



2019 Pacific Orchid Exposition

'Orchids of the Enchanted Forest'

EXHIBITION SCHEDULE

RULES FOR EXHIBITORS

All rules described below will be strictly enforced in the interests of this show and fairness to its participants. Please review the following carefully:

For AOS judging, specific entry forms must be completed and left with the AOS clerks. Since this is an AOS-sanctioned show, all plants exhibited may be considered for AOS awards unless "NO AOS JUDGING" is written on the entry card or on the display. Plants may not be judged at a later date on the same inflorescence.

Entry cards must be completed for all plants entered in competition. The exhibitor is responsible for removing the bottom portion of the entry card and submitting it to the plant entry desk. If the bottom part of the entry card is NOT given to the plant entry desk, the plant will NOT be judged in competition. Simply placing an entry card on the plant alone is not sufficient. No more than three (3) plants can be entered in a single Class by any exhibitor.

Plants entered in show judging must have been cared for directly by the exhibitor for at least 6 months. Judges may decline to consider a plant if ownership is questioned. Plants incorrectly labeled or entered may be eliminated. To be considered as a specimen, an entry must be one clone, with all growths still connected by an intact rhizome (one individual plant). If a pot or mount contains more than one individual plant, which individual is entered for ribbon judging must be clearly indicated. If a plant is found to be infected or infested, it will be disqualified and isolated, and its exhibitor will be asked to remove it from the show.

Exhibitors will be issued badges and must wear them during take down on Sunday. All plants and items exhibited must remain on display throughout the show. Removal cannot begin until Sunday at 6:00 p.m. Only those with vendor or exhibitor badges will be permitted in the exhibit area after closing on Sunday to break down their exhibits and remove their plants.

The SFOS will provide 24-hour security guard services for the duration of the show. Every effort will be made to safeguard all items entered. However, exhibitors assume all risk and liability for their property.

CLASSIFICATION OF EXHIBITORS

NOVICE: An exhibitor who has won no more than six (6) trophies/awards (other than ribbons) at any AOS-sanctioned orchid show.

ADVANCED: An exhibitor who has won seven (7) or more trophies/awards (other than ribbons) and is not a commercial exhibitor as defined below.

COMMERCIAL/OPEN: Includes any of the following:

1. An exhibitor who is operating a vendor sales booth at the 2019 Pacific Orchid Exposition.
2. An exhibitor who grows and/or sells orchid plants or flowers as a business and earns over 50% of his/her income from such sales.
3. An exhibitor who buys space to sell orchid plants or flowers at more than two orchid events, shows, sales, benefits, farmers' markets, etc., in the 12 months prior to the date of this show. This does not include sales at orchid society monthly meetings.
4. A commercial grower is one who may be required to have a California Nursery License even if such a license has not been issued.

SCHEDULE OF CLASSES

CATEGORIES are the skill levels for registration: Novice, Advanced, and Commercial/Open

SECTIONS are the main alliances or group of orchids, and are signified with a number (Section 100 for Cattleya Alliance, Section 400 for Oncidium Alliance, etc.)

CLASSES are subdivisions within Sections, and are signified with a number (e.g. Class 103 for Cattleya Alliance: Red, Yellow, and Orange hybrids; Class 402 for Oncidium Alliance: Odontoglossum species, etc.)

CLASSIFICATION CHANGES: Many orchid species have been reclassified in recent years. Please use the current classification when selecting the section and class for your entry. You may use [the World Checklist of Selected Plant Families](#) to determine the current genus classification.

A plant may be entered in only one Class in Sections 100 through 900. Plants entered in Sections 100 through 900 may also be entered in Sections 1000, 1100 and/or 1200. A separate entry card must be filled out for each section entered. An exhibitor may enter no more than three (3) plants per Class. Plants entered in the incorrect Class may be disqualified from judging. Questions should be directed to the clerks at the plant entry table.

SECTION 100. CATTLEYA ALLIANCE

101. Cattleya alliance species with flowers 3" (7.5cm) or less (Cattleya, Laelia, Brassavola, Rhyncholaelia, Sophronitis, Dinema, Epidendrum, Encyclia, Prostechea, Broughtonia, Barkeria, Leptotes, Schomburgkia)
102. Cattleya alliance species with flowers greater than 3" (7.5cm)
103. Cattleya alliance hybrids – Blue/Amethyst/Purple/Lavender/Pink
104. Cattleya alliance hybrids – Green/Bronze/Yellow/Orange
105. Cattleya alliance hybrids – Red/Red Shades
106. Cattleya alliance hybrids – White/Semi-Alba
107. Cattleya alliance hybrids – Splash Petal/Tri-Color/Spots

SECTION 200. CYPRIPEDIUM ALLIANCE

201. Paphiopedilum species

- 202. Phragmipedium, Cypripedium, Selenipedium, and Mexipedium specie
- 203. Phragmipedium, Cypripedium, Selenipedium, and Mexipedium hybrids
- 204. Paphiopedilum hybrids - vinicolor, Maudiae, multifloral, successively blooming
- 205. Paphiopedilum hybrids – Standard/Complex – all colors

SECTION 300. PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE

- 301. Species – Phalaenopsis, Doritis, and Kingiella
- 302. Hybrids – small flowered (2"/5cm or less), all colors
- 303. Hybrids – large flowered (greater than 2"/5cm), all colors.
- 304. Hybrids - peloric and harlequin varieties

SECTION 400. ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE

- 401. Equitant Oncidium species and Hybrids - Golumnia, Howeara, Rodricidium, Rodrumnia, Tolucentrum, Tolumnia, Zelemnia
- 402. Brassia species and hybrids, including Ada, Brassidium, Brassostele
- 403. Miltonia/Miltoniopsis species and hybrids, including Odontonia, Burrageara, Vuylstekeara, and Miltonidium
- 404. Odontoglossum and Odontioda species and hybrids
- 405. All other non-equitant species and hybrids

SECTION 500. CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE

- 501. Asian species – Jensoa section - ensifolium, forrestii, goeringii, kanran, sinense
- 502. All other Cymbidium species
- 503. Small flowered hybrids (2.5"/5cm or less) – pendulous inflorescence, all colors
- 504. Small flowered hybrids (2.5"/6cm or less) – upright inflorescence, all colors
- 505. Large flowered hybrids (larger than 2.5"/5cm) - pendulous inflorescence, all colors
- 506. Large flowered hybrids (larger than 2.5"/6cm) - upright inflorescence, all colors
- 507. Hybrids (all sizes) with peloric or novelty flowers
- 508. Other Cymbidium Allied Genera, species and hybrids - Ansellia, Cymbidiella, Eriopsis, Eulophia, Eulophiella, Grammangis, Grammatophyllum, Thecopus, Thecostele

(Section 600 eliminated)

SECTION 700. PLEUROTHALLID ALLIANCE

- 701. Masdevallia species
- 702. Masdevallia intrageneric hybrids
- 703. Dracula species and intrageneric hybrids

704. Masdavallia and Dracula intergeneric hybrids – Dracuvallia, Porracula, Porrovalia

705. Restrepia species and hybrids

706. All other Pleurothallid species and hybrids

SECTION 800. DENDROBIUM

801. Species and hybrids – **breviflores** (bicameratum, bifurcatum, dantaniense, farinatum, hercoglossum, linguella, scoriarum, thinhii, trantuanii)

802. Species and hybrids – **callista** (aggregatum, densiflorum, farmeri, griffithianum, jenkinsii, thyrsoflorum)Nobile-type species and hybrids

803. Species and hybrids – **dendrobium** (anosmum, aphyllum, bensoniae, crepidatum, cysanthum, devonianum, fimbriatum, findlayanum, gibsonii, loddigesii, moniliforme, moschatum, parishii, pendulum, primulinum, pulchellum, senile, tortile, unicum)Oxyglossum section species and hybrids

804. Species and hybrids – **dendrocoryne** (Australian types such as delicatum, gracilicaule, kingianum, speciosum, tetragonum) Latouria section species and hybrids

805. Species and hybrids – **formosae/nigrohirsute** (bellatulum, draconis, formosum, lowii)Australian species and hybrids not included in Class 801

806. Species and hybrids– **latouria** (aberrans, alexandrae, amphigenium, atroviolaceum, bifalce, biloculare, convolutum, cruttwellii, dendrocolloides, engae, euryanthum, eximium, finisterrae, forbesii, johnsoniae, kauldorumii, macrophyllum, mayandyi, otaguroanum, polysema, punamense, rhodostictum, rigidifolium, shiraishii, spectabile, tapiniense, terrestre, woodsia)All other species

807. Species and hybrids – **nobile** (amethystoglossum, nobile, victoriae-reginae)

808. Species and hybrids – **calypstrochylus** (brevicaule, cuthbertsoni, cyanocentrum, delicatulum, hellwigianum, laevifolium, pentapterum, prasinum, subacuale, subuliferum, vexillarius, violaceum)

809. Species and hybrids – **pedilonum** (Bottle brush types such as bracteosum, dichaeoides, smillieae)

810. Species and hybrids – **phalaenanthe** (affine, biggibum, phalaenopsis, williamsianum)

811. Species and hybrids – **spatulata** (Antelope type such as antennatum, canaliculatum, gouldii, lineale)

812. All other species and hybrids, and allied genera species and hybrids and intergeneric hybrids other than above; e.g., Cadetia, Dockrillia, and Flickingeria

SECTION 900. MISCELLANEOUS GENERA

901. Angraecum and related species and hybrids

902. Aerangis, Aeranthes, Aerides, Arachnis, Renanthera, Rhynchostylis, Vandachosylis species and hybrids

903. Vanda species - Includes Ascocenda, Christensonia, Neofinetia, Vandopsis

904. Vanda hybrids

905. Lycaste, Lysudamuloa, and Anguloa, species and hybrids

906. Maxillaria and Maxillariella species and hybrids

907. Zygopetalum and allied genera species and hybrids – Cochleanthes, Galeopetalum, Promenaea, Propetalum, Tsubotaara, Warczewiczella, Zygoneria

908. All Other Maxillaria Alliance species and hybrids – Bifrenaria, Xlyobium, Pescatoria, Bollea, Chondrorhyncha, Huntleya

909. Dendrochium species and hybrids

910. Bulbophyllum, Cirrhopetalum, Megaclinium species and hybrids

911. Catasetum, Clowesia, Cycnoches, Fredclareara, Monnierara, Mormodes species and hybrids

912. Coelogyne species and hybrids; including Pholidota, Pleione, and Thunia

913. Jewel Orchid species and hybrids **in flower**- includes Anoectochilus, Cystorchis, Dossinia, Dossinochilus, Goodyera, Haemaria, Hetaeria, Ludisia, Ludochilus, Macodes, Macodyera

914. Terrestrials not covered elsewhere in flower - Bletia, Bletilla, Calanthe, Disa, Epipactis, Eulophia, Habenaria, Phaius, Sarcoglottis, Sobralia, Spathoglottis, Spiranthes, Stenorrhynchus

915. Any species or hybrid not found elsewhere

SECTION 1000. ORCHIDS SHOWN FOR FOLIAGE

1001. Foliage on any non-blooming orchid from any genus

SECTION 1100. NON-GREENHOUSE GROWN PLANTS (NOVICE and ADVANCED ONLY)

1101. Plants grown indoors (natural or artificial light)

1102. Plants grown outdoors (Cymbidiums excluded)

SECTION 1200. YOUTH EXHIBITOR CULTURAL AWARD

1201. Plants grown by exhibitors age 17 and under

PLANT AWARDS - RIBBONS

First, Second, and Third Place ribbons will be awarded in all Classes for which there are entries, at the discretion of the judges. Judges may withhold ribbons if, in their opinion, no suitable material is exhibited. Trophies and Rosettes will be awarded to the winning Novice, Advanced, and Commercial/Open exhibitors for 'Best of Section by Skill Level'. Trophies and Rosettes for overall "Best of Section" will be awarded to winners selected from all the First Place ribbons awarded in that Section, at the discretion of the judges. Winner of "Best in Show" will be selected from all overall "Best of Section" Trophy winners, at the discretion of the judges. Plants must be registered in the show in order to be eligible for any awards.

PLANT AWARDS - TROPHIES

1. Best Plant in Show - \$250 [Selected from skill level winners only, 'Best of Sections 100 through 900']
2. Best Species in Show - \$150 [Selected from any Blue Ribbon/First Place winner]
3. Best Specimen Plant in Show - \$150 [Selected from all skill levels]
4. Best Miniature Plant in Show - \$150- under 8" (excluding inflorescence) [Selected from all skill levels]
5. Imperiale Youth Prize - Best culture of a plant grown by a youth exhibitor (ages 17 and under) [Best of Section 1200]
6. Best Cattleya Alliance in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 100']
7. Best Cyripedium Alliance in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 200']
8. Best Phalaenopsis Alliance in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 300']
9. Best Oncidium Alliance in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 400']

- 10. Best Cymbidium in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 500']
- 11. Best Pleurothallid Alliance in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 700']
- 12. Best Dendrobium in Show [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 800']
- 13. Best Miscellaneous Genera [Selected from skill level winners, 'Best of Section 900']

PLANT AWARDS - by Skill Level

- Best Cattleya Alliance by Novice Exhibitor (Section 100)
- Best Cattleya Alliance by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 100)
- Best Cattleya Alliance by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 100)

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- Best Cypripedium Alliance by Novice Exhibitor (Section 200)
- Best Cypripedium Alliance by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 200)
- Best Cypripedium Alliance by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 200)

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- Best Phalaenopsis Alliance Novice Exhibitor (Section 300)
- Best Phalaenopsis Alliance by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 300)
- Best Phalaenopsis Alliance by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 300)

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- Best Oncidium Alliance by Novice Exhibitor (Section 400)
- Best Oncidium Alliance by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 400)
- Best Oncidium Alliance by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 400)

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- Best Cymbidium by Novice Exhibitor (Section 500)
- Best Cymbidium by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 500)
- Best Cymbidium by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 500)

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- Best Pleurothallid Alliance by Novice Exhibitor (Section 700)
- Best Pleurothallid Alliance by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 700)
- Best Pleurothallid Alliance by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 700)

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- Best Dendrobium by Novice Exhibitor (Section 800)
- Best Dendrobium by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 800)
- Best Dendrobium by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 800)

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Best Miscellaneous Genera by Novice Exhibitor (Section 900)

Best Miscellaneous Genera by Advanced Exhibitor (Section 900)

Best Miscellaneous Genera by Commercial/Open Exhibitor (Section 900)  
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Best Orchid shown for Foliage (Section 1000)
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Best Non-Greenhouse Grown Plant – Novice and Advanced ONLY (Section 1100)  
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PLANT AWARDS - Cultural Excellence

Five awards recognizing Cultural Excellence (Blue ribbon/First place not required) [receives POE Rosette]

EXHIBITS - Trophies and Awards

1. American Orchid Society Show Trophy – to most outstanding orchid exhibit. **[Awarded by AOS judges]** [receives POE Rosette]
2. Orchid Digest Trophy - Best display by a non-commercial grower, demonstrating high flower quality and excellence of culture. Design, educational value and rarity of material are considered. **[Awarded by AOS Judges]** [receives POE Rosette]
3. Best Interpretation of Theme - \$500 [receives POE Rosette]
4. Best Exhibit by an Individual/Group or visiting Orchid Society:
 - a. 1st place - \$500 [receives POE Rosette]
 - b. 2nd place - \$250 [receives POE Rosette]
 - c. 3rd place - \$100 [receives POE Rosette]