



**Known Show Dates for 2019**

15th August, setup for the Maroochydore Show at the Uniting Church Hall at Buderim on the cnr of King St. and Gloucester Rd.

23rd, 24th August Noosa O&FS show in the Cooroy Memorial Hall, 23 Maple St, Cooroy QLD 4563 with set up 22nd.

31st August, 1st September Childers & IDOS show; set up 30th.

6th, 7th September: Nambour OS show set up 5th.

14th, 15th September 2019: STOCQ Orchidfest Rockhampton

19th -21st September: Maryborough DOS show St Paul's Memorial Hall, set up 18th.

19th, 20th September: SCOS (closed) Pelican Waters Shopping Centre

27th, 28th September 2019: Glasshouse COS show with set up 26th.

27th, 29th September: Hervey Bay OS show with set up 26th.

11th, 12th October: Bribie Island OS show with set up Thursday 10th.

1st, 2nd November Nambour OS species show; set up 31st October.

16th November 2019: STOCQ and OQI meetings at The Orchid House, 156A First Avenue, Bongaree hosted by Bribie Island Orchid Society.

Our next meeting will be at Julie & Gary Walkers place ,  
26 Palmer Court, the Dawn. (Gympie)  
at 2pm on August 31st.

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Welcome to the August edition of our newsletter. This follows our July meeting which was held at the Lenske's residence on the 27th. Members were reminded of upcoming orchid shows: the centennial anniversary Imbil Show, our show of the moment! The Maroochydore show which is a benching show. Setup is on the 15th August and the location is the Uniting Church Hall on the the cnr of King St. and Gloucester Rd., Buderim. The Noosa Show is held at the Cooroy Memorial Hall and follows on the 22nd August. Details on the events calendar page 4 of this newsletter. Some of our members will be attending the Rockhampton Orchidfest which is arguably the premier Qld orchid event of 2019. The orchids below were photographed at Cristian Lenske's place.



Rlc. Erin Kobaybshi x Rlc. Chunyeah 'Goodlife'



Quite beguiling with its beautiful texture is this unknown *Cymbidium*



This beautifully flowered plant looked stunning. Dendrobium Essie Banks is an orchid hybrid originated by David Banks in 1983. It is a cross of *Den. Hilda Poxon* x *Den. speciosum*.



At our July meeting, Lynn Wilson showed us a book which is a work in progress of the history of our club as recorded in local news paper articles and show event media. Any pre 1970 articles will be gladly received by her.

### Hot off the Press! Imbil Show photos

