



Cultural Interest Plant of the Month August 2016

Plant Name: *Tubecentron (Tct.) Hsinying Girl*

Exhibitor: Julie Copley-Bishop

Owners Comments:

Housing:

This miniature orchid is an intergeneric hybrid with a posy of bright orange flowers. Disappointingly, there were fewer blooms than this time last year. For the past two years it has been grown under 70% shade cloth. No cooling or heating system is used. The orchid, which is mounted on cork, is placed as high as possible in the shade house to receive whatever warmth and light there is at this time of year.

Feeding:

The plant is feed fortnightly, year round, with *Orchid Boost*.

Watering

The orchid is misted daily in summer by hand held hose using town water. In winter, misting is determined on the weather conditions of the day.

Any Other Cultural Notes:

This is the orchid's second flowering and what a little charmer it continues to be.



Grow in dappled light conditions



Grow in warm to hot conditions, or 22°C to 30°C at night.