrick, South West OS



5<sup>th</sup> place: *Dendrobium harveyanum*  
Stan Taylor, Solihull OS



6<sup>th</sup> place:  
*Dendrobium cuthbertsonii*,  
Chris Barker, Darlington OS

## BOC Photographic Competition continued

7<sup>th</sup> place: *Restrepia contorta*, Mike Bull, Central OS



8<sup>th</sup> place: *Stanhopea tigrina*,  
Ken Johnson, Solihull OS



9<sup>th</sup> place: *Neottia cordata* Nigel Johnson, OSGB



10<sup>th</sup> place: *Orchis x bergonii*,  
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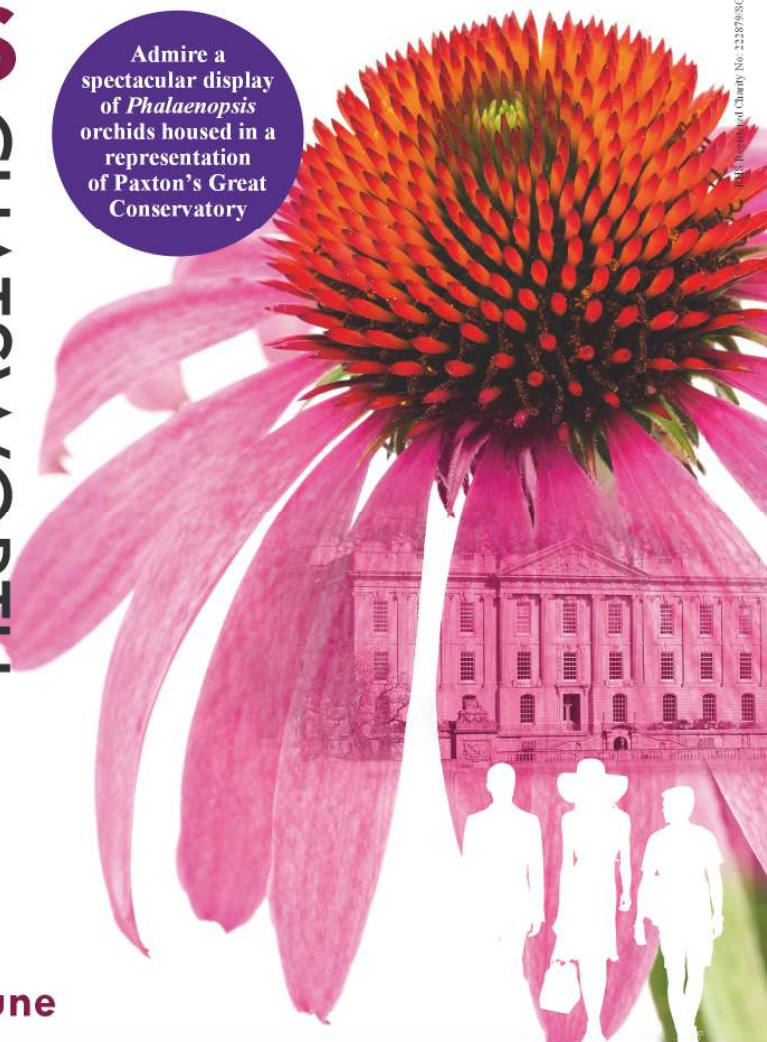
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