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**SECTION J**

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**HORTICULTURE**

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**ENTRIES CLOSE:** Friday 18th June 2021.

**ENTRY FEES:** RASNT Members \$2.20, Non Members \$4.40. Scarecrow Classes \$7.00

**PRIZE MONEY:** First: \$12.00, Second: \$8.00 except where otherwise stated.

**CHIEF STEWARD:** D. Shaw.

**ENQUIRES:** show@darwinshow.com.au or Show Office 8984 3091

**JUDGING:** Shall commence at the times stated in each sub section.

**SPECIAL REGULATIONS**

**DELIVERY:** Exhibits shall be delivered to the Stewards, Horticulture/Agriculture Hall, Darwin Showgrounds via Tate Place. No later than the times stated in each sub section.

**COLLECTION:** Exhibits must be removed Sunday 25th July, between 8:30am and 12:30pm.

**DISPOSAL:** Exhibits not collected within one week following the show may be disposed of at the Society's discretion.

**EXHIBITS:** All exhibits shall be the bona fide property of the exhibitor. All exhibits, including containers, shall be in neat, clean condition, prepared for show bench competitive display on floor, shelves and tables provided. Each exhibit may be entered in one class only.

**UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED FOR CLASSES 6 – 39**

**POTS ARE TO HAVE A SINGLE PLANT IN POT AND ONLY ONE SPECIES/VARIETY.**

Exhibitor or their representative must be able to lift pots containing exhibit. Potted Plants shall weigh no more than 25 kilos - pot and plant for Classes 6 - 39.

**Collections and trios shall be in separate pots of one design, irrespective of size.** Height of Bonsai Exhibits will be measured from lip of pot. Slanting and Semi-Cascade style are measured from lip of pot to apex of tree. All plants including 'hanging' Classes shall have been established in the exhibiting container for at least ninety (90) days prior to show with the exception of true bulbs in flower. Exhibitors may enter multiple classes and enter multiple entries in the same class.

General Regulations 1 - 37 also apply.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Exhibitors are advised that care must be taken to ensure that exhibit meets the criteria of Class entered when filling out entry form or exhibit may be disqualified; if assistance is needed then exhibitor is advised to contact the steward on the email noted at the start of the Section in Schedule of Prizes.

**GENERAL HORTICULTURE**

**SPECIAL AWARDS**

**GRAND CHAMPION HORTICULTURE EXHIBIT**

(Judged from all Section J exhibits) - **Champion Rosette.**

**HIGHEST AGGREGATE SECTION J PLANTS**

(Judged from Classes 1 - 40) Rosette

**CHAMPION BONSAI**

(Judged from Classes 1-5)

\$30 cash prize. Sponsored by **Arnhem Nursery.**

**CHAMPION PLANT**

(Judged from all Classes excluding classes (34, 36 & 40)

\$20 cash prize. Sponsored by **Angie Cornall.**

**BEST HANGING EXHIBIT**

(Judged from Classes 6 - 13)

\$30 Voucher Sponsored by **Bees Creek Honey.**

**DELIVERY:** Classes 1-40 to be delivered via Tate Place on Tuesday 20th July 2021, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** Classes 1-40 to commence at 8:30am Wednesday 21st July 2021.

**ENTRIES** Entries will also be accepted for the following Classes 1 – 40 on Tuesday 20th July between 8:00am and 7:00pm. Exhibitors must bring completed Entry Form, correct entry fees (cash) and exhibit/s to the Stewards in Horticulture Hall. Late entries that win prizes cannot collect prize monies until Monday 26th July onwards

## **BONSAI**

Height of exhibit to be measured from lip of pot. Slanting and semi-cascade style are measured from lip of pot to apex of tree. Age and species of plant must be clearly marked on exhibit.

- Class 1 BONSAI, height under 600mm.  
1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**. 2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**
- Class 2 BONSAI, Large, over 601mm. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.
- Class 3 BONSAI, root over rock, any height. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.  
2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**
- Class 4 BONSAI, cascade, slanting or windswept or semi cascade, any height.  
1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**. 2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**
- Class 5 BONSAI, group planting, any size, any number, species may be mixed. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**. 2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**

**UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED FOR CLASSES 6-39 POTS ARE TO HAVE A SINGLE PLANT IN POT AND ONLY ONE SPECIES/VARIETY.**

## **HANGING PLANTS**

- Class 6 BROMELIAD, any variety, can be multi planted or single planted with either single or multiple varieties of Bromeliads. 1st \$12.00 2nd \$8.00 Sponsored by **NT Bromeliad Society Inc**.
- Class 7 CALADIUM, any variety, can be multiplanted or single planted with either single or multiple varieties of Caladiums. Sponsored by **NT General Store**.
- Class 8 EPISCIA or GESNERIAD, any variety, can be multiplanted with either single or multiple varieties of episcia or with either single or multiple varieties of Gesneriad (not mixed episcia/gesneriad). Sponsored by **NT General Store**.
- Class 9 FERN, any variety, can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **NT General Store**.
- Class 10 MULTI PLANTED, minimum three varieties or species or combination.  
Sponsored by **Jenny Wright**.
- Class 11 PLANT, any species, can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **Jenny Wright**.
- Class 12 PLANT IN FLOWER, any species. Sponsored by **NT General Store**.
- Class 13 COLLECTION OF THREE PLANTS, three species, three separate pots/planters – one specie per pot/planter, each pot/planter can be multi planted or single planted. (with single variety). 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**. 2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**

## **POTTED PLANTS**

- Class 14 AGAVE, (includes Ponytail Palms) any variety.  
1st Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**. 2nd Sponsored by **NTRS**
- Class 15 AGLAONEMA, ALOCASIA, DIEFFENBACHIA, HOMALOMENA, PHILODENDRON and ALLIES, any variety can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **NT General Store**
- Class 16 ALOE VERA, any variety or species can be multi planted with single variety.
- Class 17 ARALIA, any variety or species. 1st Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 18 ANTHURIUM, Any variety or species can be multi planted with single variety.  
1st Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 19 BEGONIA, any variety, can be multi planted (with single variety). Sponsored by **NT General Store**
- Class 20 BROMELIAD, in flower. Can be multi planted (with single variety). Sponsored by **NT Bromeliad Society Inc**.

- Class 21 BROMELIAD, any variety. Can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **NT Bromeliad Society Inc.**
- Class 22 CACTI, any variety. Sponsored by **Harlese P/L.**
- Class 23 CALADIUM, any large leaf variety (leaves larger than 40cm) can be multi planted (with single variety). 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store.**
- Class 24 CALADIUM, any medium leaf variety (leaves approx. 15cm – 40cm) can be multi planted (with single variety). 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store.**
- Class 25 CALADIUM, any small leaf variety (leaves approx. under 15cm) can be multi planted (with single variety). Sponsored by **Jenny Wright.**
- Class 26 CALATHEA, MARANTA AND ASSOCIATED SPECIES, any variety, can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 27 COLEUS, any variety. Sponsored by **Harlese P/L.**
- Class 28 COLLECTION OF THREE PLANTS, three species, three separate pots – one species per pot can be multi planted (with single variety) in each pot or  
COLLECTION OF THREE PLANTS, same species, three varieties, three separate pots - can be multi planted (with single variety) in each pot.  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L.**
- Class 29 CROTON, any variety.
- Class 30 DESERT ROSE, any variety. Sponsored by **Jenny Wright.**
- Class 31 EUPHORBIA, any variety.  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L.**
- Class 32 FERN, any variety, can be multi planted (with single variety).
- Class 33 JADE PLANT, any variety.
- Class 34 MINIATURE GARDEN, plants must be established in container, accessories may be used. Max. Size: 60cm x 60cm. MUST CONTAIN LIVE PLANTS.  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 35 PALM, any variety.
- Class 36 PATIO POT, must contain more than one species of plant, in one pot.
- Class 37 PLANT, with coloured or variegated leaves, or in flower, or in fruit (cannot be plant that could be entered in any other class 14 -36 excluding class 28). can be multi planted (with single variety) & can be multi planted (with single variety)  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 38 PLANT, Native to NT or AUSTRALIA (cannot be plant that could be entered in any other class 14 – 36 excluding class 28) Can be multi planted (with single variety).  
Sponsored by **Jenny Wright.**
- Class 39 SUCCULENT, any variety, can be multi planted (with single variety). (Cannot be plant that could be entered in any other class 14-36 excluding class 28)  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**
- Class 40 TERRARIUM, any style or plants - MUST CONTAIN LIVE PLANTS. Max. Size 40cm diameter or 40cm x 40cm.  
Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**

## **CUT FLOWERS**

### **SPECIAL AWARDS**

**CHAMPION FLOWER** \$30 cash prize. Sponsored by **Arnhem Nursery.** Judged from all cut flowers (Classes 41-51)

**ENTRIES:** Entries will be also be accepted for the following Classes 41-51 on Wednesday 21st July 2020, between 8:00am and 7:00pm. Exhibitors must bring completed Entry Form, correct entry fees (cash) and exhibit/s to the Stewards in Horticulture Hall. Late entries that win prize money can only collect prize monies from Monday 26th July between 9am to 2pm onwards.

## SPECIAL REGULATIONS

Unless otherwise stated cut flowers to be displayed in one container, flowers are judged on quality not arrangement.

**CONTAINER:** A plain vessel taller than it is wide.

**ENTRIES** Entries will also be accepted for the following Classes 1 – 40 on Tuesday 20th July between 8:00am and 7:00pm. Exhibitors must bring completed Entry Form, correct entry fees (cash) and exhibit/s to the Stewards in Horticulture Hall. Late entries that win prizes cannot collect prize monies until Monday 26th July onwards

**DELIVERY:** Exhibits to be delivered via Tate Place on Wednesday 21st July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** From 8:00pm Wednesday 21st July and again from 8:00am Thursday 22nd July.

Class 41 BOUGAINVILLEA, no longer than 1.5m. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.

Class 42 FLOWERS, ANY VARIETY OR SPECIES, (not named in any other class) at least two stems. Sponsored by **Harlese P/L**

Class 43 FLOWERS, MIXED, ANY SPECIES, any variety or colour at least five stems. 1st Sponsored by **Goat Island Lodge**.

Class 44 FLOWERS, ONE SPECIES, any variety, two or more colours, at least five stems. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.

Class 45 FLOWERS, ONE COLOUR, any species or variety, at least five stems. 1st Sponsored by **Goat Island Lodge**

Class 46 GINGER, any variety. One Stem only. 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.

Class 47 HELICONIA, any upright variety, one stem. If HELICONIA PSITTACORUM, (including golden torch), five stems. 1st Sponsored by **Goat Island Lodge**.

Class 48 HELICONIA, hanging, any variety. 1st Sponsored by **Goat Island Lodge**.

Class 49 NATIVE FLOWER, native to NT or Australia, any variety, minimum 2 (two) Stems. 1st Sponsored by **Goat Island Lodge**.

Class 50 ORCHID, any variety, one spray. Sponsored by **Litchfield Orchid Club Inc**.

Class 51 ROSE-PERFUMED ,any variety, one stem , naturally perfumed, judged on both perfume and quality of flower 1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.

## FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS

### Denise Merrigan HLM. Memorial Trophy

*Denise had a long association with the RASNT.*

She was elected as an advisory Councillor in 2001, as a Councillor in 2006 and to the Board of Management in 2009, Denise's involvement in the Darwin show centred on the Horticulture Section; she was an excellent florist, an exhibitor and a judge at the show for many years; She was the Chair of the Horticulture Section from 2006 until her death in 2015 and introduced many new ideas and innovations. This special award reflects her tireless contribution and the great esteem in which she was held by all her colleagues.

### SPECIAL AWARDS

**CHAMPION FLORAL EXHIBIT** Denise Merrigan Memorial Trophy (Judged from all floral exhibits classes 52-65).

**BEST AMATEUR FLORAL EXHIBIT** \$30 cash prize JUDGED FROM CLASSES 57-61

**BEST OPEN FLORAL EXHIBIT** \$20 cash prize JUDGED FROM CLASSES 52-56  
1st \$20, Sponsored by **Angie Cornall**.

## SPECIAL REGULATIONS

- DELIVERY:** **DRIED and/or ARTIFICIAL MATERIAL EXHIBITS** (Classes 52-61) to be delivered via Tate Place on Tuesday 20th July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.
- JUDGING:** 8:00pm Tuesday 20th July 2021.
- DELIVERY:** **FRESH FLOWER EXHIBITS** (Classes 62-65) to be delivered via Tate Place on Wednesday 21st July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.  
Entries will also be accepted for the following Classes 62-65 on Wednesday 21st July between 8:00am and 7:pm. Exhibitors must bring completed Entry Form, correct entry fees (cash) and exhibit/s to the Stewards in Horticulture Hall. Entries that win prize money can only collect prize monies from Monday 26th July between 9am to 2pm onwards.
- JUDGING:** 8:00pm Wednesday 21st July 2021.
- EXHIBITS:** Flowers, foliage, fruit, etc., DO NOT have to be grown by the exhibitor and may be obtained from any source. Oasis or similar medium, if used, must not be visible. All exhibits shall be the bona fide work of the exhibitor.
- AMATEUR:** Exhibitors who are not employed as florists as a profession currently or in the past.
- OPEN:** **Open to all exhibitors, amateur or professional.**  
BENCH SPACE IS LIMITED. THE SPACE ALLOCATED FOR EACH EXHIBIT IN EACH CLASS IS INDICATED AT THE END OF EACH CLASS DESCRIPTION. EXHIBITS SHALL NOT ENCROACH BEYOND THE BOUNDARIES OF SPACE ALLOCATED. ALL ARRANGEMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO DELIVERY; ADJUSTMENTS ONLY CAN BE MADE AFTER DELIVERY.
- NOTE:** **DRIED ARRANGEMENTS PREVIOUSLY ENTERED IN DARWIN SHOW CANNOT BE ENTERED AGAIN – INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS HOWEVER CAN BE RE-USED. ARTIFICIAL INCLUDES - PAPER, COTTON, PARCHMENT, LATEX, RUBBER, SATEEN, POLYESTER, SILK, FABRIC, WOOD, WAX, WIRE AND FEATHERS.**

### DRIED AND/OR ARTIFICIAL ARRANGEMENTS – OPEN

- Class 52 ARRANGEMENT OF COLOURED DRIED, OR ARTIFICIAL OR COMBINED MATERIALS, own choice of design and materials. Max. Height 65cm - Base 40cm x 40cm. Sponsored by **Flanagan Family**
- Class 53 DECORATED COUNTRY STYLE HAT. - using dried or artificial or combined flowers, artificial fruit or combined material. own choice of design and materials.  
Sponsored by **Flanagan Family.**
- Class 54 MINIATURE ARRANGEMENT, dried or artificial or combined materials, own choice of design and materials. Max. 10cm x 10cm x 10cm.
- Class 55 TABLE CENTRE, box arrangement of dried or artificial or combined materials, for table for four persons, own choice of design and materials With or without accessories. Max. Height 30cm - Base of box 15cm x 15cm.
- Class 56 TALL ARRANGEMENT, dried or artificial or combined materials, own choice of flowers, foliage and container. Max. Height 100cm x Base 75cm x 75cm.

### DRIED AND/OR ARTIFICIAL ARRANGEMENT – AMATEUR

- Class 57 BEGINNERS only, first time exhibitors only, own choice of design and materials. Using dried or artificial or combined materials. Max. Height 65cm – Base 40cm x 40cm. 1st & 2nd prize Sponsored by **Kezia Purick MLA**
- Class 58 ARRANGEMENT IN A SMALL NOVELTY CONTAINER using dried or artificial or combined materials.
- Class 59 ARRANGEMENT OF COLOURED DRIED OR ARTIFICIAL OR COMBINED MATERIALS, own choice of design and materials. Max. Height 65cm base 40cm x 40cm. 1st & 2nd prize Sponsored by **Kezia Purick MLA**
- Class 60 COUNTRY STYLE BASKET, dried or artificial or combined materials, own choice of design and materials. Max Diameter 50cm. Sponsored by **Flanagan Family**

Class 61 NOVELTY ARRANGEMENT."70TH ANNIVERSARY THEME", own choice of materials and accessories using dried or artificial or combined materials. Max height 65cm base 40cm x 40cm.

### **FRESH FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS**

**ENTRIES:** Entries will also be accepted for the following: Classes 62 - 65 on Wednesday 21st July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm. Exhibitors must bring completed Entry Form, correct entry fees (cash) and exhibit/s to the Stewards in Horticulture Hall. Entries that win prize money cannot collect prize monies until Monday 26th July between 9am to 2pm onwards.

**DELIVERY:** FRESH FLOWER EXHIBITS to be delivered via Tate Place on Wednesday 21st July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

Class 62 ARRANGEMENT OF FRESH FOLIAGE, no flower content, own choice of design. Max. height 65cm x base 40cm x 40cm.

Class 63 FLORAL SAUCER, saucer must be completely concealed but must retain the shape and form of the saucer. Max Diameter 20cm round saucer.

Class 64 MINIATURE ARRANGEMENT. Max. 10cm x 10cm x 10cm.

Class 65 MODERN ARRANGEMENT OF FLOWERS USING THREE BLOOMS, own choice of design and foliage. Max. Height 65cm, Base 40cm x 40cm.  
1st Sponsored by **NT General Store**.

### **SCARECROW COMPETITION**

**ENTRY FEE:** \$7.00 per Scarecrow.

**ENTRIES:** Open to adult groups or individuals.

**EXHIBITS:** Scarecrows to be made of outdoors durable material fit to last in a paddock for about 6 months. No paper, cardboard or fibreglass feed bags allowed. Scarecrows to be made to fit over or be tied (two tie points with soft wire) to a 1.8m star picket provided by RASNT on delivery. All accessories must be firmly attached to scarecrow.

**DELIVERY:** To be delivered via Tate Place on Tuesday 20th July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** 10:00am Wednesday 21st July 2020.

**PRIZE MONEY:** 1st \$50, Voucher 2nd \$30. Voucher Sponsored by **Bees Creek Honey**

**A Scarecrow will be selected from all the entries on show to assume official Scarecrow duties in the Government House garden for a period of three months.**

Class 66 SCARECROW, any style.

### **GARDEN ITEM/OUTDOOR FROM RECYCLED MATERIAL**

**DELIVERY:** To be delivered via Tate Place on Tuesday 20th July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** 8:00pm Tuesday 20th July 2021.

**PRIZE MONEY:** 1st \$30, 2nd \$10. Sponsored by **NT Recycling Solutions (NTRS)**.

Class 67 A GARDEN /OUTDOOR ITEM, as a display, tool, or decoration to be made entirely from recycled materials. Must be made of durable recycled materials to last about 12 months in the garden/outside.

### **GUMBOOTS/BOOTS**

#### **GUMBOOTS NOT TO HAVE LIVING PLANTS IN THEM.**

**DELIVERY:** To be delivered via Tate Place, on Tuesday 20th July, between 8:00am and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** 8:00pm Tuesday 20th July 2021.

**PRIZE MONEY:** 1st \$12, 2nd \$8.

Class 68 GUMBOOTS/BOOTS - PAINTED OR DECORATED. One pair, any colour or design.

## ORCHIDS

**ENTRY FEES:** Entry fees Sponsored by the **Nightcliff Orchid Society** and **Litchfield Orchid Club Inc.**

**PRIZE MONEY:** First: \$12.00; Second: \$8.00 except where otherwise stated.

**DELIVERY:** Exhibits and Entries for classes 69-100 Orchids to be delivered on Wednesday 21st July, between 3:00pm and 7:00pm.

**JUDGING:** The Northern Territory Judging Panel will be judging Orchids.  
9:00am Thursday 22nd July 2021.

**EXHIBITS:** Exhibits shall be in pots, baskets or on recognised hangers in a neat, clean condition.

ALL EXHIBITS MUST BE FREE FROM PESTS and DISEASES.

Prepared for show bench competitive display on shelves, frames or tables provided.

Cut flower orchid exhibits shall be displayed in clear glass containers. All exhibits shall be correctly named. Exhibits must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least six (6) months and have been grown in the NT.

**CHIEF STEWARD:** Marion Davey

**ENQUIRIES:** Chief Steward Marion Davey 0428 757 550

### SPECIAL AWARDS

**CHAMPION ORCHID** (Judged from classes 69 to 100) \$50 cash prize

Sponsored by **CWA of the NT Inc.** and Rosette.

**RESERVE CHAMPION ORCHID** (Judged from Classes 69 to 100) \$30 cash prize

Sponsored by **Litchfield Orchid Club Inc.**

**BEST SPECIES ORCHID** (Judged from Classes 69 to 100) \$50 cash prize

Sponsored by **Nightcliff Orchid Society.**

- Class 69 DENDROBIUM HYBRIDS - Phalaenathe - 3/4 Intermediate Shape.
- Class 70 DENDROBIUM HYBRIDS - Intermediate Shape.
- Class 71 DENDROBIUM HYBRIDS - Spatulata Shape.
- Class 72 DENDROBIUM HYBRIDS - Latouria
- Class 73 DENDROBIUM HYBRIDS - Other shape
- Class 74 LAELIINAE HYBRIDS - Standard over 100mm.
- Class 75 LAELIINAE HYBRIDS - Standard 60mm to 100mm.
- Class 76 LAELIINAE HYBRIDS - B.nodosa Dominant.
- Class 77 LAELIINAE HYBRIDS - with Broughtonia.
- Class 78 LAELIINAE HYBRIDS – Other.
- Class 79 ONCIDIINAE HYBRIDS– Varicosum Type.
- Class 80 ONCIDIINAE HYBRIDS – Intergeneric.
- Class 81 ONCIDIINAE HYBRIDS – Other.
- Class 82 PHALAENOPSIS HYBRIDS – Standard.
- Class 83 PHALAENOPSIS NOVELTY - Non Standard.
- Class 84 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - over 65mm.
- Class 85 VANDEAE HYBRIDS -30 – 65mm.
- Class 86 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - under 30mm.
- Class 87 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - Non-Standard.
- Class 88 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - Non-Standard under 65mm.
- Class 89 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - Semi-Terete.
- Class 90 VANDEAE HYBRIDS - with Rhynchostylis
- Class 91 VANDEAE HYBRIDS – Other.
- Class 92 ANY OTHER HYBRID

Class 93	SPECIES – DENDROBIUM.
Class 94	SPECIES - RHYNCHOSTYLIS – White/Pink/Red.
Class 95	SPECIES - RHYNCHOSTYLIS – Spotted/Splashed.
Class 96	SPECIES – BULBOPHYLLUM.
Class 97	SPECIES – LAELIINAE.
Class 98	SPECIES – VANDEAE.
Class 99	SPECIES – RESERVED.
Class 100	SPECIES – OTHER.

