
Tasmanian Fine Timber Table

“ Pentapedii ”

Wine Table

Designed, built & donated by Ian R. Farquhar



Approx. dimensions ~ 56cm high x50 cm wide

About the design

In making this wine table, Ian has referenced three personal interests:

- The top is made of Robinia or ‘black lucust’ wood. (*robinia pseudoacacia*) rescued from a burn heap left in St. Matthias’ Church yard after arborists had attended the trees there.
- The form of the legs are taken from the dorsal sepal of the flying duck orchid (*caleana major*), a native of north-east Tasmanian bush.
- The extravagance of the Tasmanian Oak five legs, creates a floral form that reflects a fascination with the pentagram.

The finish is in natural oils, which could be refreshed from time to time.

The steel insert lends strength to the whole piece and should allow lifetime pleasure.

Ian has named his design “Pentapedii”.



The flying duck orchid
(*caleana major*)



Robinia or ‘black lucust’ wood
(*robinia pseudoacacia*)
