

**John Oxley District
Orchid Society Inc.**

**2025
Annual
Winter Show**

Mount Coot-tha Auditorium

Benching

Friday 25th July from 2:00pm to 7:00pm

Judging Commences

Friday 25th July at 7:00pm

Show Open

Saturday 26th July from 8:30am to 4:00pm

Sunday 27th July from 9:00am to 2:00pm

Presentations

Sunday 27th July from 2:00pm

President: Michael Byrnes 0421 081 051

SPECIES CLASSES

- 1 Coelogyne (Including former Dendrochilum)
- 2 Paphiopedilum
- 3 Rhyncostylis
- 4 Cattleya Alliance
- 5 Australian Native (Excluding Natural Hybrids)
- 6 Any Other

AUSTRALIAN NATIVES

- 7 Dendrobium Hybrid (Including Natural Hybrids)
- 8 Any Other Australian Native Hybrid

HYBRID CLASSES

Cattleya Alliance

- 9 Exhibition - Lavender, Mauve or Purple (over 100mm)
- 10 Exhibition - White (over 100mm)
- 11 Exhibition - Any Other Colour (Including Splash Petal) (over 100mm)
- 12 Exhibition (70mm up to 100mm)
- 13 Exhibition (up to 70mm)
- 14 Cluster (Minimum 5 blooms per inflorescence)
- 15 Any Other (Including Non-Standard and Novelty)

Paphiopedilum

- 16 Complex - Any Colour Spotted
- 17 Complex - Any Colour Unspotted
- 18 Maudiae Type - Any Colour
- 19 Any Other (Includes Primary Hybrid)

Dendrobium

- 20 Phalaenanthe
- 21 Intermediate
- 22 Spatulata - With Twist
- 23 Any Other

Cymbidium

- 24 Any Colour (over 90mm)
- 25 Any Colour (up to 90mm)

Oncidiinae

- 26 Oncidium
- 27 Tolumnia Alliance (Minature Equitant Type)
- 28 Intergenerics

Vandaceous Alliance

- 29 Vandaceous (over 60mm)
- 30 Vandaceous (up to 60mm)
- 31 Phalaenopsis Exhibition - White, Lavender or Pink
- 32 Phalaenopsis Exhibition - Spotted or Stripped
- 33 Phalaenopsis Any Other

Any Other Hybrid Genera

Novice - JODOS Members Only

- 35 Any Species
- 36 Any Hybrid

Reserved For Judges

- 37 Split Class
- 38 Split Class
- 39 Split Class

FLORAL ART

- 40 Open Arrangement - Conversation Piece (No filler flowers)
- 41 Open Arrangement - Textures (No filler flowers permitted)
- 42 Buttonhole (Minimum filler flowers permitted)
- 43 Novice Arrangement - Orchids and Driftwood (No filler flowers permitted) - ***JODOS Members Only***

PRIZES

CLASSES 1 TO 43

First	\$20
Second	\$15
Third	\$10

CHAMPIONS

100	Champion Orchid of Show	\$100
101	Reserve Champion Orchid of Show	\$60
102	Champion Specimen	\$40
103	Champion Species	\$40
104	Champion Cattleya	\$40
105	Champion Paphiopedilum	\$40
106	Champion Dendrobium	\$40
107	Champion Any Other Genus	\$40



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Entries for judging are free and open to financial members of any Orchid Society. All plants and flowers are to be presented in exhibition condition.
2. Exhibitors are eligible to lodge plants for sale, provided they have benched at least two flowering orchid plants or floral displays for judging in the Show.
3. Benching is Friday 25th July from 2:00pm. All exhibits must be benched by 7:00pm for judging.
4. Benched entries must be growing plants or floral displays. All plants exhibited must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least the preceding six months.
5. While exhibitors are required to nominate plants in appropriate class(es), and to ensure plants are correctly labelled with "Class" and "Name of Plant" on the cards provided, the President or Show Marshall makes the final determinations regarding interpretation of this Schedule.
6. The President, Show Marshall or Plant Sales Co-ordinator have the right to reject or remove any plants that appear diseased, including any with insect infestation. This condition applies to all plants lodged for benching or sale at the Show.
7. The President, Show Marshall or Stewards have the right to re-arrange or re-locate any exhibit and to combine classes or to create extra classes as they, or the judges, deem appropriate.
8. Specimen plant means a mature plant which has been developed from a single clone, and shows evidence of good culture, quality and display.
9. The Society will take care to safeguard exhibits and plants for sale, but accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to plants or floral displays.
10. No plant is to be removed from the auditorium prior to the end of the Show by an exhibitor, unless authority has been obtained from Show Officials.
11. No flower or pollen may be removed from any exhibit. Photographs may be taken at any time (other than during judging), but not at the inconvenience of show patrons.
12. Champion of the Show and Reserve Champion blooms will be judged from all the blooms exhibited in the auditorium and in accordance with Condition 1.
First, Second and Third place will/may be awarded for classes 1 to 43 provided that, in the opinion of the judges, the plants or displays are worthy of a place.
A lesser flower placing shall not be awarded without a first place having been awarded.
If the judges consider there is no entry in a Class worthy of a prize, their decision is final.
13. Benched plants will be judged in accordance with AOC standards. Staking and tying to support the inflorescences is permitted. On all inflorescences, no staking or ties are allowed on or above the pedicle or ovary of the flower. On multi-flowered unbranched inflorescences, staking and ties are allowed up to but not above halfway along that portion of the inflorescences carrying flowers and buds. On branched inflorescences, the main branch may be staked or tied up to but not above the uppermost branch. At the judges' discretion, untying of staked inflorescences will be allowed.
14. At the judges' discretion, over manipulated blooms will not be considered for a prize.
15. Exhibitors must adhere to Fire Ant Regulations and requirements.
16. Acceptance of any entry is conditional on the exhibitor agreeing to be bound by the Conditions set out above.