## DR JARVIS NYE TROPHY



Jarvis Nye was born in the 1800s in Rockhampton. The family moved to Brisbane and he graduated in Medicine from Sydney University in 1913. He joined the Australian Army but was turned over to the British Army. He spent three years as a hospital doctor in France where he was gassed and wounded.

When he came home, he specialized in medicine not surgery, which he had been doing in France. He was extremely sick from the gassing,

so was sent to practice in Atherton because the doctors thought he would not live. However, he gave up smoking and lived to 84.

He made many trips to the Mayo Clinic in America and wrote several medical books. He was very keen on gardening and made lots of trips to places like Bali to see the plant life in those countries and it was on those trips that he brought home many Balinese artifacts.

Dr Nye was a firm believer that outdoor activity, especially gardening, was essential for a healthy mind and body. On his death, many of his treasures were bequeathed to the Queensland Council of Garden Clubs. Karana Downs Garden Club was lucky enough to be entrusted with one of his Balinese artifacts.

Winners of the Jarvis Nye Trophy:

2003	Marge and Jack Harvey
2004	Sheila Warner
2005	John Kyriazis
2006	Carole Scheinpflug
2007	Susan Stewart
2008	Wyn Peggie
2009	Margaret King
2010	Sally Shaw
2011	Raema McCoy
2012	Robin Batton
2013	Hilda Groenenberg
2014	Kath Stumer
2015	Jan Flanigan
2016	Sue Wilson
2017	Chris Fenwick
2018	Hazel Newman
2019	Georgie Napier-Munn
2020	Erin Falvey