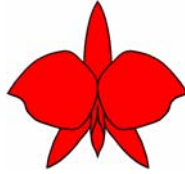


Bournemouth Orchid Society



Member: British Orchid Council

Founded 1959

President: Keith Andrew Esq

MEMBERS' SPRING SHOW 2013

Saturday 23rd February 2013

Allendale Community Centre, Hanham Road, Wimborne, Dorset, BH21 1 AS

Programme

Staging : 8.30 am - 10.30 am (Note: YOUR PLANTS SHOULD BE READY FOR REGISTRATION BY 10.30 am)

Judging : 10.45 am - 12.00 noon

Open : 12.00 noon - 4.30 pm

Judges

Classes 1 to 15 : Judges Keith Andrew ; Allan Burdis (BOC, RHS); Nick Fry (BOC); Graham Smith (BOC)

Classes 16 & 17 : Mrs. Barbara Greaves (NAFAS area judge)

Non-Competitive Exhibits

As is customary, there will be a "non-competitive" table for the display of plants which members do not wish to, or cannot under the 12-month rule, enter in the competitive Classes. Also, the following organizations will be staging trade displays, with plants and sundries available for sale -

Orchids by Peter White; Ratcliffe Orchid Sundries Ltd; Burnham Nurseries Ltd.

General Notes

1. **Note Registration is now 8.30 am - 10.30 am**
2. **Note changes to schedule : Class 2 & 3 now includes Cypripediums. Therefore classes renamed "Slipper Orchids"**
3. It is essential you fill out the attached Registration Form before you submit your plants for registration. Make sure you print all details clearly and accurately. (Spare forms are available to download from the BOS website)
4. You will note on page 3 the Edith Edge Cup is now awarded to the Best Oncidium and not Odontoglossum. Due to recent changes in nomenclature the genus Odontoglossum no longer exists and therefore all plants with this name should now be called Oncidiums. As this is a recent change the judges will still accept plants labelled Odontoglossum.
5. PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR PLANTS ARE FREE FROM PESTS. If necessary get a friend to help you. We are sorry, but plants found to be infected will be disqualified.
6. The usual plea, but as valid as ever: Do please bring as many orchids as possible for the show tables and the non-competitive display, also as many Tombola and Raffle prizes as possible.

REMEMBER, THIS IS YOUR SHOW! PLEASE SUPPORT IT AND ENCOURAGE OTHERS TO DO SO, TOO!

Let's all enjoy the Show. Remember it is your show!

Chris Broomfield
Show Manager

Schedule of Competitive Classes

Class 1. One Cymbidium Species or Hybrid, standard or miniature

Class 2. One Slipper Orchid Hybrid (includes Paphiopedilum, Phragmipedium, Cypripedium and Mexipedium)

Class 3. One Slipper Orchid Species (includes Paphiopedilum, Phragmipedium, Cypripedium and Mexipedium)

Class 4. One Oncidiinae Species or Hybrid

Class 5. One Dendrobium Species or Hybrid

Class 6. One Cattleya/Laelia Species or Hybrid, or inter-generic Hybrid containing Cattleya/Laelia

Class 7. One Phalaenopsis Species or Hybrid, or inter-generic Hybrid containing Phalaenopsis

Class 8. One Orchid Hybrid not mentioned in classes 1,2,4,5,6,7

Class 9. One Orchid Species not mentioned in classes 1,3,4,5,6,7

Class 10. Three Species Orchids all different, may include those mentioned above in classes 1,3,4,5,6,7

Class 11. Three Hybrids all different, may include those mentioned above in classes 1,2,4,5,6,7

Class 12. Three mixed species and hybrids all different, may include those mentioned in all classes above.

Class 13. Novices Class. One Species or Hybrid. Restricted to members who have never won a (1st) award at any Orchid Show.

Class 14. One cut Orchid flower spike in vase. Must not include foliage or any other material.

Class 15. One window-sill Orchid - Any species or hybrid which has been grown in the home. Excludes plants grown in a Wardian Case or similar structure.

Class 16. Members' Flower Arrangement Class - restricted to Members and their spouses.

An exhibit on one of the following two themes -

a) 'As Pretty as a Picture' An exhibit

b) 'A Revelation' An exhibit

Class 17. Open Flower Arranging Class: Open to members and non-members. Exhibits must be arranged in situ. Other details as for class 16

a) 'Milady's Basket' An exhibit (basket can be made of any material)

b) 'Collection' An exhibit featuring foliage (see note below)

Width allowed: 23" x 23" (58 cm X 58 cm), Height unlimited. An orchid or orchids must be Included. Other plant material may also be used. Only one exhibit per exhibitor per class.

Space is limited and must be booked in advance. Application form and schedule available from :- Mike Powell (Tel. 01794 513847) or downloaded from the BOS website (search Bournemouth Orchid Society).

THE AWARDS

1. The President's Shield

Awarded for the orchid species or hybrid adjudged to be the best in the Show from Classes 1 to 13 and Class 15

2. The Species Cup

Awarded for the orchid species adjudged to be the best in the Show from Classes 1,3,4,5,6,7,8,10,12,13,15

3. The Edith Edge Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best species or hybrid Oncidium or inter-generic hybrid containing Oncidium from Classes 4,8,9,10,11,12,13,15

4. The Phalaenopsis Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best species or hybrid Phalaenopsis or inter-generic hybrid containing Phalaenopsis from Classes 7,10,11,12,13,15

5. The Purbeck Cup

Awarded to the winner of Class 13 - the Novices Class

6. The Madge Mules Cup

Awarded to the exhibitor gaining the most points in the Show. Three points for each First, two points for each Second and one point for each Third.

7. The Johnnie Dyball Award

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best plant, species or hybrid, established on mounted material

8. The Congress Cup

Awarded for the plants adjudged to be the best group of three from classes 10,11 and 12

9. The Simply Control Shield

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best hybrid in show from classes 1,2,4,5,6,7,9,11,12,13,15

Awards cont. :-

10. The Anniversary Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Cymbidium in species or hybrid from classes 1,10,11,12,13,15

11. The Groves Bowl

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Slipper Orchid species or hybrid from classes 2,3,10,11,12,13,15

12. The Hampshire Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Species or Hybrid Dendrobium from classes 5,10,11,12,13,15

13. The Millennium Bowl

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Species or Hybrid Cattleya/Laelia or inter-generic hybrid containing Cattleya/Laelia from classes 6,10,11,12,13,15

14. The Frances Simmons Memorial Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Pleurothallid Species or Hybrid from classes 8,9,10,11,12,13,15

15. The Delia Hudson Memorial Cup

Awarded for the plant adjudged to be the best Coelogyne species or hybrid from classes 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15,

16. The Singapore Cup

Awarded for the orchid adjudged to be the best species originating from South-East Asia

17. The Beaufort Cup

Awarded to the Winner of class 16 the Members' Floral Arrangement Class

18. Cultural Awards

Awarded to the grower of any orchid species or hybrid in any of Classes 1 to 13 & 15 - the culture of which reaches a particularly high standard

19. Bournemouth Orchid Society Open Floral Award

Awarded to the winner of Class 17 - the Open Floral Arrangement Class

COMPETITION RULES

1. Eligibility

- a) Exhibitors in Classes 1 to 16 must be members of the Society or their spouses in the case of Class 16.
- b) Any plant entered in Classes 1 to 15 must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for at least 12 months prior to the Show.
- c) Any plant entered in Class 15 must have been grown in the home for at least 12 months prior to the Show. Plants grown in Wardian Cases or similar structures are excluded.
- d) Class 17 is open to both members and to non-members.

2. Staging

- a) All exhibits must be registered with the Show Secretary before being placed on the show tables.
- b) Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit for each theme in a class
- c) Exhibits must be arranged in situ for Class 17 (open Flower Arrangement Class).
- d) No exhibit may be removed from the Show tables before the Show closes at 4.30 pm.

3. Judging

- a) Classes 16 and 17 (Flower Arrangement Classes) will be judged under NAFAS rules.
- b) The Judges' decisions are final.