

Manly Warringah Orchid Society INC.

2011 SPRING SHOW

15th, 16th, 17th SEPTEMBER 2011

**Set-up Wednesday 14th September 2011
Between 5.30pm and 7pm
Warriewood Square Shopping Centre
Jacksons Road, Warriewood**

**Show Marshal : Ian Nelson 4388 9016 iananelson@bigpond.co
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**GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW
Sash and \$50**

**RESERVE CHAMPION
Sash and \$30**

**CHAMPION SPECIMEN
Sash and \$25**

**CHAMPION AUSTRALASIAN Species/Hybrid
Sash and \$25**

**CHAMPION NOVICE
Sash and \$25**

Classes **1st Prize \$10** **2nd Prize \$5**

OPEN HYBRIDS

1. Cymbidium Seedling (see rule 16)
2. Australian Native Seedling (see rule 16)
3. Any Other Seedling (see rule 16)
4. Cymbidium Standard, greater than 90mm
5. Cymbidium Intermediate, less than 90mm, greater than 60mm
6. Cymbidium Miniature, less than 60mm
7. Laelinae Exhibition, greater than 120mm
8. Laelinae Intermediate, less than 120mm, greater than 75mm
9. Laelinae Multifloral, min. 5 flowers
10. Laelinae Miniature, less than 75mm
11. Phalaenopsis Exhibition
12. Phalaenopsis Non-Exhibition
13. Australian Native Hybrid
14. Australasian Native Hybrid (see rule 14)
15. Sarcochilus Hybrid
16. Paphiopedilum Hybrid, Exhibition
17. Paphiopedilum Hybrid, Non-Exhibition
18. Oncidium Hybrid
19. Oncidiinae Alliance Hybrid
20. Dendrobium Hybrid
21. Vandaceous Hybrid, greater than 50mm
22. Vandaceous Hybrid, less than 50mm
23. Any Other Orchid Hybrid

SPECIES

24. Australian Native Terrestrial Species
25. Dendrobium kingianum
26. Dendrobium speciosum
27. Sarcochilus Species
28. Australian Native Epiphytic Species, other than below
(Not including Dendrobium kingianum, Dendrobium speciosum, Sarcochilus)
29. Oncidiinae Alliance Species
30. Paphiopedilum Species
31. Species – Americas, other than above
32. Species - Rest of World, other than above
33. Miniature Species/Hybrid (see Rule 15)

NOVICE

34. Cymbidium Standard, greater than 90mm
35. Cymbidium Intermediate, less than 90mm, greater than 60mm
36. Cymbidium Miniature, less than 60mm
37. Australian Native Species/Hybrid
38. Laelinae Hybrid
39. Species other than Australian
40. Any Other Orchid

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41. All Exhibits

Competition Rules

1. Entries shall be free. All exhibits must be benched by **7:00pm on Wednesday 14th September 2011.**
2. All plants must be labeled clearly on the pot, in a prominent position showing plant name and exhibitors' number.
3. The show is open to financial members of any affiliated Orchid Society, except in the Novice and Junior sections. Novice and Junior entries will be judged in Novice and Junior sections only, but may be awarded any special awards.
4. Any exhibitor can enter several entries into any class.
5. ***Exhibitor will have owned and grown all exhibits in competitive sections six months prior to the show.***
6. **Diseased plants** shall not be exhibited
7. The Show Marshal has the right to remove, reject or rearrange any plant or move into a new class, any plant presented for judging.
8. Judging will be in accordance with the rules as set out by the Society, and in accordance with the standards of the Orchid Society of N.S.W. Ltd.
9. No award will be given if, in the opinion of the judges, it is not warranted. The Society may give other prizes. The Judges decision shall be final
10. **During Judging**, all people not involved in the process, **must move away from the judging area** and not interfere in any way. This rule is a directive from the OSNSW Judging Group
11. Entries are free and accepted on the basis that the organizers shall take all reasonable care of the exhibits, sales plants and miscellaneous items, in both Display and Sales area, but shall not be responsible for any loss, damage or destruction to such items, and exhibitors shall have no claim against Manly Warringah Orchid Society.
12. No Exhibit shall be removed before the termination of the show without the permission of the Show Marshal or the President. **Show terminates at 3.00pm Saturday 17th September 2011.**
13. The Show Marshal reserves the right to add classes and vary the rules where warranted. New classes must have at least 4 plants and 4 left in the old section.

PLANT CLASS DEFINITIONS

14. Australasian Classes - comprises hybrids from **Australia and Territories, Papua/ New Guinea and New Zealand. Fiji, New Caledonia, Irian Jaya, Timor, Solomon Islands and Vanuatu**

15. Miniature For our purposes miniature has the following meaning: "an orchid having a **flower size** not exceeding **12mm (1/2")**)

16. First Flowering Seedling. This class includes any orchid raised from seed, including hybrids and species. However, **it specifically excludes "Mericlone"** plants ie. plants derived from **meristem propagation**. Classes **1- 2 - 3** is open to **ALL growers.**