



The Gap Garden Club Inc.

NEWSLETTER APRIL 2021

Welcome to the April Newsletter.....

MESSAGE FROM THE FAMILY OF ANNETTE TUCKER

Please thank Mum's Garden Club family for the cards and kind wishes we have received.

We have been truly touched by their thoughtfulness and kindness.

Tracey Collins, Annette's Daughter

PAYMENT OF ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION AND BUS TRIP PAYMENTS:

Members are encouraged to pay their annual Membership Subscription of \$30 and Bus Trip payments directly into the Club's bank account. The details of the Club's Bank Account are as follows:

Commonwealth Bank The Gap for credit of "THE GAP GARDEN CLUB ACCOUNT" - BSB 064174 ACCOUNT NO 00900306.

Please use your name as reference on the deposit to enable a receipt to be issued.

Many thanks.

Karen Curtis, Treasurer

GARDEN CLINIC:

The second clinic for 2021 was due to be held on Tuesday 6 April at the home of Bernadette Murray at 12 Bonros Place The Gap but had to be postponed to the following Saturday the 10th due to the amazing rainfall we had all week.

Members enjoyed Bernadette's traditional style garden with 18 members in attendance enjoying the wonderful sunny weather. A big thank you to Bernadette for hosting a great day.

The next Clinic will be held on Tuesday 4 May 2021 commencing at 10am at the home of Narelle Richter at 1 Quinnia Court, Ferny Hills. There are currently no COVID restrictions on numbers that would affect this outing to date.

Please bring your cup and chair, morning tea and packaged biscuits provided and enjoy Narelle's diverse variety of beautiful plants lovingly collected over the years she has been gardening and pick up some great tips and ideas with some like-minded friends

Judith Hyde, Clinic Co-ordinator

FIELD TRIPS:

The April Field Trip was held on Tuesday 13 April 2021 with visits to Samford, Rosevale Homestead, Samsonvale (Leonie Kearney), Redcliffe for lunch and the Plant Shack at Deception Bay. The Plant Shack donated 3 lovely plants for our raffle on the return trip and were won by Narelle Richter (Orchid), Angela Leak (Anthurium) and Val Reville (Dianthus). Bernadette requested Cathy to send a thank you note to Peter from the Plant Shack for the lovely raffle prizes.

The next Field Trip will be on Tuesday 11 May 2021 visiting Buderim. Members are requested to arrive at Rivercity Church by 8.15am for departure at 8.30am. The cost is \$35 and a \$2 parking fee for Rivercity Church. Morning Tea will be in a park at Buderim followed by a visit to Buderim Bromeliads (Danny) and then on to lunch at the Buderim Tavern. Lunch preference can be pre ordered at the time of buying tickets. After lunch more plant therapy will be enjoyed at Manawee Nursery before heading back to Brisbane.

Members are requested to ensure they have downloaded the QR Code App to their phone to streamline entry to the restaurant.

For any further information regarding the trip. please contact

Bernadette Murray - 0429 532 239
or Robyn Porter - 0409 055 103
Field Trip Co-ordinators

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OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST IN AND AROUND BRISBANE

Trevallan Lifestyle Centre at Brassall will be holding several garden workshops during April and May 2021 with more to follow in June and July.

The QLD Rose Society will be holding its Autumn Rose Show on Saturday 8 May (11.30am – 4pm) & Sunday 9 May (9am – 2.30pm) at Mt Coot-tha Botanical Gardens Auditorium. . There will be hundreds of roses on display with cut roses, potted roses and gardening products for sale, a rose potting demonstration, gift shop & morning tea. Entry is \$4 & children under 12 are free.

The QLD Herb Society will hold its annual Herb Awareness Fair at Albion Peace Hall, 102 McDonald Rd, Windsor. Date: Sunday 30 May 2021 (9am to 3pm). Entry: Free.

The Bimer Bonsai Club will be holding its annual Bonsai Show at Mt Coot-tha Botanical Gardens Auditorium on Saturday 1 May (9am to 5pm) and Sunday 2 May (9am to 4pm). Admission: \$3.

The collection of 65 works by members of the Botanical Artists Society in response to the legacy of Joseph Banks from the Endeavour voyage 250 years ago. The exhibition will be held at the Warwick Art Gallery from 22 April to 29 May 2021.

The Valley of the Lakes Garden Club at Esk will be holding the Esk Garden & Lifestyle Affair on Saturday 19 June in the grounds of the Old Esk Railway Station, Pipeliner Park, Esk-Hampton Road, Esk.

The QLD Garden Expo will be held on 9, 10 and 11 July at Nambour Showgrounds.. There will be 150 talks over the 3 days, spread over 10 live stages. There will be a huge range of garden tools, books, garden ornaments, pots, garden furniture and much more.

For further details on any of the items above, please contact the Correspondence Secretary.

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