



RHS Trial of *Nerine bowdenii*

Introduction to the Trial

The genus *Nerine* contains 25 species, most well known of which is the Guernsey lily (*N. sarniensis*) a greenhouse plant. All the species occur in southern Africa but only a very few are truly hardy in the UK. Since its introduction to cultivation in 1898 *N. bowdenii* has become widely grown in gardens and a diverse range of forms has been developed, either by selection or hybridisation. The scale of this diversity was revealed by the Hardy Nerine Study Day in October 2007. From that point onwards the idea of a trial grew, mainly through the efforts of the then National Plant Collection holder for hardy nerines, Mrs Margaret Owen.

The trial agreed was an RHS off-site trial, run jointly by the RHS and the Nerine and Amaryllid Society (NAAS). Two sites were chosen to test the hardiness of the entries: one in the north (The Patch, Acton Pigott, Shropshire – site of the then National Plant Collection) and one in the south (Bramdean House, Bramdean, Hampshire – site of an extensive collection of nerines owned by Mrs Victoria Wakefield). Although the intention was to have entries in common to both sites to allow proper comparison, the difficult process of putting the trial together meant that not all the entries were grown at both sites.

A particular challenge for the trial was the fact that many of the entries were not named or not properly named as cultivars. In the Trial list these are given as informal designations, rather than cultivar names. Sorting out the distinctiveness and correct identification of the entries during the course of the trial has been essential. A significant output from the trial is to provide the horticultural trade and gardeners with accurately named cultivars, with good descriptions and backed up by specimens held in the RHS's herbarium (WSY).

Objectives

The objectives of the trial were:

1. To test *Nerine bowdenii* cultivars and hybrids for UK garden hardiness.
2. To clarify the nomenclature so enabling the commercial market into providing correctly named cultivars onto the market.
3. To award the prestigious RHS Award of Garden Merit to those cultivars that were deemed to be:
 - excellent for ordinary use in appropriate conditions (see RHS hardiness ratings)
 - available
 - of good constitution
 - essentially stable in form and colour
 - reasonably resistant to pests and diseases

Establishment of the trial

The trial site at The Patch was in a garden on good agricultural sandy loam (pH c. 6.5) and surrounded by trees and shrubs that provided a measure of shelter in what was said to be one of the coldest locations in Shropshire, if not in England. The site at Bramdean House was within a large walled garden on a south-facing slope on a shallow chalky clay soil (pH 7.5).

Trial entries were sourced from the existing collections held at both sites as well as from other Nerine growers and the trade.

Three to five bulbs per entry were planted during 2012 and 2013. The bulbs were planted with the noses just proud of the soil surface and approximately 25cm apart. The entries were grown for one to two years before judging began in September 2014. This was originally intended to be a three-year trial but was extended for a further year as it was agreed by the Forum that the plants had not had sufficient time to become fully established.



Trial site at Bramdean House Hampshire.



Trial site at The Patch Shropshire.

Cultivation

After planting the bulbs were left to establish for a year before the Forum made the first assessment. The cultivation of the trial consisted of keeping the sites weed-free.

At Bramdean a general fertiliser was applied after the first assessment year (2014) and some irrigation applied in year 2015 and 2016.

At The Patch the cultivation was keeping the site weed-free with an application of Flexidor, a pre-emergent weedkiller and Glyphosate, a weedkiller, each year in early December, followed by hand weeding when required. No fertiliser or irrigation was used.

Inflorescences were removed when seed was forming to prevent seedlings establishing among the entries and causing confusion when the trial was dispersed, as the seedlings would not be true to the parent.

Pest and Disease

The entries remained largely free of pests and diseases, although damage by molluscs, particularly to developing inflorescences, was a problem that required control. Slug pellets containing 1.5% w/w metaldehyde were applied. This was applied at flowering time.

Some plants showed signs of virus in the leaves and in one or two cases where this was severe the plants were removed from the trial to avoid the virus being spread.

Judging

A Forum was appointed with Mr Bob Brown from Cotswold Garden Flowers taking the role of Chairman. Others in the Forum were:

Mrs Victoria Wakefield

Mrs Margaret Owen who sadly passed away Oct 2014 and was replaced by Mr Chris Sanders

Mr John David

Mr Malcolm Allison

Mr Royston Prior

Mr Alan Lanoe

Mrs Joanna Sadler

Mrs Sue Bedwell

Mr John Amand



The first assessment of the Forum took place in Sept 2014 and continued weekly during the flowering period of September to November each year. Thus each site was assessed 3 to 4 times annually from 2014 to 2017. The final assessment took place November 2017 and the ratification of the forum's findings took place in February 2018.

Records taken during the assessment were:

- Leaf emergence date
- Number of bulbs producing leaf each year
- Number of scapes
- Height of scape
- Inflorescence width
- Individual flower width
- Number of flowers per inflorescence
- Time of flowering
- Degree of crispness - 1 being crisp and 5 being flat
- Time when flowering over
- Comments from the Forum members on the culture, history and provenance and their experiences with the cultivar under discussion

Other records

In addition to the AGM criteria the Nerine Assessment Forum viewed and assessed the trial as the plants came into flower from Aug/Sept until November of each year. The additional criteria and records made were:

- Wow factor
- Floriferousness
- Length of flowering
- Disease resistance
- Weather resistance
- Vigour

Herbarium specimens were collected in 2017.

Flower colour was recorded using the RHS Colour Chart .

Plants Receiving AGMs During Trial

The following are the plants found to fulfil the Award of Garden Merit criteria during the trial and to be worthy of receiving the award. The AGM criteria which a plant needs to fulfil in order to receive the award are:

- excellent for ordinary use in appropriate conditions
- available
- of good constitution
- essentially stable in form and colour
- reasonably resistant to pests and diseases

Hardiness ratings are as follows:

H4 - Hardy through most of the UK apart from inland valleys, at altitude and central / northerly locations. May suffer foliage damage and stem dieback in harsh winters in cold gardens. Plants in pots are more vulnerable.

H5 - Hardy through most of the UK even in severe winters. May not withstand open or exposed sites or central / northerly locations. Many evergreens suffer foliage damage and plants in pots will be at increased risk.

Nerine bowdenii 'John Crisp' AGM

Trial no. 103 at The Patch

Votes. 8 : 2

Hardiness rating. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 68B

Comments. One of the earliest to flower (early mid September). Strong and sturdy. Bulks up well with large bulbs. Six to eight week flowering period.

Available from. Cotswold Garden Flowers



Nerine bowdenii subspecies *wellsii*
'Quinton Wells' AGM

Trial no. 95 at The Patch

Trial no. 16 at Bramdean

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness rating. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 68A

Comments. Bulks up fast. Although the dead leaves are visible when in flower this does not detract from the overall performance seen each year from the first year of assessment to the last. Very easily recognised by the high degree of tepal crispiness.

Available from. Malcolm Allison,
Cotswold Garden Flowers, Trecanna
Nursery



Nerine bowdenii 'Blanca Perla'AGM

Trial no. 106 and 133 (entered as 'Sophie') at The Patch

Trial no. 45 at Bramdean

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart

Flowers. White

Comments Best clean, clear, strong white on the market. Bulks up well
Flowers over a long six to eight week period.

Available from. Cotswold Garden
Flowers and widely available in the trade



Nerine bowdenii 'Pink Surprise' AGM

Trial no. 15 at Bramdean

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness rating. H5

Flower. RHS Colour Chart. Margin of tepal 69D; inside tepal stripe 65B

Comment. Pale green leaves and pink flowers are an attractive combination giving the whole plant a lot of 'presence'. Good bulking of bulbs over the trial period from 3 planted to 52 at the end of the trial.

Available from. Avon Bulbs, Malcolm Allison, Cotswold Garden Flowers



Nerine bowdenii 'Stefanie' AGM

Trial no. 4, 54 and 73 at The Patch

Trial no. 24 at The Patch, labelled as "Dutch Pink"

Trial no. 118 at The Patch, labelled as "Shardlow Alba"

Trial no. 60 at The Patch, labelled as 'Nikita'

Trial no. 66 labelled as "ex RBGE"

Trial no. 12 at Bramdean, labelled as 'Nikita'

Trial no. 13 at Bramdean, labelled as 'Ostara'

Trial no. 29 at Bramdean, labelled as "Shardow Pink"

Trial no. 84 at Bramdean, labelled as "alba Exbury Nikita"

Votes. 9 : 1

Hardiness rating. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 62C

Comments. Good bulking up during the trial period. An old Dutch cultivar in production for 20 to 30 years and grown for cut flowers. Beautiful flowers which are very pale pink at the tip of the tepal paling to white at the base. A dependable cultivar that always does well. There is much confusion about the name which consequently led to individual renaming. All suppliers have been informed of this misnaming.

Available from. Jacques Amand (widely available in trade)



Nerine bowdenii 'Mount Stewart' AGM

Trial no. 70 at The Patch, entered as "Lord Grenfell"

Trial no. 97 at The Patch, entered as "Douglas Blue"

Votes. 8 : 2

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 67C

Comments. Good intense flower colour which will last 2 months in the garden Excellent in bulking up fast.

Available from. Ballyrogan Nursery, Cotswold Garden Flowers



Nerine bowdenii 'Regina' AGM

Trial no. 57 at The Patch

Trial no.17 at Bramdean

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness rating. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. Outside of tepal, N57C; inside tepal, N66D

Comments. Raised by Tony Norris and named by Ken Hall. Produces large bulbs but few in number. Strong, broad deep green, upright leaves. Lovely colour with large, robust flowers. Long flowering season.

Available from. Malcolm Allison, Cotswold Garden Flowers



Nerine alta *Nerine undulata* 'Seaton' AGM

Trial no. 91 at Bramdean

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. N66D

Comment. Very reliable garden performance every year in trial. Fast to bulk up. Some Forum members have seen this perform exceptionally well in containers.

Available from. Cotswold Garden Flowers



Nerine bowdenii 'Stam 63' AGM

Trial no. 43, 43A and 43B at The Patch

Votes. 9 : 1

Hardiness rating. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. N67C

Comments. Probably the most widely cultivar seen in gardens around the UK. Bulks up fast.

Available from. Jacques Amand
(widely available in trade as "Favourite"
or "Favorit")



Nerine bowdenii 'Isabel' AGM

Trial no. 5 and 52 at The Patch

Trial no. 41 and 20 at Bramdean
which was labelled as 'Sophie'

Votes. 9 : 1

Hardiness. H4

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. N67C

Comments. Fabulous, bright striking colour with a strong stripe on the outer part of the tepal. Sturdy stems. Bulks up very quickly.

Available from. Jacques Amand
(widely available in the trade)



The Nerine Trials Assessment Forum recommended the Society's Award of Garden Merit, subject to availability, to the following entries:

Nerine bowdenii - Ken Hall No 2- 'Ellex'
AGM

Trial no. 68 at Bramdean.(in trial as Ken Hall No 2)

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. N66D

Comment. A really beautiful, strong, bold plant which bulks up fast. Lovely green pedicel and long flowering season.

Availability. At the time of writing the cultivar needs propagation for distribution to the trade.



Nerine bowdenii Ken Hall No 1
'Diamond' AGM

Trial no. 69 at Bramdean

Votes 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 73B
fading to 73D and 69D at the base

Comments. Beautiful colour and long flowering season. Could be a 'Manina' hybrid. Very stately appearance with a strong, bold habit.

Availability. At the time of writing the cultivar needs propagation for distribution to the trade.



Nerine bowdenii Wellsii Pale Form
'Welland Pale' AGM

Trial no. 49 at Bramdean

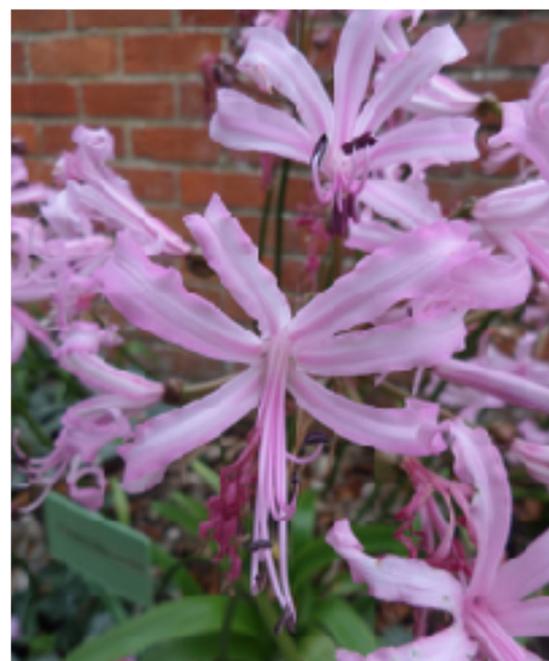
Votes 9 : 1

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 68c

Comments. A beautiful soft pink flower which is early into bloom and a long flowering period. Makes a superb cut flower.

Availability. At the time of writing the cultivar needs propagation for distribution to the trade e.



Nerine bowdenii 'Praecox' AGM

Trial no. 50 at the Patch

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 68B

Comments. First cultivar to flower each year of the trial. Tall scapes with up to 10 flowers per inflorescence. A magnificent garden plant.

Availability. Cotswold Garden Flowers but out of stock



Nerine bowdenii 'Marjorie' AGM

Trial no. 59 at The Patch

Trial no. 10 at Bramdean

Votes. 6 : 1 with 3 abstentions

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart.

Outside of tepal 68B. Inside stripe 68A

Comments. Originally from Logan Botanical Garden, selected by Jim Marshall and one of Margaret Owen's favourites. Very dependable in the garden with a lovely colour of dark pedicels.

Availability. Cotswold Garden Flowers but out of stock



Nerine bowdenii Tony Norris No 3 (KH No 3) — 'Margaret Owen'.

Trial no. 33 at the Patch

Votes. 10 : 0

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. 68B

Comments. This is a selection Margaret Owen made herself from the collection of *N. bowdenii* seedlings from Tony Norris being grown by Ken Hall. Bulks up fast and produces many scapes. From a planting of 3 bulbs in 2012, by 2017 there were 147 bulbs and these produced 25 scapes that season which flowered for 8+ weeks. A magnificent garden plant for borders and containers.

Availability. At the time of writing the cultivar needs propagation for distribution to the trade.



Nerine bowdenii Ken Hall seedling
No2 'Top Hat'

Trial no. 21 at The Patch

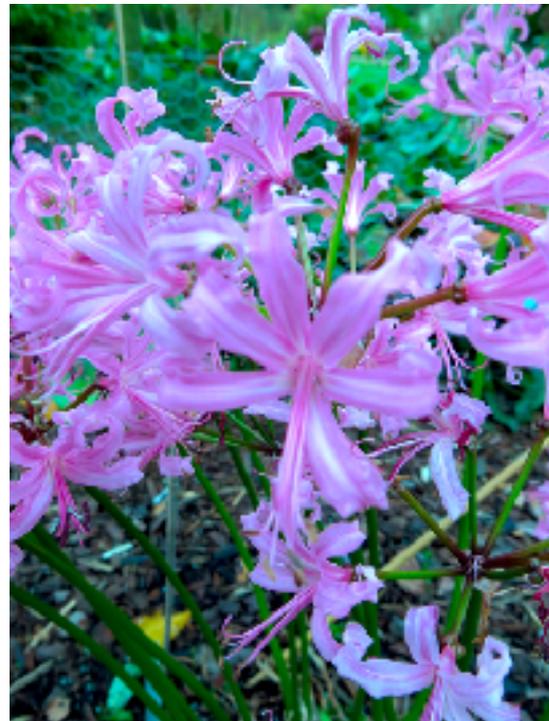
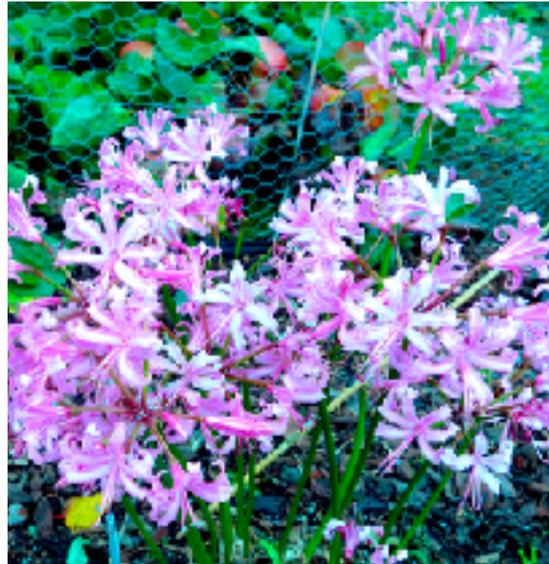
Votes. 7 : 1

Hardiness. H5

Flowers. RHS Colour Chart. N66C

Comments. Fast to bulk. Strong leaves and scapes give this a plant a magnificent, majestic appearance. A long flowering season over eight weeks.

Availability. At the time of writing the cultivar needs propagation for distribution to the trade.



Recommended future actions

The Forum recommended:

- Several cultivars should be sent to a specialist producer in the Netherlands for further trial and possible commercialisation.
- Cultivars that were recommended for AGM but were not yet commercialised should be sent for chipping in the UK and distributed to named nurseries for bulking up and sales.
- Several of the later flowering *Nerine bowdenii* x *undulata* types should have a re-trial in the south, along with two new and distinct cultivars found in the display borders at Bramdean.

Entries – Bramdean (92)

Note no entries for number 52 and 61. No 34 split into 2 as found to be different unnamed cultivars.						
Trial number	Cultivar	Source		Trial number	Cultivar	Source
1	Steve Eyre	Cornwall		16	Quinton Wells	Marina Christopher
2	E.B. Anderson	Victoria Wakefield		17	Regina	Ken Hall
3	Stam 63	Andrew Ward		18	Shelia Owen	Bob Brown
4	East Lambrook Manor	Margaret Owen		19	Ted Allen's Early	Bob Brown
5	Hera	Victoria Wakefield		20	Sofie	Victoria Wakefield
6	Kathleen Pollock	Bob Brown		21	N. undulata Flexuosa Group	Ken Hall
7	Kinn McIntosh	Bob Brown		22	Garden House Giant	Norris via Jim Gardiner
				23	Nerine bowdenii	Malcolm Allison
8	Mark Fenwick	Andrew Eames		24	Vesta	Beeches Nurseries
9	Mark Fenwick	Myra Carmichael		25	Gletsjer	John Amand/William Lockyer
10	Marjorie	Victoria Wakefield/Jim Marshall/Pam Schwerdt		26	Alba	William Lockyer
11	Mollie Cowie	Victoria Wakefield/Bob Brown		27	Washfield form	Victoria Wakefield/Graham Gough
12	Nikita	Andrew Ward		28	Stewart Gilkison	Xa Tollemache / Victoria Wakefield
13	Ostara	Victoria Wakefield/Terry Jones		29	Shardlow Pink	Andrew Eames
14	Patricia	William Lockyer		30	N. bowdenii x sarniensis	Victoria Wakefield/Terry Jones
15	Pink Surprise	Avon Bulbs		31	pink-flowered, spidery form	Victoria Wakefield /Peter Chapell

Entries – Bramdean (cont.)

Note no entries for number 52 and 61. No 34 split into 2 as found to be different unnamed cultivars.						
Trial number	Cultivar	Source		Trial number	Cultivar	Source
32	N. undulata (Flexuosa Group) 'Alba' AGM	Victoria Wakefield / D Montgomery		62	Smee form	RHS
33	Pallida	Victoria Wakefield / Anne Baring		63	Evans Seedling	RHS
34	Wellsii pale form	Victoria Wakefield / Terry Jones		64	Manina	RHS
34A	Wellsii pale form	Victoria Wakefield / Terry Jones		65	Petworth Pale	RHS
34B	Wellsii pale form	Victoria Wakefield / Terry Jones		66	Till	RHS
35	Newington	Chris Lane		67	KH No.5	Ken Hall
36	Mount Stewart	Gary Dunlop		68	KH No.2	Ken Hall
37	Marney Rogerson	Victoria Wakefield / Bob Brown		69	KH No.1	Ken Hall
38	Mark Fenwick	ex Woodside Wisley RHS		70	Stickworth Pattie	Ken Hall
39	Manina	Ken Hall		71	KH No.3	Ken Hall
40	Linda Vista	Rose Clay		72	KH No.4	Ken Hall
41	Isobel	Andrew Ward		73	Blush Desire	RHS
42	Irish clone	Victoria Wakefield / Bob Brown		74	Barnaby Grist	RHS
43	Eric Smith	Bob Brown		75	Siviter Smith	RHS
44	Ella K	Victoria Wakefield		76	Smee seedling	RHS
45	Blanca Perla	Bob Brown		77	Swain	RHS
46	Albivetta	Andrew Ward		78	White Surprise	Avon Bulbs
47	Castlewellan	Graham Gough		79	Robert Smith	Bob Brown
48	Wellsii dark form	Victoria Wakefield/Terry Jones		80	Goodman's Scarlet	RHS
49	Wellsii pale form	Victoria Wakefield/Terry Jones		81	Blush Beauty	RHS
50	Zeal Pink Stripe	Victoria Wakefield		82	Kyre Park	Margaret Owen
51	Wellsii pale, shorter form	Victoria Wakefield/Terry Jones		83	Alba	Gary Dunlop
				84	Nikita	Exbury
53	Cornish Bowden house	John Gallagher		85	Elegance Gem Group	Exbury
54	Alpharet	John Gallagher(ex Smee)		86	Mr John	Exbury
55	Favourite	Walter Blom Plants BV		87	Zeal Giant	Victoria Wakefield /Terry Jones
56	Pink Triumph	Walter Blom Plants BV		88	Nerine bowdenii	Gary Dunlop
57	N. bowdenii	Walter Blom Plants BV		89	Zeal Silver Stripe	Victoria Wakefield/ Terry Jones
58	Alba	Walter Blom Plants BV		90	Zeal Giant	Wakefield
59	N. bowdenii	Walter Blom Plants BV		91	N. undulata Alta Group	Peter Erskine
60	Wellsii pale form			92	N. undulata Flexuosa Group	Peter Chapell

Entries – The Patch (139)

Trial number	Cultivar	Source		Trial number	Cultivar	Source
1	Susan Grayer	RHS Wisley (John David)		27	Zeal Grilse	Barry Ward
2	Stewart Gilkison	Mrs Victoria Wakefield		28	ex Timothy Clarke	Timothy Clarke
3	Glacier	William Lockyer		29	Zeal Salmon	Barry Ward
4	Stefanie	John Amand		30	Tony Norris	Ken Hall
5	Isabel	John Amand		31	Tony Norris seedling No. 1	Ken Hall
6	Nikita	John Amand		32	Tony Norris seedling No. 2	Ken Hall
7	Till	RHS Wisley		33	Tony Norris seedling No. 3	Ken Hall
8	Blush Desire	RHS Wisley		34	Tony Norris seedling No. 4	Ken Hall
9	Barnaby Grist	RHS Wisley		35	Tony Norris seedling No. 5	Ken Hall
10	Petworth Pale	RHS Wisley		36	Tony Norris seedling No. 6	Ken Hall
11	Siviter Smith	RHS Wisley		37	White Frilly	Ken Hall
12	Swain	RHS Wisley		38	Ella K	John Amand
13	ex Terry Jones seedling	Margaret Owen		39	Albivetta	John Amand
14	x Amarine tubergenii 'Zwanenburg'	Margaret Owen		40	Vesta K	John Amand
15	Irish clone	Bob Brown		41	Alba	John Amand
16	ex Ruth Scot	Ruth Scott		42	Patricia	John Amand
17	ex Simon Scott	Simon Scott		43A	Favourite	John Amand
18	ex Rachael Forbes	Rachael Forbes		43B	Favourite	John Amand
19 three different types	Angel's Tears A	Ken Hall		44	Ostara	John Amand
	Angel's Tears B	Ken Hall		45	Smee seedling	RHS Wisley no 7
	Angel's Tears C	Ken Hall		46	Smee form	RHS Wisley no 9
20	Ken Hall Seedling No 1, same as 122	Ken Hall		47	GD Exp No 1	Gary Dunlop
21	Ken Hall Seedling No 2, same as no 123	Ken Hall		48	GD Exp No 2	Gary Dunlop
22	Jim Jam	Ken Hall		49	Promivetta	Rod Leeds
22 A	Jim Jam	Ken Hall		50	Praecox	Rod Leeds
22 B	Jim Jam	Ken Hall		51	John Morley	Rod Leeds
23	Ella K	Ken Hall		52	Isabel	Richard Hobbs
24	Dutch Pink	Rougham Hall		53	Garden House Giant	Jim Gardiner
25	ex Myra Carmichael	Myra Carmichael		54	Stefanie	Richard Hobbs
26	ex Richards Hobbs	Richard Hobbs		55	Tess Allen	Ted Allen

Entries – The Patch (cont.)

Trial number	Cultivar	Source		Trial number	Cultivar	Source
56	Ted Allen No 2	Ted Allen		85	Castlewellan	Gary Dunlop
57	Regina	Andrew Eames		86	platypetala	Tom Mitchell
58	Praecox	S. Kreutzberger		87	Evans Seedling	Wisley
59	Marjorie	S Kreutzberger		88	Margery Fish	Margery Fish
60	Nikita	Mere Park Plant Centre		89	from East Lambrook Manor	Margery Fish
61	Pink Surprise	Avon Bulbs		90	Alba	Margery Fish
62	Zeal Silver Stripe	Terry Jones		91	Mrs Jebb	Eglantyne Jebb
63	TJ Exp No 1	Terry Jones		92	Fenwick's var = Mark Fenwick	John Amand
64	TJ Exp No 2	Terry Jones		93	Mount Stewart	Bridgemere
65	Shelia Owen	Plant Exchange		94	Exp No 1 late flowering	Joyce Heywood
66	ex RBGE	Royal Botanic Garden Edinburgh		95	Quinton Wells	Green Farm Plants
67	Mrs French	Mrs French Coltishall		96	Exp No 1 (Not Pink Triumph)	Myra Carmichael
68	Zeal Giant	Alex Wolkonsky		97	Douglas Blue	Myra Carmichael
69	Eric Smith	Marchants		98	Blush White	Myra Carmichael
70	Lord Grenfell	Myra Carmichael		99	bowdenii	RHS Wisley
71	Manina	Myra Carmichael		100 A 2 at back	Nerine undulata	Bob Brown
72	Marney Rogerson	Myra Carmichael		100 B one at front	Nerine undulata	Bob Brown
73	Stefanie	Bridgemere		101	Mollie Cowie (v)	Crug Farm Plants
74	E.B. Anderson	E B Anderson		102	from RHS	RHS Wisley
75	N. undulata Flexuosa Group	Ray Cobb		103	John Crisp	Bob Brown
76 A back 2	Manina	Tony Norris		104	Pink Frostwork	Bob Brown
76 B front left	Manina	Tony Norris		105	Irish clone	Mary Keane ex Bob Brown
77	Kathleen Pollock	Simon Savage		106	Blanca Perla	Bob Brown
78	Stewart Gilkison	Richard Blakeway-Phillips		107	Mark Fenwick	Bob Brown
79	Richard Blakeway-Phillips	Richard Blakeway-Phillips		108	Elegance	Nicolas Rothschild
80	Codora	Dutch RHS Show Choice		109	Mr John	Nicolas Rothschild
81	Exp No 3	Gary Dunlop		110	Gletsjer	Dutch
82	Exp No 4	Gary Dunlop		111	Zeal Giant	Alex Wolkonsky
82B	Exp No 4	Gary Dunlop		112	ex Gary Dunlop Exp No 3	Gary Dunlop
83	Sheila Owen	Sheila Owen		113	Ostara	Bob Brown
84	Mrs Dent Brocklehurst	Keith Ferguson		114	ex Gary Dunlop Exp No 4 see 82 and 113	Gary Dunlop

Entries – The Patch (cont.)

Trial number	Cultivar	Source	Trial number	Cultivar	Source
115	Linda Vista	Bob Brown ex Rose Clay	127B	Tony Norris No 4	Ken Hall
116	ex Andy	Andrew Lanoe	128	Manina	Norris - Chips
117	Kyre Park	Mr Martin Rickard	129	Stickworth Pattie	Ken Hall
118	Shardlow Alba	Andrew Eames	130	Nerine alta	From Lily bulb exchange Nuala Sterling
119	ex Drusilla Hayes	Drusilla Hayes	131	Nerine bowdenii	Gary Dunlop
120	Nerine bowdenii	Norris seedling Ex Ken Hall	132	Sophie	Stuart Donachie
121	Patrica	Hagley Hall EX Dutch	133	Sophie	Dutch
122	Tony Norris No 1	Ken Hall Norris seedling as sent to VW 1	134	Obtained from Reading University	ex Malcolm Allison
123	Tony Norris No 2	Ken Hall Norris seedling as sent to VW 2	135	Nerine bowdenii	ex Celia Jones Condoover
124	Tony Norris No 3	Ken Hall Norris seedling as sent to VW 3	136	Zeal Purple Stripe	Matt Bishop
125	Tony Norris No 5	Ken Hall Norris seedling also sent to VW	137	Wellsii pale form	
126A	MO selection ex Ken Hall ex Norris	Ken Hall	138	Cornish Bowden	Steve Eyres
126	MO selection ex Ken Hall ex Norris	Ken Hall	139	Cornish Bowden	Hayloft Plants
127A	Tony Norris No 4	Ken Hall			

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