Garden bed 5: Sasanqua Garden bed. Adjacent to the northern fence carpark, this large Garden bed primarily features a collection of *C. sasanqua* with some plantings of *C. japonica* as one approaches the Tsubaki Garden bed. The bulk of this collection consists of *C. sasanqua* donated by the late Sydney nurseryman Walter Hazlewood, who also provided over 200 individual camellia cultivars for this Garden during its early years.

This Garden Bed features a **Significant Shire Landmark**, a beautiful curved sandstone seat donated by the late Sir Frank and Lady McDowell, a prominent Shire retailer. Constructed in 1969, it was the first such landmark in the Gardens.





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Code Number	Camellia Name	Flower Photo (if available)	Description, Origin and Registration Number (if any)	Flowering Period
CGN0106	C. sasanqua 'Red Willow'		Pink semi-double, with pendulous foliage. 1964, McCloy, introduced in Hazlewood's Nursery Catalogue, NSW, Australia.	February to May
CGN2010	C. hiemalis 'Showa-no- sakae'		Medium sized light pink, occasionally marbled white 6.5-7.cm across, up to 24 petals. Dark olive green leaves serrate. Vigorous spreading growth. 1937, McIlhenny USA, imported from Chugai	February to May
CGN2001 CGN2002	C. heimalis 'Shishigashira'		Nursery Japan. Red, double, dwarf, free flowering. Popular landscaping hedge sasanqua. 1894, Nihon, Engei, Kai Zasshi, Chugai Nursery Catalogue 1935- 1936, Japan.	February to April

CGN0107	C. sasanqua 'Shichifukujin' (trans. 'Seven Gods of Good Fortune')	Pale pink edged mallow pink, semi-double. 1898, Ashizawa, Japan.	February to April
CGN0108	C. hiemalis 'Bonsai Baby' (pendulous form)	Rose form double to semidouble, bright red flowers, 2.5 to 3 cm across. Compact growth habits and popular bonsai material. 1957, McCaskills Gardens, Pasadena, California, US.	April to May
CGN0103	C. sasanqua seedling	This seedling is one of a number of camellia seedlings that have germinated in the Gardens. This one is a small white semi-double with a faintest blush of pink in the outer petals. C. sasanqua are known to be prolific seed parents.	April to May

CGN0117	C. hybrid 'Cinnamon Cindy'	Small peony form bloom up to 5cm in diameter with white centre petaloids and outer petals rosy pink. However colour fades quickly in Sydney climate. At full size can have 18 petals and 22 petaloids. Popular for floral sprays at shows. Hybrid <i>C. japonica x C. lutchuensis</i> . 1974, Dr William Ackerman, Maryland, US. Reg No. 1321. Dr Ackerman has been one of America's most prolific camellia breeders.	July to early September
CGN0122	C. hiemalis seedling (possibly of 'Bonsai Baby')	Bright red semi- double. This specimen displays a compact growth habit, although flowers differ from the standard rose form of 'Bonsai Baby.'	April to May
CGN0102	C. sasanqua 'Pygmy'	Pink to white margined deep pink, very small single. Dwarf growth habit. 1963, introduced Hazlewood's Nursery Catalogue, NSW.	February to May

CGN2003	C, hiemalis 'Kanjiro'	Rose shading to semi-red at margins, medium to large semi-double. 'Kanjiro' is often used for grafting as well as hedges. This has a long Japanese history, marketed 1955 by Takii & Co.	Late February to May
CGN2015	C. hiemalis (variety sold as Australian 'Hiryû') NB There has been much nomenclature confusion surrounding this cultivar, also given the name of 'Kanjiro'	Large cerise semi-double, paler at centre of petals. Dark and glossy foliage. Note variation from standard 'Kanjiro' in CGN2003. Originated in Japan.	Late February to May
CGN2014	C. sasanqua 'Jarick's Surprise'	Small pink, loose informal double. Pendulous growth, mid green matt leaves. 1988, Coe Albury, NSW, Australia (from seed supplied by W. Jarick, The Rock, NSW)	Late February to May
CGN0104	C. sasanqua 'Marie Young'	Fuchsine pink with 5-6 petals, occasionally petaloids. Erect habit. 1958, Gordon Waterhouse, Kurrajong, NSW, Australia. Reg. No. 33	March to April

CGN0129	C. hiemalis 'Sparkling Burgundy'	Rose coloured double up to 10 cm across and 5 cm deep. Up to 39 petals intermingled with petaloids and stamens. Dark green leaves	April to May
		1957, American Association of Nurserymen, originator Casadaban, USA. Reg. No 424.	
CGN2003	C. hiemalis 'Kanjiro' 'Hiryu' (Synonym in Australia)	Deep rose shading red at petal margins. Large semi double. Famous Japanese camellia, marketed by Takii and Co Ltd, 1954, Japan.	February to April
CGN0105	C. sasanqua seedling with pendulous foliage	Pink single, with pendulous foliage – possibly light pink form of 'Red Willow'.	February to April
CGN0162 R	C. sasanqua 'Mikuniko' (trans. 'National Red')	Large carmine single flower, heart shaped petals. 1841, Yashiro, Japan.	March to April

CGN0114	C. sasanqua 'Rosea'	Large rose pink single, frost tolerant.	March to May
		USA, imported from Japan by Fruitland Nurseries.	
CGN0115	C.sasanqua 'Momozono' or 'Monozono'* (*trans. 'Peach Garden')	Medium size light pink single, flat bloom about 7.5 cm across. Up to 8 round, notched and creped petals.	March to May
		Originated in Kumamoto Prefecture, Japan.	
CGN0119	C. sasanqua 'Plantation Pink'	Large pink single.	Late February to May
		1948, E. G. Waterhouse, Gordon, NSW, Australia.	
CGN0125	C. sasanqua 'Yae-arare' (trans. Double Hailstone)	White, edged pink, large double. Stamens project around golden boss of stamens.	March to May
		1951-1952, Nuccio's Nursery USA, inported from Domoto Nursery, Japan.	
CGN0126 R	C. sasanqua 'Crimson King'	Thick broad petals, deep crimson semidouble, 12 cm across with attractive stamens.	March to May
		1937, Wada, Japan.	

CGN2017 R	C. sasanqua 'Crimson Tide'		Crimson-red semi-double with rich texture of ruffled petals. 1955, Hume, USA. Originated by Tom Dodd Jnr, Semmes, Alabama, USA.	March to May
CGN2007 CGN0124 CGN2019	C. sasanqua 'Lucinda'	Flowers above indicate	Pink bloom with petaloid centre, over 7.5 cm across. 1957, Ducker, Lindfield, NSW, Australia.	Flowers early February to April
CGN0147 R	C. sasanqua 'Navajo'	range of petaloid variation.	Blooms appear red at first opening, developing into large white semi-double with red border. 1956, Wylam, USA.	February to April
CGN0148	C. sasanqua 'Azuma-nishiki' (trans. 'Eastern Brocade')		Large rose pink semi-double with deeper rose margins and twisted petals. Weak spreading growth. 1885, Minagawa, Japan.	March to May

CGN0131	C. x vernalis 'Star Above Star'	Photos above indicate range of variation (courtesy, Jim Powell, Camellias Australia)	Semi-double in the form of one star superimposed on another star. White shading to lavender rose at the edges. 1964 Dekker, U.S. Received the Ralph Peer Sasanqua Seedling Award for 1969. This camellia has become very popular in Australian gardens.	March to May
CGN0144 R	C. sasanqua 'Mc Ilhenny's Double White'		White, rose form double with incurved petals. Compact growth 1956, McIlhenny, USA.	February to April
CGN0151	C. sasanqua 'Julie Ann'		Deep rosy red with silvery streak down each petal, incomplete double. 1963, McCloy, Wahroonga, NSW, Australia. Reg. No 56.	March to April
CGN2005	C. x vernalis 'Shibori-egao'		Rose blotched white form of 'Egao', semidouble, size up to 9cm across. Resembles <i>C. japonica</i> .	March to May
			Yoshioka, Kurume, Japan.	

CGN2006	C. sasanqua 'Wave Crest'	White large single with long fluted petals.	March to April
		1957, McCaskill Gardens, Pasadena, USA.	
CGN2009	C. sasanqua prostrate seedling of 'Wave Crest'	Small single white with fleck of pink towards petal edge. Petals elongated and slightly fluted.	March to April
		Features as border spillover, far eastern end of sasanqua bed.	
CGN0152 R	C. sasanqua 'Briar Rose'	Medium to large deep pink to purplish pink, semi-double, 7- 8 cm across. Leaves green elliptic, blunt apex rounded base.	April to May
		Circa 1936, Coolidge Rare Plants, US.	
CGN0155	C. sasanqua 'Beatrice Emily'	Double white, petal reverse, mauvy pink. 1957, Originated Brown's Pentecost Nursery. St Ives, NSW, Australia.	February to April

CGN0164	C. lutchuensis hybrid (possibly x C. sasanqua) unnamed seedling *	Photo courtesy Jim Powell Camellias Australia	Miniature single, white with faint pink tint. 1974, an example of early hybridisation by Alice Spragg, Sutherland, Sydney, Australia.	March to May
CGN0195 R	C. japonica 'Dorothy Murphy'		Medium, off white to very light pink semi- double. Dark green leaves with acute apices. 1977, Spragg, Sutherland, Sydney, Australia. Reg No. 194.	May to July
CGN0169 R	C. japonica 'Mikenjaku' (trans. 'Mythical Giant with Wide Brows') (once named 'Nagasaki')		Large semi- double, rose-red marbled white (Garden's specimen is more deep pink, marbled white). 1859, Kasuya, Kamegorô, Japan.	May to July
CGN0201	C. japonica 'Finlandia Red'		Medium salmon red single to semi-double with swirled and fluted petals. 1947, McCaskill Gardens, Pasadena, California, USA.	July to early September

CGN0202	C. japonica		Crimson semi-	One of the
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	Stimson'		cm across.	flowering C.
			Dark green	<i>japonica</i> at the
			leaves, sharply	Camellia
			pointed apices.	Gardens – seen
				April to early
			1964, Stimson,	June
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		Photo illustrates purple	NSW, Australia.	
		shading exhibited by this	Reg. No. 67	
		specimen		