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Orchid News for Meetings

The next **NIGG Meeting** will be held on 4 June 2023 at Dale and Diana Searle's place. Their address will be sent by separate email. Members can bring plants for sale and a plate along to supplement the biscuits that are supplied for morning tea, if you feel like contributing to the day with some of your awesome home cooking. **There will be a BBQ at this meeting.** Remember also to bring a chair and a hat and of course your sense of humour. Our next **Monthly Meeting** is 15 June 2023. There is no obligation to bring a plate, for this and the rest of these meetings in 2023, however if you feel the need to bring a plate you may do so. Tea, Coffee, and Biscuits will be provided.

Our 50th Anniversary Function will be a Luncheon at Rowers on the River on Saturday 22 July. The cost is \$30 and the lunch commences from 11:30am. It has been confirmed that our end of year **Christmas Party** will be a dinner at Rowers on the River on Friday evening 24 November 2023.

MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING

25 May 2023

Our **Monthly Meeting** for May was reasonably well attended by 41 members. We also signed a new member, Sharen Chapman. We also have welcomed 9 new members who signed up at or Show 12-14 May; being Beverly Collins, Sue Bundesen, Margaret Redman, Mary McGibbon, Florence Meiers, Garth Dale, Lyn Dale, Derek Lidstone, Michelle Lidstone.

OUR 50th GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY SHOW

12-14 MAY 2023

Our 50th Anniversary Show was well attended by more than 2,500 visitors. It was a very successful show with many exhibitors and record sponsorship from our magnificent sponsors whose logos appear that the end of this Newsletter. A big **THANK YOU** to all our members who volunteered and did a magnificent job of making this a very successful show.

Also, a really big **THANK YOU** to all our very generous sponsors - all 36 of you. Our Major Sponsor was the Bundaberg Regional Council who waived \$2,000 of Civic Centre Hire Fees for the four days, that we used to set up and run this show.

Well done to our local sister clubs that supported us with many exceptional Orchids, that also helped make this a very successful show.

A big thank you to our food vendors that supported our patrons being the German Sausage Wagon, Deldora Delights, Twist n Shake and Cruz n Brew. We must not forget our Orchid Vendors who so ably support us each year being Alice's Orchids, MnS Orchids, Woolf Orchid Culture, Orchidaceous Supplies, Foliage Plus, Pacific Beach Orchids and Hughes Cattleyas – Thank You team.

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

Please phone Bev on **0427 667 706** or Email aheidke@bigpond.com 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. **If you require Unusal/Special Pots please buy them at the show from Orchidaceous as Bev does not stock these pots.**

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50th GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY MOTHERS DAY ORCHID SHOW

12 - 14 MAY 2023



**Champion Orchid Winner J & N Hoffmann from
Maryborough – Presented by Alan from Aim Hearing**



**Den. Fraser's Mem. Barry
Hosking**

J & N Hoffmann



Reserve Champion Orchid Winner J & B Hughes from Bundaberg – Presented by Merrilyn from Cruz the Bakehouse



**Rth. Dal's Emeror
J & B Hughes**



**Champion Species Orchid Winner J Scott from Bundaberg
Presented by Trudy from Bank of Queensland**



Aer. quinquevulnera

J Scott



**Specimen Orchid Winner D McKenna from Hervey Bay
Presented by Trudy from Bank of Queensland**



**Ddc.
pangasinanense
'Jemima'
D McKenna**



**Winner QOS Medallion
For the Plant Displaying
Special Characteristics
Presented by our
Mayor Jack Dempsey
K Lydiate**



**Winner Ray Heidrich
Memorial Trophy
Best Vandaceous
orchid exhibited by a
Bundaberg Grower
Presented by our
Mayor Jack Dempsey
R & B Emmerson**



**Our Golden
'Photo Opportunity - Show Chair'
Most of these lovely Golden
Orchids were grown by the
subjects in the chair
Col and Eva Linderberg
well done Col and Eva**



Our Very Industrious Plant Sales Gangsters



**The Head Honcho of our
Flower Posy Making Team
Bethel (Don't Mess with me)
Hughes**



Some of our many Winning Orchids





Our well decorated Champions Table



**The First Impression when one entered the show
Decorations courtesy of Karen Honey, Bev Heidke, Carolyn
Smith and their wonderful team of helpers
Well Done Ladies**

MONTHLY MEETING
ORCHID COMPETITION WINNERS
25 MAY 2023



**Cattleya Winner &
Judges Choice**
C. Rosella Jewel
R & B Emmerson



**Cattleya Popular Vote
Winner**
Vkt. Bay Sunrise
D & D Searle



Dendrobium & **Popular Vote Winner**

Den. Gloucester Sands

M & C Smith



Any Other Winner and
Popular Vote Winner

Brsdm. Golden Gamine

M & C Smith



Vanda Winner and Popular Vote Winner

V. Ann Hayes
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Species Winner
L. Anceps
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Species Popular Vote Winner

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