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Dracaena Farm Nursery voted Best Medium Nursery in Australia

Dracaena Farm Nursery (located in Beachmere) has been voted the Best Medium Production Nursery in Australia, at the 2009 Nursery and Garden Industry Awards in Canberra, last week.

Dracaena Farm Nursery won recognition above entries received from nurseries and garden retailers Australia wide, for their exceptional commitment and innovation to the horticulture industry in terms of business performance and quality of service and stock.

Owned by husband and wife team Bryan and Sharon Hillier, Dracaena Farm Nursery has been in operation for 21 years and specialises in the growth of Dracaenas, Yuccas and Cordylines.

Bryan commented, *"Although we operate on just 3.5 acres of land, Dracaena Farm is a very successful business, with minimal waste and a high turn-over. Since relocating to Beachmere in 1998, we built the nursery shed by shed, with the aid of some hard-working and indispensable youngsters at the time. We didn't have two dollars to rub together and today we stand proud of all that we have accomplished."*

Commenting on the awards, Robert Prince, CEO Nursery and Garden Industry Australia notes, *"Year after year, I am highly impressed with the insight and eloquence of our country's dedication to the nursery and garden industry. The future of the Australian nursery and garden industry is in great hands if the range and quality of award entries is any indication."*



Nursery & Garden Industry Australia continues to provide an important source of inspiration and encouragement, by showcasing the extraordinary capabilities of individuals and businesses within the industry.

About Dracaena Farm Nursery:

Owned by Bryan and Sharon Hillier, Dracaena Farm is an extremely effective business which has been commended with an award five years running by Nursery & Garden Industry Queensland. The nursery specialises in the wholesale production of long-life plant-life including Dracaenas, Yuccas, Cordylines, Topiaries and Indoor Plants.



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