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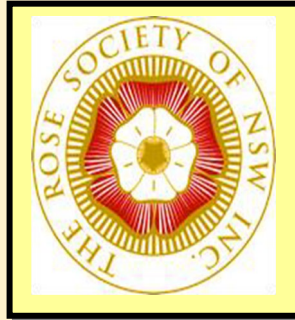
UNSH NEWSLETTER

APRIL 2023



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Next Meeting:

SATURDAY 20th May 2.00 pm

Trish and Graham Piper
"L'Hirondelle" 25 Harrisons Lane
Glenorie NSW 2157.

SPEAKER: Louie Kelbert apiarist from Kel
Bee Apiaries

The Rose Society of NSW Upper North Shore & Hills Regional

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Meets: 3rd Saturday or Sunday of the Month.

Attachments:

April Meeting Minutes

Dear Members,

Welcome to your April 2023 Newsletter.

Our April meeting was held on 16th April in Seven Hills at the home of Sandra Crompton. It was quite a windy day, and it was hard to bench but our members persevered, and we saw some great entries. Thank you to those that came along and benched.

Judy held a workshop on flower arrangement and the members were enthralled with her knowledge and there were many questions and interesting facts learnt on the day. In our newsletter you will see some shots of Judy and her arrangements coming together.

Afternoon tea was a real winner, with the star being Sandy's cake, so much so that the recipe is published in this newsletter. As promised, Sandy's cake was presented on the beautiful cake stand that she won in the March raffle, and it was great to see it being put to good use.

We had several members attend the Royal Easter Show and help man the Rose stand and the feedback that has been received is that the UNSH members did an amazing job and Colin Hollis has praised UNSH for their support. Thank you to those that attended and supported the Rose Society, we look forward to hearing some stories at our next meeting.

Our May meeting is being held at the home of Trish & Graham Piper's property in Glenorie and we have a special guest that will be coming along to speak about bee keeping and he will be bringing along some of his homey which will be available to purchase.

I look forward to seeing you all on Saturday 20th May.



For those of you that ordered Neutrog products we are expecting delivery to Birchgrove soon. Once we have been advised of a delivery date, we will be in contact with you on the process to collect your orders.

Next orders close 10th August 2023

Congratulations to Trish and Graham Piper married for 60 years. (Diamond Anniversary)

"We feel very fortunate to have achieved this milestone. We celebrated with our tribe of four children (all in stable marriages), 15 grandchildren and a few "partners", we numbered 28 and feel blessed."



Dates for Your Diaries

Reginal Rose Shows

15 October 2023: Nepean & UNSH – Set up on 14 October.

27 & 28 October 2023: Illawarra

Welcome Rose Enthusiasts

Just a reminder that you all have access to the Rose Society of NSW INC website.

<http://nsw.rose.org.au/>

Login details:

User: rmember

Password: Seduction

Market Stall

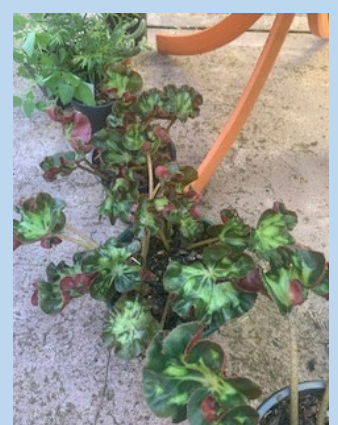
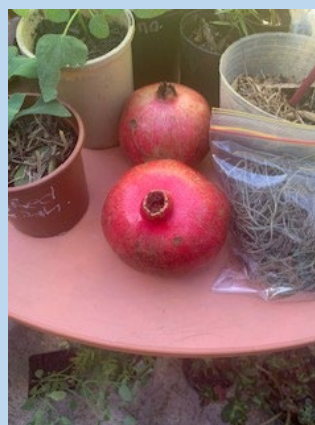
Don't forget to browse or donate to our Market Stall

Donations Ideas: (books, plants, potted cuttings, jams, honeys).

Prices are to be \$1, \$2 and \$3 – Great value and all funds raised go to UNSH

Wagner's our discount code is still **100%ROSES!** (Remember to include the exclamation mark as well).

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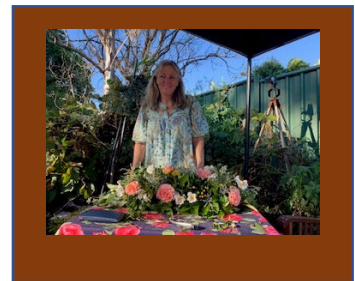
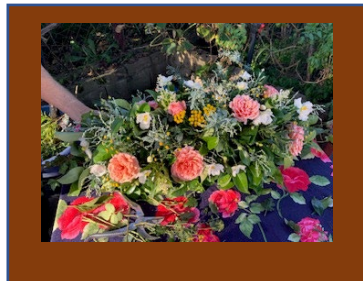
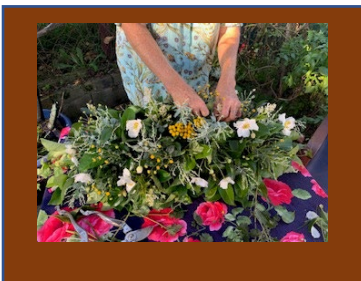
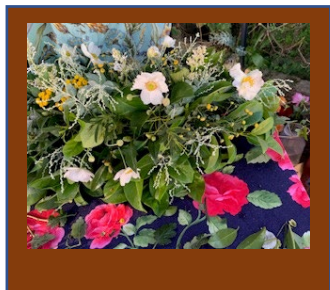
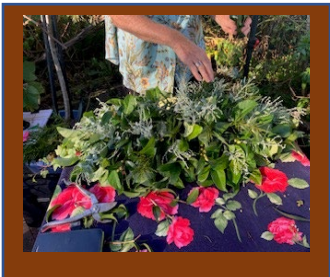
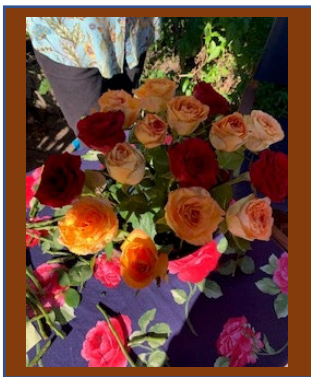


GUEST SPEAKER JUDY SATCHELL

Our speaker this month was Judy Satchell on Placing Roses in an Arrangement for Benching.

Judy Firstly demonstrated arranging a bowl.

- Minimum of 10 blooms-can be more.
- This is the simplest form so therefore there is no foliage.
- Not a standard unit but will be found in a rose show. The arrangement is not eligible for championships.
- The arrangement must be as tall as wide. Preferably wider than the height.
- Prepare with a 1 cm gap between stems as the rose will continue to open-up. The blooms must not be touching and must be individually spaced and even and size.
- The main point for judging is the decorative effect of the unit. They will look for Condition-3pts.
 - Overall beauty-3pts
 - Stem and foliage-2pts
 - Presentation-2pts.
- You can have foliage and buy roses. It is best to have one colour.
- You will be required to pre-do your arrangement of the unit for the Nepean Show, but for the Easter show you arrange on site.
- Judy also showed us how to create a table runner.
- She used ivy; viburnum; silver wattle; wattle blooms; sasanqua Camelias stems; wind anemones; plectranthus eckonilii; yarrow; pom-pom Chrysanthemum; Camelias with buds; roses and buds.
- You need to cover all the oasis evenly and with similar sized blooms.
- You need an odd number of rose blooms and use rose buds for added depth.



Sandy's Garden.

Note from Sandy:

Could you please put a thank I was so pleased to see everyone here and was so stunned by their comments on my little garden, I didn't think it made the grade of gardens... My Mum and Dad were the gardeners, with my Grandad being a Horticulturalist in NZ. Mum had a beautiful garden of roses and of course cuttings from friend and family gardens from elsewhere throughout NZ the car was always full of plants after a visit, there was always a swop of plants going on. I love that we UNSH's are doing this as well, it makes my heart swell.



MEMBERS ENJOYING THE MEETING IN THE SUN



SANDY'S MUM'S SPONGE CAKE!

5 Large eggs separated (if the eggs are small use 6 eggs there is no need to increase the other ingredients) Large duck eggs are even better!

142 grams of white sugar

14gms of plain flour

128 grams of Cornflour

Separate all eggs.

Beat egg whites until stiff and peaks form.

Beat in 1 tablespoon of Sugar and one of egg yolks, until the sugar has dissolved and then keep adding in same ratios until all has been used and mixture is smooth, and sugar dissolved.

Sift in the dry ingredients and then FOLD in carefully until the flour is combined with the egg and not pockets of dry flour exist.

Line the sides and bottom of a Springform tin about 20 CMS diameter, the small/wider the tin, the higher/lower the height of the Sponge when cooked.

Bake at 170 – 180 deg in fan forced oven, if you know your oven runs hot then drop temp and bake for at least 30 minutes without opening the oven door. Test with a cake needle in the centre if it comes out clean then remove from oven, remove paper lining and let cool completely on rack.

If you want to make it a chocolate one, for every tablespoon of (good) cocoa powder put in, take out the same in the cornflour.

Dress as desired.

It's a wonderful recipe and is always a winner.

PHOTO'S OF APRIL BENCH

MEMBERS PICK



JUDGES PICK



Novice Class 1



Novice Class 2



Novice Class 3



Intermediate Class 4



Intermediate Class 5



Intermediate Class 6



Advanced Class 7



Advanced Class 8



RESULTS OF APRIL BENCH

Member	Benching	Novice	Regular	Advanced	Judges	Members	TOTAL
Anne Buttigieg	1	10	0	0			11
Antionietta Destro	2	20	0	0	20		42
Aubrey Knowles	13	0	47	23		15	98
Chris Jones		0	0	0			0
Dianne Waring		0	0	0			0
Georgina McCarthy		0	0	0			0
Jill Fraumeni		0	0	0			0
Judy Satchell	5	0	0	37			42
Julie Barlow	1	0	3	0			4
Lynn Jones		0	0	0			0
Maree Ross		0	0	0			0
Paul Stanley		0	0	0			0
Rebekah Jackson		0	0	0			0
Cheryle Hobart		0	0	0			0
Scott Crichton		0	0	0			0
Sandra Crompton		0	0	0			0
Trish Piper	2	0	10	0			12

POINTS FOR APRIL BENCH

Class			First 10 Points	Second 7 Points	Third 3 Points	Judges Pick 20 Points	Members Pick 15 Points
Novice	1	1 x Exhibition Rose	Anne Buttigieg	-	-		
Novice	2	1 x Vase Miniatures, 3 stems and/or cuts - NND	Antonietta Destro	-	-		
Novice	3	Floral Art - Autumn Basket - roses to dominate	Antonietta Destro	-	-	Antonietta Destro	
Intermediate	4	1 x Vase Miniatures OR Miniflora (not a mixture) - Stems and/or Cuts - Australian	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles		
Intermediate	5	1 x Vase Full Bloom Roses, 3 stems, Same Cultivar	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles		Aubrey Knowles
Intermediate	6	Floral Art - An arrangement using only 3 Roses	Trish Piper	Aubrey Knowles	Julie Barlow		
Advanced	7	1 x Vase Floribunda Roses - 1-6 stems and/or cuts, same cultivar (minimum 10 booms)	Judy Satchell	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles		
Advanced	8	1 x Exhibition Rose	Judy Satchell	Judy Satchell	Aubrey Knowles		
Advanced	9	Floral Art - Roses Under Glass	Judy Satchell	Aubrey Knowles	Aubrey Knowles		

YEAR TO DATE BENCH RESULTS

YEAR TO DATE TOTALS								
Member	Benching	Novice	Regular	Advanced	Judges	Members	YTD Total	Avg.
Anne Buttigieg	8	60	0	0	0	0	68	7.5
Antonietta Destro	16	88	7	3	40	0	154	8.6
Aubrey Knowles	80	0	239	147	20	45	531	5.6
Chris Jones	9	20	9	27	0	0	65	6.2
Dianne Waring	3	7	0	3	0	0	13	3.3
Georgina McCarthy	7	13	3	3	20	0	46	5.6
Jill Fraumeni	4	10	0	10	0	0	24	5.0
Judy Satchell	29	0	0	175	20	45	269	8.3
Julie Barlow	10	0	39	0	20	0	69	5.9
Lynn Jones	3	13	3	0	0	0	19	5.3
Maree Ross	3	17	0	0	20	15	55	17.3
Paul Stanley	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.0
Rebekah Jackson	3	7	7	10	0	0	27	8.0
Cheryle Hobart	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Scott Crichton	1	10	0	0	0	0	11	10.0
Sandra Crompton	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.0
Trish Piper	10	0	54	0	0	15	79	6.9

APRIL RAFFLE WINNERS

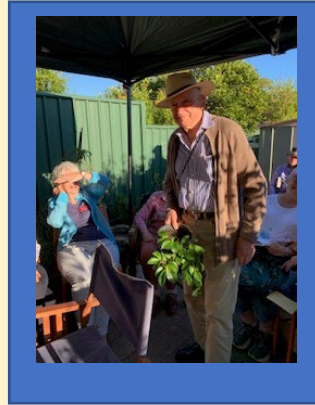
Maree Ross
Collapsible Garden
Bag



Judy Satchell
A Box of
Chocolates



Dr Aubrey Knowles
Ground Cover
Camelia



Judith Williamson
Grandiflora rose
(no Name)



Trish Piper
Floral Arrangement



Anne Buttigieg
Floral Arrangement

MAY IN THE ROSE GARDEN:



-Prepare the soil for planting in June/July. Use dolomite on acid soils and iron sulphate or gypsum on alkaline soils. If you are replacing a rose dig out a wheelbarrow load of the soil and replace with soil from another part of the garden where no roses have been growing. Dig in well-rotted manure and organic matter. Continue spraying with Eco Oil and Neem Oil if you notice aphids.



Mother's Day falls on 14 May this year – and as a valued customer, we want to give you an exclusive **20% off our gifts!**

* For the next week, you can save on some great gardening gifts, at the checkout use code:

QGSUM23

Below is the Afternoon Tea Roster - **Looking to fill the gaps for future meetings?**

* If you can assist with afternoon Tea for March, please let David know as we require 2 more assistants.

AFTERNOON TEA ROSTER – Can be Published in Newsletter				
Month	Co-Ordinator	Assistant 1	Assistant 2	Assistant 3
September 2022	Trish Piper	Georgina McCarthy	Judith Williamson	Julie Barlow
October 2022	Trish Piper	Anne Buttigieg	Julie Barlow	Bronwyn Berend
November 2022	Trish Piper	Judy Satchell	Lynn Jones	Julie Barlow
December 2022	Trish Piper	Not Required	Not Required	Not Required
January 2023	Trish Piper	Not Required	Not Required	Not Required
February 2023	Trish Piper	Georgina McCarthy	Esther Ronco	Antionetta Destro
March 2023	Trish Piper	Anne Buttigieg	Susan Montgomery	Sandy Crompton
April 2023	Trish Piper	Anne Buttigieg	Pam Dunn	Margaret Smith
May 2023	Trish Piper	Penny Whipp	Antionetta Destro	Maree Ross
June 2023	Trish Piper			
July 2023	Trish Piper			
August 2023	Trish Piper			

Below are the current vacant Roles – **Still needing to fill 3 roles.**

UNSH HELPERS: ROSTERS

TASKS	RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE
Raffle Sales	Marg Smith & Pam Dunn
Raffle Purchases	Judy Satchell
Afternoon Tea	Trish Piper
Sign On Sheet	Marg Smith & Pam Dunn
Photographer	Rosie Ceryll
Benching Support	Judy Satchell
Bench Steward Asst	Robyn McIntyre
Neutrog Liaison	David Smith
Set up meetings	
Pack up meeting	Julie Barlow
Minute Taker	Maree Ross
Newsletter	Maree Ross
BBQ Chef	Barry Leithhead
Welfare Officer	Bronwyn Berend
Social Activities	
Market Stall Cashier	

Rose Ordering:

Have you ordered any new roses?

Did you take into account Climate Change in your choices?

Growing roses in a semi-tropical environment with high humidity causes more fungal diseases and stress on the plant.

There are recommendations from both Treloar's and the Queensland Rose Society for plants that cope with higher heat and humidity. Many breeders are breeding roses with high disease resistance and more reliable flowering.

Some of the Roses for the Show bench suggested by the Queensland Rose Society are:

Aotearoa	Big Purple
City of Newcastle	Chartreuse de Parme
Dolly Parton	Elina
Firefighter	Gemini
Granada	Heaven Scent
Hot Cocoa	Kardinal
Marilyn Munroe	Moonstone
Parole	Perfume Passion

Kardinal

