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## Newsletter 2021-07

**NEWS IN THIS ISSUE:**

**>> Barleria Flowers of Namibia**

Dear Valued Customer,

In a country that receives as little rain as Namibia does, indigenous flowering plants are always a very welcome sight - particularly because they show off their splendour only rarely and for brief periods after enough rain.

The plants of the genus *Barleria* are small shrubs that mostly go unnoticed. When they bloom, however, their beautiful flowers turn them into attractive, widespread vegetation

We hope you will enjoy this lovely issue - while learning about these little known plants.

Sincerely,  
Hannelie Maasdorp

### BARLERIA FLOWERS OF NAMIBIA



### DID YOU KNOW?

Even though these plants do not have common names in Namibia, members of the genus *Barleria* are common in this country, particularly in the northwest.



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