



The Orchid Society of New South Wales Inc.

**2009
Annual Spring Orchid Show**

Saturday 19 September 2009

to

Sunday 20 September 2009

**ERMINGTON COMMUNITY HALL
RIVER ROAD ERMINGTON NSW 2115**

Show Set Up

Saturday 19 September 2009

From 7.00am to 9.00am

Judging Saturday 19 September 10.00am

Public Viewing from 9am - 4pm Saturday 19 September 2009

9am – 3pm Sunday 20 September 2009

Entry Adults: Gold coin Children under 15 free

President:	Geoff Fulcher	
Show Marshall	Peter Stubbs	9837 2527
Registrar of Judges	Ian Chalmers	9525 7215

CHAMPIONSHIP PRIZES

GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW
\$100.00 and Sash

CHAMPION AMERICAS HYBRID
\$20.00 and Sash

CHAMPION OTHER HYBRID
\$20.00 and Sash

CHAMPION AMERICAS SPECIES
\$20.00 and Sash

CHAMPION OTHER SPECIES
\$20.00 and Sash

CHAMPION SPECIMEN
\$20.00 and Sash

CHAMPION ORCHID EXHIBITED BY A NOVICE
\$20.00 and Sash

N.B. Champions to be selected from all exhibits in the show

OPEN CLASSES – HYBRIDS

Class 1 Cymbidium – More than 90mm

Class 2 Cymbidium – Up to 90mm

Class 3 Cattleya Classical Exhibition

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 Cypridioideae Other

Class 9 Specimen Orchid

Class 10 Terrestrial Species/Hybrid Any Genera

Class 11 Seedling Any Genera #

Class 12 Phalaenopsis Standard 76mm and over

Class 13 Phalaenopsis 51mm to 75mm

Class 14 Phalaenopsis – Up to 50mm

Class 15 Vandaceous

Class 16 Dendrobium

Class 17 Oncidiinae (Odm, Oda, Odtna, Vuyl, Miltoniopsis, Wils.)

Class 18 All Other Oncidiinae

Class 19 Australian Native Hybrids

Class 20 Pleurothallidinae

Class 21 Hybrid Not Elsewhere Specified
SPECIES

Class 22 Laeliinae Species

Class 23 Cypripedioideae Species

Class 24 Vandaceous Species

Class 26 Dendrobiinae Species

Class 27 Australian Native Dendrobium Species

Class 28 Australian Native Other Species

Class 29 Miniature Flowers Less than 12mm

and the distance between the first and last flower is less than 200mm

Class 30 American Species Other

Class 30A Pleurothallidinae species

Class 31 Species not elsewhere Specified

NOVICE CLASSES

Class 40 Laeliinae Hybrids

Class 41 Other Exotic Hybrids

Class 42 Australian Native Hybrids

Class 43 Australian Native Species

Class 44 Species – All Other

RULES AND CONDITIONS

- 1) All entries are free and open to Members of the O.S.N.S.W. and Affiliated Societies.
- 2) Entries are received upon the basis that the Society or its sponsors shall not be responsible for any loss, destruction nor damage to such exhibits and the exhibitor shall have no claim against the Society or Sponsors.
- 3) Entries are accepted on condition that they are disease free. The decision of the Show Marshal shall be final.
- 4) All competitive entries shall have been owned and in the possession of the exhibitor for the preceding six months.
- 5) There shall be no restriction to the number of entries by an exhibitor in any class. Entries in joint names will be accepted.
- 6) The Show Marshal and Committee reserves the right to reject, remove or rearrange any exhibit without giving any reason for that action and to reclassify any plant if necessary, prior to judging.

- 7) Nominations for classes as marked # must be in the hands of the Show Marshal by before you 9:00am on Saturday 19 September 2009.
- 8) All plants shall be booked in and in position ready for judging by 9.00am Saturday
- 9) If in the opinion of the Judges no exhibit in any class warrants a prize, none will be made. At the discretion of the Show Marshal additional classes may be included where warranted.
- 10) Judging shall be by a panel of Judges nominated by the O.S.N.S.W. Registrar and shall be in accordance with the standards and by-laws laid down by the O.S.N.S.W. Inc. THE JUDGES DECISION SHALL BE FINAL.
- 11) No exhibit may be dismantled or removed prior to closing time of the show at 3.00 pm on Sunday 20 September 2009.
- 12) 'NOVICE' shall mean: Any exhibitor until she/he has won in aggregate first prize in any three genera or classes at any Orchid show or shows, 'MISCELLANEOUS' or similar phrase shall count as one Genus/Class. The winning of the yearly point score in a monthly competition of any Society in any Genus/Class shall be deemed equivalent to a first prize in that Genus/Class. An exhibitor shall remain a Novice until the end of the calendar year in which the first prize for the third Genus/Glass was won.
- 13) 'SEEDLING' shall mean the complete plant grown from seed and flowered for the first time. For exhibition purposes seedlings shall retain their status of 'Seedling' throughout the flowering season in which they first flower.
- 14) 'MINIATURE SPECIES' are defined as Orchids with flowers 15mm or under in size across the widest part of the flower and distance between the first and last flower 200mm. All 'Miniature' species are to be judged in this class.
- 15) 'LAELIINAE ALLIANCE' classes shall include all combinations and not only those hybrids with Cattleya in their parentage.
- 16) 'CATTLEYA' means Cattleya or Hybrids between Cattleya and one or more of Brassavola, Laelia and Sophronitis.
- 17) Staking shall be in accordance with the rules of O.S.N.S.W. i.e. flowers may be supported in the best possible manner for presentation. This supporting should be in such a manner so as not to be obtrusive and distract from the overall beauty and charm of the plant. All genera ties or support shall be no higher than immediately below the ovary. If it is necessary tie stake to the bottom flower or to below top branch, the judges are permitted to penalise, or temporarily remove such tie for the purpose of judging.
- 18) All grooming aids & supports other than staking as per Condition 17, must be removed from all plants before being benched. Failure to remove these will automatically disqualify the plant from being judged
- 19) Champion seedling is not to be considered for Grand or Reserve Champion unless it has already won the Champion in its class.
- 20) A sales table of members' plants will be conducted. Well established, pest and disease free plants may be submitted for sale. The Society reserves the right to reject plants without giving any reason. The Society will not be responsible for any loss or damage to plants submitted for sale. The Society will deduct a 20% commission on all plants sold. Plants for sale must be invoiced on the approved form in duplicate. One tie tag per plant is to be used to indicate price and owners selling code. The sales manager will determine the number of plants accepted at any one time.
- 21) The Schedule is based on the orchid names that we are all used to and do not take into account the name changes resulting from the DNA research.

NOTES:

Bill Murdoch Trophy Nomination

The Champion and any awarded Australian native hybrids are eligible for nomination for the Bill Murdoch Trophy.

Members wishing to enter for this trophy must provide their own photographs and pay the nomination fee.

Ira Butler Trophy Nomination

The Champion and any awarded Australian native species are eligible for nomination for the Ira Butler Trophy.

Members wishing to enter for this trophy must provide their own photographs and pay the nomination fee.

Herman Slade Trophies

The Champion and awarded Australasian species or hybrids other than Australian Natives are eligible for nomination for the Herman Slade Trophies.

Members wishing to enter for this trophy must provide their own photographs and pay the nomination fee.

