

**...Low Freight Rates...**

No matter how many plants are in your order our postal charge is the same low rate for the whole order. **Qld & NSW - \$17.00, Vic - \$20.00, S.A - \$24.00, NT& Tas \$45,WA \$49** (Includes Quarantine Inspection Costs). **\*Please note: The post & packing charge is for the whole order not each plant.** Unless specified plants are sent in long pots 70mm wide. Our plants are specially treated to ensure they travel well and in remote areas are able to travel up to two weeks without ill effects. Our unique packaging method has been giving great results for 31 years. You can either plant them straight into the garden, hold them in their pots or repot them with the pots of your choice. Plants that grow in full sun have been hardened to full sun conditions. **KEY:** 1.0m Typical Height of Plant in Cultivation ie one metre, V = Vine.\*Fragrant \*\* Native To Australia, Rf Rainforest Plant, Ed Edible. F Frost Resistant, Fm Moderately Frost Resistant. Suited to: A Mild Climates from Hervey Bay (+Nth Qld Tablelands) South to Wollongong, Sth Aust & WA. B Inland / Hot&Dry, C Cool Areas/ Tablelands, cool parts Tas&Vic, D Tropics, E Seaside Planting-Salt Spray. If we use a small a,b,c, or d indicates not known by us but worth a try with extra care and placement. Often our customers give feedback on these. In addition every climate has different microclimates and every backyard has its own microclimates with various degrees of protection against the elements. Microclimates can be created that allow one gardener to grow plants that the neighbour can only dream about.

**Tas** Orders will be sent on the Following day:  
**Thursday 30th June and Western Australian & NT Orders on Friday 1st July.** We need your order by 2.00pm AEST **Thursday 23rd June** as we go through an intricate Quarantine Approval & Inspection process & need to do this in one batch to make the process feasible. Air Delivery surcharge is 15% added on to your total order. We send Toll Air Priority. **No PO Boxes**

4. The plants must come out of their pots. You then prune the roots back to a strong ball & dip in magic crystals & plant into the moss, potting mix & gravel.
5. Remember to experiment with your plants before you remove them from their pot.
6. Moisten once and mist with warm water weekly or as required.
7. Probably a good place for some small lizards to enjoy life!

**FOCUS ON TERRARIUMS**

**..Natural Beauty Inside**

**Terrariums** are a fantastic way of keeping plants indoors for an artistic display of nature.

The idea is to experiment with the colours, textures & heights of your plants until you get an arrangement that appeals to you. You can also blend moss, rock, water & wood into your masterpiece.

**Terrariums** keep the air humid & the growing material moist for a wide variety of plants that may require those conditions. The plants need to be small depending on the size of your Terrarium which can be from the size of a large wine glass to a huge tank. **Here are a few plants suitable for terrariums:** Small Bromeliads like Cryptanthus, Tillandsia & Dyckia, Dieffenbachia, Cactus, Carnivorous, Elephant Tree, Ferns, Crotons, Figs, Pine Seedlings, Peperomia, African Violets, Orchids, Anthurium, Aglaonema and more.

**Where to get your Terrarium**

Get something suitable for a Terrarium like an old Fish Aquarium or big plastic or glass case or a huge goblet OR get some flat perspex/glass & stick the pieces together.

**How to Prepare Your Terrarium**

(see our Video Tip of the Week)

1. Get some fine clean pretty gravel and lay it about 30mm thick. Lay a thin layer of charcoal. Lay 40mm of well drained potting mix.
2. Lay a thin trail of magic crystals to retain water just below the potting mix..
3. Lay some green moss or dry died sphagnum about 30 mm thick. This improves the look but is also a good substrate for the plant to grow in.
3. Select your plants. Remember there are no rules....just about any mini plant is suitable. Its just got to appeal to your eye in the mix you create....also think about bonsai types & woody plants.

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**FERN LEAVED TAMARIND**

(1-4m\*\*RfAbcD) **Sarcotoechia serrata**  
 Pink new growth on these fern like leaves make this a stunning feature from this small rainforest tree. Blooms in autumn with these small pea sized yellow flowers which are then



followed by these yellow seed pods that split to reveal several red seeds. Native to NE QLD and New Guinea. Well drained soil. Slow growing up to 6 meters but requires shelter from strong wind and protection from frost. Good in a pot indoors or as a large bonsai. Can be kept small in a pot. Part shade.

.....Priced at \$9.90 each or 3 for \$27

*...Leaves like a Love Heart...*

**VALENTINE HOYA**

**Hoya kerrii** has unbelievably thick heart shaped leaves which grow to 5-15cm long and wide. A very reliable bloomer it has tight bunches of attractive reflexed flowers that are white with a tint of lime green and change to pink with a maroon corona. 3 to 4 leaf. Sent in 75mm pots.



....Priced at \$25 each.  
**Limit 1 per Customer!**

**YOUR HOME GARDEN  
 YOUR PARADISE**

## WHITE BUTTERFLY GINGER

(1.5m\*AbcD) *Hedychium 'White Butterfly'* will give you the most fragrant and attractive flowers while the inner flowers remain as small buds. Excellent for cut flowers. The large dark green leaves will highlight the flowers making this plant ideal for planting at border of your garden or as hedges. Good in containers. Prefers well drained acidic soil. Semi-shade is best. Sent in 75mm pots.



.....Priced at \$9.90 (180 Parries) or 3 for \$25

## MEXICAN MARIGOLD

(1.2mABcD) *Tagetes lemmonii*. Produces highly fragrant vibrant golden yellow daisy-like flowers from autumn and can keep producing flowers for up to 10 months throughout a year. The foliage has a pungent aroma when rubbed or brushed against. Native to Mexico. Thrives out in the heat and sun. This shrub is both heat and drought tolerant. Can tolerate light frost. Prefers well drained soil. Best in full sun. Sent in 75mm pots. ....Priced at \$7.90 (200 Parries)



## EVERGREEN HYDRANGEA

(1.5mAbcD) *Dichroa febrifuga versicolor*. This is a lovely and unusual shrub with large clusters of blue and white flowers while the inner flowers remain as small buds. Excellent



for cut flowers. The large dark green leaves will highlight the flowers making this plant ideal for planting at border of your garden or as hedges. Good in containers. Prefers well drained acidic soil. Semi-shade is best. Sent in 75mm pots.

.....Priced at \$8.90 (200 Parries) each.

## AGLAONEMA JULY COLLECTION

### AGLAONEMA 'SIAM AURORA'

(1mAD) Beautifully marked succulent with reddish pink on the spine and edges on the green leaves.



.....Priced at \$9.90 (200 Parries) each

### THAI AGLAONEMA No.3

Beautifully marked succulent looking light pink and/or spotted white with dark green leaves and pink veins.



.....\$12.90 (200 Parries) each

**Get Both for \$21**

Aglaonemas are soothing foliage plants that are great under dull light conditions. Keep on the dry side in temperature below 20°C. Colour can vary depending on the light intensity. Great in a pot inside in cooler areas or outside or in a subtropical garden. Aglaonema are so easy care you can't go wrong because they love the shade they handle indoor conditions with ease and in warm areas they will light up any garden. They are tough & handle a variety of conditions and are relatively pest resistant and long lived.

# Paradise Stock Plants

## Gingers & Heliconias

Costus arabicus (2mAbcD).....wht flwrs.....	\$12.90
Costus lucanusianus (2mAbcD) Sweet African Costus.....	\$12.90
Costus spiralis (2mAbcD) Red Costus.....pnk flwrs.....	\$12.90
Costus subsessilis 'Golden Yellow' (2mAbcD) Costus Golden Yellow.....	\$14.90
Heliconia stricta (2mAbcD) Red Heliconia.....red flwrs.....	\$19.90
Zingiber zerumbet 'Darceyi' Variegated Shampoo Ginger.....	\$12.90

## Ferns

Adiantum hispidulum (30cm**ABCD) Native Maidenhair.....	\$13.90
Adiantum raddianum cv Fritz Luthi (35cmABCD) Fritz Luthi Maidenhair.....	\$13.90
Adiantum tenerum 'Pacific May'.....100mm pots.....	\$13.90
Adiantum tenerum Lady Moxon (60cmAD).....100mm pots.....(Apr-May19).....	\$13.90
Dicksonia squarrosa (4mABCD) Wheki.....100mm pots.....	\$12.90
Didymochlaena truncatula (1mABCD) Maidenhair Tree Fern.....100mm pots.....	\$12.90
Microlepia strigosa (90cmABCD) Lace Fern.....100mm pots.....	\$12.90
Microsorium musifolium 'Crocodyllus' (60cmABCD) Crocodyllus.....	\$12.90
Pellaea ovata (90cmABCD) Cliff Brake Fern.....100mm pots.....	\$12.90
Phlebodium aureum mandianum 'Tasselled Form' Syn. Polypodium (1m**ABCD).....	\$12.90
Polystichum retrosa-palaeum (80cmABCD) Japanese Sword Fern.....	\$12.90
Pteris ensiformis cv. Victoriae (60cmABCD) Victoria Pteris.....100mm pots.....	\$12.90
Todea barbara (3m**ABCD) King Fern (Ancient).....	\$14.90

## Orchids

Bassolaelia Morning Glory (Seedlings).....50mm pots.....	\$14.90
Dendrobium Aung Char Yellow.....ylw flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$19.90
Dendrobium Dada Blue.....violet blue flwrs.....70mm.....	\$19.90
Dendrobium Twisters.....yellow flwrs.....80mm pots.....	\$18.90
Dendrochilum tenellum.....white flwrs.....80mm pots.....	\$27.00
Epidendrum Comet Valley 'Pink'.....pkn flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$19.90
Lc. Mari's Song x Rlc. Dream Trader 'Southern Cross'.....pink flwrs.....50mm pots.....	\$15.90
Oncidium Sharry 'Red Fantasy'.....red flwrs.....50mm pots.....	\$15.90
Oncidium Sharry Baby 'Sweet Fragrance'.....red & white flwrs.....80mm pots.....	\$23.00
Phalaenopsis Fuller's 3476.....dark fuchsia flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$19.90
Phalaenopsis Fuller's 3545.....pnk flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$19.90
Phalaenopsis lioulin wildcat.....70mm pots.....	\$19.90
Rhyncholaeliocattleya Shinfong Golden Gem.....golden flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$23.00
Rlc. Chunyeah 'Tzeng Wen'.....ylw flwrs.....70mm pots.....	\$18.90
Rlc. Pastoral 'Ava Marie'.....wht flwrs with lemon tips.....115mm pots.....	\$33.00
Spathoglottis plicata (40cmAbcD) Philippine Orchid.....100mm pots.....	\$15.90

## Palms & Cycads

Dypsis decaryii (6mABcD) Triangle Palm.....	\$8.90
Howea fosteriana (5mABCDE) Kentia Palm.....75mm pots.....	\$12.90
Licuala ramsayii (6m**AbcD) Australian Fan Palm.....	\$8.90
Pritchardia pacifica (15mABCDE) Fiji Fan Palm.....	\$15.90
Zamia furfuracea (1mFmABCDE) Mexican Cardboard Plant.....	\$12.90

## Shrubs & Outdoor

Azalea purpurea (1mABCD).....	\$7.90
Callistemon 'Dawson River' (4m**FABcD) Dawson River Weeper.....	\$7.90
Clivia miniata (50cmABcD) Clivia Lily.....orange/red flwrs.....	\$7.90
Codiaeum variegatum 'aureo-maculatum' (1.5mAD) Croton Gold Dust.....	\$9.90
Cordyline fruticosa 'Aka Rose' (50cmAbcD) Cordyline Aka Rose.....	\$9.90
Doranthus excelsa (4m**FABcDE) Gynea Lily.....	\$7.90
Dracaena marginata (4mABCD) Dracaena Black Knight.....	\$8.90
Gardenia augusta 'Professor Pucci' (1.5m*AbcD) Gardenia 'Professor Pucci'.....	\$7.90
Hibiscus 'Tini Tina' (1mAbcD) Tiny Tina.....pink flwrs.....	\$7.90
Lomandra hystrix (1m**FABcDE).....	\$7.90
Melastroma affine 'Purple' (4m**AbcD) Native Blue Tongue.....purple flwrs.....	\$9.90
Pink Crocus (15cmFABcDE).....pink flwrs.....	\$7.90
Pitcairnia sanguinea (1mAbcD).....	\$12.90
Russelia equisetiformis 'Lemon Falls' (1.5mFABcD) Lemon Coral Bush.....	\$7.90
Sarcotoechia serrata (6m**RfAbcD) Fern Leaved Tamarind.....	\$9.90
Streitzia juncea (1mFABcD) Rush Leaved Bird of Paradise.....	\$9.90
Tibouchina heteromalla 'Jules' (1mABcD) Tibouchina Jules.....prple flwrs.....	\$8.90
Tulbaghia violacea 'Variegata' (35cmFABcDE) Society Garlic.....	\$8.90

## Vines

Pandorea jasminoides (V**ABCD) Bower of Beauty.....pink flwrs.....	\$8.90
Vanilla planifolia (Syn. V. fragrans).....goldn flwrs.....	\$15.90

# Paradise Stock Plants

## Foliage/Indoor Plants

Aglaonema 'Siam Aurora' (1mAD).....	\$9.90
Alocasia brisbanensis (1.5m**RfAbCd) Native Cunjevoi Lily.....	\$12.90
Alocasia cucullata 'Bambino' (30cmABCDE) Bambino Elephant Ear.....	\$12.90
Alocasia cuprea (50cmABCD) Jewel Alocasia.....	\$18.90
Alocasia micholitziana (1mAbCd) Green Velvet Alocasia.....	\$12.90
Alocasia portodora (2.5m**RfAbCd) Portodora Elephant Ear.....	\$12.90
Begonia imperialis (25cmAbCd) Silver Band Begonia.....75mm pots.....	\$15.90
Begonia rex (70cmAbCd) Begonia Rex.....	\$9.90
Begonia rex 'Plum Paisley' (70cmAbCd) Begonia Plum Paisley.....	\$9.90
Begonia hybrid 'Fabulous Tom' (50cmAbCd) Begonia Fabulous Tom.....	\$9.90
Caladium lindenii (35cmABCD).....70mm pots.....	\$15.90
Calathea concinna 'Freddy' (30cmABCD) Calathea Freddy.....	\$9.90
Calathea fasciata (35cmAbCd).....	\$9.90
Calathea orbifolia (40cmAbCd).....	\$8.90
Calathea picturata 'Vandenheckei' (35cmAbCd) Calathea Bicajoux.....75mm pots.....	\$8.90
Chlorophytum Orange Flashfire (50cmAbCd).....	\$9.90
Clerodendron nutans (1.5mAbCd) Hanging Clerodendrum.....	\$9.90
Cordylone fruticosa 'Tangelo' (1.5mAbCd) Cordylone Tangelo.....	\$7.90
Hedera helix (50cmAbCd) Cascade White Ivy.....100mm pots.....	\$8.90
Medinilla dichophylla (70cmAbCd) Doli Chandelier.....	\$19.90
Nematanthus 'Tropicana' (15-10cmAbCd).....	\$12.90
Peperomia clusifolia 'Red Edge' (20cmABCD).....75mm pot.....	\$9.90
Peperomia obtusifolia albo-marginata (30cmAbCd).....90mm pots.....	\$9.90
Peperomia puteolata (45cmAbCd) Parallel Peperomia.....	\$9.90
Scindapsus pictus 'Exotica' (VAbCd) Scindapsus Exotica.....75mm pots.....	\$12.90
Spathyphyllum 'Viscount' (60cmAbCd).....	\$7.90
Syngonium podophyllum 'Confetti' (30cmAbCd) Syngonium Confetti.....	\$15.90
Syngonium wendlandii (30cmAbCd) Velvet Syngonium.....	\$12.90
Thai aglaonema No.3 (1mAD).....	\$12.90
Thai aglaonema Pink (1mAD).....	\$9.90
Thai aglaonema 'Siam Aurora' (1mAD).....	\$9.90
Xanthosoma 'Lime Zinger' (1.5mABCD) Alocasia Lime Zinger.....	\$12.90
Spathyphyllum 'Sensation' (2mAbCd) Giant Spathyphyllum.....	\$9.90

## Succulents

Epiphyllum hybrid 'Red' (60cmEAbCd) Epiphyllum Red.....75mm pots.....	\$14.90
Gasteria x Aloe Hybrid.....Gasteraloe Kabela.....70mm pots.....	\$9.90
Rhipsalis sulcata (30cmABCD) Square Cactus.....	\$12.90

## Bromeliads

Cryptanthus striatum 'Sunshine'.....	\$12.90
Dyckia brevifolia (20cm) Pineapple Dyckia.....	\$12.90
Guzmania 'Claire' (40cmABCD).....pink flwrs.....	\$12.90
Guzmania 'Mirador' (40cmABCD).....white flwrs.....	\$12.90
Neoregelia species 'Tunisia' (30cmABCD) Neoregelia Tunisia.....	\$15.90
Vriesea fosteriana 'Rubra' (1mAbCd).....	\$12.90

## Trees

Tabebuia pallida (8mABcDe) Cuban Pink Trumpet Tree.....	\$9.90
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## Philodendrons & Monstera

Monstera adansonii (2mAbCd) Swiss Cheese Vine.....	\$15.90
Monstera siltsepiana (80cmVAbCd) Silver Monstera.....	\$12.90
Philodendron bipinnatifidum 'Tortum' (VAbCd) Philodendron Tortum.....	\$13.90
Philodendron birkin.....75mm pots.....	\$12.90
Philodendron brasil.....75mm pots.....	\$12.90
Philodendron erubescens 'Black Cardinal'.....	\$14.90
Philodendron hederaceum var. oxycardium (6mAbCd) Heartleaf Philodendron.....	\$14.90
Philodendron Prince of Orange.....75mm pots.....	\$12.90
Philodendron subhastatum.....	\$19.90

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Ginger

## UNUSUAL PLANTS

### LIPSTICK PLANT

*Aeschynanthus radicans* is a lovely hanging Lipstick with big red tubular flowers emerging from dark maroon buds, resembling lipsticks.



Flowering in summer this is the most spectacular of all the Lipsticks. Great indoor plant and good in a hanging basket. Bright indirect light. Sent in 75mm pots.

.....Priced at \$9.90 each (200 Parries)

### MEXICAN BLUEBELL

(1.5mABCD) *Ruellia simplex*. This is a great colourful shrub with bright blue to purple open flared bell flowers on short stems. Flowering from spring through summer.



Gets a spread of 1m. Medium soft light green foliage. A native of Mexico & Brazil but can be grown in colder climates. Great in the ground or in a pot, especially in colder climates where more protection can be given. Drought tolerant once established. Suited to warm and coastal climates. Full sun to part shade. Sent in 75mm diameter pots.

.....Priced at \$7.90 (150 Parries) or 3 for \$21

Thank you for your Referrals.  
We appreciate them very much.

.....From Bob & Bev

### MACARTHUR PALM

(5m\*\*AD) *Ptychosperma macarthurii* Is an extremely attractive clumping palm from Cape York. It is a Feather Palm with clumping, slender, grey ringed trunks topped with a crownshaft. The attractive 'cutoff



leaves' are a feature. Cream flowers are followed by bunches of bright red fruit. South of Coffs harbour NSW or equivalent you will need a warm protected suntrap in a frostfree coastal area. Good in a pot. Full sun or shade. These plants are 4 leaf and 350mm tall in a 70mm pot.

.....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries)

...Unusual Cactus..Huge Delicious Fruit...

### PINK DRAGONFRUIT

#### CUTTINGS

(4.5mAbCd) *Hylocereus undatus*. Also known as Pitaya & Strawberry Pear. *Hylocereus undatus* is a weird climbing cactus with large delicious edible pink fruit (1kg) with pink flesh. Its huge white fragrant flowers



are 30cm across in late spring and summer. They appear only during the night! The huge fruit are juicy and absolutely delicious. They are grown commercially for fruit in Vietnam and South America. This cactus will climb up a wall or a tree and quickly develops multiple trunks. Vivid green three cornered stems. Will grow in desert but easy to grow elsewhere. Needs winter protection in cooler areas. Full sun or bright light. These cuttings are 20cm long. Sent Loose. ....Priced at \$8.90 each

**GOLD FUSSIA**

(1.5mAbcD) *Strobilanthes anisophyllus* will provide you with absolute masses of rich mauve bell shaped spikes of flowers in autumn and winter. Attractive small leaves are a nice addition to any foliage garden and the the flowers will really set the scene on fire. Needs a warm climate from Sydney NSW northwards or grown indoors in winter. Full sun or shade.



.....Priced at \$7.90 (150 Parries) or 3 for \$21

**AMERICAN HONEYSUCKLE**

(8m\*VFmAbCD) *Lonicera x americana* Gorgeous long tubular sweet scented flower buds, pink outside and white inside. Climbing vine with leathery green leaves. Long tubular very sweet scented flower buds that are pink outside white inside when it opens. Fantastic climber on fence and trellises. Blooms in summer. Hardy in severe weather. Thrives in moist but well drained soil. European hybrid. Full sun to part shade.



.....Priced at \$9.90 (180 Parries) or 3 for \$27

**Most of our plants are sent in the 70 to 75mm diameter pots they are grown in. Usually 20cm+ tall. Ferns are sent in their 100mm pots.**

**HEBE MARIE ANTOINETTE**

(50cmFmAbCD) *Hebe hybrida* ‘Marie Antoinette’. Both equally amazing foliage and flowers on this evergreen compact shrub. The flowers bloom in spring, mauve purple flowers on each upright branches with oblong green leaves with a pinkish red to purple underside. In spring the flowers start off as mauve then fades into white in summer. Slow growing. Can be grown in containers, or as a border plant. Shelter from strong wind. Well drained soil. Full sun to part shade.



.....Priced at \$8.90 (150 Parries) or 3 for \$23

**ASPIDISTRA - CAST IRON PLANT**

(1mAbcD) *Aspidistra elatior*. Called the Cast Iron plant for a good reason...they are a very tough hard to kill indoor plant. Aspidastras are a broad leaved glossy black green plants that stand out against a dark background. Tall slimline and elegant in a long vasselike pot. They are very tough and can exist in low light conditions. Excellent indoors & patios and require shade.



.....Priced at \$8.90 each (180 Parries)

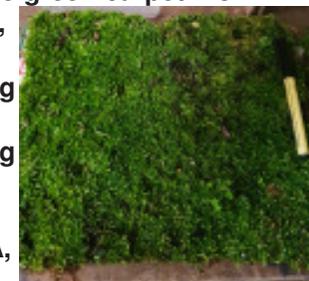
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John Milton

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**MOSS**

Like a lush green carpet. For terrariums, bonsai, landscaping and germinating ferns.



(Not for WA, NT & Tasmania)

....Priced at \$6.90 each (15cmx10cm)

**Paradise Stock Plants**

We are holding stocks of the following plants at the moment. Availability is subject to orders. Descriptions can be found in past catalogues marked in brackets. Symbols are described in back page Key. Flower colour and time are abbreviated after brackets.

**Unusuals**

<i>Alocasia cuprea</i> (50cmABCD) Jewel Alocasia.....	\$18.90
<i>Arthropodium cirratum</i> ‘Matapouri Bay’ (1mEdABCD) Renga Renga Lily.....	\$12.90
<i>Beaucarnea guatemalensis</i> (3mFABCDE) Elephant Tree.....	\$19.90
<i>Epipremnum aureum</i> ‘Marble Queen’ (VineAbcD) Marble Queen Pothos.....	\$15.90
<i>Eucharis x grandiflora</i> (60cmAbcD) Amazon Lily.....	\$12.90
<i>Euphorbia milii</i> ‘Lemon & Lime’ (1mABCD) Golden Christ Plant.....	\$12.90
<i>Kohleria warszewiczii</i> (60cmAbcD).....	\$9.90
<i>Licuala grandis</i> (3mAbcD) Fan Palm.....	\$29.00
<i>Ludisia discolor</i> (35cmAD) Jewel Orchid.....	\$15.90
<i>Medinilla dolichophylla</i> (70cmAbcD) Doli Chandelier.....purple flwrs.....	\$19.90
<i>Peperomia puteolata</i> (45cmAbCD) Parallel Peperomia.....	\$12.90
<i>Spathyphyllum</i> ‘Sensation’ (2mAbcD) Giant Spathyphyllum.....	\$9.90
<i>Stromanthe sanguinea</i> ‘Tristar’ (90cmAbcD) Stromanthe ‘Dazzler’.....	\$12.90
<i>Tabebuia pallida</i> (8mABcDe) Cuban Pink Trumpet Tree.....	\$8.90

**Food & Herbal Plants**

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<i>Allium chinese</i> (30cmEdAbcD) Rakkyo - Asian Onion.....	\$9.90
<i>Aloe vera</i> syn. <i>Aloe barbadensis</i> (80cmABCDE).....	\$9.90
<i>Eugenia brasiliensis</i> (Syn <i>E.dombeya</i> ) (2-3mFRfEdABCD) Grumichama.....	\$15.90

**Anthuriums**

<i>Anthurium Bugatti Royale</i> (50cmAbcD).....red flwrs.....	\$12.90
<i>Anthurium</i> ‘Jambo Red’ (50cmAbcD).....red flwrs.....	\$12.90

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**Flowering Native  
.....Bird Attractors**



**GYMEA LILY**

(4m\*\*FABCD) *Doryanthes excelsa* is an unusual and amazing native plant. A coastal plant from NSW, occurring from Sydney and north. The flower stem shoots for the sky and is to 4m tall with



brilliant red flowers on its top - they are in large clusters to 70cm and each flower in the cluster is 10cm across and come in spring and summer. The leaves themselves are a feature growing to 1m long and are bright green, ribbed and sword shaped growing in a large rosette. This plant makes a monumental landscaping piece in the garden on a bank or in a large rockery. For all areas except the most bitterly cold Tablelands in Southern Australia. Takes frost. Full sun to light shade. Sent in 75mm pots.

.....Priced at \$7.90 (150 Parries) or 3 for \$19.90

**CANDY PINK BOTTLEBRUSH**

(3m\*\*FABCD) *Callistemon 'Candy Pink'* (Syn. C. 'Guyra Hybrid'). This is an attractive Bottlebrush with big brushes starting off pink/red and then turning pink. The foliage is light green and there is beautiful pink



new growth. All climates even the very coldest. Withstands bad drainage. Full sun. 75mm diameter pots.

.....Priced at \$7.90 each

...Leaves Exude Lemon  
Aroma When Wet...

**LEMON  
SCENTED TEATREE**

(5m\*\*FABCD) *Leptospermum petersonii* is the perfect small tree for a limited space. Cascading growth habit, glistening golden-green 5cm long foliage and starry white spring flowers. This is a real charmer and as it ages it retains its weeping habit with an attractive grey paperbark trunk. As you brush past this one on a misty evening you will take in the lovely lemon perfume. For all climates. Full sun.



.....Priced at \$7.90 (150 Parries) or 3 for \$21

**LOMANDRA HYSTRIX**

(1m\*\*,\*\*FABCD) Bright green arching leaves and highly perfumed crowded cream blossoms on the end of a flower spike in spring. A popular landscape plant for rockeries, banks and on the edge of water features. Its long straplike foliage arches gracefully. Brilliant indoor specimen. It is a native of NSW & Qld and is very hardy. It is drought and frost resistant and takes wet places. Shade or sun.



.....Priced at \$5.90 each or 3 for \$15.90

**These are sent in long native tubes**

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**FAIRY LIGHTS**

(30cmFABCD) *Scirpus cenusus* is an unusual ornamental grass with little luminous bulbs on top of each and every little rush.



These shine when reflecting light from around the house. This is a very attractive neat dark green clumping fine rush like grass. The stems are fine and weeping. It will grow in all areas and is frost resistant but likes plenty of moisture. Great for garden borders on the edge of or in ponds and under any light. Full sun (with plenty moisture) or shade. Sent in 75mm pots.

.....Priced at \$9.90 (220 Parries) each or 3 for \$25

...Rare Pink Flowering Goldfish Plant...

**Nematanthus 'Tropicana'**

(15-10cmAbcD) This is an extra long flowering variety. Orange goldfish shaped flowers with red stripes.



These unique flowers radiate from a glossy deep green textured foliage. The

flower blooms in late autumn and winter. This is a hybrid with parents native to Brazil. Requires filtered light and very good indoors. A rarely available fibrous rooted Gesneriad. Takes morning sun. Sent in 75mm pots.

....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries) or 3 for \$29

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**PALM TREE JULY  
COLLECTION**

**TRIANGLE PALM (6mABcD)**

*Dypsis decaryii*. An amazing fast growing palm tree. Spectacular grey green foliage. Produces yellow and green flowers followed by black berries. Blooms all year in suitable climates. Native to Madagascar. Water regularly. Prefers sandy soil. Avoid poor draining clay soil and overwatering. Not suitable for rainy climates. Drought tolerant. Full sun to part shade. 75mm pots.



.....Priced at \$8.90 each (180 Parries) or 3 for \$23

**FAN PALM (3mAbcD)**

*Licuala grandis* is one of the most sought after palms with its large bright green fan leaves, up to one metre across and a very attractive growth habit on a single trunk. Good in landscaping, in a



tub and indoors if kept warm and moist but not overly so. Native to New Britain and New Hebrides and is best grown north of Cooffs Harbour NSW or equivalent, otherwise you need a protected and very warm spot in winter. Shade or part shade. These are four leaf plants 300mm tall, sent in 75mm diameter pots. ....Priced at \$29 each

**KENTIA PALM (5mABCDE)**

*Howea fosteriana*. This is the worlds most popular palm that can be grown inside or out. They are commonly found at the best hotels and motels throughout the world. A beautiful palm.



It has a large crown with dark green distinctive arching fronds. Takes all frostfree climates except Tablelands. Takes full sun or shade and windy coastal exposed conditions. These are large plants 400mm tall in 75mm pots.

.....Priced at \$12.90 each

**All 3 Palms for \$49**

## **ALOCASIA STINGRAY**

(1.5mAbcD) An unusual Elephant Ear with stingray shaped foliage! Eye catching striped stem. This is a lush medium growing large leaved Elephant Ear which can be used indoors in medium light on the patio or in the garden. They like high humidity being a tropical plant and like moisture in a well drained soil. Surprise your family with this unique looking plant which will fit in nicely with your indoor decor or garden design. Elephant Ears are easy to grow indoors and in the garden in filtered light. It will give your garden and indoors that lush tropical look. Fast growing. There are 25cm tall in 70mm pots.



.....Priced at \$12.90 each

## **FUCHSIA JULY COLLECTION**

### **FUCHSIA CANARY BIRD**

(60cmABCD) Fuchsia 'Canary Bird'

Golden yellow foliage. Gorgeous large tubular double with a red tube and petals and a deep purple corolla. Shade or part shade.



.....Priced at \$12.90 (170 Parries) or 3 for \$33

### **FUCHSIA DELTA'S GROOM**

(60cmABCD) Fuchsia 'Delta's Groom'

Gorgeous large tubular double with a pink tube and petals fading to a purple corolla. Dark green foliage. Shade or part shade.



.....Priced at \$12.90 (170 Parries) or 3 for \$33

**Get both for \$23**

Winter, spring and summer flowering. Nice in a hanger. Native to South America Suitable for growing in containers and for growing outdoors. Most mild climates. Part shade.

## **FLAMING SWORD**

(45cmABCD) *Vriesea splendens*. This is a fabulous bromeliad with spectacular red & yellow flower spikes to 45cm and attractive rosetting foliage. Multiplies over warm months when pups can be taken off. Let new roots grow in the air in a humid spot. Pot into a well drained mix. These are epiphytes and can be attached to a board or tree. Good indoors. Filtered light. Easy to grow. These are 30cm tall pups.



.....Priced at \$12.90 each

...No Leaf Variegation...

## **WHITE KNIGHT**

### **PHILODENDRON**

*Philodendron 'White Knight'* Unvariegated. These ones have no leaf

variegation as yet but as they come from the parents with variegation and their



siblings are variegated they may yet throw variegated leaves. The stems are classical red and white. Lovely broadish pointed green foliage with tones. Red stems with white stem stripes. Clumps nicely and good solid climber. Lovely chunky white aroid flowers. Prefers well drained soil. Good indoors with good light. Philodendrons are tough epiphytic types, from tropical America where there is 450 species, so don't overwater, esp in winter. Part shade. These plants are about 250mm tall.

.....Priced at \$49

## **FABULOUS ORCHIDS**

### **Phalaenopsis Join Star**

Large flowered crystalline white moth orchid with lemon in the lip. Best grown indoors or low light position with indirect light.



Warm humid conditions best with rain cover provided. 170mm leaf span

.....Priced at \$22

### **Dendrobium Dal's Surprise x Dals Queen**

Hardcane Dendrobium seedlings with two tone white and pink flowers of medium to large size.



Warm bright position, allow to dry out slightly between watering, rain cover best. Enjoys frequent summer watering and feeding. These plants 150mm tall in 70mm pots.

.....Priced at \$19.90

## **African Violet Hybrids**

### **Named Varieties**

Set of 4 large flowered type violets, all named and different. A mixture of colours.



**Please phone only if to discuss plants in this collection if you need to check against what you already have. Small plants in 50mm pots.**

**Priced at \$10.90 each or All 4 African violets for \$39**

## **FERNS**

### **'BLUE FERN'**

(60cmAbcD) *Phlebodium aureum* 'Blue Fern'. This is a wonderful rabbits foot type with classy curvy blue-green foliage. Likes filtered light & you can keep in a trendy pot in a well lit bath-room or living room all year round if the temperature remains above 10oC.



.....Priced at \$12.90 (250 Parries)

### **RED BRAZILIAN TREE FERN**

(1mAbcD) *Blechnum brasiliense* Lovely bronze-red foliage. This is a most attractive small Tree Fern with crinkled arching fronds to 1m long and 30cm broad. Trunk is dark brown and scaly. Striking tub specimen. Likes dense shade and more suited to warm temperate to tropical climates or indoors in winter. Sent in 100mm pots.



....Priced at \$12.90 each (180 Parries)

### **Microsorium falax**

(60cmABCD) This is a truly beautiful fern with flat heavily crested light green foliage. Very hard to get this one will be famed



for its beauty in the future. Good in a hanger or pot or in the garden it should be suited in all but the very coldest areas. Light to medium shade. These are sent in 100mm pots.

.....Priced at \$12.90 each (250 Parries)

**..THESE THREE FERNS FOR \$36**

### **STAR APPLE** (5m)

**Chrysophyllum cainato.** Very tasty round purple fruit from the philippines. The fruit is about 7cm across. This is a lovely rounded tree with attractive foliage that is gold underleaf. Flowers in spring. Full sun. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries) or 3 for \$29



### **SQUARE CACTUS** (30cm)

**Rhipsalis sulcata** is a attractive hanging thinly squared segmented succulent plant. The pendulous narrow sections are about 2-3 millimetre width, hanging together like sticks and branching into 3, 4 or 5 squared branchlets. Making it look great cascading over the pot, whether it's on a shelf or hanging basket! This one is pendulous and forms clusters of stems (tassels) like a Tassell Fern does. It is an epiphyte, from the rainforest of South America. Small white flowers in spring & summer. Light shade & keep well drained. ....Priced at \$12.90 each



### **GUZMANIA 'CLAIRE'** (40cm)

Glorious long lasting bright pink bracts with a pink central flower! Lovely medium length dark green arching foliage. Grows to 40cm tall. Guzmanias are some of the loveliest Broms and this one is no exception. Very long lasting flower bracts. They are good indoors and take 50-70% shade, in a very well drained potting mix. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries)



### **JEWEL ORCHID** (35cm)

**Ludisia discolor.** Sought after small growing orchid. Simple and easy to care for indoors. Dark green leaves with reddish pink or white pin-stripes running up the leaves. Will produce a long flowering spike of white flowers. Native to South East Asia, mainly found growing on the jungle floor. Needs a well drained mix. Water between drying. Indirect light. These are beautiful single stemmed plants. Sent in 75mm pots. ....Priced at \$15.90 each



### **RHIPSALIS OBLONGA** (70cm)

Produces heaps of yellow white flowers from around the margins of its curly succulent leaves in rainy seasons. The leaves hang over the side of the pot. Grows by adding leaf segments and can be propagated from the same. Great in a well drained porous mix in a hanging basket or pot with their hanging foliage. Likes humid warm conditions in full shade and prefer atmospheric conditions to wet the soil but should not be allowed to dry out entirely. Can be grown inside. Filtered light or indirect light. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (250 Parries)



### **ALOCASIA EBONY**

(60cm) **Alocasia amazonica 'Ebony'.** This amazonica variety has bigger velvety leaves ....bigger than other varieties. Dramatic whiteveins jumping at you from dark green (almost black) leaves shaped like arrows. Takes low light. Prefers well drained soil. Keep soil moist. Deciduous in cold wet conditions. ..but comes back in spring. Keep drier in winter. Sent in 75mm diameter pots. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (300 Parries)



### **Guzmania 'Mirador'**

(40cm) Glorious long lasting bright yellow with green tips with white central flowers. Lovely medium length green arching foliage. Grows to 40cm tall. Guzmanias are some of the loveliest Broms and this one is no exception. Very long lasting flower bracts. They are good indoors and take 50-70% shade, in a very well drained potting mix. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries)



### **ELEPHANT TREE**

(3m) **Beaucarnea guatemalensis** is a crazy tree like plant with a fat bulbous trunk. The top is crowned with pendulous grass like leaves up to 2m long. Small white flowers in spring. Looks great in a big pot or in the garden. A native of Guatemala it will grow Australia wide and is a very hardy plant. Takes frost and cold. Likes part shade to full sun. Very small plants 15cm tall in a 70mm pot. ....Priced at \$19.90 each



## **ANTHURIUM JULY COLLECTION**

...One Meter Leaves!..

### **ANTHURIUM THUNDERBIRD LUXURY**

(60cmAbcD) Lovely dark spadix with huge fantastic dark purple red spathes that stands all above the dark green and glossy leaves. As the plant grows the leaves and flowers grow larger. 15cm flowers. Great as a indoor plant! Bred in Holland for multiflowering and cold tolerance. Filtered Light. ....Priced at \$14.90 each



### **ANTHURIUM**

#### **BUGATTI ROYALE**

(80cmAbcd) Gorgeous large orange-red flowers with a matching spadix. Bred for massive flowering, clumping, disease resistance and cold tolerance. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (250 Parries)



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## **ALOCASIA JULY COLLECTION**

Alocasias like warmth and humidity. Outdoors in a warm climate in a well drained soil. Let it dry out a little between waterings. Keep drier in winter. Part shade or bright indirect light. Sent in 75mm pots

### **GIANT NATIVE ELEPHANT EAR**

(1.5m\*, \*\*RfAbcD) **Alocasia brisbanensis** (formerly *A. macrorrhiza*) is an attractive native evergreen Elephant Ear with glossy green large spade shaped leaves up to one metre long. The stem is thick and stout. Produces beautifully perfumed arum like green-cream flowers in summer. Bright red berries are in crowded clusters on its terminal spikes. This is a lovely evergreen plant growing from a tuber. Grows as understory in Nthn NSW to NE Qld Rainforest along watercourses where it spreads from its fleshy rhizomes. Tolerates wet and poorly drained soils but this is not a requirement. Makes an excellent indoor and tub plant in more than half shade in a frostfree garden or pot situation. ....Priced at \$12.90 (300 Parries)



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### **ALOCASIA AMAZONICA**

(60cmAbcD) Dramatic white veins jumping at you from 400mm dark shiny metallic blue-green leaves. Takes low light. Deciduous in cold wet conditions. Sent in 75mm diameter pots. ....Priced at \$12.90 each (250 Parries)



**Get All 3 for \$35**

## DELICIOUS PLANTS

### Delicious July Collection 1

#### GRUMICHAMA

(2-3mFRfEdABCD) **Eugenia brasiliensis**. Its flowers develop into a thin skinned cherry sized dark red fruit which ripens in one month to a glossy black - only 1-2 seeds. Excellent eating with a sweet flesh suitable for eating fresh, making jam or jelly and wine. Grows in all mild climates. ....\$15.90 each (350 Parries)



#### PINEAPPLE GUAVA

(4mEdFABCD)

**Feijoa sellowiana**. Masses of deep red stamens and white reflexed petals. Produces a popular delicious tangy green fruit about 5 cm in diameter in autumn. Good screen specimen. Wonderful bird attracter. Full sun. All climates.



....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries) or 3 for \$33

#### GOLDEN FRUIT OF THE ANDES

(1mEdABCDE) **Solanum quitoense**. Spectacular foliage plant with a fruit that looks like Kiwi Fruit and is made into a refreshing drink. Native to the northern Andes of Colombia and Equador. Should grow in all areas. Full sun to part shade.



....Priced at \$12.90 (200 Parries) or 3 for \$33

**ALL THREE FOR \$35.00**

### Delicious July Collection 2

#### Rakkyo

30cmEdAbcD) **Allium chinse** The bulb and narrow leaves are eaten raw or cooked. Will have a crisp texture and will taste like onion. Popular in asian cooking. Prefers well drained soil, will tolerate poor soil. Full sun. ....Priced at \$9.90 each or 3 for \$25



#### Star Apple

(5mEdAbcD) **Chrysophyllum cainato**. Very tasty round purple fruit from the philippines. The fruit is about 7cm across. Lovely rounded tree with attractive foliage. Flowers in spring. Full sun.



....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries) or 3 for \$29

#### Coffee

(3m\*AbcD) **Coffea arabica**. Have a never ending supply of delicious coffee. The coffee bearing fruits are brilliant red. For frostfree areas, north of Sydney. Native to Ethiopia. Likes full sun to part shade.



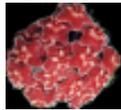
....Priced at \$9.90 (200 Parries) or 3 for \$25

**ALL THREE FOR \$27.00**

## OUR HOYA COLLECTION

*A Home is not a Home*

*....Without a Hoya*



### JULY HOYA COLLECTION 1

**HOYA OBSCURA** - (M) Big 10cm clusters of bright fragrant flowers that have yellow centre & white edges. soft gold toned veined foliage.

....Priced at \$12.90 (180 Parries)

**HOYA 'BIG MAC'** (C) Hoya macgillivrayii Bunches of huge Purple/Red flowers with pointed leaves.

....\$12.90 (180 Parries)

**HOYA 'RED'** (C) - Hoya publicalyx 'Red'. Red flowers with long leaves. Large red clusters.

....Priced at \$10.90

**THESE THREE HOYA FOR \$33.00**

### JULY HOYA COLLECTION 2

**HOYA 'SILVER SCHILLACI'** (C) Hoya publicalyx 'Silver Schillaci' Red flowers with long silver flecked leaves. Large clusters.

....Priced at \$12.90

**HOYA CINNAMOMIFOLIA** - (C) Great big balls of lime green maroon centred flowers. Big beautifully shaped & heavily veined leaves on this climber. Filtered light to morning sun.

....Priced at \$12.90 each

**SAPHI WINE** - (C) Hoya carnosa 'Saphi Wine' big soft pink flowers in large round bunches and strong twining foliage. Big thick broad leaves with light flecking usually

....Priced at \$12.90

**THESE THREE HOYA FOR \$36.00**

### JULY HOYA COLLECTION 3

**HOYA TSANGII** (M) Miniature hanging with lots of small pink flowers with a dark red crown with yellow tips. Small blue/green leaves.

.....\$12.90 each

**HOYA ROYAL HAWAIIAN PURPLE (C)** - Dark pink /red leaves in the sun and the leaves have some attractive markings and often purple stems and new growth. Best in outdoor shade. ....\$12.90

**HOYA LAS BANOS (W)** - clusters of gold reflexed starlike flws with maroon centre...12 flws per cluster...non twining Good drainage & light to part sun. ....\$12.90

**THESE THREE HOYA FOR \$36.00**

### Key to Cold Tolerance:

Letter after Hoya Name: C=Cool Growing, M=Intermediate Temperatures W=Warm Growing-Sub Tropical+ Note: Cool Growing will also thrive in the hotter conditions but the warm growing do not appreciate the cooler conditions.



## BLACK SAPOTE

(5mEdAD) **Diospyros digyna** aka **Choc Pudding Fruit**. Pulp looks & tastes like a fine chocolate mousse! Eat fresh or after freezing.

Ingredient for cakes, custard, liquors etc. No frost. Full sun.



....Priced at \$12.90 each (180 Parries) or 3 for \$33

PS It is unrelated to other Sapotes. Sapote comes from the Aztec word 'tzapotl' which was used to describe all soft sweet fruit.

## FLAME VINE

(VABCD) **Pyrostegia venusta** (syn.igne) is one of the most spectacular climbers of them all-few plants flower as profusely as this one.

The flowers are bright orange and tubular in terminal panicles of thirty to fifty blooms from July to October. This is an evergreen vine from Brazil, with largish attractive compound leaves. Very hardy it will grow in all areas where protected from frost. Fertilise regularly. Requires full sun. Sent in 70mm diameter pots.

....Priced at \$8.90 each (180 Parries) or 3 for \$23



## PHILODENDRON COLLECTION

### PHILODENDRON JULY COLLECTION 1

#### PHILODENDRON PRINCE OF ORANGE

Orange pointed foliage against its green background. An ideal landscaping plant due to its compact growth and can be grouped together. And is also excellent as an indoor plant! 75mm pots.

....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries)

#### PHILODENDRON BIRKIN

White stripes pointed foliage against its dark green background. New leaves are completely white and will get darker as they age. 75mm diameter pots.

....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries) or 3 for \$35

#### PHILODENDRON TORTUM

(VAbcD) **Philodendron bipinnatifidum 'Tortum'**. This is an eye-catching and unusual Aroid with very distinct leaves. A different look from the other Philodendrons with its long and thin shaped interestingly structured leaves. 70mm pots.

....Priced at \$13.90 each

**THESE 3 PHILODENDRONS FOR \$35**

### PHILODENDRON JULY COLLECTION 2

#### HEARTLEAF PHILODENDRON

**Philodendron hederaceum var. oxycardium**. Compact growing and slow climbing with big 30cm thick shiny heart shaped green leaves. Marvellous patio or indoor plant. Great in a tub or in the ground. Shade. 75mm pots.

....Priced at \$9.90 each

#### PHILODENDRON BRASIL

Quite an unusual plant with lustrous variegation on its pointed foliage against its dark background. This is a climbing plant that are great indoors in good light. Let it dry out a little between waterings. 75mm diameter pots.

....Priced at \$12.90 each

#### 'WHITE KNIGHT' UNVARIEGATED

These ones have no leaf variegation as yet but as they come from the parents with variegation and their siblings are variegated they may yet throw variegated leaves. Good indoors with good light. Part shade. These plants are about 250mm tall. ....Priced at \$49

**THESE 3 PHILODENDRONS FOR \$64**

### PHILODENDRON JULY COLLECTION 3

#### Philodendron erubescens 'Black Cardinal'

Dark shiny foliage. Can be grown under shadecloth in warmer areas or indoors where there is reasonable light. These are epiphytes living off their host so don't need a lot of water but do like some moisture and humid conditions. Easy to grow. 75mm pots.

....Priced at \$9.90 each

#### PHILODENDRON MICANS

This is a dainty fine climbing Philodendron with emerald white veined leaves that get a red tinge and reddish on back. Tissue thick very pretty velvety foliage and fine stems it is quite a sought after plant that will enjoy warm indoor conditions. Sent in 75mm pots.

....Priced at \$12.90 each (200 Parries)

#### PHILODENDRON ERUBESCENS 'RED'

Compact growing and slowly climbing with big 30cm thick shiny triangular green leaves with red tones & red veins.. attractive light red under tonings underleaf. Marvellous patio or indoor plant. Great in a tub or in the ground. Shade. Large plants in 100mm jumbo pots.

....Priced at \$9.90 each (250 Parries)

**THESE 3 PHILODENDRONS FOR \$29**

Philodendrons are ideal landscaping plants due to its compact growth and can be grouped together. They're also excellent as indoor plants! Let it dry out a little between waterings. Bright indirect light. Sent in 75mm diameter pots.

## NEWSLETTER JULY 2022

Welcome to your July Catalogue.

Yes Politicians are still banned even though a few have tried to get in here.

Luckily we all have our plants to keep us sane, happy and grounded and we have some gooduns here today to keep it all going.

.....From Bob & Bev Chalmers

...A Smile is the beginning of Peace. ...*Mother Teresa*

**POLITICIANS BANNED  
FROM NURSERY**

### DID YOU KNOW

- \* Thomas Edison got patents for a method of making concrete furniture and a cigar which was supposed to burn forever.
- \* The average garden variety caterpillar has 248 muscles in its head.
- \* The oldest exposed surface on earth is New Zealand's south island.
- \* Every two thousand frowns creates one wrinkle.
- \* Sirimavo Bandranaike of Sri Lanka became the world's first popularly elected female head of state in 1960.
- \* Orcas (killer whales) kill sharks by torpedoing up into the shark's stomach from underneath, causing the shark to explode.
- \* Twelve or more cows are known as a "flink...." A group of frogs is called an army. ....A group of rhinos is called a crash..... A group of kangaroos is called a mob..... A group of whales is called a pod. ....A group of geese is called a gaggle..... A group of ravens is called a murder..... A group of officers is called a mess..... A group of larks is called an exaltation..... A group of owls is called a parliament.

- \* We send to all the 'Quarantine States' and also do a Concierge Service for other nurseries to get their plants into those States.



**Interstate Plant Quarantine**....What we have to do to carry out the Plant Quarantine Protocol for WA, TAS. and QLD.

- \* We have to hold the plants in a dedicated quarantine area but its not how long they are held that matters ...its the specified treatment and a lot more.
  - \* All plants are sent in their pots in a soilless potting mix.
  - \* We get permission to send the plants from WA, Tas and NT. Plants must be identified with their correct botanical names.
  - \* All plants are sprayed and dipped with the approved chemicals
  - \* Plant Health Certificates are prepared for signing by the Authorised Officers
  - \* All plants are inspected for certain pests and diseases important to the receiving States by the Qld .Dept of Agriculture who sign off on the documents.
  - \*We then prepare the plants for sending so they have moisture and are protected in transit. Then we pack the plants into cartons.
  - \* The cartons are sent by overnite Air Freight.
- PS We also do this Quarantine Protocol for other Growers and the details are listed on our website [www.rareplants.net.au](http://www.rareplants.net.au) in the Concierge Quarantine Hub.

## TRUE LIES

One of our customers Helen out past Quilpie in Western Queensland received a rare Pingine Talking Parrot for her birthday from husband Dave. The parrot was fully grown, with a very bad attitude and worse vocabulary....Every other word was an expletive; those that weren't expletives were, to say the least, rude. Helen tried to change the bird's attitude by constantly saying polite words, playing soft music... anything she could think of. Nothing worked.

Dave yelled at the bird, and the bird got worse. He shook the bird, and the bird got madder and more rude.....Finally, in a moment of desperation, Helen put the parrot in the freezer!! For a few moments she heard the bird swearing, squawking, kicking and screaming and then, suddenly, there was absolute quiet.Helen was frightened that she might have actually hurt the bird, and quickly opened the freezer door.The parrot calmly stepped out onto Helen's extended arm and said, "I'm sorry that I offended you with my language and my actions, and I ask your forgiveness. I will endeavor to correct my behavior".

Helen was astounded at the changes in the bird's attitude and was about to ask what had changed him, when the parrot continued, "May I ask what the Chicken did?"

## TREES

- \* Absorb Carbon Dioxide and turn it into wood.
- \* Wood can be cut up into timber to build our homes etc etc.
- \* Many tree lots can be retained as habitat for our wildlife including our endangered Koalas.
- \* Trees release oxygen for us to breathe.
- \* Pay Farmers and landholders to grow trees for timber or wildlife just as they are being paid to sequest carbon in the soil.
- \* **Paying Farmers** to establish trees will be a lot less costly and more creative environmentally and economically than the hair brained schemes being promoted in so called Green Policies.



**If there is too much carbon in the atmosphere plant more trees!!**

- \* **Plant trees where they are needed.**
  - \* **Help countries who have denuded their forest to grow trees back.**
- Look at it on an Australian Basis but also on a planet basis.**



**Timber Trees**

**This is the only Answer.... Plant Trees and Receive the Benefits Environmentally and Commercially.**

- \* Paradise Distributors is a small business that ticks all of the 'good boxes' ie Australian Owned..Yes, Australian Made Products...Yes, Green...Very True Blue Green with no pre-tence, Provides its fantastic customers with Rare & Valuable Products....You Bet.

