

# Bundaberg Orchid Society Inc.

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## Newsletter

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Meetings are held at 7.30 pm on the third THURSDAY of each month at the Avenell Heights Hall, Thabeban Street.

**Visitors and past members are especially welcome to attend.**

### **Date Claimers**

**New and Interested Growers meeting 5<sup>th</sup> June: Col and Eva Linderberg's 19 Hargraves Street. 10am for a Barbeque. Please bring a sweet, chairs and your cutlery.**

**Diamond Festival Bus Trip: Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> June. Bus will depart at **5am** from Verdant Siding – Bundaberg Coaches. Please bring \$5.00 to be collected on the bus. Entry to the Show will paid in bulk.**

**There is still room on the bus for anyone wishing to go. Please add your name to the list. Booking list is at entry table of meeting.**

**Boyne/Tannum Show 21<sup>st</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> May. Names should be into Barry Barnes by now. Bob Shield will take the plants to Boyne for those who are not going, they need to be at his place by 11.30am Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May ie tomorrow.**

**Meeting Duty Roster: May: B Group June: C Group July: A Group**

**Bulk Booklet Orders and/or Enquires: [jbhughes4@bigpond.com](mailto:jbhughes4@bigpond.com) Ph. 4153 6971**

**The Club merchandise is available only to BOSI members not the public.**

Please phone Bev on 41593291 to arrange a suitable time for you to collect any merchandise you require for your Orchid Potting.



**Month: April**

**Raffle winners:** 1<sup>st</sup> Prize: Leith Schouten

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize :Col Linderberg

**Lucky Door: Lyn Mellefont**

**Exhibitors Prize: C. & I. Neilsen**

## **NEW MEMBERS**

We welcome the following new members to the Club. Please make them welcome. May your orchid growing develop along with friendships within our club.

Lorraine Palmer

Delphine Sauer

John and Ilonka Beveridge

Yvonne and Helena Brabet

Michelle Hansen

Merrilyn Wilschefski

Monthly Topic: Spatularta Dens

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Our show was held over the weekend of 6,7 and 8<sup>th</sup> May. The show drew a crowd of over 2,100. Saturday was the day of greatest attendance, with some 800 plus people passing through the doors. The potting demonstrations were well received and the commercial growers were satisfied with their sales. Those working the refreshments were run off their feet. The committee wishes to thank all the members and friends who helped setting up, running the show and putting things away when the show was finished. Without these dedicated volunteers a show of this magnitude could not be achieved. THANK YOU to you all.

The standard of plants was high and in spite of concerns about a possible shortage of blooms on the day, there were plenty to complete the displays.

## Grand Champion



Den. Johulatum  
J & B Hughes

## Reserve Champion



*Paph. chamberlainianum*  
T. Bade

## April Popular Vote Results

### Any Other & Judges Choice



**Fdk. 'After Dark'**  
**R & B Emmerson**

### Novice



**Rlc. Hawain Star 'Hsingying'**  
**R Whitney**

### Species



**Bolb. Pulehrum**  
**A & B Heike**

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0422184240  
Terry Webb 412946603

Servicing Bundaberg & Surrounds

## Vanda



**Vanda Rads. Bangkok Sunset**  
**'Bright & Spicy'**  
**R & B Stillman**



## Cattleya



**Crb's. Nice Spots**  
**A & B Heidke**

## Dendrobium



Den. Jacquelyn Concert  
C Trudgian



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