

British Cactus & Succulent Society

Wiltshire Branch



Programme – 2019

Date	Speaker	Subject
<i>Feb 7th</i>	<i>Ian Thwaites</i>	<i>South West Africa</i>
<i>Mar 7th</i>	<i>John Watmough</i>	<i>Colonise & Populate</i>
<i>Apr 4th</i>	<i>Tom Radford</i>	<i>The Remarkable Asclepiadaceae</i>
<i>Apr 28th</i>	<i>Zone 9 Convention</i>	<i>Shurdington Social Centre Bishop Rd, Shurdington, Cheltenham, GL51 4TB</i>
<i>May 2nd</i>	<i>Rodney Sims</i>	<i>Little Karoo</i>
<i>June 6th</i>	<i>Ian Woolnough</i>	<i>Mexico</i>
<i>June 15th</i>	<i>Wilts Branch Annual Show</i>	<i>Melksham Assembly Hall, Market Place, Melksham, SN12 6ES 11.00 - 15.30</i>
<i>June 29th</i>	<i>South West Cactus Mart</i>	<i>Portishead Youth Centre 1, Harbour Road, Portishead, Bristol BS20 7DD 10.00 – 14:30</i>
<i>July 4th</i>	<i>Members Evening</i>	<i>Summer Social & film. Bring(Cactus themed) food and drink, plants to discuss</i>
<i>Aug 1st</i>	<i>David Richards</i>	<i>How to photograph your plants-Interactive demonstrations</i>
<i>Sep 5th</i>	<i>Derek Tribble</i>	<i>Evolution of Mini-Mesembs</i>
<i>Oct 3rd</i>	<i>Trevor Wray</i>	<i>Life & Death in the Desert</i>
<i>Nov 7th</i>	<i>Chris Davies</i>	<i>Large Flowered Mammillarias</i>
<i>Dec 5th</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(Cactus)	Class 2(Succulent)
<i>Feb 7th</i>	Echinocactus Group	Adromischus Subgroup
<i>Mar 7th</i>	Copiapoa Group	Euphorbia Group
<i>Apr 4th</i>	Rebutia Group	Stapelia Group
<i>May 2nd</i>	Parodia Group	Haworthia Group
<i>Jun 6th</i>	Echinocereus Group	Ceropegia Group
<i>July 4th</i>	Astrophytum Group	Pachypodium Group
<i>Aug 1st</i>	Echinopsis Group	Gasteria Group
<i>Sep 5th</i>	Gymnocalycium Group	Mesembryanthemum Group
<i>Oct 3rd</i>	Ariocarpus Group	Aloe Group
<i>Nov 7th</i>	Mammillaria Group	Echeveria Group
<i>Dec 5th</i>		

Table Show – 2019

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 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.