

GYMPIE & DISTRICT ORCHID SOCIETY Inc.



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Our next meeting has been rescheduled a week earlier than usual and will be held at Jim & Leanne's place. Feel free to bring a few plants to add to our benched display.

The photos below are of native orchids photographed a week ago in flower on Mothar Mountain.



Known Show Dates for 2019

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 held on November 23rd
at Jim & Leanne Evan's place,
106 Pine Valley Drive, Pie Creek.
The meeting starts at 2pm. See you there!

Our Xmas Party is at the same address on 7th December.
The party starts at 3pm.

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Welcome to the October edition of our newsletter. Our October meeting and AGM was held at Lynne and Doug Wilson's place on Saturday, October 26th. After the minutes of the previous meeting were read and passed, Jim delivered the Presidents's Report for the year thanking members for their support and participation in the shows and events. Larry and Shirley Downing received special mention for their outstanding efforts. Jim then stood down and Lynne Wilson presided over the election of office bearers and other positions for the coming year with the results as follows:

President Jim Evans
Vice President Ted Mann
2nd Vice President Gary Walker
Treasurer Kay Donnelly
Secretary Leanne Evans
Bulletin Editor Joe Tramacchi
Librarian Lynne Wilson
Gympie Show Steward Adrian Ninaus

A highlight of the October meeting was Jim presenting Corrie Sheaffe with HCC & ACC certificates for *Den*. Hamana Lake "Dream" which was awarded at the recent Glasshouse Mtns. Show.



Doug Wilson, Adrian Ninaus and Lex Cooper.



Doug's purpose built *Phalaenopsis* shade house



Just a sample of Doug Wilson's exuberant flowers in the new Laser lite Phally house.

Doug's Phally Mix

3 parts Brunnings
Coir & Mulch
Premium Grade.

2 parts Coco peat

2 parts no.5 grade
charcoal

1 part perlite

DISCLAIMER
Remember everyone's
shadehouse conditions
are different. Learn by
experience and try at
your own risk!



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