

PLATINUM COAST ORCHID SOCIETY

Presents

“A Festival of Orchids”

54th Annual Orchid Show and Sale
May 5th - May 7th, 2017
Kiwanis Island Park Gymnasium
Merritt Island, Florida

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RULES

1. The 54th annual Platinum Coast Orchid Society Show and Sale will be held on May 5-7, 2017.
Hours open to the public:
Friday, May 5th - 9 am to 5 pm
Saturday, May 6th - 9 am to 5 pm
Sunday, May 7th - 9 am to 4 pm
Location:
Kiwanis Island Park Gymnasium
951 Kiwanis Island Park Road
Merritt Island, Florida 32952
2. **Setup:**
The Kiwanis Island Facility will be open to exhibitors for set up Thursday, May 4th 2017, 8:00 am until 8:00 pm.
3. Participation is by invitation. Any person complying with the rules of the show may exhibit. Exhibits are to conform to the Show Theme: "*A Festival of Orchids*"
4. Any carts used must have wide rubber wheels only.
5. Blue Painter's Tape is the only tape that may be used on the floor.
6. Table skirting and top covering for all tables will be provided by the PCOS.
7. **Classification and Registration:**
Thursday, May 4th, 2017
Begins at 12:00 pm and closes at 6:00 pm
Visiting judges will be permitted to register plants until 8:00 am on Friday. All plants and exhibits must be in place and ready for judging by 9 am on Friday, May 5th.
8. Judging by American Orchid Society Judges will begin at 9 am on May 5th. Pedestals will be judged by the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs Judges, and will begin at 10:00 am. Two members of the Platinum Coast Orchid Society will participate with the AOS Judges in the selection of the trophy for the PCOS President's award.
9. Late entries (individual plants only) will be displayed but not entered for competition.
10. Plants within an exhibit must **not** be removed from the show prior to 4:00 pm Sunday, May 7. If this rule is violated, it will invalidate any awards received. Exhibits must be removed by 6 pm on Sunday, May 7.
11. Exhibitors may make two or more entries in a class provided that each entry is a different variety or grouping of varieties. There will be no ribbon judging in commercial exhibits. However, any exhibited plant is eligible for trophy.
12. Any plant found to be classified incorrectly may be reclassified to a correct class or disqualified at the judges' discretion. It is the responsibility of the **exhibitor** to be sure his or her plant is classified properly. Carefully measure blooms where size determines class number. The Classification Committee will be available for assistance.

13. The following are rules concerning exhibitors' areas. They apply equally to amateur, society, and commercial areas unless otherwise noted. Any deviation requires prior approval. The Show Chairperson is the only one authorized to approve a deviation.
 - a. Each exhibit must conform to the specific placement as indicated by the Staging Committee. A placard will clearly show the area assigned and the direction in which the exhibit is to be faced.
 - b. At least 90% of the assigned space for exhibits must be utilized.
 - c. Placing the orchids in baskets, boxes, etc. for display is discouraged. This is viewed as a method of prefabricating your exhibit for expediency and falls short of acceptable standards.
 - d. Props such as driftwood, rocks, cork, slabs, etc. may be used in exhibits.
 - e. Use of indoor or outdoor carpet is not permitted.
 - f. The use of waterfalls or water wheels and/or lights is permitted, with prior approval of the Show Chairperson. Electricity is not available at exhibits.
14. The Classification and Registration Committee may subdivide any class along logical lines as entries are registered. Judges may further subdivide classes to give fair recognition to quality flowers in the show.
15. Judges must sign reports and/or score cards before they are turned in to the Chairperson of Registration. The Judges are requested to leave comments on all exhibits.
16. All plants and flowers in competition must be properly and prominently labeled. No tags with owner's names will be permitted. Plants improperly labeled are subject to disqualification.
17. Signs used in sales areas by commercial growers must present a reasonably neat and professional appearance.
18. The Platinum Coast Orchid Society, its Officers or Show Committee members, or the Kiwanis Island Complex will not be responsible for damage or loss of plants, flowers, or other displayed material. However, efforts will be made to provide safeguards to the best extent possible.
19. During set-up and prior to judging, no Judges will be in the exhibit area except those involved in putting in an exhibit.
20. All flowers not claimed by their exhibitors will become the property of the Platinum Coast Orchid Society and may be disposed of at its discretion.
21. No duplicate prize will be awarded.
22. Anyone wishing to call the Judges attention to a plant they would like considered for AOS judging may list the plant(s) with the Chairperson of Judges before the judging begins.

23. The Judges and Exhibitors are expected to familiarize themselves with these Rules, asking the Show Chairperson for an interpretation, if necessary. Decisions of the Show Chairperson are final.
24. Plants displayed in exhibits may be entered in individual classes but must be registered in the name of the owner (not necessarily the exhibitor).
25. Commercial Exhibitors (Class 11) are eligible for a 120 sq. foot sales area. Sales areas are reserved upon receipt of invitation acceptance form and fee. Orchids, orchids supplies, orchid gifts, and plants compatible with orchid culture, i.e. Anthuriums, Bromeliads, etc. may be sold but orchids must predominate. All plants and supplies offered for sale must have prices displayed. Sales areas must be attended during the hours the show is open for the convenience of the public and protection of the exhibitor/seller.
26. Any plants showing evidence of being diseased or having pests will not be permitted & may be removed by the Show Chairperson or Judging Chairperson. This also applies to plants for sale by commercial exhibitors.
27. The Show Chairperson and his or her committee and/or the Judging Chairperson, as appropriate, will be responsible for resolving those matters which may arise and are not already covered by any rule previously stated.

PCOS 2017 AWARDS “A FESTIVAL OF ORCHIDS”

American Orchid Society, Incorporated, Awards:

FCC, AM, HCC, CCM, CBR, CHM, and possibly other awards, will be given to qualifying plants.

American Orchid Society Award:

This award may be presented to the most meritorious exhibit of orchids consisting of 25 square foot or more, or tabletop, regardless of class, scoring 80 points or more.

Candlelighter’s Award:

This award may be presented to the most outstanding specimen species or natural hybrid..

Platinum Coast Orchid Society President’s Award:

This trophy may be awarded to the most outstanding orchid, judged by AOS judges, along with two Platinum Coast Orchid Society members.

Trophies will be awarded for the best entrant as follows:

- A. Best Tabletop Commercial Exhibit
- B. Best Tabletop Orchid Society Exhibit
- C. Best Niche Display
- D. Best Variety of Genera (in a display)
- E. Best Show Theme Interpretation
- F. Best Cattleya Alliance, 5” and larger natural spread
- G. Best Cattleya Alliance less than 5” natural spread
- H. Best Other Cattleya Alliance
- I. Best Dendrobium
- J. Best Oncidium Alliance
- K. Best Phalaenopsis Alliance
- L. Best Vanda
- M. Best Small Vanda
- N. Best Other Vanda Alliance
- O. Best Slipper Alliance
- P. Best Cymbidium Alliance
- Q. Best Miscellaneous Genera
- R. Best Miniature Orchid

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EXHIBITION CLASSES

GROUP I. EXHIBITS FOR EFFECT

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|-----------|------------------------------|
| Class 300 | Niche |
| Class 400 | Tabletop: Commercial Exhibit |
| Class 500 | Tabletop: Orchid Society |

GROUP II. INDIVIDUAL PLANTS IN BLOOM (NOTE RULES)

CATTLEYA ALLIANCE

1. **Cattleya Species (including Guarianthe) or Natural hybrid: 5" AND LARGER NATURAL SPREAD**
2. **Cattleya Species (including Guarianthe) or Natural hybrid: LESS THAN 5" NATURAL SPREAD**
3. **Miniature Cattleya Species or hybrids (including Guarianthe) of Classes 2 & 14 - 23. (Plant measuring less than 6" high, excluding inflorescence.) MUST BE MATURE PLANTS. This is a DOUBLE ENTRY CLASS.**

Cattleya (including Guarianthe) or Allied Hybrid (C., Rlc, Bc, Blc, Cty, Gcy, Lc, Myc, Rth, etc.):

5" AND LARGER NATURAL SPREAD

4. White
5. White with colored lip
6. Yellow, Orange
7. Green
8. Pastel (Pink, Lavender)
9. Red, Reddish-purple
10. Purple, Dark Lavender
11. Art Shades (Bronze, etc.)
12. Splash Petals
13. Other colors

Cattleya (including Guarianthe) or Allied Hybrid (C., Bc, Blc, Cty, Epc, Gcy, Lc, Rlc, Myc, Rth, etc.)

LESS THAN 5" NATURAL SPREAD

14. White
15. White with colored lip
16. Yellow, Orange
17. Green
18. Pastel (Pink, Lavender)
19. Red, Reddish-purple
20. Purple, Dark Lavender
21. Art Shades (Bronze, etc.)
22. Splash Petals
23. Other colors

Other Cattleya Alliance (not including Cattleya or Guarianthe):

24. **Brassavola**, species and hybrids using terete-leaved Brassavola
25. **Rhyncholaelia** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
26. **Broughtonia** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
27. **Encyclia** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
28. **Epidendrum** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
29. **Laelia** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
30. **Myrmecophila** species and hybrids, (not covered above)
31. **Other species and their hybrids, not otherwise covered**
(Caularthron (Diacrium), Leptotes, Hexisea, Cattleyopsis, etc.)
32. Cattleya Alliance SEEDLING BLOOMING FOR FIRST TIME (Classes 1-35)
MUST BE ENTERED (May include Cattleya or Guarianthe)

DENDROBIUM

Phalaenanthé type: (bigibbum, affine, phalaenopsis, etc.)

Species:

33. White
34. Pink
35. Other Colors

Hybrids:

36. White
37. Dark Lavender
38. Striped
39. Pastel
40. Two Toned
41. Other Colors

Antelope Type: antelope type, (antennatum, canaliculatum, stratiotes, gouldii, discolor, etc):

42. Species
43. Hybrids

Intermediate Type: (between Phalaenopsis and Antelope types):

44. Hybrids

Nobile type: (nobile, loddigesii, anosmum, aphyllum, parishii, etc).

45. Species
46. Hybrids

Callista Section: (aggregatum, chrysotoxum, amabile, densiflorum, farmeri, etc.)

47. Species
48. Hybrids

Formosae Section: (formosum, sanderae, dearei, schuetzei, etc.)

- 49. Species
- 50. Hybrids

Latouria Section: (spectabile, atrovioleaceum, convolutum, etc.)

- 51. Species
- 52. Hybrids

53. Other Dendrobiums not covered elsewhere

ONCIDIUM ALLIANCE

- 54. **Bulbous type:** species and hybrids, **large-growing** (sphacelatum, leucochilum, crispum)
- 55. **Bulbous type** species and hybrids, **small-growing** (onustum, etc.)
- 56. Hybrids between plants in classes 54 and/or 55
- 57. **Psychopsis** (butterfly type) species and hybrids (papilio, kramerianum, Kalihi, etc.)
- 58. **Mule-ear type** species and hybrids, (Trichocentrum luridum, carthagenense, etc.)
- 59. **Terete type** species and hybrids (Trichocentrum jonesianum, etc.)

Tolumnia (equitant leaf type) species and hybrids, dominant color:

- 60. White
- 61. Pink, Pale Lavender
- 62. Lavender, Purple
- 63. Yellow, Orange
- 64. Red, Red-purple
- 65. Brown
- 66. Densely spotted (color irrelevant)
- 67. Other colors

Other Oncidium Alliance:

- 68. **Miltonia & Miltoniopsis** species and hybrids
- 69. **Brassia** species and hybrids
- 70. **Other Oncidium Alliance** species and hybrids (Aspasia, Comparettia, Rodriguezia, Trichopilia, Cochlioda, etc.)

PHALAENOPSIS ALLIANCE - Excluding Paraphalaenopsis)

Phalaenopsis Species:

- 71. White, large flowered (amabilis, aphrodite, stuartiana, etc.)
- 72. Pink, large flowered (schillerana, sanderana, etc.)
- 73. Other (lueddemanniana, equestris, amboinensis, violacea, etc.)

Phalaenopsis Hybrids, 3" AND LARGER NATURAL SPREAD:

- 74. White
- 75. White with contrasting colored lip
- 76. Pink
- 77. Lavender
- 78. Cream, Yellow, Green
- 79. Spotted and/or barred
- 80. Striped
- 81. Other colors

Phalaenopsis Hybrids, LESS THAN 3" NATURAL SPREAD:

- 82. White
- 83. White with contrasting colored lip
- 84. Pink
- 85. Lavender
- 86. Cream, Yellow, Green
- 87. Spotted and/or barred
- 88. Striped
- 89. Other colors
- 90. Phalaenopsis intergeneric hybrids (Phal. x V., etc.)
- 91. SEEDLINGS BLOOMING FOR FIRST TIME

Classes 71-90 (**Must Be Entered**)

VANDA ALLIANCE

- 92. **Papilionanthe (terete leaved)** species and hybrids, (teres, hookeriana, etc.)
- 93. **Strap-leaf** species (tricolor, luzonica, tessellata, etc.)
- 94. Vanda species with flowers less than 2 inches (falcata, ampullaceum, miniata, curvifolium, etc.)
- 95. Any other Vanda Alliance species not covered above
- 96. **Semi-terete** hybrids: (Nellie Morley, Josephine van Brero. etc)

Vanda: Strap-Leaf hybrids with flower 3" or less, predominant color:

- 97. White, Green
- 98. Yellow,
- 99. Orange
- 100. Brown, Tan
- 101. Pink, Red, Lavender
- 102. Blue, Purple
- 103. Other colors

Vanda: Strap-Leaf hybrids with flowers larger than 3", predominant color:

- 104. White, Green
- 105. Yellow,
- 106. Orange
- 107. Brown, Tan
- 108. Pink, Red, Lavender
- 109. Blue, Purple
- 110. Other colors

Other Vanda Alliance Genera:

- 111. **Angraecoid**, species and hybrids
- 112. **Vandopsis**, species and hybrids (**not covered above**)
- 113. **Renanthera**, species and hybrids (**not covered above**)
- 114. **Rhynchostylis**, species and hybrids (**not covered above**)
- 115. **Other Vandaceous** species and hybrids, (Aerides, Arachnis, Paraphalaenopsis, etc.)
- 116. Any Vanda Alliance, species and hybrids, other than those covered above

PAPHIOPEDILUM ALLIANCE

- 117. **Paphiopedilum species**, Round form (bellatulum, concolor, armeniacum, delenatii, micranthum, etc.)
- 118. **Paphiopedilum species**, Multifloral flowered inflorescences.(philippinense, rothschildianum, sanderianum, etc.)
- 119. **Paphiopedilum species**, sequentially flowered inflorescences (chamberlainianum, glaucophyllum, primulinum, etc.)
- 120. **Paphiopedilum species**, Single flowered inflorescences, Maudiae type: (callosum, lawrenceanum, curtisii, etc).
- 121. **Paphiopedilum species**, Single flowered, other than Maudiae type: (insigne, spicerianum, fairieanum, hirsutissimum, etc.)
- 122. **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Round form predominating.
- 123. **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Multifloral types predominating.
- 124. **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Sequentially flowered types predominating.
- 125. **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Maudiae types predominating.
- 126/ **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Other single flowered or polyfloral types.
- 127. **Paphiopedilum hybrids**: Standard Complex types predominating.
- 128. **Paphiopedilum Intersectional hybrids** of Intermediate Form
- 129. **Paphiopedilum hybrids** not covered above.

Phragmipedium, Cypripedium, and Selenipedium

- 130 Phragmipedium species and hybrids
- 131. Cypripedium and Selenipedium species and hybrids
- 132. Any Other Phragmipedium, Cypripedium, or Selenipedium Allied Genera not covered above.

CYMBIDIUM ALLIANCE

- 133. **Species**
- Miniature Hybrids**, dominant color:
- 134. White, Cream
- 135. Yellow, Green
- 136. Pink, Red, Brown
- 137. Other colors

Standard Hybrids, dominant color:

- 138. White, Cream
- 139. Yellow, Green
- 140. Pink, Red, Brown
- 141. Other colors

- 142. **Allied Cymbidium** genera species and hybrids, other than above (Ansellia, Grammatophyllum, etc.)

MISCELLANEOUS

- 143. **Bulbophyllum and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 144. **Catasetum, Cycnoches, Mormodes and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 145. **Chysis** species and hybrids
- 146. **Lockhartia** species and hybrids
- 147. **Lycaste, Anguloa and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 148. **Maxillaria, Scuticaria and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 149. **Notylia** species and hybrids
- 150. **Phaius, Calanthe, Spathoglottis and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 151. **Ornithocephalus and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 152. **Pleurothallis and allied genera** species and hybrids, except *Dracula* and *Masdevallia*
- 153. **Dracula and Masdevallia** species and hybrids
- 154. **Polystachya** species and hybrids
- 155. **Zygopetalum, Huntleya and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 156. **Cyrtopodium, Eulophia and allied genera** species and hybrids
- 157. **Jewel Orchids** - orchids grown primarily for foliage
- 158. **Native Florida orchid species**
- 159. **Other orchid species**, not included above
- 160. **Other orchid hybrids, interspecific and intergeneric**, not included elsewhere
- 161. **Miniature orchids** (EXCEPT CLASSES 2, 3 & 14 - 23 and 60-67) Any species or hybrid measuring 3" high or less, not including inflorescence. ORCHID MUST BE MATURE PLANTS, not immature forms of larger plants.