

2005 A.N.O.S. Kabi Show

The Kabi Group held its 3rd Annual Australasian Native Orchid Show at the Lawnton Showgrounds on 26th and 27th August. Due to the long dry period in South East Queensland the numbers of *Dendrobium speciosum* were slightly down on previous years but still created a marvelous spectacle. With the exception of a couple of classes, there was a great display of plants in the rest of the classes.

Saturday was an extremely busy day with two buses visiting the show. Sunday was a surprise packet with a larger than usual number of visitors. I think this overall increase in attendance was due to the support given us by the local press. One newspaper made our show the feature article in their "What's On" section. The article covered two thirds of a page and included a colour photo of Native Orchids. A most impressive advert which cost us nothing.

Our commercial vendors were kept busy with customers enthusiastically buying the various products. The show received very good reviews from the public and is now

regarded as a "must visit" show in south East Queensland. It has taken a number of years and a lot of hard work to reach this position, the show having been conducted by the Northern Regional Council prior to Kabi assuming responsibility for it in 2003.

Perpetual Trophy winners were:-

Champion Species

Dendrobium macrophyllum var *giganteum* 'Tari'

Grower : Jon Cara

Champion Hybrid

Dendrobium Monroe

Grower : Brian Richards

Champion Specimen

Dendrobium Telekom

Grower : Ross & Rhonda Harvey

I congratulate all members who won places in the different classes. In particular I thank all members who gave their time in setting up, benching plants and performing all the various tasks required for a successful show.

Eddie Boudette

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Corrections. David L. Jones

Two errors occurred in our recent paper – Jones, D.L. & Clements, M.A., Miscellaneous nomenclatural notes and changes in Australian, New Guinea and New Zealand Orchidaceae, *Orchadian* 15(1): 33-42 (2005). They are corrected here and this becomes the place of publication.

Myrmechila trapeziformis (Fitzg.) D.L.Jones & M.A.Clem., comb. nov.

Basionym: *Chiloglottis trapeziformis* Fitzg, *Austral. Orch.* 1(3): [t.9] (1877).

Bryobium intermedium (Dockr.) D.L.Jones et M.A.Clem., comb. nov.

Basionym: *Eria intermedia* Dockr., *Austral. Pl.* 3: 120-121 (1965).

Theft of *Rhizanthella slateri* plants.

A clump of *Rhizanthella slateri* plants has been stolen from the Bulahdelah population. When last checked in April 2005 there were 4 new flowerheads developing and two heads from the previous year with developing seed pods. When checked in October all heads were found to be missing. Site evidence shows the loss was not from natural predation.

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