

TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC



OCTOBER 2012 BULLETIN

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- Meetings are held 8pm on the 4th Friday of each month except December .
All meetings are held in the Townsville Orchid Society Inc Hall.

TOS CALENDAR 2012

October 2012:

26th October – Annual General Meeting 8pm

28th October - Novice/New Growers' Meeting - 1pm

2nd November – Committee Meeting – 7:30pm

TOS - 2013 SHOW DATES

Autumn: 22, 23 & 24 March (TBC)

Winter: 21, 22 & 23 June

Spring: 13, 14 & 15 September



2012 CHRISTMAS PARTY

When: Sunday 25th November

Time: 12 Midday

Where: TOC Inc Hall

Don't forget to put your name on the attendance list .

All prize donations welcome on the day - the more the merrier - see Warren Sewell for further information.

Annual Membership Fees

City Family \$18.00 Pensioner Family \$9.00

City Single \$14.00 Pensioner Single/Junior \$7.00

Details for paying membership fees. BSB:- 064823 Account Number:- 0009 0973

Name of Account:- Townsville Orchid Society Inc. Commonwealth Bank, Aitkenvale

Fees are now due - 1st September each year (if fees are not paid by the 1st October you will be removed from the club's email list)



Grand Champion Orchid
Paphiopedilum: Saint Swithin
Owned by Tom & Delia Hobden



Reserve Champion Orchid -
Paphiopedilum: Transvaal
Owned by Charlie Truscott



Novice Champion Orchid
Phal: New Eagle x Pinalong
Owned by Carl Osborne

TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC.
MINUTES FROM GENERAL MEETING HELD
28.09.2012

Meeting Opened: 8.03pm by President W Nicholson who asked for a Minutes Silence for Members Graham Fay and Ron Merritt who passed away recently. He also mentioned two former Members - Alan Burgess and Gordon Neilson who also passed on recently. Please remember to sign the Attendance Book for Insurance purposes.

Minutes: of Previous Meeting Moved as a True Record by T Phillips. Seconded by C Berzinski. Carried.

Business Arising From Minutes: Nil.

Correspondence: Inwards: Yearly Subs from Z&B Dylejko, T&L Verran, B Knight and H Steel; CBA/Cash Investment A/c Statement; Weight Watchers/Invoice; Ergon Electricity A/c; NuLeaf A/c; J&P Webster/Plumbing A/c; Campbells Bus/Field Day; Qld Govt./Associations Incorporation Form;TCC Rates Notices x 2; Qld Govt./Enquiry re purchase of Solar Power by Grant; Bowen OS/Proserpine OS/Mackay & DOS/PROPA OS/replies re Field Day; J Knowles/several emails/bulletins/NuLeaf/pots order/fertilizer etc; TCC/Community Grants advice/Charities & Not-for-Profit Taskforce/updates; Townsville Bulletin/ad approval; Gympie Golden Orchid Spectacular 2013/request to advertise event in our bulletin; Townsville Shell Club/request to postpone our meeting July 2012; B Church/purchasing Vandas/ H Moreton/several emails/Dr. W Cairns; Orchid Wiz/download for 9.01 available; Thomas Zierk/new member; Miki Stojcic/RSL Care;request for members to attend as speakers; Hall Hire/several emails.

Held Over: TQOC Inc – Award Judging;N Grundon – meeting interested members/judging group; Other Society Bulletins; AOS Magazine & Orchids Australia.

Outwards: Sympathy Cards to Pyhllis Merritt & Marrece Fay; J Knowles/several emails; H Moreton/several emails; Hall Hire/several emails.
Moved by J Nicholson Inwards Correspondence be Received and Outwards Correspondence Confirmed. Seconded by J Rutledge. Carried.

Business Arising From Correspondence: Subs cheques to Treasurer; Ergon, NuLeaf & JP Webster A/c's paid Netbank; Qld Govt/Solar Power enquiry will be answered when books returned from Auditor; RSL request/requires volunteer to attend; Shell Show/discuss at Committee.

Treasurer's Report: C Lee thanked all who worked at show in his place. Spring Show a great success. He Moved that Report be received and Cheques Passed for Payment. Seconded by M Bloom. Carried.

Business Arising From Treasurer's report: R Daveson queried Petty Cash Statement/ nil – explained by C Lee – end of financial year.

Novice/New Grower's Group Report: Given by W Sewell. G Kelly to speak on Mini Oncidiums and Cattleyas on Sunday.

Following the Tea Break E Boon spoke on the Tabled Plants.

Certificates from Winter Show were presented to those winners present and Registrar's Choice Certificates were also presented to R&J MacIntyre.

Registrar's Choice: Hybrids: Paph Delrosi gained 81 Points for owners W&C Sewell. **Species:** *Phal. amabilis* gained 79 Points for J&S Cairns. Congratulations to the owners.

General Business: W Nicholson spoke about Past Members Gordon Nielson and Alan Burgess. He was astounded at Ron Merritt's funeral that there were no orchids on the casket – most unusual for such an orchid grower. He reminded members that next meeting would be the Annual General Meeting and he was hoping all positions would be filled. Nominations close on Friday 12 October.

W Nicholson spoke of a selective poison to use on orchid plants for weeds such as Military Fern, Creeping Oxalis and Kirkwood's curse without damaging most orchids. He now has Linurex, similar to Afalon (but a little stronger) which is also based on Linuron which was mentioned in an article by Wayne Turville. Only 2mls in 1litre of water is used. He has sampled it over 3 months on Dendrobiums, Vandas, Oncidiums, Cymbidiums. It hasn't harmed the orchids but great care should be taken at the start, especially with smaller type orchids. Available 250mls for \$11.25 or \$45 for 1Litre.

Following a question from S Fay re swapping of price tags at show sales - D Elms also had a problem with brom price tags it was suggested we place a sticker on side of pot to correspond with price tag. Also a suggestion to make entrance fee a flat \$2.

Advertising for show now comes mainly from The Sun. Continue to use this publicity. S Cairns to look into further advertising elsewhere. W Sewell would like to see alterations to stands used in shows.

Field Day: Our Field Day will be held on Sunday 7 October. List circulating for those attending and requiring bus (\$10 for full day), and lunch (\$8). Also require donations – savory or sweet - for morning and afternoon teas.

E Boon enquired about Sympathy card to Mrs. Nielson.

Lucky Door & Raffle: Thanks for donations to table – both drawn – congratulations to winners.

Meeting Closed: 9.47pm.

MINUTES ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (2011)
TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC. HELD
28.10.2011

Meeting Opened: 8pm by President W Nicholson who welcomed all, reminding members to sign for two meetings. Well known Alec Dockrill passed away recently. Cecilia Knott, Daughter-In-Law of a previous Patron of T.O.S. Inc. for a long period, has also passed on. Our present Patron Min Korsman and Tess Kapcelovitch are in hospital, also John Rutledge and John Nuss are here tonight after being hospitalized. 96 Year old past member Thelma Paris has donated historical orchid books to our Society. Nomination of Assistant Treasurer has been left off the nomination list.

Minutes of 2010 A.G.M Moved as a True Record by J Leucke. Seconded by G Christophers. Carried.

Financial Report 2010/11: Moved to be Open for Discussion by Treasurer C Lee. Seconded by J Rutledge. Carried. C Lee moved through the Auditor's Report, explaining items contained therein. Moved Receipt of Report by F Marnock. Seconded C Berzinski. Carried.

President's Report: As attached.

Nominations for A.G.M.

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>NOMINEE</u>
<u>MOVED</u>	<u>SECONDED</u>
PATRON	Minnie Korsman
Peter Korsman	Wal Nicholson
PRESIDENT	Wal Nicholson
Minnie Korsman	Peter Korsman
VICE PRESIDENT	Warren Sewell
Wal Nicholson	Barbara Robinson
VICE PRESIDENT	Wal Nicholson
Jean Nicholson	Ray Robinson
VICE PRESIDENT	
VICE PRESIDENT	
SECRETARY	Jean Nicholson
Peter Korsman	Minnie Korsman
ASSISTANT SECRETARY	
TREASURER	Charles Lee
Minnie Korsman	Peter Korsman
ASSISTANT TREASURER	Alan Morris
Wal Nicholson	Jean Nicholson
PUBLICITY OFFICER	
LIBRARIAN	Noel Grant
Jean Nicholson	Doug Benson
TECHNICAL ADVISER	
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Fred Marnock
Jean Nicholson	Wal Nicholson
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Anne Roberts
Wal Nicholson	Jean Nicholson
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Jean White
Wal Nicholson	Ross MacIntyre
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Marie Bloom
Wal Nicholson	Ross MacIntyre
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Grant
Christophers	Jean Nicholson
	Wal Nicholson

NON COMMITTEE

COUNTRY VICE PRESIDENT Tom Hobden
 Wal Nicholson Jean Nicholson

COUNTRY VICE PRESIDENT
PUBLICITY OFFICER: Joan MacIntyre

1. Jean Nicholson John Rutledge

2. Jean Nicholson Robert Rasmussen Lyn. Mutch

3. Joan MacIntyre Jean Nicholson Luz Lewis

HOSTESS/HOST

4 **AUDITOR:** Peter Dadic
 Wal Nicholson Charles Lee Voted by majority

RETURNING OFFICER: John Nuss
 Ziggy Dylejko

SCRUTINEER: Robert Rasmussen
 Warren Sewell John Rutledge

SCRUTINEER: Noel Grant
 Warren Sewell Robert Rasmussen

We have no Editor for Bulletin. Job takes in collating items sent in for publication.

TROPHIES: were presented by W Nicholson, in absence of Patron Min Korsman, to winners in Points Section at Monthly Meetings throughout the year.

Registrar's Choice Highest Points throughout the year in Species.
 Trophy given by Patron Min Korsman – Warren & Clara Sewell.

Registrar's Choice Highest Points throughout year in Hybrids –
 Charlie Truscott.

Novice Section: 1st Grant Christophers & Alis Siarni. Also won the Ivy Knott Memorial Trophy for Den. *discolor*. And Certificate from Spring Show- Champion Australiana with same plant. 2nd J&S Cairns.

Veterans Section: 1st. W&J Nicholson. 2nd W&C Sewell. 3rd G&S Kelly

Open Section: 1st R&J MacIntyre. 2nd F&D Marnock. 3rd N Hardwick

Species Section: W&J Nicholson. 2nd N&M Grant. 3rd W&C Sewell

Aggregate Points: W&J Nicholson. 2nd W&C Sewell. 3rd N&M Grant

Meeting Closed: 8.37pm

In General Meeting Tina Phillips was appointed as a Hostess following Nomination by Joan MacIntyre and Seconded by J Nicholson.

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President

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Secretary

VETERANS

Dendrobium

1) Den. Mary Trowse ‘Giant’ W&C Sewell

Vandaceous - Miscellaneous

1) V. Chiangmai Blue x Ascda. Yip Sum Wah W&C Sewell

2) Acstm. Sagarik Gold W&J Nicholson

Cattleya – Ilwanaga

1) Iwanaga. Apple Blossom ‘Nora’ W&C Sewell

Cattleya – Miscellaneous

1) Lc. Mari’s Song x Pot. Dal’s Moon G&S Kelly

2) Slc. Dal’s Buddy G&S Kelly

3) Slc. Tiny Titan x Blc. Dal’s Sunset G&S Kelly

Oncidiums

1) Onc. Space Race W&J Nicholson

2) Colm. Spacanthanthe x *ornithorhynchum* W&J Nicholson

3) Onc. Space Race W&J Nicholson

Wilsonia

1) Wils. Aloha Sparks ‘Ruby Eyes’ W&J Nicholson

Tolumnias

1) Tolm. Fay Tesch x Willowbank Whisper G&S Kelly

2) Rrm. Molly G&S Kelly

3) Tolm. Golden Sunset ‘Moonspot’ G&S Kelly

Phalaenopsis – Classic

1) Phal. Flight of Birds x Phal Taipei Gold W&C Sewell

2) Dtps. Hsinying Fortune ‘Fortune Star’ W&C Sewell

3) Phal. Brother Free Spirit x *Phal. venosa* W&J Nicholson

Doritaenopsis

1) Dtps. Little Gem Stripes ‘Cat King’ W&C Sewell

2) Dtps. Little Gem ‘Stripes’ W&J Nicholson

3) Dtps. Little Gem ‘Stripes’ W&J Nicholson

Paphiopedilum - Multiflorated

1) Paph. Bell Royal W&J Nicholson

2) Paph. Saint Swithin W&C Sewell

Paphiopedilum – Primary Hybrid

1) Paph. Delrosi W&C Sewell

2) Paph. Mary Franz Smith W&J Nicholson

3) Paph. “No Name” C&J Lee

Phragmipedium

1) Phrag. Green Hornet W&J Nicholson

OPEN

Miscellaneous Genera

1) Blc. Rustic Spots C Berzinski & L Mutch

2) Tolm. ‘Yellow’ C&J Lee

3) Den. Fire Coral J White

Phalaenopsis

1) Dtps. Ching Hua Fair ‘Red Flash’ S Fay

2) Phal. Taisuco Koobdian x Phal. Grace P S Fay

3) Phal. Taisuco Wonder x (Memoria Masami Takaski x Pinalong Memory) S Fay

NOVICE

Phalaenopsis

1) Dtps. The Pride of Ben-Yu J&S Cairns

2) Dtps. Alice’s Beth J&S Cairns

3) Dtps. Ching Hua Fair ‘Red Flash’ J&S Cairns

Oncidium Alliance

1) Hwra. Lava Burst J&S Cairns

SPECIES

Dendrobium

1) *Den. farmerii* ‘Pink’ W&C Sewell

2) *Den. gouldii* ‘Blue’ R&J MacIntyre

Dendrobium – Australian Native

1) *Den. discolor* M Bloom

2) *Den. canaliculatum* M Bloom

3) *Den. canaliculatum* M Bloom

Vandaceous

1) *Asctm. miniatum* J&S Cairns

2) *V. tricolor* W&J Nicholson

Cattleya

1) *C. intermedia* var. *amethystine* W&J Nicholson

2) *C. intermedia* var. *amethystine* ‘Arambeen’ W&J Nicholson

Phalaenopsis

1) *Phal. amabilis* J&S Cairns

2) *Phal. stuartiana* x *self* – Yellow Strain W&J Nicholson

3) *Phal. stuartiana* x *self* – Yellow Strain W&J Nicholson

Miscellaneous

1) *Chysis bractescens* W&J Nicholson

2) *Cym. atropurpureum* W&J Nicholson

3) *Paph. primulinum* W&J Nicholson

JUDGES - October 2012

OPEN/MASTERS:

A. Knowles & W. Sewell

NOVICE/SPECIES:

K. Greenway & R. Daveson

TOS Points Table

Points **28-09-2012**

No.	Name	Veterans	Open	Novice	Species	Aggregate
143	Allison, Alan		4			4
84	Berzinski, Col & Mutch, Lyn		40		3	43
135	Blanchard, Brendon & White - Lynn		8		10	18
118	Bloom, Marie		8		18	26
68	Cairns, June & Stacey			50	8	58
88	Carlill, Wall & Lyn		3		3	6
85	Christophers, G & Siarni - Alis		18		2	20
180	Fay, Stephen & Graham	20				20
190	Fighera, Bruno		42			42
213	Grant, Noel & Maureen	82			84	166
106	Hardwick, Noel		31			31
117	Keith, Mick	18			43	61
116	Kelly, Greg & Santina	95				95
65	Kennedy, Les & Ames, Fran	32			1	33
81	Lee, Charles & Jill	43			33	76
77	Marnock, Fred & Donna		55		11	66
167	MacIntyre, Ross & Joan		61		33	94
87	Morris, Alan			2		2
147	Nicholson, Wal & Jean	459			226	685
96	Phillips, Tina			14	1	15
128	Rasmussen, Robert		8			8
168	Scott, Ron		13			13
172	Sewell, Warren & Clara	358			40	398
82	Truscott, Charlie	15				15
62	White, Jean		2		2	4

NOMINATIONS FOR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 26 OCTOBER 2012

POSITION	NAME	NOMINATED BY	SECONDED BY
PATRON	Phyllis Merritt	Ray Robinson	W Nicholson
PRESIDENT	Wal Nicholson	Ross MacIntyre	Col Berzinski
VICE PRESIDENT	-----	-----	-----
VICE PRESIDENT	-----	-----	-----
VICE PRESIDENT	-----	-----	-----
SECRETARY	Jean Nicholson	Wal Nicholson	Col Berzinski
ASSIST. SECRETARY	-----	-----	-----
TREASURER	-----	-----	-----
ASSIST. TREASURER	Charles Lee	Marie Bloom	Wal Nicholson
PUBLICITY OFFICER	-----	-----	-----
TECHNICAL ADVISER	-----	-----	-----
LIBRARIAN	Noel Grant	Wal Nicholson	Jean Nicholson
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Brendon Blanchard	Wal Nicholson	Jean Nicholson
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Grant Christophers	Jean White	Charles Lee
COMMITTEE MEMBER	Jean White	Joan MacIntyre	Ross MacIntyre
COUNTRY VICE PRESIDENT	Tom Hobden	Wal Nicholson	Delia Hobden

At this juncture I would normally wish our incoming Committee a great year, but with so few nominated, even less than in recent years, I can only say what a sorry state. Here we have a Society which has achieved success after success and yet the majority of our members are not prepared to join our very minimum Committee to support their efforts.

On the face of it we will not have a monthly Bulletin (no Editor Vice President), there will be no shows (no Vice President Show Committee), no Building & Finance Committee (no Vice President), no Hospitality/Catering (no Vice President), and no Treasurer or Publicity Officer. Might as well shut the door!!?

Those few nominated have worked very hard, doing more than one job and yet now they are expected to do more – **Not On Your Nelly.**

If those thoughts sicken you then come along to the Annual General meeting and nominate.

Wal Nicholson

President's Comments:

Another very successful Spring Show with record attendance and sales volume. Congratulations to the winners, to all who participated and the workers.

To follow up only a fortnight later with one of our most successful field days was certainly an achievement. Although we had trouble earlier we ended with eight collections to visit and yet finished by 4p.m. which allowed out-of-towners to make an early departure. Donations of food and of raffle prizes were very generous. I can't recall previous field days where so many visitors have congratulated us so magnanimously. I thought the whole day was outstanding. To the workers – particularly the kitchen crew – I extend my heartfelt congratulations. The Treasurer and raffle ticket sellers also excelled.

Over recent years those doing the rounds of the bush-houses were mainly visitors with few of our own. This year I was gratified to see so many of our members, particularly “Novices” doing the rounds. Might I say many of them were “gob-smacked” at what they saw in so many back yards. It was particularly pleasing to see one of our Novices open his shade-house - Congratulations Carl on your success at our Spring Show and the standard of your shade-house.

Phalaenopsis were to the fore for both the Spring Show and the Field Day.

At our recent Committee meeting we set the dates for next year's important events.

Autumn Show: 22-23-24-March 2013 – (we may need to rethink this one as it clashes with General Meeting)

Winter Show: 21-22-23 June 2013

Spring Show: 13-14-15 September 2013

Field Day: 13 October 2013

Also because of some confusion and the infinitesimal amount involved we have waived concessional entrance fees for our shows. Of course this and the amount charged is decided ahead of each show but at present stands at two dollars.

This month we hold our Annual General Meeting so here's the chance for some of our younger and more energetic members to help out on the committee. As I write this I am not aware of all nominations, which will be shown later in this Bulletin but I have a feeling that we will need a new Bulletin Editor and a new Treasurer. Please don't hesitate to nominate.

It is somewhat concerning that the number attending our Friday night General Meetings have been declining in recent years, while the attendance on Sunday afternoon remains solid, if not increasing. We understand that many members are reluctant to drive at night, or for some other reason, prefer the daylight meeting, which is more of a social outing as opposed to business. However the Friday

meeting charts our course and many more flowering orchids are tabled, and judged by judges, which is where our point scoring emanates from. The trophies for Points scored for flowering orchids are thus related to the Friday meetings. Less than half a dozen of the Novice members attend on Fridays with only a couple on the Management committee. Even an attendance once every two or three months would be rewarding to Novices and ensure the continued success of our Society. Please think about it.

As my last comments before the end of our year, please allow me to congratulate and to thank all committee members for a fine job well done. To the members in general thank you – keep up the good work.

Wal Nicholson

Novice/New Growers Report :

At our last meeting held on the 30th September in the Townsville Orchid Society Inc. Hall Charles Street Kirwan, we welcomed 52 members and 19 visitors, with some of the visitors wishing to become members of our society. They were all encouraged to join in with us for our Field Day activities on the 7th October, which by all reports they thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Greg Kelly was the guest speaker for our afternoon proceeding in which he spoke about his ways and means of growing smallish Cattleya plant (Miniature Cattleyas) as they require a lot less growing space than the exhibition type Cattleyas. He stated that he has always referred to a Quality Stream Cattleyas' Booklet as his guide to growing of these orchids.

Greg had a number of cattleya hybrids on the table for the members to view whilst relating to their characteristics and colour of their parentage. Greg also spoke about his method of growing Equitant Oncidiums to which he handed out a number of leaflets to the members on this subject.

We wish to thank Greg for his time and effort that he put into this excellent programme and for the knowledge he so freely gave to all the members who were present on that day.

Once again there were some nice flowers on display for the Popular Vote Competition and the results were in the Novice Section:- Janeen Deliseo & Franf Ostrowski was 1st, with Peter Cooper & Keith Chambers tied for 2nd. Open Section:- Neita Coulson was 1st, Ann Scholl 2nd with Wal & Lyn Carlill 3rd.

Congratulations to the winners and many thanks to all the other members who brought along their plants for the Popular Vote Competition.

The last few weeks has been a very busy time for most of our members with the Spring Show, Monthly Meeting and Field Day all following one another, so we would like to

thank everybody who participated in any way with the set up of the Spring Show, working on the rosters and helping out in the kitchen, to the Judges who gave up their time to judge the show, the typists and pencilers and anybody else that helped to make these occasions a successful one.

Congratulations to all our members who participated in our Field Day activities, for your wonderful donations of food and Raffles Prizes, also to the members who opened their bush houses, we wish to thank you all most sincerely.

Our Christmas Party will be held on the 25th November in the Townsville Orchid Society Inc. Hall starting at 12 noon. Any member wishing to attend this function, please put your name on the list provided at the next meeting as numbers are required for catering purposes Some members have already indicated their intention to attend this function. There are some conditions (rules) that will apply for this function such as.

- (1) Any member who has attended 4 or more Sunday meeting do not have to pay. Meal is free.
- (2) All other members (Including other T.O.S members) wishing to attend. Cost \$15.00
- (3) Non members such as Husband, Wife, Partner or friends. Cost will be \$30.00

Also we would like to have several buckets of grocery for special Raffles prizes (has been done previously) so any donations of grocery items would be greatly appreciated.

Our next meeting will be held on the 28th October, our Guest Speaker on that day will be Delia Hobden.

Many thanks for the wonderful afternoon tea and your generous donations of Raffles Prizes, Tickets Sales at our last meeting.

Warren & Clara

MEMBER'S CORNER

BIRTHDAY WISHES

The TOS members wish the following birthday boys and girls a very happy birthday with many more to follow:



Birthday Wishes to:

Peter Cooper	6 November
Bruno Figuera	12 December
Noel Grant	22 December
Kerry Willey	24 December
Col Berzinski	27 December

The club welcomes 7 new members:



Lorraine Armitage, David Baily, Peter Gridley, Dorothy Nutley, Barbara Potts, James Steven & Thomas Zierk

INFORMATION DAY FOR MEMBERS INTERESTED IN BECOMING JUDGES

The information day for members who would like to know more about judging and becoming judges is:

Sunday – 9am to 1pm

TOC Inc Hall – Charles Street, Kirwan.

For further information and to register your interest in this Session contact: **Ted Boon – 47752529**

SPRING SHOW

2012

TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC. LIST OF WINNERS FROM SPRING SHOW 21-23 SEPTEMBER 2012

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>NAME OF ORCHID</u>	<u>GROWN BY</u>
<u>GRAND CHAMPION ORCHID</u>	Paphiopedilum Saint Swithin	Tom & Delia Hobden
<u>RESERVE CHAMPION ORCHID</u>	Paphiopedilum Transvaal	Charlie Truscott
<u>NOVICE CHAMPION ORCHID</u>	Doritaenopsis Chain Xen Super Idol	Carl Osborne
<u>RESERVE NOVICE CHAMPION ORCHID</u>	Phalaenopsis New Eagle x Pinalong	Carl Osborne
<u>BEST SPECIMEN ORCHID PLANT</u>	Dendrobium <i>discolor</i>	Wal & Lyne Carlill
<u>CHAMPION VANDACEOUS SECTION</u>	Ascocenda Fuch's Precious Jewel 'Rezza'	Greg & Santina Kelly
<u>CHAMPION CATTLEYA SECTION</u>	Cattleya Mari's Song x Pottinara Dal's Moon	Greg & Santina Kelly
<u>CHAMPION DENDROBIUM SECTION</u>	Dendrobium Kuranda Blue x Fran's Twist x <i>gouldii</i>	Charlie Truscott
<u>CHAMPION PHALAENOPSIS/DORITAENOPSIS SECTION</u>	Doritaenopsis Chain Xen Super Idol	Carl Osborne
<u>CHAMPION ONCIDIUM SECTION</u>	Brassia Rex	Bruno Figuera
<u>CHAMPION ANY OTHER GENERA</u>	Cymbidium Valerie Absolonova	Warren & Clara Sewell
<u>CHAMPION AUSTRALIANA ORCHID</u>	Dendrobium <i>discolor</i>	Wal & Lyne Carlill
<u>CHAMPION SPECIES SECTION</u>	Cattleya <i>amethystoglossa</i>	Charlie Truscott
<u>CHAMPION PAPHIOPEDILUM SECTION</u>	Paphiopedilum Saint Swithin	Tom & Delia Hobden



Champion Vandaceous Orchid
Ascocdnda Fuch's Precious Jewel 'Rezza'
Owned by Greg & Santina Kelly



Champion Any Other Genera Orchid -
Cymbidium Valerie Absolonova
Owned by Warren & Clara Sewell



Champion Species Orchid -
Cattleya amethystoglossa
Owned by Charlie Truscott

Show Report

Wal has said most of comments about the recent show, and I fully endorse those comments. For all those people who helped out before, during, and after the show thank you very much.

Congratulations to all of the winners. To all those growers who didn't win this time – next show could be the one for you.

The three shows this year were very successful, thanks to those members who are committed and determined to ensure the success that benefits all members.

Thanks
Fred Marnock VP show

TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC.
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING TO BE HELD 23 OCTOBER 2012
NOMINATION FORM ELECTION OF OFFICERS

We hereby nominate.....for the position of.....

Proposer:.....Seconded:.....

I accept the above nomination.....

(Signature)

Nominations for the positions of Office Bearers and Committee of Management must be in the hands of the Returning Officer fourteen (14) clear days before the Annual General Meeting.

Nominations must be in a sealed envelope and marked "Nominations." This envelope must then be handed to the Returning Officer or placed in a second envelope and posted to the Returning Office care of the Society's Postal Address.

The Returning Officer: JOHN NUSS

The Postal Address of the Society: P O Box 836 Aitkenvale DC. Qld 4814

TOWNSVILLE ORCHID SOCIETY INC.
PROXY FORM

I,.....of.....

being a member of the above-named Society, hereby appoint.....

of....., or failing him,

of....., as my proxy to vote for me on my behalf at the (Annual) General Meeting of

the Society, to be held on the.....day of20....., and at any adjournment thereof.

Signed thisday of.....20.... Signature.....

* This form is to be used in favour of the resolution.

(* Strike out which ever is not desired.)

* This form is to be used against the resolution

Unless otherwise instructed the proxy may vote as he thinks fit



****ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY****

SEASOL - Planting Gel

Improves plant establishment.

**Contains Seasol & essential
nutrients.**

**Stores water & nutrients at root
zone.**