

Garden diary number 12.

This page is a collection of *Gesneriaceae* photos sent in by Fred Bundy.



Ramonda myconii var. *alba*



Haberlea rhodopensis 'Connie Davidson'



Above left is *Ramonda myconii* pink form.

Above right is *Jankaemonda vandemii*.

Right photo is *Ramberlea* 'Inchgarth'. This is a rarely seen hybrid between *Ramonda* and *Haberlea*. Fred gave me three *Ramonda myconii* a few years back and they quickly became at home in one of my alpine troughs and flower reliably every year.



Some of the last plants of the season in Ian and Georgina's Garden.

The Japanese *Acer* has turned to a lovely red and has begun to shed its leaves for autumn. Also, *Paeonia obovata* is showing off its seed pods.



Nerine bowdenii is growing on a well drained corner of the garden and in a wetter area near our pond, *Schizostylis coccinea major* is making a last performance before winter.



Below, various leaf forms of *Cyclamen hederifolia* huddle together in the alpine house with *Asarum maxima* at the bottom right. *Sedum sieboldii* 'Variegatum' on the right picture.



We have made an attempt to produce a miniature crevice garden using polystyrene, covered with grit sand, to make artificial lightweight rocks. All the plants are *Androsace* species. Middle and right below is a pot full of *Allium callimischon* ssp. *haemostictum*.



Saxifraga fortunei 'Hyosaki' is flowering well on the left and Georgina has a lovely pot full of *Polyxena longituba*.



Finally, a seedling *Cyclamen mirabile*, Tilebarn form, from a batch of seeds that Robbie West gave to us a few years ago. Also our *Vaccinium vitis-idaea* has berried up well.



The top four photos are from the ever prolific Trevor Wright.



Colchicum 'Waterlily'



Crocus pulchellus alba



Colchicum speciosa 'Albus'



Cyclamen hederifolia 'Bowles Apollo'



Some South African bulbs and *mesembryantheums* from Jan Rogozinski.



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