

British Cactus & Succulent Society

Wiltshire Branch

Programme – 2017



Date	Speaker	Subject
<i>Feb 2nd</i>	<i>Mike Stansbie</i>	<i>Cactus Identification</i>
<i>Mar 2nd</i>	<i>Prof. Ralph Martin</i>	<i>Succulents of Namibia</i>
<i>Apr 6th</i>	<i>Tom Radford</i>	<i>A Personal Choice: Cacti & Succulents</i>
<i>May 4th</i>	<i>Branch Members</i>	<i>Bring & Talk, Mini Talks, Favourite Plants, Question Time</i>
<i>June 1st</i>	<i>Ian Woolnough</i>	<i>World Collections & Nurseries</i>
<i>June 24th</i>	<i>South West Cactus Mart</i>	<i>Portishead Youth Centre 1, Harbour Road, Portishead, Bristol BS20 7DD 10.00 – 14:30</i>
<i>June 24th</i>	<i>Wilts Branch Annual Show</i>	<i>Melksham Assembly Hall, Market Place, Melksham, SN12 6ES 11.00 - 15.30</i>
<i>July 6th</i>	<i>John Watmough</i>	<i>Succulent Humour</i>
<i>Aug 3th</i>	<i>Chris Davies</i>	<i>Mexico 2010 Part 2: Chihuahua to Morelos</i>
<i>Sep 7th</i>	<i>Trevor Wray</i>	<i>Fabulas Crassulas</i>
<i>Oct 5th</i>	<i>John Foster</i>	<i>Succulent Senecios</i>
<i>Nov 2nd</i>	<i>Dr. Jonathan Y. Clark</i>	<i>Coping with Copiapoa in Chile</i>
<i>Dec 7th</i>	<i>AGM followed by</i>	<i>Christmas Social and Quiz with Mike Read</i>

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The Club meets on the first Thursday in every month,
February to December – **7:30pm for 7:45pm Start**

ALL VISITORS ARE WELCOME

Date	Class 1	Class 2
<i>Feb 2nd</i>	Opuntia	Aloe
<i>Mar 2nd</i>	Turbincarpus	Caudiciform Plant
<i>Apr 6th</i>	Parodia	Euphorbia
<i>May 4th</i>	Rebutia	Haworthia
<i>Jun 1st</i>	Mammillaria	Ceropegia
<i>July 6th</i>	Echinopsis	Gasteria
<i>Aug 3rd</i>	Astrophytum	Stapelia
<i>Sep 7th</i>	Gymnocalycium	Crassula(Subgroup)
<i>Oct 5th</i>	Matucana	Othonna
<i>Nov 2nd</i>	Copiapoa	Mesembryanthemum
<i>Dec 7th</i>	Any Cactus	Any Succulent

Table Show – 2017

All Classes are for Groups

Classes 1 and 2 have a pot size limit of 15cm (6 inches)

Class 3 Cactus or Succulent in bud, flower or fruit, judged for appearance. No limit to pot size

Class 4 is limited to Junior Members or Novices and can contain any plant that is eligible for entry in Classes 1, 2 or 3.

A member may make any number of entries in each class. The speaker for the evening will carry out the judging and points will be awarded as follows: 1st prize 3 points, 2nd prize 2 points, 3rd prize 1 point.

At the A.G.M. the member with the most points will receive a prize. The Novice or Junior Member with the most points will also receive a prize. To ensure that everyone has a chance of winning a prize, a prize winner for one year will start the next year with a minus score of twenty points, and the following year with a minus score of ten points.