



2017 National Capital Orchid Society Show

Class List

Division 1 - Exhibits (Classes 1 - 8)

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Exhibits - Commercial (Classes 1 - 2)

Open to commercial exhibitors

1. Exhibits, Commercial 50+ sq. ft.
2. Exhibits, Commercial Floor 26-50 sq. ft.

Exhibits - Society (Classes 3 - 4)

Open to orchid societies

3. Exhibits, Society 50+ sq. ft.
4. Exhibits, Society 26-50 sq. ft.

Exhibits - Connoisseur (Classes 5 - 8)

Open to hobbyist exhibitors

5. Exhibits, Connoisseur 50+ sq. ft.
6. Exhibits, Connoisseur 26-50 sq. ft.
7. Exhibits, Connoisseur 9-25 sq. ft.
8. Exhibits, Connoisseur Collector

Division 2 - Orchid Alliances (Classes 9 - 85)

Enter only one class per plant

Angraecum Alliance (Class 9)

Open to genera in subtribes Angraecinae and Aerangidinae

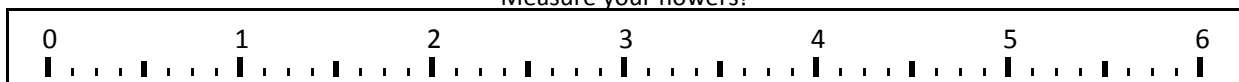
9. Angraecum Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Aerangis, Aeranthes, Angraecum, Chamaeangis, Eurychone, Jumellea, Microcoelia, Microterangis, Mystacidium, Oeoniella, Plectrelminthus, Podangis, and Rangaeris.

Bulbophyllum (Class 10)

10. Bulbophyllum

Open to species and hybrids of genera Bulbophyllum, Cirrhopetalum, and Megaclinium





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Cattleya Alliance (Classes 11 - 30)

Open to genera in subtribe Laeliinae

Cattleya Alliance - Epidendrum and Related Genera (Classes 11 - 13)

Open to plants predominately influenced by Encyclia, Epidendrum, Oerstedella, and Prosthechea

11. Epidendrum, Reed-Stem

Open to species and hybrids having a reed-stem habit

12. Epidendrum, Pseudobulb

Open to species and hybrids with swollen pseudobulbs

13. Epidendrum, Other

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Epidendrum classes

Cattleya Alliance - Other Than Epidendrum (Classes 14 - 30)

Open to plants with little or no influence from Epidendrum

14. Cattleya Alliance, Coerulea

Open to species and hybrids of any size or form

15. Cattleya Alliance, Brassavola-Type (Star-Shaped)

Open to species and hybrids with star-shaped blooms influenced by Brassavola (not Rhynchoaelia)

16. Cattleya Alliance, Splash-Petaled

Open to species and hybrids with color flares in the petals

17. Cattleya Alliance, Spotted

Open to species and hybrids with conspicuous spotting in petals and sepals. Parentage often includes spotted species such as C. aelandiae and C. schillerianna.

18. Cattleya Alliance, Clustered

Open to species and hybrids typically having 5 or more blooms clustered near tip of inflorescence. Representative genera and species include Broughtonia, Guarianthe, Schomburgkia, C. guttata, and C. leopoldii.

19. Cattleya, Large-Flowered Species

Open to Cattleya, Rhynchoaelia, and former Laelia species having individual blooms over 3 inches

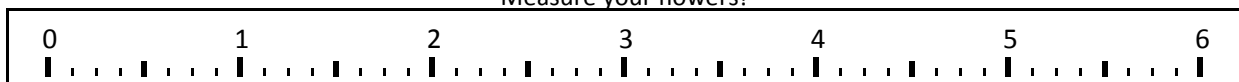
20. Cattleya, Small-Flowered Species

Open to Cattleya and former Laelia and Sophronitis species having individual blooms under 3 inches

21. Cattleya Alliance, Large-Flowered White Hybrids

Open to large standard hybrids having individual blooms over 4 inches. Color determined by dominant color of petals and sepals.

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Open to genera in subtribe Laeliinae

Cattleya Alliance - Other Than Epidendrum (Classes 14 - 30)

Open to plants with little or no influence from Epidendrum

22. Cattleya Alliance, Large-Flowered Pink/Purple Hybrids

Open to large standard hybrids having individual blooms over 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

23. Cattleya Alliance, Large-Flowered Red Hybrids

Open to large standard hybrids having individual blooms over 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

24. Cattleya Alliance, Large-Flowered Orange/Yellow Hybrids

Open to large standard hybrids having individual blooms over 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

25. Cattleya Alliance, Large-Flowered Other Color Hybrids

Open to large standard hybrids having individual blooms over 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

26. Cattleya Alliance, Medium-Flowered White/Pink/Purple Hybrids

Open to intermediate hybrids having individual blooms between 2-1/2 and 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

27. Cattleya Alliance, Medium-Flowered Red/Orange/Yellow Hybrids

Open to intermediate hybrids having individual blooms between 2-1/2 and 4 inches. Color determined by dominant background color of petals and sepals.

28. Cattleya Alliance, Medium-Flowered Other Color Hybrids

Open to intermediate hybrids having individual blooms between 2-1/2 and 4 inches. Color determined by dominant color of petals and sepals.

29. Cattleya Alliance, Small-Flowered Hybrids

Open to miniature hybrids having individual blooms under 2-1/2 inches

30. Cattleya Alliance, Other Genera

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Cattleya Alliance classes. Representative genera include Arpophyllum, Barkeria, Caularthron, Euchile, Isabelia, Laelia, and Leptotes.

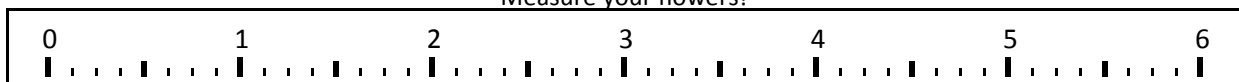
Catasetum Alliance (Class 31)

Open to genera in subtribe Catasetinae

31. Catasetum Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Catasetum, Clowesia, Cynoches, Galeandra, and Mormodes.

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Coelogyne Alliance (Class 32)

Open to genera in subtribe Coelogyinae other than Dendrochilum, which has its own dedicated class

32. Coelogyne Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Bletilla, Coelogyne, Pholidota, and Pleione.

Cymbidium Alliance (Classes 33 - 36)

Open to genera in subtribe Cymbidiinae

33. Cymbidium, Standard

Open to Cymbidium species and hybrids having blooms over 3 inches

34. Cymbidium, Intermediate

Open to Cymbidium species and hybrids having blooms between 1-1/2 and 3 inches

35. Cymbidium, Miniature/Novelty

Open to novelty hybrids and to Cymbidium species and hybrids having blooms under 1-1/2 inches

36. Cymbidium Alliance, Other Genera

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Cymbidium Alliance classes. Representative genera include Ansellia, Grammatophyllum, and Thecopus.

Cypripedium Alliance (Classes 37 - 51)

Open to genera in subfamily Cypripedioideae

Cypripedium Alliance - Paphiopedilum (Classes 37 - 45)

37. Paphiopedilum, Cochlopetalum (Sequential)

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by section Cochlopetalum. Representative species include P. glaucophyllum, P. liemianum, and P. primulinum.

38. Paphiopedilum, Coryopedilum/Pardalopetulum (Multifloral)

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by sections Coryopedilum and/or Pardalopetulum. Representative species include P. lowii, P. parishii, P. philippinense, P. rothschildianum, P. sanderianum, and P. stonei.

39. Paphiopedilum, Brachypetalum

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by subgenus Brachypetalum. Representative species include P. bellatulum, P. concolor, P. godefroyae, and P. niveum.

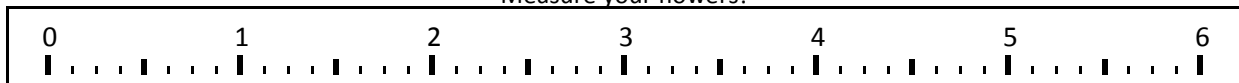
40. Paphiopedilum, Parvisepalum

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by subgenus Parvisepalum. Representative species include P. armeniacum, P. delenatii, P. emersonii, P. hangianum, P. malipoense, P. micranthum, and P. vietnamense.

41. Paphiopedilum, Vinicolor

Open to species and hybrids with intensely wine-colored flowers

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Cypripedium Alliance (Classes 37 - 51)

Open to genera in subfamily Cypripedioideae

Cypripedium Alliance - Paphiopedilum (Classes 37 - 45)

42. Paphiopedilum, Maudiae-Type Hybrids

Open to hybrids predominately influenced by P. callosum and P. lawrenceanum

43. Paphiopedilum, Standard Complex (Bulldog) Hybrids

Open to complex hybrids generally having single, large, round, waxy flowers

44. Paphiopedilum, Species x Complex Hybrids

Open to hybrids that retain the character of the species but with color and/or form improvements derived from the hybrid parent

45. Paphiopedilum, All Others

Open to typically single-flowered species and hybrids not eligible for other Paphiopedilum classes

Cypripedium Alliance - Phragmipedium (Classes 46 - 50)

46. Phragmipedium, Miniature

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by miniature species of sections Himantopetalum or Micropetalum. Representative species include P. pearcei, P. richteri, P. fischeri, and P. schlimii.

47. Phragmipedium, Long-Petaled

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by section Phragmipedium with pendulous petals hanging considerably below the lip. Representative species include P. caudatum, P. wallisii, and P. warszewiczianum.

48. Phragmipedium, longifolium-Type

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by section Lorifolia with narrow petals held more or less horizontally. Representative species include P. longifolium, P. sargentianum, and P. boissierianum.

49. Phragmipedium, besseae /kovachii

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by P. besseae and/or P. kovachii

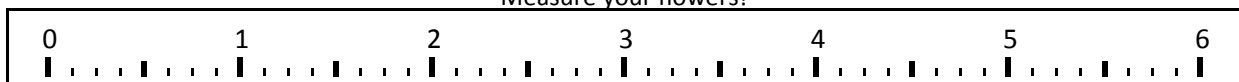
50. Phragmipedium, All Others

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Phragmipedium classes

Cypripedium Alliance - Other Genera (Class 51)

51. Cypripedium Alliance, Other Genera

Open to species and hybrids in genera Cypripedium, Mexipedium, and Selenipedium





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Dendrobium Alliance (Classes 52 - 55)

Open to genera in subtribe Dendrobiinae

52. Dendrobium, Latouria

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by section Latouria. Representative species include D. aberrans, D. alexandrae, D. atrovioleaceum, D. convolutum, D. eximium, D. johnsoniae, D. macrophyllum, D. spectabile, and D. woodsii.

53. Dendrobium, Phalaenopsis/Antelope

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by sections Phalaenanthe and/or Spatulata. Representative species include D. antennatum, D. bigibbum, D. canaliculatum, and D. phalaenopsis.

54. Dendrobium, Other Cane-Like Growth Habits

Open to Dendrobium species and hybrids having a cane-like habit

55. Dendrobium Alliance, All Others

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Dendrobium classes. Representative genera include Cadetia, Diplocaulobium, Dockrillia, and Epigeneium.

Dendrochilum (Class 56)

56. Dendrochilum

Open to species and hybrids

Eria Alliance (Class 57)

Open to genera in subtribe Eriinae

57. Eria Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Ceratostylis and Eria.

Lycaste Alliance (Class 58)

Open to genera in subtribe Lycastinae

58. Lycaste Alliance

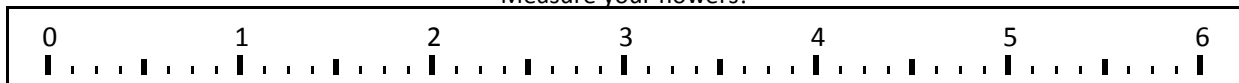
Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Anguloa, Ida, Lycaste, and Sudamerlycaste.

Maxillaria Alliance (Class 59)

Open to genera in subtribe Maxillariinae

59. Maxillaria Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Brasiliorchis, Maxillaria, and Mormolyca.





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Oncidium Alliance (Classes 60 - 67)

Open to genera in subtribe Oncidiinae

60. Oncidium Alliance, Equitant

Open to species and hybrids predominately influenced by Tolumnia

61. Oncidium Alliance, Brassia-Type

Open to species and hybrids with spidery blooms influenced by Brassia and formerly Ada. Consider also many narrow-petaled Aliceara and Degarmoara.

62. Oncidium Alliance, Miltoniopsis (Pansy-Type)

Open to species and hybrids with pansy-type blooms resulting from Miltoniopsis influence

63. Oncidium, Species

Open to species of Oncidium

64. Oncidium Alliance, Large-Flowered Hybrids

Open to Oncidium and Oncidium intergeneric hybrids having individual blooms over 2-1/2 inches

65. Oncidium Alliance, Medium-Flowered Hybrids

Open to Oncidium and Oncidium intergeneric hybrids having individual blooms between 1 and 2-1/2 inches

66. Oncidium Alliance, Small-Flowered Hybrids

Open to Oncidium and Oncidium intergeneric hybrids having individual blooms under 1 inch

67. Oncidium Alliance, All Others

Open to species and hybrids of genera other than Oncidium. Representative genera include Comparettia, Cyrtochilum, Ionopsis, Lockhartia, Macradenia, Ornithocephalus, Psychopsis, Rhynchostele, Rossioglossum, Trichocentrum, and Zygostates.

Orchis Alliance (Class 68)

Open to genera in subtribe Orchidinae

68. Orchis Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Cynorkis, Habenaria, Ponerorchis, and Stenoglottis.

Phalaenopsis (Classes 69 - 75)

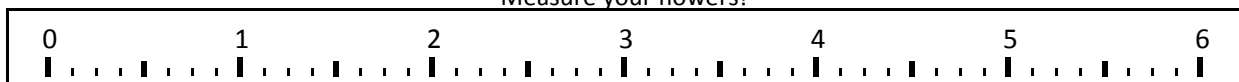
Open to Phalaenopsis and former Doritis

69. Phalaenopsis, Peloric

Open to species and hybrids with petals that mimic the lip or lip that mimics the petals

70. Phalaenopsis, Harlequin Hybrids

Open to hybrids with P. Golden Peoker influence





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Phalaenopsis (Classes 69 - 75)

Open to Phalaenopsis and former Doritis

71. Phalaenopsis, Polychilos (Waxy Flowers) Species

Open to species in subgenus Polychilos. Representative species include P. amboinensis, P. bellina, P. cochlearis, P. cornu-cervi, P. fasciata, P. gigantea, P. hieroglyphica, P. lueddemanniana, P. mannii, P. pallens, P. pulchra, P. tetraspis, and P. violacea.

72. Phalaenopsis, Polychilos (Waxy Flowers) Hybrids

Open to hybrids predominately influenced by subgenus Polychilos. Representative species include P. amboinensis, P. bellina, P. cochlearis, P. cornu-cervi, P. fasciata, P. gigantea, P. hieroglyphica, P. lueddemanniana, P. mannii, P. pallens, P. pulchra, P. tetraspis, and P. violacea.

73. Phalaenopsis, Large-Flowered

Open to species and hybrids having individual blooms over 3 inches

74. Phalaenopsis, Medium-Flowered

Open to species and hybrids having individual blooms between 1-1/2 and 3 inches

75. Phalaenopsis, Small-Flowered

Open to species and hybrids having individual blooms under 1-1/2 inches

Pleurothallis Alliance (Classes 76 - 78)

Open to genera in subtribe Pleurothallidinae

76. Masdevallia

Open to species and hybrids

77. Pleurothallis

Open to species and hybrids

78. Pleurothallis Alliance, Other Genera

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Pleurothallis Alliance classes. Representative genera include Acianthera, Dracula, Dresslerella, Dryadella, Lepanthes, Lepanthopsis, Platystele, Porroglossum, Restrepia, Scaphosepalum, Stelis, Trichosalpinx, Trisetella, and Zootrophion.

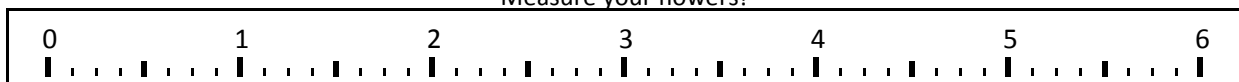
Spiranthes Alliance (Class 79)

Open to genera in subtribe Spiranthinae

79. Spiranthes Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Cyclopogon, Mesadenella, Pelexia, Sarcoglottis, Spiranthes, and Stenorrhynchos.

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Vanda Alliance (Classes 80 - 83)

Vanda Alliance - Vanda and Rhynchostylis (Classes 80 - 82)

Open to Vanda (including former Ascocentrum, Christensonia, and Neofinetia) and Rhynchostylis

80. Vanda Alliance, Spurred/Star-Shaped

Open to species and hybrids having spurred and/or star-shaped blooms

81. Vanda Alliance, Large-Flowered

Open to species and hybrids having individual blooms over 2-1/2 inches

82. Vanda Alliance, Small-Flowered

Open to species and hybrids having individual blooms under 2-1/2 inches

Vanda Alliance - Other (Class 83)

83. Vanda Alliance, Other Genera

Open to species and hybrids not eligible for other Vanda Alliance classes. Representative genera include Aerides, Amesella, Holcoglossum, Renanthera, and Trichoglottis.

Zygopetalum Alliance (Class 84)

Open to genera in subtribe Zygopetalinae

84. Zygopetalum Alliance

Open to species and hybrids. Representative genera include Aganisia, Chondrorhyncha, Cochleanthes, Galeottia, Kefersteinia, Koellensteinia, Neogardneria, Pescatoria, Warzewiczella, Zygopetalum, and Zygosepalum.

Miscellaneous Genera (Class 85)

Open to genera not eligible for any other Division II classes

85. Miscellaneous Genera

Open to species and hybrids

Division 3 - Special Classes (Classes 86 - 90)

Enter as many classes per plant as eligible

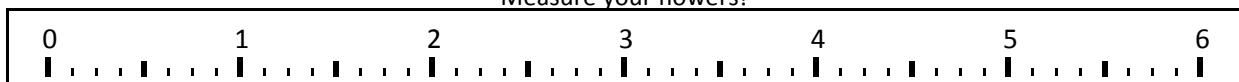
Foliage (Classes 86 - 87)

86. Foliage, Variegated

Open to species and hybrids with variegated leaves with or without blooms

87. Foliage, Other

Open to species and hybrids with decorative non-variegated leaves with or without blooms





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Division 3 - Special Classes (Classes 86 - 90)

Enter as many classes per plant as eligible

Classic Cattleya (Class 88)

88. Classic Cattleya

Open to Cattleya Alliance hybrids generally having the form of the labiata group and registered prior to the end of 1975 and credited with up to five generations of registered progeny. Exceptions may be made for hybrids registered after 1975 that have at least five generations of registered progeny.

First-Bloom Seedlings (Class 89)

89. First-Bloom Seedling

Open to seed-grown species and hybrids in bloom for the first time. No meristem clones.

Miniatures (Class 90)

90. Miniature

