



COFFS HARBOUR ORCHID SOCIETY

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COFFS ORCHID NEWS – JUNE 2016

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

- 2 Jun General Meeting – Sharing
9 Jul Bus trip – Tinonee Orchids

2. JUNE MEETING

Our June meeting will be a chance for people to talk about orchids and ask questions. What is working well for you? What problems are you having? It will be a time when we can help each other. You might like to bring along a plant that you would like to ask about.

3. AGENDA for JUNE MEETING

Judges - Bob Southwell, Brenda Mayled.

Welcome, Apologies, Visitors., New Members

Minutes of April meeting – as printed in newsletter

Committee Meeting – newsletter

Inwards Correspondence

1.

Outwards Correspondence

1.

Finance Report –

Sponsor's Spot.

Growing Competition. **REMEMBER to BRING YOUR PLANTS**

General business

1. Bus trip

Raffle, popular vote.

4. BUS TRIP

On Saturday 9th July we will again be doing our bus trip to Tinonee Orchids Open Day. We leave from the Botanic gardens car park at 8 am sharp to drive to Tinonee, and we get back at about 5.30

At the Open Day there is an orchid show, several talks from experts on a variety of topics and of course there is a plant sale.

For those who haven't been to an orchid nursery before it's a good opportunity to a large nursery in operation.

The cost will be \$20 each, and we will collect names at the June meeting. If you would like to go, but won't be at our June meeting please contact Bronwen or me (numbers on front page of newsletter)



5. MINUTES of MAY MEETING

Apologies: K Cowling, J Wong, B Forsyth, R McKay, Jean & Lina Ataweel. G & P Baillie, J Sidebottom.

New Members: Dianne Wilson, Trevor Bissett.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: as per Newsletter.
Moved: Steve 2nd: Sue

Correspondence: In: 2AirFM Newsletter, Orchids Australia Magazine.

Finances: Report in Newsletter. Moved: Sue 2nd: Judith

General Business:

- Show. Thanks to everyone who helped out. Lots more plants than last year.
- Thanks to everyone who helped out at Ag Show.

Popular Vote: B Southwell (Brassidium), D Blay (Psychopsis).

Raffle: Colleen, Brian, Barb, Pam.

Growing Competition: Noelene and Trevor

Guest Speaker: Neville Anderson.

6. NEVILLE ANDERSON'S TALK

- Spoke about Psychopsis
- Bulbophyllums grow well in this area.
- Neville's turning point was when a man came to the door and asked about growing orchids. He had some under the tank stand in jam tins stuffed full of dirt.
- Keith Maxwell was a great scientist and was working with kingianums.
- Showed him where the kingianums were at Moonee.
- If grown on a rock grow it in bark and charcoal. If it grows on a tree tie it to a paper bark limb.
- 1960 CH Horticulture and Orchid Group met in CWA Hall
- Orchids split off and met in Presb. Hall because they had more numbers.
- Still grows natives and is especially interested in species.
- Mentioned many early growers and members of the early society who were free with help and advice.
- Spirited debates with father especially re the use of charcoal.
- Keith introduced fertilizer to orchids and began a move to bring scientists to orchid growers.
- 1981 Symposium first of its kind. Chinese scientist... "Confucius says Orchid grows in the valley and if not appreciated by man will wither and die."
- Natives in CH district.....100 different native orchids from Bellinger River to Clarence River.
- We have the biggest and the smallest orchids in the world.
- Dendrobium kingianum is the flower of the CHOS.
- In evolutionary terms kingianum is a new species from 2 extinct parents.
- The only kingianums that are perfumed are in CH district.

- Magnificent plant that has infinite variety.
- **Significant plants that we should grow:** D. moschatum, Coelogyne flaccida, L Anceps, Dendrochillum cobbianum, Zygopetalum mackayi, Paph insigne, Phalaenopsis lueddemanniana, D fimbriatum, Stanhopea negroviolacea, any Bulbophyllum, C Little Suzy.

Thanks Neville for a very interesting talk.

7. 2016 AUTUMN SHOW RESULTS

Thanks to everyone who helped in any way with the success of our Autumn Show.

And congratulations to Gordon Clarke, Brian Newman and Bill and Jenny Lennon on winning the Grand Champion, Reserve Champion and Champion Specimen awards at the show



Grand Champion **G. Clark**

Reserve Champion **B Hall**

Champion Specimen **B&J Lennon**

Section A – Cymbidium

1. 90mm and over
No entry
2. 60 to 90mm
1st B. Moore
3. Less than 60mm
1st E. Pearce
2nd B. Southwell



Champion Cymbidium B. Moore

Section B – Laeliinae

1. 100mm and over
 - 1st B&J Lennon
 - 2nd R. Smith and I. Williams
2. 60 mm to 100mm
 - 1st R. Smith and I. Williams
 - 2nd B&J Lennon
3. Under 60 mm
 - 1st B&J Lennon
 - 2nd B&J Lennon
4. Cluster hybrid
 - 1st H. Seiver
 - 2nd R. Smith and I. Williams
5. Novelty
 - 1st R. Smith and I. Williams
 - 2nd B&J Lennon

Champion Laeliinae B&J Lennon

Section C – Phalaenopsis

1. White over 75mm
 - 1st B&J Lennon
2. Pink/Purple over 75mm
 - 1st G. Clarke
 - 2nd G. Clarke
3. Any other colour over 75mm
 - 1st G. Clarke
4. 50-75 mm

No entry
5. Under 50 mm

No entry

Champion Phalaenopsis G. Clarke

Section D – Vandaceous

1. Over 60 mm
 - 1st R. Smith and I. Williams
 - 2nd B&J Lennon
2. 60mm and under
 - 1st B. Hall
 - 2nd R. Smith and I. Williams

Champion Vandaceous R. Smith and I. Williams

Section E – Paphiopedilum



1. Standard

No entry
2. Maudiae type
 - 1st B. Hall
 - 2nd M. MacKay
3. Multifloral

No entry
4. Phragmipedium

No entry

Champion Paphiopedilum B. Hall

Section F – Dendrobium (not native)

1. Hard cane over 50 mm
 - 1st B. Newman
 - 2nd R. Smith and I. Williams
2. Hard cane under 50 mm
 - 1st M. Ashcroft
 - 2nd B Hall
3. Spatulata
 - 1st G. Clarke
 - 2nd B. Newman
4. Any other Dendrobium
 - 1st E. Pearce

Champion Dendrobium R&B Cooper

Section G – Oncidiinae alliance



1. Hybrid under 25 mm
1st R. Smith and I. Williams
2nd B&J Lennon
2. Hybrid 25 – 65 mm
1st D. Blay
2nd B. Fox
3. Hybrid over 65 mm
1st D. Blay
2nd B. Southwell
4. Tolumnia
No entry

Champion Oncidium R. Smith and I. Williams

Section H – Australian Native Hybrid

1. Dendrobium
1st B Moore
2nd B. Hall

Champion Australian Native B Moore

Section I – AOV hybrid



1. Any Other Variety Hybrid under 50 mm
1st E. Pearce
2nd E. Pearce
2. Any other variety hybrid over 50 mm
1st E. Pearce
2nd B. Moore
3. Bulbophyllum
1st S. Williams
2nd S. Williams
4. Zygopetalum
1st B. Moore
2nd B. Moore

Champion AOV S Williams

Section J – Species

1. Cymbidium
1st B&J Lennon
2. Laeliinae
1st P. Baker
2nd B. Hall
3. Phalaenopsis
No entry
4. Vandaceous
1st M. Ashcroft
2nd R. Smith and I. Williams
5. Paphiopedilum
1st R. Smith and I. Williams
2nd M McKay
6. Dendrobium not native
No entry
7. Oncidium Alliance
1st D. Blay
2nd B. Fox
8. Australian native – not Dendrobium
No entry
9. Australian native Dendrobium
1st B&J Lennon
10. Any other variety – not Australian native
1st B&J Lennon
2nd B&J Lennon

Champion Species B&J Lennon

Section K – First Flowered Seedling

- 1st B Moore

Section L – Novice

- 1st R. Scott



8. COMMITTEE REPORT

At the committee meeting following the May general meeting we reviewed the Autumn Show and also talked about the growing competition. There are reports on these two matters elsewhere in the newsletter

9. GROWING COMPETITION

We had a good start to our growing competition, and congratulations to Noelene and Trevor for being judged as the best seedlings so far.

Remember to bring your plants along to the meeting. Each plant at the meeting will receive a point and the best plant will get an extra 2 points with runner-up receiving 1 extra point.

10. DATES for 2016

Our meeting and show dates for 2016 have been provided by the Botanic Gardens.

2 Jun	Sharing Meeting
9 Jul	Bus trip to Tinonee Open Day
14 Jul	Plant Auction
4 Aug	Dennis Sinclair - Sarcochilus
1 Sep	
9, 10, 11 Sept	Orchid Show
13 Oct	Bill Lennon – Soft cane Dens
3 Nov	
1 Dec	Christmas Dinner

May

Member Name	Miniature Cymbidium Hybrid Under 60mm	Laeliinae Exhibition Hybrid over 100mm	Laeliinae Intermediate Hybrid 60 to 100mm	Laeliinae Miniature Hybrid under 60mm	Laeliinae Cluster Hybrid (min 5 flowers)	Laeliinae Novelty Hybrid spotted flower non exhibition	Laeliinae Species	Novelty Paph & allied Hybrids	Oncidiinae Hybrids under 25mm
Class	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	11	13
CLEMESHA				3	3				
HALL B						3	2	3	3
PEARCE B			3	2					
SOUTHWELL	3						3		

Member Name	Oncidiinae Hybrids between 25 to 65 mm	Oncidiinae Hybrids over 65mm	Oncidiinae & Allied Species	Phalaenopsis Hybrid Under 60 mm	Dendrobium Hardcane Hybrid Non Native	Dendrobium AOV Hybrid Non Native	Australian Native Hybrid inc Dendrobium	AOV Hybrid over 50mm	AOV species under 50mm	Novice (first year of membership)
Class	14	15	17	20	23	24	26	31	32	36
BAKER							3		2	
BLAY	2	2								
HALL B	3				3					
PEARCE E						3		5		
SOUTHWELL		3			2				3	
OLSON L				3						
No Name			3							3

COFFS HARBOUR ORCHID SOCIETY (CHOS)

TRADING STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD OF 27 April 2016 to 25 May 2016

DATE OF THIS STATEMENT 26/5/2016.

	Receipt	<u>INCOME</u>	Cheque	<u>EXPEND</u>	
00/1	M/Ships	\$ 20.00			Refer Reciept Book
00/2	Raffle	\$ 93.00			Monthly Meet.
00/3	Hall Hire			\$105.00	Apr 7,30 & Mar. Bot. Gardens
00/9	Sundry Income/Expen	\$ 20.00			
02/1	Bank Interest	\$ 16.95			Refer Bank Stat.
02/2	CSA Payment	\$ 164.59			Refer Bank Stat.
03/2	Autumn Show	\$ 3,240.95	Various	\$2,258.33	Refer separate report.
05/1	Other Promotions	\$ 30.00			Growing Plant Comp.
	<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>\$ 3,585.49</u>		<u>\$2,363.33</u>	

DEBIT/CREDIT TOTAL FOR THE PERIOD \$1,222.16

Bank Reconciliation for the above trading period.

Opening Bank Balance 26/4/2016	<u>\$4,343.34</u>
Rec for above period	\$3,585.49
	<u>\$7,928.83</u>
DEDUCT Exp for above period	<u>\$2,170.33</u>
Pre. u/presented cheques	\$0.00
	<u>\$2,170.33</u>
	\$5,758.50

Balance of income and expenditure **\$5,758.50**

Refer BCU Statement @ 25/05/2016.

The following cheques 395 and 398 totalling \$193.00 have not been presented.

The following Accts to be paid: Nil at this date.

NOTES:

CHOS has a sum of \$10,000.00 invested as a FTD

HALL. B.G.

Hon. Treasurer

25/05/2016.