



Programme 2012



** Preceded by Committee Meeting*

14 Jan*	<i>Exploring the diversity of Dendrobiums, and understanding their culture</i>	Laurence Hobbs <i>Laurence Hobbs Orchids Ltd</i>
11 Feb	<i>Potting materials, and preparing orchids for show</i>	Members
3 Mar	WOS Spring Show	Portchester
17 Mar	RHS Orchid Show London	(By Coach)
14 April*	<i>An Orchid trip to S.E. Asia</i>	Malcolm Perry <i>A well-known grower and provider of rare and unusual orchids.</i>
23 – 27 April	Members' five day tour to Jersey	<i>including a visit to the Eric Young Orchid Foundation</i>
12 May	<i>Growing Orchids in small greenhouses</i>	John Spires <i>Former Chairman BOC</i>
9 June*	AGM and orchid market	
14 July*	<i>Masdevallias and some other Pleurothallids</i>	Steve Manning <i>Keeper of the National Collection, Nantwich, Cheshire</i>
11 Aug	Summer Social	
8 Sept*	<i>Orchids of Thailand</i>	Malcolm Moodie <i>Banbury, Oxon</i>
13 Oct	WOS Autumn Show	Portchester
10 Nov*	<i>Growing Paphiopedilums and Phragmipediums</i>	Allan Burdis <i>Based on his recent talk at the RHS Orchid Show</i>
8 Dec	Christmas Lunch	