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Newsletter

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We are currently holding our New and Interested Growers Group Meetings, and our Monthly Meetings. The Secretary will advise if the situation changes.

Orchid News for Meetings

The **next NIGG Meeting** will be held on 5 June 2022 at Col and Eva Linderberg's place. Their address will be sent by separate email. There will be a BBQ Sausage Sizzle provided and a raffle; members can bring plants for sale.

Please Park in the council park opposite to Col and Eva's residence.

Feel free to bring an Orchid plant/s along to talk about, seek advice or merely have the opportunity to share your success. Everyone loves an Orchid. Our next **Monthly Meeting** is 16 June 2022. We will be having supper with Tea, Coffee and Biscuits will also be provided.

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

Please phone Bev on **0427 667 706** or Email <u>aheidke@bigpond.com</u> to arrange a suitable time for you to collect any merchandise you require for your Orchid Potting. If you want to collect Items from Bev at the monthly meetings please let her know a few days prior of what you need. Please do not ask for more than what you have ordered when collecting your items as this places our magnificent merchandising lady in an awkward position. Also if you call use her mobile number above, not the home phone.

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BOSI MOTHERS DAY WEEKEND SHOW NEWS

Our annual show from 6-8 May 2022 at the Bundaberg Civic Centre was a great success with just over 2,000 people attending. This is a little down on last year's attendance, however at that time people were desperate to get out of the house and do something due to COVID Restrictions and our extra efforts to be COVID Compliant was rewarded with a record attendance in 2021. The numbers this year were more in tune with our normal attendance figures.

A big thank you to our sister Societies Hervey Bay, Maryborough, Childers, Agnes Water and Calliope Orchid Society's for participating in our show.

We have 22 most welcome visitors attending from the Redcliffe Orchid Society.

We had may complements on how we displayed our orchids and benching with suitable backdrops are the way of the future.

BOSI MOTHERS DAY WEEKEND SHOW NEWS Continued

A big thank you also to the Committee and Members who Volunteered to help out at the show. as this show ran like clockwork with very few wrinkles to iron out for next year. Bethel Hughes also did another stellar job with the Flower Posies that sold like hotcakes and was at times difficult to keep pace with the sales.

Members, please note that next year is our **50**th **Anniversary** so let the **good ideas fairy** visit and let the Secretary know if you come up with a cunning idea to commemorate our 50th.

Bus Trip Update

Our next bus trip is on 9-10 July 2022. The cost per couple is \$185 and this covers accommodation, entry to the Nambour Garden Spectacular, lunch on Sunday and the bus ride throughout the weekend. All other meals are at own expense. Breakfast options are, bring your own, or short walk to a nearby café. Please advise Carolyn Nielson if you plan to use the café option so that she can give numbers to the Café as they usually do not open on a Sunday. We will also visit Robinson's orchid nursery on Sunday morning. Payment can be paid by EFT to our bank account and make sure you put your **name and bus trip** in the reference area.

The plan is to leave Bundaberg Coaches Depot at 20 Verdant Siding Road Thabeban at 6.15am. You can leave your car at the depot. The depot is fairly secure but they take no responsibility for your vehicle. Plan to be at the depot by 6am.

WINNERS ARE GRINNERS SO HERE ARE SOME PHOTOS OF THE WINNERS AT OUR SHOW



Champion Orchid of the Show

Paph. Angel Hair - T & C BADE Sponsored by Takalvans Bundaberg



Reserve Champion Orchid

Den. Tommy – B & A HEIDKE Sponsored by Takalvans Bundaberg



Specimen Plant

Den. Bundy's Class J & B HUGHES Sponsored by Ergon Energy



Champion Species STOC Q Trophy

Zel. onusta J & N MAUGHAN Sponsored by AUSWIDE BANK



Class 2 – Cattleya – Sponsored by Auswide Bank



Class 3 – Cattleya – Sponsored by Auswide Bank





Class 5 – Cattleya – Sponsored by Auswide Bank

Class 4 – Cattleya – Sponsored by Auswide Bank



Class 13 - Dendrobium - Sponsored by Takalvans



Class 15 – Dendrobium – Sponsored by Red Rooster





Class 30-31 – Vanda – Sponsored by Hervey Bay Orchid House

Class 25 - Oncidium - Sponsored by North Bundy Vet Clinic

OUR WONDERFUL SPONSORS BOARD/ BANNERS



OUR MAGNIFICENT VOLUNTEERS



BOSI Orchid Sales Area



Posy making ladies hard at work

Front Entry, Raffles Sales and Posy Sales



Show Photo Opportunity Spot featuring John Hughes Awesome Champion Speciment Winning Dendrobium

THE PRESENTATIONS





Champion Orchid Presentation by Braden Krebs from Takalvans to Terry Bade from Hervey Bay



Campion Species Winner Presentation by Councillor Tracey McPhee representing Bundaberg Regional Council (BRC) Mayor to John Maughan Bundaberg Orchid Society Patron

Reserve Champion Orchid Presentation by Braden Krebs from Takalvans to Bev Heidke from Bundaberg



The Ray Heidrich Memorial Trophy Winner Presentation by Councillor Tracey McPhee representing BRC Mayor to Rick Emmerson from Bundaberg



Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 Winner Presentation by Councillor Tracey McPhee Sponsor representing BRC Mayor to John Hughes from Bundaberg



Class 41 and 42 Novice Winner Presentation by Councillor Tracey McPhee representing BRC Mayor to Andrew Straume from Bundaberg

MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING 19 MAY 2022

Our recent Monthly General Meeting was well attended with 42 people in attendance. We also handed out a one more of our 'Grower of the Year' Competition Orchids.

Alwyn Heidke gave a very informative presentation on orchid funguses and how to prevent/get rid of them.

We also had new members in attendance being Raymond and Georgina Schloss. We also welcome some other new members who did not attend this meeting being Doris Beal, Desley Stevenson, James and Toni-Maree Kaminski. This brings our current membership to 146 wonderful orchid lovers

MONTHLY MEETING ORCHID COMPETITION WINNERS



Cattleya and Champion Orchid

Rlc Dream Trader

R & B Emmerson

Vanda Winner Phal Blue Jay D & B Shield





Any Other Winner Brsdm. Wild Warrior 'Chieftain' B & D Shield



Dendrobium Winner Den. Majestic A& B Heidke



Species Winner Tuberolabium Kotease D & B Shield



Novice Winner Rlc. Mem. Robert Strait 'Islander Delights' D & D Searle

BELOW ARE THE LOGOS OF OUR MAGNIFICENT SPONSORS and WHAT THEY SPONSORED AT OUR SHOW





Sponsored the daily Raffles



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Caravans • Spares • Repairs

Sponsored Champion and Reserve Champion Orchids



Sponsored Champion Species, QOS Medallion, Cattleya Classes 1-9



Sponsored the Major Raffle



The Wolds best Shower Chair System – Eliminates the need for bathroom Mods Sponsored Bulbophyllum – Species and Australian Native Orchids Classes 34-36



REGIONAL COUNCIL





Sponsored Oncidium Classes 24-25

NATURE

JUST GOT

BEITER

Sponsored Cattleya Classes 10-11 and Dendrobiums Class 12



Sponsored Species Other Genera and Other Hybrid Classes 38-39 **Sponsored Oncidium Classes 26-27**



HOLDEN MITSUBISHI MAZDA USED CARS SERVICE & PARTS



Sponsored Vanda Classes 28-31



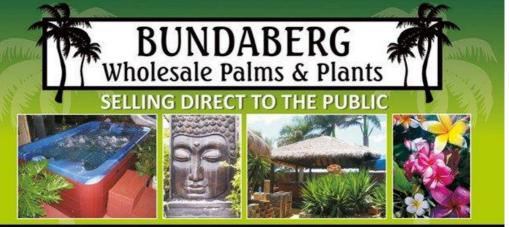


Sponsored Dendrobiums Class 15

Sponsored the daily Raffles



Sponsored the Major Raffle



26 KLEINS ROAD - TURN AT WOONGARRA SCHOOL - BACK 500M

Sponsored the daily Raffles



Sponsored Dendrobiums Classes 16-18



Proudly owned by

Sponsored the Major Raffle



Sponsored Dendrobiums Class 20



Sponsored the Champion Specimen Orchid

Part of Energy Queensland



Sponsored the daily Raffles



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