*Southern African Bulb Group*

**SABG Bulb & Seed - Ephemeral Exchange 2021**

Below are listed all bulb and seed donations, including items promised to be available shortly. As always our members have once again been very generous with their surplus material and time.

Please note that several items, including most of the *Strumaria*, are already in a quite advanced state of germination, and will need rehydration and careful treatment for any chance of success. Remember these fleshy Amaryllid seeds need to be pressed gently into the surface of damp sand, not covered, but kept slightly moist, for successful germination.

Please remember that many of these seeds and bulbs/corms are in extremely short supply. Whilst we will try to fulfil all requests, it is hard to split a single bulb or seed six different ways. Species are listed below using the names provided by the donors.

On receipt of the list, please send your wishlist to me, Jon Evans, 46 Upper Way, Farnham, Surrey, GU9 8RF, UK, or to jonevans46.uw@btinternet.com .

* There is no limit to how many items you may request, but please mark **five** first choices.
* Requests must be made by **25th** November.
* Please order by using the numbers alongside the descriptions.
* If you want a particular species but don't care which donation, just give the name of the plant and 'Bulb' or 'Seed'.
* Remember to add your postal address.

If you have not donated bulbs or seed, the Committee expects you to make a donation to cover the cost of postage and packing. This table tries to give some idea of the relevant amount:

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| Order | Minimum |
| * seed only
 | £1.50 |
| * incl bulbs
 | £2.50 |
| * incl Rhodohypoxis
 | £4.00 |

You can send cheques drawn on a UK bank or UK postal orders payable to “SABG” , or make a bank transfer to ‘Southern African Bulb Group’, sort code 60-01-31, account number 59755709. In the latter case, specify your name as the reference so that we know who it’s from. Please don’t send postage stamps.

**Paypal**

We cannot accept credit or debit card payments, but if you have a PayPal account you can pay that way. Overseas members may find this helpful.

To use PayPal, log into your own PayPal account using a Web browser or the PayPal mobile app, click on "Send" (or "Send & Request", then "Send Money") and enter the address pay@sabg.tk in the box. Alternatively, you can type paypal.me/paysabg into your Web browser's location bar (not the Search box), but you will be asked to log into your PayPal account anyway if you haven't done so already.

You will then see a page displaying the SABG Lachenalia logo and "Southern African Bulb Group", followed by a box to enter the amount to pay, in £ (GBP). You can only enter digits for the pounds and pence, not a period "." , so watch carefully where the decimal point appears as you type!

Please add a brief note describing what the payment is for, e.g. ‘Exchange 2021’. Include your name if your PayPal account uses a name which we might not recognise. Select or accept "**Paying for an item or service**". If it says "Sending to a friend or to family", click on "Change" and select "Paying for an item or service". A "shipping address" may be shown, but I won't see this, so make sure you sent me your postal address with your order. Click on "Send money now".

**Overseas Members**

We are only able to send material to overseas members in ways complying with their government's regulations (i.e. no mis-labelling of contents), and only when conforming with those regulations is neither too onerous, nor expensive (e.g. we cannot issue phytosanitary certificates etc). We expect the relevant member to be able to guide us in following their government's requirements. Although we'll do our best to comply with the regulations where possible, we cannot be held responsible for any bulbs or seeds which are confiscated.

Because the UK is no longer part of the EU, any packages sent to EU members would need to be accompanied by a Phytosanitary certificate. This would be a difficult and expensive administrative burden, and we regret that as a result **we are unable to send bulbs or seeds to EU members at this time**. We are still able to send seeds to some countries outside Europe, provided that the members receiving them are conversant with their own regulations.

We are participating in endeavours with other UK gardening societies to lobby the UK government to change the regulations to facilitate international seed exchange, but the import requirements set by the EU are outside the control of the UK government, and are unlikely to be affected by any changes.

Donors’ initials are shown against each description, as follows:

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| **AA** | Ashley Allshire | **JH** | Jonny Hartnell | **PCh** | Paul Chapman |
| **AM** | Anthony Murphy | **LP** | Les Pearcy | **TD** | Ted Dichmont |
| **DL** | David Lloyd | **MW** | Mark Wessels | **UU** | Uli Urban |
| **GE** | George Elder | **MW2** | Maciej Waclawski |  |  |
| **JE** | Jon Evans | **NH** | Neil Hubbard |  |  |

The Source column in the following tables gives the original source of the material as given by the donor. Any other information provided by the donor is shown in the Notes column.

**South African Bulbs and Corms**

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| **No.** | **Genus** | **Species** | **Source** | **Notes** | **Donor** |
| 1 | Albuca | humilis | ex JCA 15856 |  | NH |
| 2 | Lachenalia | bachmannii |  |  | DL |
| 3 | Ornithogalum | capillare |  |  | MW2 |
| 4 | Ornithogalum | juncifolium | DT6522 |  | MW2 |
| 5 | Ornithogalum | longibracteatum |  |  | MW2 |
| 6 | Rhodohypoxis | baurii v platypetala x milloides | BURTT 6981 |  | AM |
| 7 | Rhodohypoxis | baurii var baurii |  | Westacre | AM |
| 8 | Rhodohypoxis | Dusky |  | Westacre | AM |
| 9 | Rhodohypoxis | Fred Broome |  | Ingwersen | AM |
| 10 | Rhodohypoxis | Garnett |  | Peppelenbos | AM |
| 11 | Rhodohypoxis | Mars |  | Westacre | AM |
| 12 | Rhodohypoxis | Orizuru |  | Edrom | AM |
| 13 | Rhodohypoxis | Pinkie |  | Potterton | AM |
| 14 | Rhodohypoxis | Wild Cherry Blossom |  | Westacre | AM |

**South African Seeds**

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| **No.** | **Genus** | **Species** | **Source** | **Notes** | **Donor** |
| 15 | Albuca | bracteata |  |  | LP |
| 16 | Albuca | canadensis |  |  | JE |
| 17 | Amaryllis | belladonna Rose Fonce |  |  | UU |
| 18 | Clivia | minata citrina |  |  | JH |
| 19 | Clivia | miniata variegata |  |  | TD |
| 20 | Cyrtanthus | elatus hybrids |  |  | PCh |
| 21 | Drimia | uniflora |  |  | MW2 |
| 22 | Eucomis | schijffii |  |  | GE |
| 23 | Freesia | laxa (red) |  |  | MW |
| 24 | Haemanthus | humilis | Compassberg |  | AA |
| 25 | Haemanthus | humilis Giant Form |  |  | JE |
| 26 | Haemanthus | humilis Pale Form |  |  | JE |
| 27 | Hesperantha | huttonii |  |  | MW |
| 28 | Hessea  | mathewsii |  | GS 3539 | GE |
| 29 | Hessea  | pusilla |  | Silverhill seed | GE |
| 30 | Hessea  | stellaris |  | Silverhill seed | GE |
| 31 | Massonia | longipes |  | SABG 2019 | MW2 |
| 32 | Moraea | vegeta |  |  | JE |
| 33 | Nerine | bowdenii 'Quinton Wells' hybrid ?  | Much darker pink fl | JH |
| 34 | Nerine | bowdenii subsp wellsii |  |  | JE |
| 35 | Nerine | bowdenii subsp wellsii 'Quinton Wells' |  | JH |
| 36 | Nerine | filamentosa |  |  | JE |
| 37 | Nerine | filamentosa |  |  | GE |
| 38 | Nerine | filifolia |  |  | JH |
| 39 | Nerine | gracilis |  |  | GE |
| 40 | Nerine | humilis | ex Piekenierskloof | GE |
| 41 | Nerine | humilis |  | SH seed - tall form | GE |
| 42 | Nerine | masoniorum |  |  | GE |
| 43 | Ornithogalum | species | Glen Avon Falls |  | JE |
| 44 | Pelargonium | bubonifolium |  |  | LP |
| 45 | Strumaria | aestivalis |  | SABG | GE |
| 46 | Strumaria | chaplinii |  | Silverhill seed | GE |
| 47 | Strumaria | discifera |  |  | PCh |
| 48 | Strumaria | discifera subsp bulbifera |  |  | JE |
| 49 | Strumaria | discifera subsp discifera |  |  | JE |
| 50 | Strumaria | discifera subsp discifera | GS 4567 Loriesfontein | GE |
| 51 | Strumaria | karooica |  | Silverhill seed | GE |
| 52 | Strumaria | massoniella |  | GS4177 | GE |
| 53 | Strumaria | tenella subsp tenella |  |  | JE |
| 54 | Strumaria | tenella subsp tenella |  | Silverhill seed | GE |
| 55 | Strumaria | truncata subsp rubella |  |  | JE |
| 56 | Strumaria | watermeyeri subsp. watermeyeri | Silverhill seed | GE |

**Other Areas Bulbs and Corms**

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| **No.** | **Genus** | **Species** | **Source** | **Notes** | **Donor** |
| 57 | Begonia | grandis subsp evansiana |  |  | NH |
| 58 | Camassia | quamash |  | (syn esculenta) | JH |
| 59 | Commelina | dianthifolia dwarf form |  |  | NH |
| 60 | Stenomesson | pearcei |  |  | MW2 |