

Year Book



January 2022

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COMMITTEES

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Finance - Richard GREEN (Treasurer), Judith WARREN (Subscription Secretary), Matt TOPSFIELD (Diana Aitchison Administrator), Colin CROSBIE (President), Hannah WILSON (Secretary), Peter SEMPLE.

Diana Aitchison Fund - Chair: Ian BAINBRIDGE. Members: Mike DALE, Richard GREEN, Colin CROSBIE, Julia CORDEN, Elspeth MACKINTOSH. Administrator: Matthew TOPSFIELD.

Exploration Award - Chair: David MILLWARD. Members: Mike DALE, Carole BAINBRIDGE (Committee Secretary), Colin CROSBIE (President), Richard GREEN (Treasurer), Sue GILL.

Golden Jubilee Salver - Administer: Hannah WILSON (Secretary). Members are previous recipients: Sandy LEVEN, Elizabeth IVEY, Ron McBEATH, Jean WYLLIE, Lyn BEZZANT, Jackie THOMLINSON, Margaret TAYLOR, Ian YOUNG, Ann CHAMBERS, Ian BAINBRIDGE, Ian CHRISTIE, Julia CORDEN, Liz MILLS, Alan NEWTON, Ann CHRISTIE, Carole BAINBRIDGE, John LEE, David MILLWARD, Carolyn McNAB, Christine BOULBY.

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Web – Connor SMITH, Chris PARSONS, Ian YOUNG, Richard GREEN, Alex SAMOKHIN.

Seed exchange - Chris PARSONS (Seed Order Reception Manager); representatives of Seed Reception (Carole & Ian BAINBRIDGE), Seed Packeting (Vacant), Seed Distribution (Kathleen CARTWRIGHT).

The Bulb Group. Chair: Sandy LEVEN. Members: Ian CHRISTIE, Richard GREEN, Liz MILLS, Ian YOUNG, John LEE.

LOCAL GROUPS

Some Local Groups are arranging lectures. Refer to the SRGC website or contact the Convenor for updates:

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ANNUAL LECTURES

The **Clark Memorial Lecture** is given at the Annual General Meeting.

The **Jim Archibald Lecture** is given at the Discussion Weekend. The essential feature of this lecture is that it is given on bulbs.

The **W. C. Buchanan Memorial Lecture** is given at the Discussion Weekend. The essential feature of this lecture is that it is given on the raising and growing of plants.

The **Harold Esslemont Lecture** is given at the Discussion Weekend. The lecture is devoted to plant hunting and the introduction of plants.

The **John Duff Scottish Lecture** is given at the Discussion Weekend. The lecture is to be given by a Scottish speaker.

This year the lectures are dependent on the host events taking place.

CLUB INFORMATION

The Scottish Rock Garden Club became affiliated to The Royal Horticultural Society in 1954. The Club is a Scottish Charity registered at the Scottish Charities Regulator (OSCR) with charity number SC000942.

DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

The Club is recognised as a charity by HM Revenue & Customs, and so both it and donors can benefit from a number of tax reliefs. Subscriptions and other donations by income tax payers under Gift Aid allow us to claim back income tax paid by the donor. In addition, such donations by higher-rate income taxpayers allow the donor themselves to claim back higher rate income tax relief on their tax return.

Leaving a legacy to the Club in your will allows us to do things which would otherwise be beyond our means. It is also tax-efficient and can reduce the liability of the donor's estate to inheritance tax. Previous gifts have helped us in many ways over the years.

The Treasurer Richard GREEN is always available to discuss possible donations, gifts and legacies with donors or their representatives in advance. He can provide relevant wording and more information to ensure that they are put to the very best use. Such discussions can of course be in confidence if requested.

INFORMATION DEADLINES

Show Schedules:

to the Chair of Show Secretaries by 1st November.

Show Reports:

to the Editor within one month of the show concerned.

Journal Material:

to the Editor by 1st April for the July journal.

to the Editor by 1st November for the January journal.

Advertisement Copy:

to the Advertising Manager by 1st April for the July journal.

to the Advertising Manager by 1st November for the January journal.

***Dryas* and *Year Book* Material:**

to the News Editor by 18th May for the July *Dryas*.

to the News Editor by 18th November for the January *Dryas* and *Year Book*.

Applications for Expenses:

to the Treasurer by 30th June.

Nominations for the Golden Jubilee Salver and the President's Award:

to the Secretary by 15th August.

Nominations for council:

to the Secretary by 1st October. Full information in July *Dryas*.

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE SCOTTISH ROCK GARDEN CLUB (VIA ZOOM)
10 AM, SATURDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2021**

Present

Peggy Anderson, Will Arthur, Carole Bainbridge, Ian Bainbridge, Brian Brocklehurst, Fiona Campbell, Anne Chambers, Ian Chapman, Lilian Chapman, Ann Christie, Ian Christie, Julia Corden, Jennifer Croall, Colin Crosbie, Lynda Crouch, Mike Dale, Anton Edwards, Margaret Edwards, Carol George, Susan George, Sue Gill, Richard Green, Elizabeth Harrison, Lee Hunt, Andrew Leven, Anne Leven, Sandy Leven, David Livermore, Liz Livermore, Carolyn McNab, Nicola McNee, Dave Millward, Stan da Prato, George Simmler, Sue Simpson, Jamie Sinclair, Fermi de Sousa, Matthew Topsfield, George Watt, Hannah Wilson, Maggi Young

Apologies

Christine Boulby, Barry Caudwell, Cathy Caudwell, John Fletcher, Bette Ivey, Jeanie Jones, Elspeth Macintosh, Chris Parsons, Jackie Thomlinson, Alison Ward, Jean Wylie, Ian Young

Colin Crosbie welcomed all to meeting, including Alex Samokhin as a new Ordinary Member of Council.

1. Introduction

1.1 The President welcomed all to the meeting.

2. Minutes of the AMG held online on Saturday 20th February 2021

2.1 No comments or amendments had been received prior to the meeting. The minutes of the previous AGM were approved. Proposed: Matthew Topsfield. Seconded: George Watt.

3. Matters Arising

3.1 No comments, questions or matters arising had been received in advance of, or raised at the meeting.

4. President's Review

4.1 This has been another difficult year with members being unable to gather, but online/virtual activity has been valuable.

4.2 Thanks were expressed to Richard Green, Neil Robinson, Fred Carrie and Ian Young for their work on developing the new website.

4.3 Facebook, the website, Forum IRG and the Bulb Log have all helped to bring everyone together. South West Scotland, Perthshire and West of Scotland Local Groups have been hosting Zoom meetings/talks, bringing people, groups, clubs and societies together from across the world. The Club also hosted a virtual event to replace the Discussion Weekend 2021, with hopes that a face-to-face event may be able to go ahead in 2022.

4.4 The Journal has contained superb articles, with thanks Anton Edwards and his wife Margaret in supporting him. The journal and *Dryas* continue to connect people around the world who are not online.

4.5 The Seed Exchange is back to a normal mode of operation this year (online and paper), and we will be sending seed to Europe. Donations are currently at about three quarters of the usual volume, but we are waiting for some expected donations. All members are encouraged to send in seed donations soon, and email Ian and Carole Bainbridge this weekend if you intend sending a late donation. West of Scotland Group are helping with seed distribution this year.

5. Presentation of Honours and Awards

5.1 The Crosland Award for best journal article during the year was awarded to Hamish Brown (New Zealand) for 'An effort to better understand the world's most enigmatic *Ranunculus*' published in *The Rock Garden* #147.

5.2 The David Lane Award for best journal photograph during the year was awarded to Ger van den Beuken for *Laretia* (syn. *Azorella*) *compacta* in Northern Chile, printed on pages 40 & 41 of *The Rock Garden* #147.

5.3 The Golden Jubilee Salver was awarded to Christine Boulby in recognition of the huge amount of hard work she has put in as the Club's Subscription Secretary for ten years and more.

5.4 The President's Award was awarded to Maggi Young in recognition for her tireless work for a local group (the SRGC online Forum is included as a local group).

6. Proposed Changes to the Club Constitution

6.1 OSCR have asked all charities to ensure that there is provision for online meetings in their constitutions. Council is discussing and reviewing some suggested draft amendments, which will be refined and shared with the Membership at the AGM in 2022.

7. Accounts:

a) Presentation and Adoption of the Accounts for the Year Ending 30th June 2021

7.1 The Treasurer presented the accounts to the Membership.

i) Statement of Financial Activities

7.2 Overall there is a large positive net gain in 2021 of £130,365 (vs a deficit of (£32,462) in 2020). Investment income reduced slightly, but stock market investments have recovered to a pre-COVID level, with the Club holding a worldwide diversified portfolio. The net gain includes investment income, but our expenditure has also been much reduced, with COVID restrictions on travel reducing demand on the Exploration Awards and Diana Aitchison Fund. There has been some reduction in subscriptions income due to the lack of shows and some members in 'hibernation'. We need to re-engage these members with Club activity and expand our offering through Zoom, online etc.

ii) Balance Sheet

7.3 Our investment portfolio includes large donations/bequests that are intended to be held to generate income that will fund activity.

7.4 The draft accounts have been approved for signature by Council, will be examined, signed and submitted to OSCR with our annual return.

7.5 Members are welcome to ask questions of the Treasurer at any time.

b) appointment of examiner of accounts

7.6 The Membership were notified that Ewen Dyer of Martin Aitken & Co Ltd has been appointed as examiner of accounts.

8. Elections and Appointments:

a) Office Bearers

i) Existing:

8.1 The following office bearers were re-elected *en bloc*. Proposed: Julia Corden.
Seconded: Carolyn McNab.

Secretary - Hannah Wilson

Treasurer - Richard Green

General Editor - Anton Edwards

Publicity Manager - Sandy Leven

Website Manager - Ian Young

ii) New:

8.2 President - Colin Crosbie had been co-opted as President Elect during the year, and is now standing for election. Proposed: Julia Corden. Seconded: Richard Green.

8.3 Immediate Past President - Julia Corden.

8.4 Subscriptions Secretary - Judith Warren.

b) Ordinary Members to serve on Council

8.5 Sue Gill was co-opted last year and is now standing for election to complete her term through to AGM 2023.

Proposed: Matthew Topsfield. Seconded: Mike Dale.

8.6 New Ordinary Members of Council to serve to AGM 2024:

1) Alex Samokhin, Perth. Proposed: Anton Edwards. Seconded: Julia Corden.

2) vacant

3) vacant

4) vacant

8.7 Council can co-opt two members to Council during the year, if necessary.

8.8 Thanks were expressed to those four Ordinary Members who are standing down at the end of their terms this year: Ian Christie, Mike Dale, Peggy Anderson and Jens Nielsen.

c) Approval of other Office Bearers

8.9 Chair of Show Secretaries - David Millward.

8.10 Chair Group of Convenors - Carole Bainbridge.

d) Approval of members of the Joint Rock Garden Plant Committee

8.11 The only change for 2022 is that David Millward will be Vice Chair, replacing John Mitchell who has completed his term and will be standing down (remaining an Ordinary Member of the Committee).

9. AOCB

9.1 Maggi Young expressed thanks for the President's Award. Whilst it is a shame that there were no shows/events again this year, special mention should be made

for Stan da Prato who has been posting on the SRGC Forum and on social media pictures of plants that he would have taken to shows. He has single-handedly created a virtual show and kept the ethos of taking part, showing and sharing plants alive. Thank you, Stan!

9.2 Colin Crosbie thanked Julia for her hard work and keeping the Club going strongly in a very difficult time.

9.3 Richard Green asked for helpful comments and feedback on the new-look website, for Members to log-in and test the system, find faults, problems, layout changes and suggestions for any additional information members would like to see. There are also opportunities for Members to help out with design, photographs etc.

9.4 Anton Edwards and Maggi Young made a plea for journal articles, even small items, for both The Rock Garden and International Rock Gardener, to help the Club to continue to fill the pages with interesting material and keep contact with all our Members.

9.5 Maggi Young noted that a Monograph on Section Rosulate Viola by John Watson, Anita Flores, Marcela Nicola & Thomas Marcusson has recently been published in the IRG.

9.6 Julia Corden thanked everyone who has supported her during her presidency and closed the meeting.

Date and place of the Annual General Meeting in 2022

Saturday 12th November 2022, Burnside Hall, Scone. Details TBC

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	2021 Total funds £	2020 Total funds £
INCOME AND ENDOWMENTS FROM					
Subscriptions, donations and legacies	2	47,913	-	47,913	47,234
Other trading activities	3	1,503	-	1,503	9,324
Investment income	4	6,167	7,237	13,404	16,807
Total		<u>55,583</u>	<u>7,237</u>	<u>62,820</u>	<u>73,365</u>
EXPENDITURE ON					
Raising funds		1,216	-	1,216	10,751
Charitable activities					
Educational activities	5	30,351	1,978	32,329	46,642
Publicity expenses		1,125	-	1,125	1,325
Administrative costs		10,732	1,953	12,685	15,808
Total		<u>43,424</u>	<u>3,931</u>	<u>47,355</u>	<u>74,526</u>
Net gains/(losses) on investments		53,446	61,454	114,900	(31,301)
NET INCOME/(EXPENDITURE)		<u>65,605</u>	<u>64,760</u>	<u>130,365</u>	<u>(32,462)</u>
RECONCILIATION OF FUNDS					
Total funds brought forward		316,564	299,333	615,897	648,359
TOTAL FUNDS CARRIED FORWARD		<u><u>382,169</u></u>	<u><u>364,093</u></u>	<u><u>746,262</u></u>	<u><u>615,897</u></u>

BALANCE SHEET 30TH JUNE 2021

	Notes	Unrestricted fund £	Restricted fund £	2021 Total funds £	2020 Total funds £
FIXED ASSETS					
Tangible assets	10	347	-	347	98
Investments	11	317,606	359,379	676,985	550,402
		<u>317,953</u>	<u>359,379</u>	<u>677,332</u>	<u>550,500</u>
CURRENT ASSETS					
Stocks	12	4,412	-	4,412	5,070
Debtors	13	12,632	3,910	16,542	25,266
Cash at bank and in hand		56,497	6,045	62,542	52,961
		<u>73,541</u>	<u>9,955</u>	<u>83,496</u>	<u>83,297</u>
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due within one year	14	(6,831)	(5,241)	(12,072)	(14,089)
		<u>66,710</u>	<u>4,714</u>	<u>71,424</u>	<u>69,208</u>
NET CURRENT ASSETS					
		<u>66,710</u>	<u>4,714</u>	<u>71,424</u>	<u>69,208</u>
TOTAL ASSETS LESS CURRENT LIABILITIES					
		384,663	364,093	748,756	619,708
CREDITORS					
Amounts falling due after more than one year	15	(2,494)	-	(2,494)	(3,811)
		<u>382,169</u>	<u>364,093</u>	<u>746,262</u>	<u>615,897</u>
NET ASSETS					
		<u>382,169</u>	<u>364,093</u>	<u>746,262</u>	<u>615,897</u>
FUNDS					
Unrestricted funds	16			382,169	316,564
Restricted funds				364,093	299,333
				<u>746,262</u>	<u>615,897</u>
TOTAL FUNDS					
				<u>746,262</u>	<u>615,897</u>