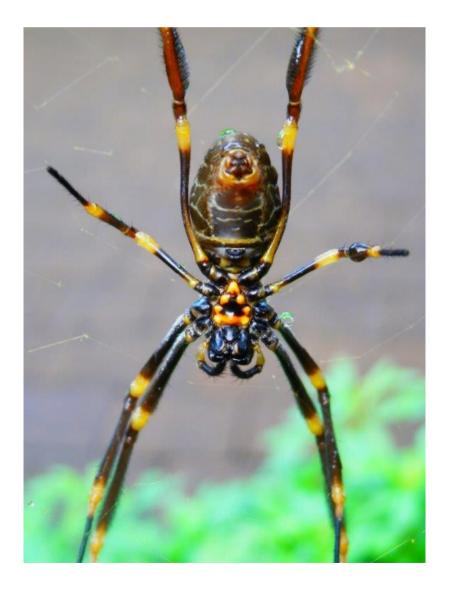
Garden beds 17A, B, C, D and E: Senses Garden beds. These series of Garden beds may be found on both sides of the driveway leading down to the toilet amenities. The Senses Garden itself is located in Garden bed 17C. Garden bed 17D features a large swamp cypress (Taxodium distichum). The Garden edge on the southern side of the driveway is designated as the final in this series, i.e. Garden bed 17E. These Garden beds are likely to be further developed.

In summer, these Garden beds can be home to the Golden Orb Weaving Spiders (*Nephila plumipes*), weaving their stunning golden webs among the camellias and other garden shrubs. These spiders are native to the Sydney Region, feeding on flies, beetles and wasps, and their presence can be identified by the strong golden webs that they weave; the females are large - up to 5 cm across. They are reluctant to bite and are non-venomous, but for further information see http://australianmuseum.net.au/Golden-Orb-Weaving-Spiders.



AREA A

Family: Theaceae

Garden bed 17A

Code Number	Camellia Name	Flower Photo (if available)	Description, Origin and Registration Number	Flowering Period
CGN0249 R	C. japonica 'Tricolor White'		Medium semi- double, white, petals turned down, stamens in the form of crown, greenish white tipped yellow ochre.	June to August
			1936-37, Fruitland Nursery Catalogue, US.	
CGN0251	C. japonica 'Debutante'		Medium to large, spherical peony form, light pink. A widely grown cultivar.	June to August
		Photo courtesy Jim Powell, Camellias Australia	Gerbings Azalea Nurseries, US but was earlier known as <i>C.</i> <i>japonica</i> 'Sarah C. Hastie' in 1930. However, due to more widespread use,	
			C. japonica 'Debutante' name was finally adopted.	

Garden bed 17B

Code Number	Camellia Name	Flower Photo (if available)	Description, Origin and Registration Number	Flowering Period
CGN0049	C. japonica 'Pink Ice'	O LON	Medium single, cool pink with occasional lavender tinge, cluster of golden stamens, large leaves.	June to August
		Photo courtesy Jim Powell, Camellias Australia	1950, Wylam, originated by Harvey Short, Ramona, California, US.	
CGN0240	C. japonica 'Fashionata'		Very large semidouble, apricot pink with yellow anthers and filaments. Up to 13 cm across, with up to 20 petals and 8 petaloids. 1964, originated by Fred Everette, Mobile, Alabama, US. Reg. No. 790.	May to July

Garden bed 17C

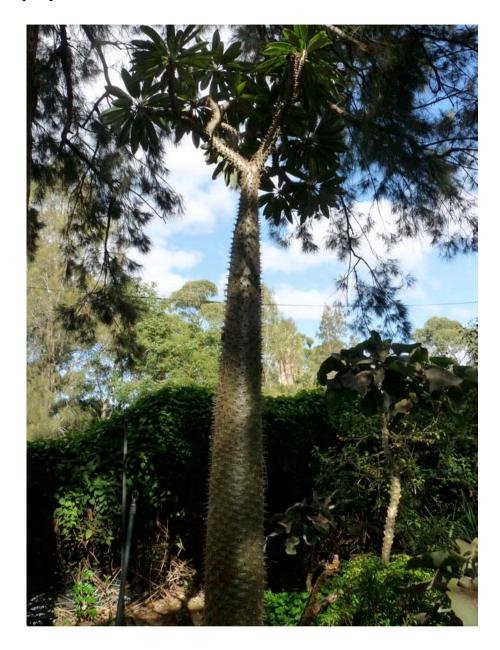
Code Number	Camellia Name	Flower Photo (if available)	Description, Origin and Registration Number	Flowering Period
CGN0216	C. japonica 'Moonlight Bay'	Photo courtesy Jim Powell, Camellias Australia	Very large semidouble, light orchid pink. 1982, Nuccio's Nursery, Altadena, California, US. Reg. No. 1857.	June to July
CGN0222	C. japonica 'Demi-Tasse'	Photo courtesy Jim Powell, Camellias Australia	Small semidouble pink, hose-in-hose or cup-in-saucer with a row of petaloids between the cup and saucer. 1962, McCaskill Gardens, Pasadena, California, US. Reg. No. 738. Winner William E. Wylam Miniature Award for 1971.	June to July
CGN0225	C. japonica 'Crane's Feather'		Medium to large anemone form white with up to 15 guard petals. Guard petals distinguished by rabbit ears. Filaments give flowers a yellow caste. 1965, Mrs Tom Durrant, Rotorua, New Zealand. Reg. No. 39.	June to July

CGN0226	C. japonica 'Misty Sunrise'	To be photographed in 2014	Medium to large peony, yellow white centre to crimson red on outer edges, conveying 'sweet pea'	July to August
			impression. 1970, B. J. Rayner, Stratford, New Zealand. Reg No. 47.	
CGN1603	C. japonica 'Andrea Sebire'		Medium formal double, outside petals pink and lighter towards the centre, with 9 rows of petals	July to September
		Photo courtesy Jim Powell, Camellias Australia	1982, Edgar Sebire, Wandin North, Victoria. Reg. No. 285.	

Garden bed 17E

Code Number	Camellia	Flower Photo	Description,	Flowering
	Name	(if available)	Origin and Registration	Period
			Number	
CGN1801	C. sasanqua 'Shell Pink Single'		Medium single pink cup shaped. NB not to be confused with <i>C. sasanqua</i> 'Shell Pink Special' which is larger.	March to May
			1941, Vanderbilt. U.S.	
CGN1802	C. hiemalis		Deep rose	February to
CGN1803	'Kanjiro' 'Hiryu' (Synonym in Australia)		shading red at petal margins. Large semi double.	April
	,		Famous Japanese camellia,	
			marketed by	
			Takii and Co	
			Ltd, 1954, Japan.	

Family: Apocynaceae



As you enter through the Tait Gates (rear entrance) you will see in Garden bed 17E, a strange tree-like succulent. A native of southern and southwestern Madagascar, it is *Pachypodium lamerei*.