



COFFS HARBOUR ORCHID SOCIETY

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COFFS ORCHID NEWS – JUNE 2015

GENERAL MEETING & ORCHID COMPETITION

1st THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 7.00 for 7.30 PM, UNLESS OTHERWISE ANNOUNCED, at NORTH COAST REGIONAL BOTANIC GARDENS, HARDACRE STREET, COFFS HARBOUR.

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1. CALENDAR

16/17 May	Coffs Harbour Show
4 June	Meeting – growing orchids
2 July	Brian Moore – Oncidiinae orchids
4 July	Bus Trip to Tinonee Open Day

2. JUNE MEETING TOPIC

This will be a general talk about growing orchids. People will be encouraged to share their successes and failures – what worked and what didn't? Please bring along any unhappy looking plants and see what suggestions members can make about how to grow them better. And be ready to ask any question you have about growing orchids.

3. AGENDA for JUNE GENERAL MEETING

Judges – Barbara Pearce, Jennifer Lock

Welcome, Apologies, Visitors, New members

Minutes of April meeting – as printed in newsletter

Inwards Correspondence

1. .

Outwards Correspondence

- 1.

Finance Report – For Autumn Show printed in newsletter

Sponsors Spot – Mangrove Jacks.

Table talk. – Steve Clemesha.

General business

1. Bus trip to Tinonee – plans

Raffle, popular vote.

4. MINUTES of MAY MEETING

Apologies: B Forsyth, G & D Small, H Siever, K Cowling, Pat King.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: as per Newsletter. Moved: Gary 2nd: Peter

Correspondence: Mingara Orchid Fair /Bills.

Finances: Moved: Bob 2nd: Sue. Prelim small profit from show final breakdown later.

Sponsors Spot: Coffs Harbour Produce June St.

General Business:

- Visit to Tinonee Orchids. Anyone interested. Committee will discuss on Tuesday.
- Autumn Show. Beautiful weather, lots of people, great comments. Thanks to all who helped out over the 3 days.
- Coffs Harbour Show Display. Need to have orchids to share and supervise. There is a roster. Please feel free to fill the gaps. Plants in from 1pm Friday. Collect on Sunday after 3:30pm.
- Price list from Tinonee. Mainly cats available.

Popular Vote: Dick Cooper

Raffle: P Baker, J Wong, T Denison.

5. BUS TRIP.

Since there are enough people who are interested in a bus trip to Tinonee for their Open Day on 4th July we will hire a bus to for the day. There will be several guest speakers on a range of orchid growing topics, a free BBQ lunch and the opportunity to go through the nursery and buy some plants.

The society will subsidise \$20+ of the cost of the bus so we will charge \$30 per person for the trip. Bruce Hall will be collecting money so see Bruce asap with your \$30.

We are planning to leave Coffs Harbour at about 8 am to get to Tinonee, near Taree, in time to get there for the speakers.

Other arrangements will be confirmed in June.

6. GROWING ORCHIDS on TREES

Steve Clemesha -

- Not all trees are suitable.
- Anything with rough bark. Iron Bark, Bottlebrush, Frangipanis.
- Tie the orchids on with string so that by the time string rots the orchids will attach,
- Cymbidiums are not all that suitable
- Natives adapt well to trees.
- Evergreens are the best as they provide shade.
- Water every day in the morning as they dry out quickly.
- Cats will grow on bottlebrush.
- Vandas are also suitable. Cooler growing ones.
- Soft cane dendrobiums grow better on trees than in shade houses.
- Can use tree ferns.
- Spring and summer is the best time to put on the tree.
- Fertiliser... don't worry.
- Insecticide not really necessary. Maybe some dendrobium beetle, so carbaryl needed.

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2015 AUTUMN SHOW

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

REF NO.	<u>INCOME</u>		<u>EXPENDITURE</u>			<u>COMMENTS</u>
	DETAILS	RECEIPT \$	DETAILS	CHEQUE	\$	
1	Float	\$ 305.00				Sales, Raffle, Catering
2	Raffle	\$ 516.45	Purchase raffle plants	346	\$ 40.00	B Moore
3	Donations	\$ 376.40				
4	Plant/Other Sales	\$ 2,555.70				
5			Poster Printing	337	\$ 60.00	Pepper Print
6			Main Sign Work to Gardens	339	\$ 35.00	Stickerman
7			Float	343 P	\$ 305.00	Sales,Raffle.
8			Judges expenses	343 P	\$ 40.00	Cash
9			Food Supplies (Judges)	344	\$ 35.90	S. Williams.
10	Refund on prizes/Judges allow.	\$ 285.00	Prizes (Cash)	343 P	\$ 600.00	Cash
11			Ribbons (Prizes)	338	\$ 301.40	Wool.S/Prints
12			Trophies (prizes)	350	\$ 155.00	Gregs Trophies
13			Sundry costs	340/342	\$ 75.01	B.Fox/B.Southwell
14			Cost of Sales (plants)	Various	\$ 2,125.00	Members supplied
<u>TOTAL INCOME/EXPENDITURE</u>		\$ 4,038.55			\$ 3,772.31	
<u>PROFIT/LOSS</u>		\$ 266.24				

NOTES:

At the below date the above figures for income/expenditure are correct with the following known exceptions:

Hall hire \$ 105.00

ITEM 12 The cost of show ribbons include ribbons for the Spring Show.

HALL.B.G

Hon.Treasurer CHOS

6/5/2015.

Total Plant/Other Sales \$2500, with 222 plants sold.

Member Name	Laeliinae Exhibition Hybrid over 100mm	Laeliinae Intermediate Hybrid 60 to 100mm	Laeliinae Novelty Hybrid spotted flower non exhibition	Laeliinae Species	Paph and Allied Species	Oncidiinae Hybrids between 25 to 65 mm	Oncidiinae Hybrids over 65mm	Tolumnia (equitant Oncidiums)
Class	4	5	8	9	12	14	15	16
BAKER								3
BLAY					3	2		
D COOPER	5					3		
DAVIS								
B PEARCE			3					
E PEARCE							3	
S-R-KING		3					2	
SIDEBOTTOM		2		3				
No Name								

Member Name	Vandaceous Hybrid under 60mm	Phalaenopsis Hybrid Under 60 mm	Dendrobium Hardcane Hybrid Non Native	Dendrobium AOV Hybrid Non Native	A.O.V Species Non Native	Australian Native Hybrid inc Dendrobium	AOV Hybrid over 50mm	AOV species under 50mm
Class	18	20	23	24	25	26	31	32
BAKER			3		3	3		5
BLAY								
D COOPER								
DAVIS							3	
B PEARCE								
E PEARCE				3				
S-R-KING		3						
SIDEBOTTOM								
No Name	2	2				2		