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# Orchid News

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## Species of the Night

*Enc. alata* var. *majus* (V Clowes)



## Hybrid of the Night

Ctsm. Donna Wise 'Lee' x

Donna Wise 'Kathleen' (J Gafa)



### ROYALE ORCHIDS OPEN WEEKEND

Summer Open Weekend 24-26 March, 2017  
70 Brieses Rd, Peats Ridge

Plenty of specimen plants, cattleyas and of course those magnificent Japanese lycastes that are winning all over the place.

Free lunchtime BBQ plus refreshments.

Plenty of free parking.

Come and enjoy the friendly country atmosphere

Go to the OSNSW website and download the flyer for an extra 10% discount. For this weekend only.....

<http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/Documents/RoyaleMarch2017.doc>

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## WHAT'S ON AT FUTURE OSNSW MEETING 2017

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Garrie Bromley will present David Butler's talk on Sarcophilus breeding



### • 29<sup>th</sup> May

Ian and Irene will do a presentation on their trip to the Tokyo Dome in 2017

## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This year seems to be galloping along already, can you believe it's February!

Our January meeting proved that our orchids do bloom 'over the summer', and there were some lovely plants on display.

We were very lucky to have Jim Cootes give a great presentation on unnamed and recently named miniature species orchids from the Philippines.

Ian and Veronica worked hard to collect sufficient flowers for the display at the Tokyo Dome in February, thank you to those who gave flowers.

NSW Orchid of the Year voting has finished and the results will be announced at our February Meeting. The NSW winners will be passed on to the National Registrar of Judges and will be considered for the AOC Orchid of the Year.

The Affiliated Societies Competition is still in full swing till 30<sup>th</sup> June so please send us your entries.

As I write this it is still very hot so please keep your plants well watered and in good condition for the upcoming shows.

## AVAILABLE ON OSNSW WEBSITE

- Various Powerpoint presentations for members:  
<http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/MembersInfo.htm>
- Slideshow of selected plants from the Orchid Society of NSW monthly meetings  
<http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/PhotosMeetings.htm>
- Excel spreadsheet of all NSW Awards from 1944-present  
[http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/Documents/OSNSWdatabase1944\\_2016.xls](http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/Documents/OSNSWdatabase1944_2016.xls)

## JUDGES ROSTER FEBRUARY, MARCH and APRIL 2017

	February	March	April
<b>Panel 1</b>	M Aldridge N Gill S Tay	D Brooks P Miszalski J Fulcher	P Anderson J D'Olier B Britton
<b>Panel 2</b>	J McAuley P Radford C Scott-Harden	C Polis P D'Olier H Choo C Rethers	K Siew A Cushway T Yee
<b>Panel 3</b>	T Beehag T Yee G Fulcher	G Scott-Harden L Bromley B Richens C Bradley	G Hart J Keenan T Peterson
<b>Award Panel</b>	A Cushway L Bromley J Allen	J Keenan W Dhu G Hart	J Robinson J McAuley C Scott-Harden

*N.B. Reserves and Associate judges for panels will be chosen on the night*

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### Committee

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Peter D'Olier | Geoff Fulcher | Jean Fulcher

## MAJOR EVENTS FOR 2017

24-26 March

**Royale Orchids Summer Open Weekend** Peats Ridge

31 March-1 April

**International Orchid Fair** Castle Hill

8-9 April

**Collectors Plant Fair** Hawkesbury Racecourse, Clarendon

26-28 May

**Orchids Out West** Hawkesbury Racecourse, Clarendon

11-13 August

**National Orchid Extravaganza**, Dural

18-20 August

**St Ives Orchid Fair** St Ives Showground

6-8 October

**Southern Orchid Spectacular** Caringbah

## MANLY WARRINGAH ORCHID AUCTION

Manly Warringah Orchid Society is holding their next Auction on Sunday March 19th at the Cromer Community Centre, Fisher Road North, Cromer, commencing at 9.30am sharp. Viewing is from 9am and there is plenty of parking and light refreshments will be served all day. Orchids listed are for the serious grower and hobby grower as well and there should be some special interest plants. View the catalogue on line.

<http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/Documents/MWOSAuction2017.pdf>



### Membership Fees 2017

- Single Metropolitan Member \$25.00
- Joint Metropolitan Members \$32.00 (i.e. \$27 membership and \$5 for insurance)
- Single Country and Interstate Member \$22.00
- Joint Country and Interstate Member \$29.00 (i.e. \$24 membership and \$5 for insurance)
- Associate Member \$20.00
- Overseas Member \$32.00
- Affiliated Society \$62.00
- 11 Posted issues of Orchid News \$10.00

**Orchid Society of NSW Monthly General Meeting held on  
Monday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2017 at the Ermington Community Centre, River Rd, Ermington**

### Opening

Tonight's meeting was declared open at 8.10pm by President Irene Chalmers who welcomed those present. A little later this evening Jim Cootes, noted authority on Philippine orchid species, will talk about the orchids of the Philippines.

**Apologies:** Phyl Murn, Marie and Fred Bradd, Wendy Dhu

**Visitors:** Jim Cootes

### Confirmation of Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 31<sup>st</sup> October 2016 were confirmed as a true account of that meeting. Moved for acceptance by Veronica Clowes and seconded Bernadette Williams – accepted unanimously.

**Matters Arising - Nil**

### General Business

- Orchids for Tokyo. We are again going to the Tokyo Grand Prix of Orchids to promote our AOC Conference in 2018, and will be conducting a display of our members orchid flowers. PLEASE if you can spare flowers for us to take would you contact Ian, Irene or Veronica asap.
- 21<sup>st</sup> AOC Conference and Show – NSW 'Orchids in the Foothills' - 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018 at the Hawkesbury Indoor Stadium 16 Stewart St Sth Windsor NSW 2756. Early-bird registration is now open (by downloading the form for completion and posting). Online registration (all by computer) will be ready soon. Please speak to Toni for further advice re registration. Next meeting of Primary Committee will be on Sunday February 26<sup>th</sup> 2017 at 12.00 noon
- Orchids Out West: 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2017. Schedule being reviewed, early preparations underway.
- Southern Orchid Spectacular: 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017. Now in recess.
- OSNSW Winter Show venue – We are still looking for a suitable venue.

### Other shows/sales coming up:

- Castle Hill International on March 31<sup>st</sup> and April 1<sup>st</sup> 2017
- RAS Easter Show 6<sup>th</sup> April to 19<sup>th</sup> April 2017. Now open for entries....see RAS website
- Concord Garden Club Show 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> April. At Concord Community Centre 1A Gipps St Concord

Ira Butler competition: Entries are now open for the 2017 competition. Judging of the 2016 competition in May.

### Treasurer's Report

Bank balance of \$2163.86

Investment parcels totalling \$157,319.00

Ralph told members that the 2016 Christmas party cost less than 2015.

### Affiliated Societies Competition

Irene reminded members that this competition awards both the winning orchid AND the society where the orchid was displayed, and that the **2016/2017** competition is now open....Get those entries to Veronica from your shows now. **Please note!** The photographs **MUST BE ATTACHED** to your email entry. (NOT embedded into the email. This will cause your entry to be rejected!) Entry forms must also be sent with your entries please. (All info and form on website)

### Registrar's Report

#### Awards

09/11/2016	S.P.E.C.I.E.S. O.S	<i>C schilleriana</i> 'Philomena'	78.5 pts	HCC/OSNSW	John Keenan
04/12/2016	Manly Warringah O.S.	<i>C purpurata</i> 'Lily Grace'	83.3 pts	AM/OSNSW	Lorraine & Bill Dobson
18/12/2016	Special Judging	<i>C purpurata</i> 'Louanne'	90 pts	ACE/OSNSW	Lorraine & Bill Dobson
04/01/2017	North Shore O.S.	<i>Aerides multiflora</i> 'Christina'	83.5 pts	AM/ 84.5 pts	ACM/OSNSW

Ian told members that all except 2 of the 2016 awards have been processed.

### Judging Classes

Judging classes are proceeding well – the resumption of metropolitan classes at Berala is scheduled for February 17<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 pm.

The NSW State Judges meeting will be held at the Lismore Workers Club on March 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>.

The next metropolitan Judges meeting will be at Berala on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm

Ian and Irene then presented award certificates.

**Guest Speaker**

Jim Cootes gave a very interesting talk on Philippine orchids, in particular, newly found and described species. He spoke about the naming of these species and the reasoning or motives behind the names. A great talk thank you Jim

**Benching results**

Best species: *Encyclia alata* v. *Majus* grown by Veronica Clowes  
 Best Hybrid: *Ctism.* Donna Wise 'Lee' x Donna Wise 'Kathleen' grown by Joe Gafa  
 Lucky exhibitor : Craig Scott-Harden

Following the monthly raffle won by Ali Viatos, Christine Rethers, Veronica Clowes, Ian Chalmers, Elizabeth O'Hara and Ian Tanner, Irene thanked everybody for attending, those who helped provide and prepare the supper, and wished everybody a safe trip home.

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**May 29<sup>th</sup>** Ian & Irene Chalmers present Tokyo Dome 2017

**The next meeting is on February 27<sup>th</sup> 2017**

### BENCHING CLASSES AT OSNSW MEETINGS FROM JANUARY 2017

**Hybrids**

Class 1 Cymbidium  
 Class 3 Laeliinae 120mm and over  
 Class 4 Laeliinae Cluster (min. 5 Flowers)  
 Class 5 Laeliinae (71mm to 119 mm)  
 Class 6 Laeliinae Miniature (up to 70mm)  
 Class 7 Paphiopedilum classical shape  
 Class 8 Cyripedioideae Maudae shape  
 Class 8a Cyripedioideae Other  
 Class 9 Specimen orchid  
 Class 10 Terrestrial Species/Hybrid any genera  
 Class 11 Seedling any hybrid genera  
 Class 12 Phalaenopsis (75mm and over)  
 Class 13 Phalaenopsis (51mm to 75mm)  
 Class 14 Phalaenopsis (up to 50mm)  
 Class 15 Vandaceous (up to 50 mm)  
 Class 16 Vandaceous (50 mm and over)  
 Class 17 Dendrobium  
 Class 18 Oncidiinae (greater than 61mm)  
 Class 19 Oncidiinae (36mm to 60mm)  
 Class 19a Oncidiinae (up to 35mm)  
 Class 20 Sarcanthinae Hybrids  
 Class 20a Australian Native Hybrids Other  
 Class 21 Pleurothallidinae  
 Class 22 Hybrid not elsewhere specified

**Species**

Class 23 Laeliinae  
 Class 24 Cyripedioideae  
 Class 25 Vandaceous  
 Class 26 Oncidiinae  
 Class 27 Dendrobiinae  
 Class 28 Australian Native Dendrobium  
 Class 29 Australian Native other  
 Class 30 Miniature Flowers (Less than 12mm and the distance between the first and last flower is less than 200mm)  
 Class 31 American species other  
 Class 32 Pleurothallidinae  
 Class 33 Species not elsewhere specified

**Novice**

Class 40 Laeliinae hybrid  
 Class 41 Other exotic hybrids  
 Class 42 Australian Native hybrid  
 Class 43 Australian Native species  
 Class 44 All other species

#### \*\*\*\*\* ATTENTION SECRETARIES - INSURANCE RENEWALS NOW DUE! \*\*\*\*\*

Dear Secretaries,

This is a reminder regarding the insurance. Please send Veronica Clowes your society numbers immediately if you haven't already. Email: [secretaryosnsw@yahoo.com.au](mailto:secretaryosnsw@yahoo.com.au). The form is available on the website: <http://www.orchidsocietynsw.com.au/Documents/AppAffSocPublicLiabilityInsurance.doc>  
 For those societies who wish to take up our Insurance offer the cost is \$5.02 per member.

**The form, with your remittance, must be with Veronica before March 20th please.**

There is no age limit to the volunteers involved in the Personal accident policy. Please call or email Veronica (see above for contact details) if you need additional info.

## Gongora

(Courtesy Berowra and Districts OSI)

**Gongora**, abbreviated **Gga** in horticultural trade, is a member of the Orchid family (Orchidaceae). It consists of 65 species known from Central America, Trinidad, and tropical South America, with most species found in Colombia. They grow in wide geographical range from wet forests at sea level to mountainous regions in the Andes, as high as 1,800 m.

The name comes from Antonio Caballero y Gongora, a viceroy of New Granada (Colombia and Ecuador) and the governor of Peru during the Ruiz and Pavón botanical expedition.

*Gongora* was one of the first orchids described by a western man. Several new *Gongora* orchids have been discovered in the last ten years, while many others have been assigned under another specific name. Yet there is still some confusion. Many species lack the right description. Some species, such as *Gongora portentosa* and *Gongora superflua*, are very rare. DNA fingerprinting will in time contribute to an exact taxonomy of this genus.

All species in this genus are epiphytes with a sympodial growth. The white aerial roots are very thin, growing in a dense pack. Some roots even grow upright instead of hanging down. This specialisation helps in forming the ball of aerial roots. Many are found in association with ant nests.

The conical pseudobulbs are ridged and are about 8 cm long. In some species, such as *Gongora similis*, the pseudobulb can produce up to six inflorescences in succession. Two alternate leaves originate from the end of each pseudobulb. The leaves are rather leathery and heavily veined, growing to a length of about 30 cm.

The racemose inflorescence grows from the base of the pseudobulbs. The stem first grows upright, but bends early in development and becomes pendulous. The numerous flowers hang upside down, with the lip upwards. The almost circularly bent pedicels are characteristic of this genus. There are two lateral sepals and one dorsal sepal. The blooms of several species are waxy. The flowers of many species have distinctive fragrances. Some smell like unburned candle wax, others like nutmeg, cardamom, or cinnamon. The pollinia are superposed on a stipe (a cellular pollinium stalk), which is held by a viscid disc.

***Gongora armeniaca*** is native to Central America and can be found growing in moss on branches of trees. The pendulous flower spike is about a foot in length and produces from 12 to 20 flowers per raceme. The flowers are fragrant and have the scent of pineapple. This plant is easy to grow and can produce many spikes in the summer months.

- **Light:** This plant prefers medium light as for Cattleyas and will tolerate light as for Phalaenopsis. East windows are ideal but they can also be grown in a south or west window as long as there is some protection from heat in the afternoon hours. These plants will also grow well under artificial light culture.
- **Temperature:** This plant prefers intermediate to warm temperatures with winter night time lows being 14-17° C. Winter days can be 21-29° C. Summer temps can be a few degrees warmer.
- **Humidity:** 50% or higher is ideal.
- **Water:** Water as the mix approaches dryness but do not allow the mix to become completely dry between watering. Over watering can cause several problems such as root rot and infectious bacteria/fungus in the potting medium.
- **Fertilizer:** Fertilize every time you water if plants are planted in bark. Be sure to flush the mix with clear water only once per month to prevent fertilizer salt build up. For plants in moss or mounted on slabs feed every third or 4th watering as the moss holds a lot of nutrients.
- **Flowering:** This plant produces its flower spikes in the summer months. The foot to eighteen inch spikes produce 12 to 20 flowers that are an inch to an inch and a half in size. They are coloured in rich apricot with green and purple segments. They are fragrant and have the scent of pineapple. Many spikes can be produced during the summer months.
- **Repotting:** This species must grow in hanging baskets as their flower spikes are pendulous. Use plastic or teak baskets and plant in sphagnum moss. The plant grows about 30cm tall in height. It is best to repot only as the plant outgrows the pot after flowering when new growths emerge.



***Gongora galeata*** is an epiphytic orchid native to Mexico. It has furrowed pseudobulbs up to 4.4 cm long and with 1-2 leaves that are as long as 30 cm and 4.4 cm wide. Gongoras in general are fairly easy to grow and the strange looking flowers make them a must for any orchid collection

- **Blooming:** Early summer in the greenhouse. Their inflorescence is a raceme may reach 20 cm long with 8-10 brownish-yellow flowers on arching pedicels. They are very fragrant.
- **Culture:** *Gongora galeata* are epiphytic and because of their pendulous racemes, they are best grown as hanging plants or in wooden baskets. In the greenhouse, use compost consisting of *Osmunda* or tree fern fibre with sphagnum moss, to which small bark chips are added to increase drainage. Plants should be watered freely during the growing season and fertilized monthly with a special orchid fertilizer. Since

the plants do not have a rest period, water is restricted during the winter months, but the compost is not allowed to dry thoroughly and fertilizer is withheld during this period

***Gongora quinquenervis*** are native to Tropical America. Gongoras are easily recognized by their bizarre shape, reminding me of dragons on the wing.

- **Blooming Time:** Early Autumn-Winter. Flowers are in racemes to over 60 cm long. The flowers are yellow, spotted with dark red, sepals reflexed, petals arching, curved.
- **Culture:** *Gongora quinquenervis* are epiphytic and because of their trusses of flowers they should be grown in hanging pots or wooden baskets. The compost should consist of *Osmunda* or tree fern fiber with *Sphagnum* moss to which small pieces of bark

are added. The plants require humidity at all times and have no definite rest period. For ripening of pseudobulbs and encouragement of flowers, water is reduced somewhat for a short time. They grow best in semi-shade with intermediate temperatures. Buds and flowers are sensitive to direct contact with water, they must not be syringed, otherwise flowers may drop prematurely.



*Gongora arcuata*



*Gongora dressleri*



*Gongora quinquenervis*

- Gongora aceras* (Ecuador)
- Gongora alfieana* (S. America)
- Gongora amparoana* (Costa Rica)
- Gongora arcuata* (Colombia)
- Gongora armeniaca* (C. America)
- Gongora armeniaca* subsp. *armeniaca* (C. America) Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora armeniaca* subsp. *cornuta* (Nicaragua to Costa Rica). Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora aromatica* (C. America)
- Gongora atropurpurea* (Trinidad and Tobago to S. Trop. America)
- Gongora beyrodtiana* (Colombia)
- Gongora bufonia* (SE. Brazil).
- Gongora cassidea* (Mexico - Chiapas) to C. America)
- Gongora catilligera* (Colombia)
- Gongora charontis* (Colombia)
- Gongora chocoensis* (Colombia)
- Gongora claviodora* (C. America)
- Gongora colombiana* (Colombia)
- Gongora cruciformis* (Peru)
- Gongora dressleri* (Panama)
- Gongora ecornuta* (Ecuador to Peru)
- Gongora erecta* (Peru).
- Gongora escobariana* (Colombia)
- Gongora flaveola* (Colombia)
- Gongora fulva* (Panama to Colombia)
- Gongora galeata* (Mexico to Guatemala)
- Gongora galeottiana* (SW. Mexico)
- Gongora garayana* (Colombia)
- Gongora gibba* (Costa Rica to Panama)
- Gongora gratulabunda* (Colombia)
- Gongora grossa* (Venezuela to Ecuador)
- Gongora hirtzii* (S. Colombia to Ecuador)
- Gongora histrionica* (Costa Rica to N. South America)
- Gongora hookeri* (Guyana to Peru)
- Gongora horichiana* (Costa Rica to Panama)
- Gongora ileneana* (Bolivia)
- Gongora ilense* (Ecuador)
- Gongora irmgardiae* (Colombia)
- Gongora lagunae* (Venezuela)

- Gongora latibasis* (Panama to Ecuador)
- Gongora latisepala* (Colombia)
- Gongora leucochila* (Mexico - Veracruz, Chiapas to C. America)
- Gongora maculata* (Trinidad, Guyana, Peru)
- Gongora maculata* var. *lactea* (Trinidad) Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora maculata* var. *maculata* (Guyana, Peru). Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora minax* (N. Brazil).
- Gongora nigrita* ( South America)
- Gongora nigropunctata* (N. Peru)
- Gongora odoratissima* (E. Colombia to Venezuela)
- Gongora pardina* (Ecuador)
- Gongora passiflorolens* (Colombia)
- Gongora pleiochroma* (N. & W. South America)
- Gongora portentosa* (Colombia)
- Gongora portentosa* var. *portentosa* (Colombia) Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora portentosa* var. *rosea* (Colombia). Pseudobulb epiphyte
- Gongora pseudoatropurpurea* (Colombia)
- Gongora quinquenervis* (Colombia to Peru) *Gongora retrorsa* (W. Venezuela)
- Gongora rosea* (Colombia to Peru)
- Gongora rubescens* (Ecuador)
- Gongora rufescens* (Colombia to Ecuador)
- Gongora saccata* (Mexico - Veracruz)
- Gongora sanderiana* (Colombia, Peru)
- Gongora scaphephorus* (Ecuador to Peru)
- Gongora seideliana* (Mexico - Chiapas)
- Gongora similis* (Colombia)
- Gongora sphaerica* (Colombia)
- Gongora superflua* (Ecuador)
- Gongora tracyana* (Colombia, Peru)
- Gongora tridentata* (Mexico - Chiapas to Guatemala)
- Gongora truncata* (Mexico to C. America)
- Gongora unicolor* (Mexico - Veracruz, Chiapas to C. America)



## Orchids in the Foothills

21<sup>st</sup> Australian Orchid Council Conference & Show  
18-22 July 2018

Early Bird registrations are now open. The On-Line registration form is not available yet but there is a printable registration form. Print out, fill in and post with your remittance as per the form.

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## BENCHING RESULTS JANUARY 2017

**Best Species**V Clowes *Enc. alata var. majus***Best Hybrid**J Gafa *Ctsm. Donna Wise 'Lee' x Donna Wise 'Kathleen'***Open Classes - Hybrids****Class 4 - Laeliinae Cluster (min 5 flowers)**1. L&G Bromley *C. Natalie Clark***Class 5 - Laeliinae (71mm - 119mm)**1. L&G Bromley *Gct. Barrel of Joy 'Flares'*2. J Gafa *C. Dal's Beau*3. G&A Cushway *Slc. Maris Beat***Class 6 - Laeliinae Miniature (up to 70mm)**1. G&A Cushway *Rly. Swan's Shy*2. G&A Cushway *Sc. Lana Coryell 'Derek'*3. L&G Bromley *C. Elusive Dream 'Peace'***Class 8a - Cypripedioideae Other**1. I&I Chalmers *Phrag. Praying Mantis***Class 11 - Seedling Any Genera**1. J Gafa *C. Dendi's Double x Blc. Waikiki Jungle*2. J Gafa *Slc. Sierra Doll***Class 12 - Phalaenopsis (75mm and over)**1. D Law *Phal. unknown***Class 13 - Phalaenopsis (51mm to 75mm)**1. L&G Bromley *Phal. Bedford Golden Taylor*2. I&I Chalmers *Phal. unknown***Class 14 - Phalaenopsis (up to 50mm)**1. G&A Cushway *Dtps. Yu Pin Natsume 'Minho'***Class 15 - Vandaceous (up to 50mm)**1. L&G Bromley *Van. Pine Rivers 'Pretty n Pink'*2. L&G Bromley *Van. Pine Rivers 'Wasana'*3. L&G Bromley *V. Is x V. Sagarik Gold***Class 16 - Vandaceous (50mm and over)**1. J Gafa *V. Pachara Delight 'Indigo'*2. L&G Bromley *U. Udomchai Pink***Class 17 - Dendrobium**1. L&G Bromley *Den. Blue Foxtail*2. P&J D'Olier *Den. Bundy Blue x canaliculatum***Class 18 - Oncidiinae (> 61mm)**1. G&A Cushway *Brs. Edvah Loo***Class 19 - Oncidiinae (36-60mm)**1. Yeung&Keenan *Wils. Arosa*2. Yeung&Keenan *Onc. Alosuka 'Claire'*3. I&I Chalmers *Ons. Wildcat 'Carmela'***Class 19a - Oncidiinae (up to 35mm)**1. D Law *Onc. Ruth's Rainbow 'One Dot'*2. G&A Cushway *Onc. Pacific Sunrise***Class 20 – Australian Native Hybrids**1. C&W Bradley *Sarco. Bobby Dazzler var. Pink*2. C&W Bradley *Sarco. Velvet Chocolate*3. C&W Bradley *Sarco. Elegance 'Watermelon' x Velvet Nugget***Class 20a - Australian Native Hybrids Other**1. L&G Bromley *Den. Fraser's Canary Twister*2. L&G Bromley *Den. Aussie Pink 'No. 4'*3. I&I Chalmers *Den. Fairyland 'Princess'***Class 21 - Pleurothallidinae**1. Yeung&Keenan *Masd. Cuzco Gold***Class 22 - Hybrid Not Elsewhere Specified**1. J Gafa *Ctsm. Donna Wise 'Lee' x Donna Wise 'Kathleen'*2. L&G Bromley *Clo. Jumbo Apollo***Open Classes - Species****Class 23 - Laeliinae**1. V Clowes *Enc. alata var. majus*2. V Clowes *C. cernua*3. P&J D'Olier *C. longipes***Class 25 - Vandaceous**1. C&GScott-Harden *Aerth. grandiflora*2. C&GScott-Harden *Trgl. atropurpurea*3. L&G Bromley *Phal. sanderiana***Class 26 - Oncidiinae**1. G&A Cushway *Onc. papilio*2. Yeung&Keenan *Asp. lunata***Class 27 - Dendrobiinae**1. L&G Bromley *Bulb. graveolens***Class 29 - Australian Native Other**1. C&W Bradley *Sarco. hirticalcar*2. C&W Bradley *Sarco. hirticalcar*3. C&W Bradley *Sarco. hirticalcar***Class 30 – Miniature flowers (less than 12mm and the distance between the first and last flower is less than 200mm)**1. J&C McAuley *Phal. deliciosa ssp. hookeriana*2. J&C McAuley *Phal. deliciosa*3. J&C McAuley *Phal. deliciosa ssp. hookeriana***Class 31 – American Species Other**1. V Clowes *Max. parahybunensis*2. P&J D'Olier *Bly. schunkeana*3. J&C McAuley *Cmd. cucullatum***Class 32 - Pleurothallidinae**1. I&I Chalmers *Pleurothallis sp.***Class 33 – Species not elsewhere specified**1. C&GScott-Harden *Ddc. filiforme*2. V Clowes *Coel. xyrekes**Rly. Swan's Sky* (G&A Cushway)

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*Den.* Fraser's Canary Twist (L&G Bromley)



*Bulb.* *graveolens* (L&G Bromley)



*C.* Natalie Clark (L&G Bromley)



*Sarco.* Bobby Dazzler var. Pink  
(B&C Bradley)



*Clo.* Jumbo Apollo (L&G Bromley)



*C.* Dal's Beau (J Gafa)