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Issue # 23 Covid-19 October - 2020

From the top seat

Stalwart Vice President Mal Roughly has chipped in as follows:

SPRINGTIME

A very appropriate and colourful Clivia flowering season and nowhere to show off our treasured results.

'Murphy's' Law' appears again.

The urge to display when next we can, foremost in my mind, and most likely yours as well.

The current growing season is already showing up as one of the recent best.

A reminder. Pest and disease problems arrives with the warmer (and damp) weather and I suggest plant inspection is a good idea before any get out of hand.

I wish you all a safe and happy season and I am wishing we all get back to normal asap.

Mal Roughley

Vice President.

Secretary's Report

Secretary Di has passed on her best wishes to all.

She advises that she and Brian are busy relocating to the Central Coast.

Di, all of your fellow members have shifted at least once, we appreciate the work involved and we wish you all the best during your move, especially during a pandemic.

Ed.

Financial Report

Our cheque BSB 012-318, A/C No. 2857-03753 has a balance of \$9,099.12 as at 27.10.2020.

Cash Management a/c remains at \$3,000 as at 27.10.20.



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BSB 012-318 Account 2857 03753

Please include your name when depositing membership dues and other monies.

WE CARE

- Our President Stephen has been extremely busy working full-time as well as almost full-time duties caring for his elderly parents as well as his unwell sister. He sends his best wishes to all. Just managing. Stephen, you care – we care. Ed.
- Treasurer John has been undertaking long awaited (Covid-19 delayed) eye surgery. The first stage is complete and the next operation is due in November.

To any other members on the health rollercoaster – we wish you a speedy recovery

BREAKING NEWS

Clivia Society (South Africa) ran a Virtual Show with approximately 380 entrants. Two Australian growers were recognised with outstanding entries, as follows:

‘RED CLASS’ Winner – Ray Sidoti

‘BRONZE/BRICK with GREEN CENTRE CLASS’ SILVER – Greg Anderson

Congratulations to both of you.

Australia does have world class breeders and growers of these magnificent plants.

For images, go to our Society’s Virtual Show section, following on page 5 of this tome.

COLLECTABLE COVID-19 NEWSLETTER ISSUES

Editor’s Note



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As a matter of interest these Covid-19 Society Newsletters may become very collectable in the future, they are a small snapshot of member's experiences during this global Pandemic. Consider printing a hard copy, personalise it by writing a note or two thereon and put them away for your descendants.

Ed.

WE CARE ABOUT YOU STAYING HEALTHY DURING THE PANDEMIC

SOME COVID-19 INFORMATION TO KEEP YOU SAFE.

GUIDANCE and update from NSW Health

NSW Health identified locations of concern

COVID19

as of 7am 27 October 2020

Tuesday 27 October, 2020 NSW Health is again calling on people in South Eastern Sydney with any symptoms that could signal COVID-19 to get tested as soon as possible. The public were recently alerted to a positive case of COVID-19 in the area on 15 October. Investigations, including testing of contacts for antibodies, have now revealed this case may be linked to a person who NSW Health has identified as someone who likely had unrecognised COVID-19 infection during September. This person has since recovered. Several venues have been identified as places of potential exposure. Anyone who was at the following venues must be aware of any symptoms of illness, and immediately isolate and get tested should even the mildest of symptoms have occurred in the last few weeks. After testing, you must remain in isolation until a negative result is received.

- The Shed Café Royal Randwick Shopping Centre on Saturday 3 October between 3pm and 5pm
- Century 21 Dixon Real Estate, Anzac Parade Kingsford, at any time between Saturday 26 September and Friday 9 October, inclusive
- Souths' Juniors Club, Anzac Parade Kingsford, in the poker machine room or the high roller room at any time between Saturday 26 September and Saturday 2 October

COVID-19 Weekly Surveillance in NSW Report

A COVID-19 Weekly Surveillance in NSW Report has been published for week ending 17 October, 2020. Summary points include:

- There were 31 locally-acquired cases in NSW this week – an increase of 63%.



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- The majority of locally-acquired cases (28/31, 90%) were linked to known cases or clusters.
- Seven cases were reported in a new cluster associated with a GP clinic in Lakemba.
- More than half of the cases reported this week were tested more than three days after symptom onset.
- The majority of locally-acquired cases reported in the two weeks up to 17 October were residents of South Western Sydney LHD (56%, 28/50) and Western Sydney LHD (24%, 12/50).
- Testing numbers have increased compared to the previous week (up 23%).
- The NSW Sewage Surveillance Program reported six detections of SARS-CoV-2. These samples were taken from Bondi, Malabar, Liverpool, West Camden and Quakers Hill treatment plants. Detections from these catchment areas are associated with reported cases.

Much of the above has been reported through News media, we ask that you remain especially vigilant during the easing of restrictions. If any symptoms – GET TESTED

<h3>VIRTUAL SPRING SHOW</h3>
<p>Last of the images follow:</p>

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Clivi Soc Virtual Show 'RED CLASS' GOLD – Winner Ray Sidoti

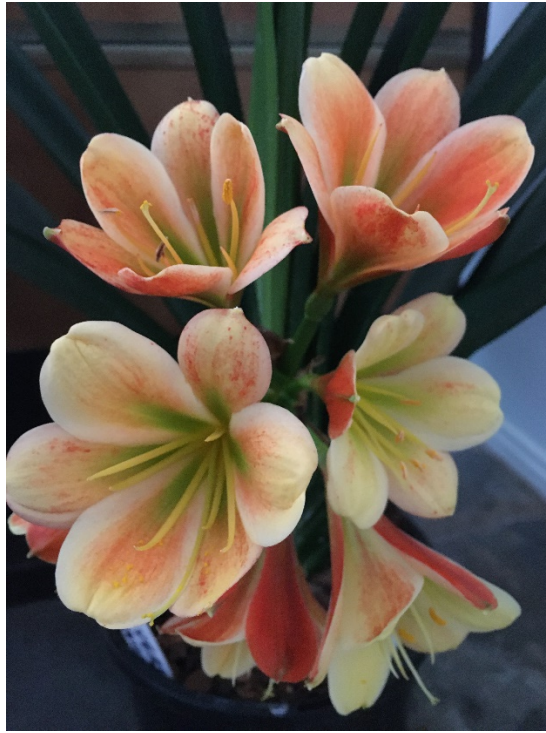
WOW!





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'777' Type bred by Pikkie Strumper and grown by Greg Anderson.



Lovely '777' type grown by Greg Anderson from the same batch of Pikkie Strumper seed.

Both of the above plants were developed by Pikkie Strumper and came from his hybrid cross of '777
Tranquility' X '777 Green Velvet'

Image by Greg Anderson



Magnum X Playboy



Sunset Multipetal



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Joe's Peach Sundae



Sunset Big Orange



Pot of Gold X Peach Sundae



Hirao x Shige X Hottie Hirao



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Hirao Original X Hottie Hirao



Hirao Green 4 x Hottie Hirao



Pot of Gold x Peach Sundae -2



Magnum X Playboy – 2

Above ten images from Jo and Jose de Aquino of Sunset Nursery



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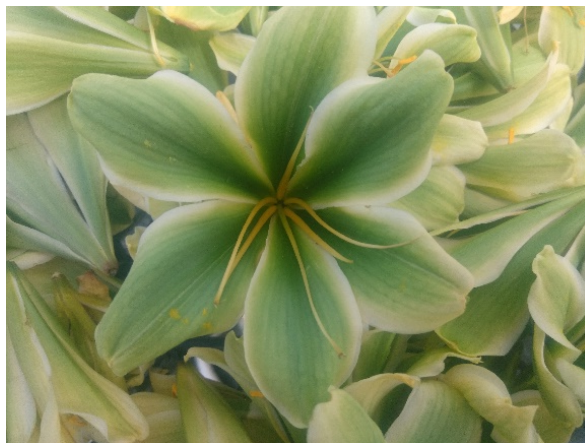


47 A truly beautiful green centred bronze.

Awarded Silver in the 'Bronze/Brick with Green Centre' Class at the 2020 Clivia Society Virtual Show

Developed by the late Tino Feraro and grown from seed by Greg Anderson.

Last but not least



Heading towards green – Group 2 Spent florets

Image by Peter Hey



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Last of the flowering for the 2020 season. Spent florets, post pollination, from Group 2 greens at

Just Cliveas nursery this week. Much of the dark green pigments are as a result of the initial breeding efforts of 'TK' Toshie Koike and Yoshi Nakamura. Thank you both!

Due to the limited numbers of members who submitted images for our Virtual Show, the executive decision is to especially acknowledge Ray Sidoti for both his contribution as well as the work involved in running the images through the Society's Facebook page.

Thank you, Ray.

The following contributed images:

- Greg Anderson
- Jo and Josie de Aquino
- Peter Hey
- Jim Kouts
- John Layton
- Rose McCowage
- Ray Sidoti
- Ken Smith

Planting out methods and options for the freshly germinated seed, has now been moved to Newsletter Issue #24, November 2020

MORE INFORMATION on growing Clivias

Queensland member Gary Conquest has been undertaking a long-term project collating Clivia information and articles from a broad range of sources, both domestically and overseas. They include a diverse collection of links to videos, articles as well excellent images from breeders and collectors around the Clivia world. Your Committee agrees that the link to his web site should be provided for you to continue into the journey of this captivating Genus. Happy viewing/reading. Ed

The link is as follows:



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<https://www.growingclivias.com>

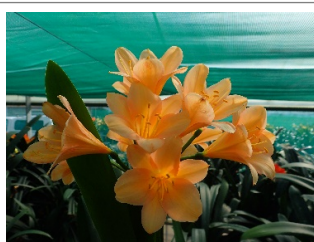
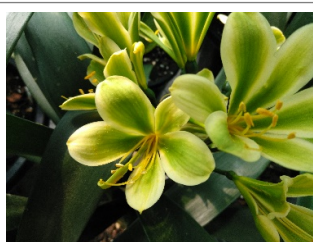
2nd and final 2020 SEED LIST – Just Cliveas and Rare Things

Paid advertisement

POLLN #	BERRY PARENT	image	POLLEN PARENT	image	# per	\$ per pack
19-19	T-05 'Nene' EP	Y	12-72 EP	Y	5	20
19-20	12-68 EP	Y	T-07 (12-75) EP	Y	4	20
19-37	VT-14	Y	T1-19	Y	2	15
19-38	Hey's Kermit (Group2)	Y	VT-19 (Group 2)	Y	2	SOLD OUT
19-40	GREENY 'A' (Group	Y	VT-14 (Group 2)	Y	2	SOLD OUT
19-41	GREENY 'A' (Group 2)	Y	Green Dragon -2 (Tessellated foliage)	Y	2	SOLD OUT
19-44	VT-35 Best Group 2 Round Petal	Y	'T1-19' (Group 2)	Y	3	SOLD OUT
19-54	171JP X 9 EP	Y	Just Peachy X Wittig's Pink EP	Y	3	15
19-66	Appleblossom X Andrew Gibson	Y	'Rolley Chiffon' X 'Andrew Gibson'	Y	5	20
19-67	VT-34 ('C' X 'T1') X Hirao [Group 2] off-set	Y	Self (Group 2)	Y	2	15

EP = European Peach Compatible. Please order via email: heypete@tpg.com.au

The release is on the basis of first come first served. All prices are + GST Please allow \$12.00 for pack and postage





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171JP X 9	VT-19	T-07 (12-75)	VT-34

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