



<b>Judges:-</b>	<b>JODOS Judges: John Buckley–Don Nitschinsk --.Plus Q.O.S. Judges</b>		
<b>Life Members :-</b>	<b>Margaret Lobley - Don Nitschinsk - Barbara Shooter</b>		
<b>COMPETITION WINNERS for March 2020</b>			
<b>CATTLEYA</b> Exhibition Over 100 mm	1	B & S Brown	<i>Rlc. California Girl 'Orchid Library' x Deception Bay 'Sothorn Cross'</i>
	2	C & H Barker	<i>Rlc. Paradise Bonanza</i>
	3	J & H Rutter	<i>Rlc. Redland Mariner 'Gracious'</i>
<b>CATTLEYA</b> Compact / Mini Under 100 mm	1	J & H Rutter	<i>Gct. Pride of Place</i>
	2	S Addison	<i>C. Caudebec x Jungle Queen</i>
	3	C & H Barker	<i>C. Caudebec Candy</i>
<b>CATTLEYA</b> Any Other Cluster, novelty etc	1	J & H Rutter	<i>C. Caudebec 'Carmela'</i>
	2	R Kerr	<i>C. Chocolate Drop x Precious Stones</i>
	3	B & S Brown	<i>C. Caudekew</i>
<b>PAPHIOPEDILUM</b>	1	C & D Noy	<i>Paph. Magic Lantern</i>
	2		
	3		
<b>PHALAENOPSIS</b>	1	S Addison	<i>Phal. Tzen-Wen Sentra x pulcherrima var champorensis</i>
	2	C & D Noy	<i>Phal. I- Hsin Viola Tris</i>
	3		
<b>DENDROBIUMS</b>	1	B & S Brown	<i>Den. Woo Leng 'Red Lip'</i>
	2	R Mollee	<i>Den. Burana Green x Entropy</i>
	3	C & D Noy	<i>Den. Kuranda Blue x canaliculatum</i>
<b>ANY OTHER GENERA</b>	1	C & D Noy	<i>Phrag. Calurum</i>
	2	C & D Noy	<i>Spa. Mellow Yellow</i>
	3		
<b>NOVICE</b>	1	S & M Shepherd	<i>V. OSM</i>
	2	S & M Shepherd	<i>Paph. ??</i>
	3	W Kuliszer	<i>Rlc. Lucky Strike' x Lc. Netrasiri</i>
<b>FLORAL ART</b>	1	N Donsky	<i>Floral Art – Something Old; Something New</i>
	2	F Ruffles	<i>Floral Art – Something Old; Something New</i>
	3	S Cavalea	<i>Floral Art – Something Old; Something New</i>
<b>VANDACEOUS &amp; OTHERS</b>	1	C & D Noy	<i>V. Suksamran Spots 'No. 1'</i>
	2	N Donsky	<i>Aer. lawrenceae x Korat Koki</i>
	3	B & S Brown	<i>V. Usha</i>
<b>ONCIDIUMS '&amp; OTHERS</b>	1	B & S Brown	<i>Wils. Pacific Passage</i>
	2	W Semple	<i>Milt. Anne Warne</i>
	3	W Semple	<i>Odctm. Wildcat 'Bloodshot'</i>
<b>SPECIES</b>	1	S Addison	<i>Milt. morelliana</i>
	2	R Kerr	<i>Onc. brunleesianum</i>
	3	C & D Noy	<i>Paph. primulinum var purpurascens</i>
<b>AUSTRALIAN NATIVES</b>	1	S Cavalea	<i>Den bigibbum var superbum x sibling</i>
	2	C & D Noy	<i>Den toressae</i>
	3	C & D Noy	<i>Den bigibbum var superbum forma compactum</i>
<b>AUSTRALIAN NATIVE HYBRID</b>	1	C & D Noy	<i>Den. x Superbiens</i>
	2	B & S Brown	<i>Den. Jonathon's Glory 'Dark Joy'</i>
	3		
<b>JUDGES CHOICE</b>	1	S Addison	<i>Phal. Tzen-Wen Sentra x pulcherrima var champorensis</i>
	2	C & D Noy	<i>Den. x Superbiens</i>
	3	C & D Noy	<i>V. Suksamran Spots 'No. 1'</i>
<b>POPULAR VOTE</b>	1	R Kerr	<i>Milt. morelliana</i>
	2	J & H Rutter	<i>Rlc. Redland Mariner 'Gracious'</i>
	3	C & D Noy	<i>Paph. Magic Lantern</i>

<b>Show Dates for 2020</b>			
<b>Society</b>	<b>Month</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<b>As a result of the regulations implemented by the government in relation to the Covid-19 virus, the auditorium is closed until at least 31st August, and no judging panels are available. We have therefore cancelled our Winter Show and believe all of these shows are cancelled.</b>	Apr	18 - 19	Silkstone State Primary School, Prospect St, Silkstone
	May	3 - 4	Belmont Shooting Complex, 1485 Old Cleveland Rd., Belmont
	May	9	Community Hall, Edinburgh Castle Rd, Wavell Heights.
	June	27 - 28	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens (Open)
	July	25 - 26	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens. (Open)
	Aug	15 - 16	Strathpine Community Centre, 199 Gympie Rd, Strathpine
	Aug.	29 - 30	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens (Open)
	Aug	29 - 30	Springwood Rd State School Hall
Brisbane Orchid Society 3841 3330	Sept	5-6	Belmont Shooting Complex 1485 Old Cleveland Road Belmont
Beaudesert Districts Orchid and Foliage Society Inc. 0410 318 587	Sept	12 - 13	Canungra Hall, 3/7 Pine St, Canungra
West Brisbane Orchid Society Inc. 0418 821 571	Sept	TBA	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens.
Eastern District Orchid Society Inc. 0438 223 880	Sept	19 - 20	Belmont Shooting Complex, 1485 Old Cleveland Rd., Belmont
Toowoomba Orchid Soc Inc. 0400 162 865	Sept	18- 22	St Paul's Hall, Cnr James & Phillip St, Toowoomba
Ipswich Orchid Society Inc. 3201 8307	Sept	26 - 27	Silkstone State Primary School, Prospect St, Silkstone
Redlands Orchid Society Inc. 3824 5931	Oct	3	Donald Simpson Centre, 172 Bloomfield St., Cleveland
Orchid Species Society Inc. 0403 957 225	Oct	10 - 11	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens.
Boonah Harrisville Anglican Parish Charity Show 0418 764 838	Oct	17 - 19	Boonah High School, Macquarie St, Boonah
North Moreton Qld. Orchid Council Inc. 3865 5615	Oct	24 - 25	Auditorium Mt. Coot-tha Botanic Gardens. (Open)
Queensland Orchid Society Inc. 3824 5931	Oct Nov	31 1	Belmont Shooting Complex, 1485 Old Cleveland Rd., Belmont
<b>Floral Art</b>			

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## From the Editor

Guest Speaker at the March meeting was Callyn Farrell from Down Under Orchids. He spoke about the history of the nursery and future directions illustrating with photos of crosses developed at the nursery.

Editor

## Down Under Orchids

Some thirty-five years ago Down Under Native Orchids was founded. With humble beginnings, the orchid community witnessed the birthing of hybrids that would change the DNA of Aussie natives forever. Phena and the late Brian Gerhard owned Down Under for over fifteen years; under their guidance DUNO branched out into the New Zealand and USA markets as well as continuing the themes of previous work alongside numerous new lines of breeding. Phena and Brian created some of the best-known Australian native orchids to date with countless awards, registrations, and achievements. After Brian's passing in 2015 after a long battle with Melanoma the historical collection of the DUNO breeding and show stock needed a new home. Elermore Orchids owners Callyn Farrell and Grahame Young were very closely linked to Phena and Brian by friendship and so in 2015, we saw Down Under Native Orchids reborn. The collection of awarded plants and trusted breeders is now combined with their already established and well known Australasian collection. (Copied from <https://www.duno.net.au/our-story> with permission.)

## Dendrobium Bigibbum

During Judging, Col Noy spoke about the different forms of *Dendrobium bigibbum*.

- *Dendrobium bigibbum* var *bigibbum* has a flower size of 15 to 25 mm and can be epiphytic or lithophytic. The type form has tall and thin pseudobulbs.
- *Dendrobium bigibbum* var *compactum* is a compact form with short pseudobulbs occurring from Cairns to Mossman.
- *Dendrobium bigibbum* var *superbum*; the Cooktown Orchid, has the largest flowers in the group.
- *Dendrobium bigibbum* var. *schoederianum* that has variably coloured flowers and comes from one of the islands.