

Maleny Garden Club Inc.

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**May 2017
Newsletter**

Next meeting: Tuesday 30th May to be held at **The Old Witta School**. The morning will commence at 9.30am with morning tea followed by our guest speaker, Russell Young, who will speak on Unusual ferns; new releases; old favourites.

Please note there should be four attachments: Newsletter, Tips and gleanings, GOE roster, GOE general information.

No dogs are allowed in the grounds at Garden Club Meetings or Sip n Snip.

Attendance sheets: Please sign the attendance sheet on arrival at each meeting – **do not sign on behalf of a friend**, unless it is an apology for non-attendance. **This is important for insurance purposes, as you are not covered by insurance if you have not signed the attendance sheet.**

MGC electronic banking details: BSB 484 799 a/c 03043 9363 together with identifying name. Payment can also be made directly with cash to this account at Suncorp at the Riverside Centre.

Morning Tea Set Up: Brian & Marion Robertson

Morning Tea Food Roster:

If you are unable to attend please advise newsletter@malenygardenclub.org immediately.

Christine Crocker	Sonia Douglas
Di Falconer	Kaye Gardner
Catherine Fincher	June Dunn

Sip n Snip:

No Sip n Snip in June due to GOE

Show & Tell:

The member to give a two-minute talk about some aspect of their garden at the May meeting is

Val Brown

Monthly Competition:

- ❖ **Bunch of flowers**
- ❖ **Fruit or vegetable**
- ❖ **Flower of the Month – Camellias – separate categories for japonicas and reticulatas**
- ❖ **Australian Native**
- ❖ **Rose**
- ❖ **All Else**

Please note: With the exception of Bunch of Flowers and All Else each category is a single bloom. You may enter more than one item but it is to be displayed singly. Only one vote per section please.

Maleny Neighbourhood Centre: There will be a box at the meeting if you would like to bring along any dry goods or canned items to donate to the centre.

GOE: Please read the attachment GOE general information for information on vollies day, bringing produce and plants etc

New Members: Robyn Bredhauer, Barbara Taylor

New Membership: \$30.00 per person until 1st August, thereafter \$40.00, includes Maleny Garden Club Membership Badge.

Membership Renewal: Membership fee for 2017/18 is \$25.00 per person and is due 1st August 2017. Cost to renew badges \$15.00.

Attendance Register: Ian Reimers

Raffle: Peter Brown

Snippets: Please send contributions for our quarterly magazine, Snippets, to Margaret Owens. Margaret would like to encourage members who have travelled to submit travelogues. margaret.owens@bigpond.com or phone her on 5429 6789

Compost & Potting Mix:

Compost \$9.00 per bag Potting Mix \$5.00 per bag

****Compost must be paid for and collected before 9.45 at the shed. Please drive car close to shed.****

Please return empty bags for recycling. Please pay with cash or cheque in an envelope marked with the name and product.

Upcoming Events: See **Diary Dates** attached.

Carolyn Willadsen, Editor

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DIARY DATES FOR 2017

Date	Event	Location	Time
Saturday 17 th June	Esk Garden & Lifestyle Fair	Old Esk Railway Station, Pipeliner Park, Esk- Hampton Road	Entry by gold coin
Friday, Saturday, Sunday 7 th -9 th July	Queensland Garden Expo	Nambour Showgrounds	Gates open 8am Adults \$18.00
Saturday 15 th Sunday 16 th July	Toowoomba Camellia show and Garden Expo	TAFE Horticulture Centre, via Campbell Street, Toowoomba	9am-4pm \$8 entry Free parking