



# Plant Registration Information

## Genesee Region Orchid Society

Show April 2-3, 2022

Set-up April 1, 2022



### Plant Pre-Registration Instructions

All exhibitors (vendors, societies, individuals) **must pre-register** their plants by midnight Thursday, March 31, 2022. If needed, entries may be added and/or deleted on Friday April 1, 2022 during set-up by 4pm.

- Complete the **Plant Pre-Registration Form** excel sheet. Please type into this excel sheet so we can copy and paste from it. This can be found on the GROS website ([www.geneseeorchid.org](http://www.geneseeorchid.org)) under the “Annual Show” tab or contact Jeanne Kaeding at 585-442-3202 for a this document.
- Email the completed Plant Pre-Registration Form excel sheet as an attachment to the registrar, Jeanne Kaeding, at [GROSregistration@juno.com](mailto:GROSregistration@juno.com) or call Jeanne at 585-442-3202 to discuss other arrangements.
- If any modifications need to be made to your plant list, please see the registrar, Jeanne Kaeding, to finalize your list on Friday April 1 during set-up by 4pm.
- Plant Registration will close on Friday, April 1, 2022 at 4 pm. If you anticipate experiencing difficulties meeting this schedule, please call or email the registrar, Jeanne Kaeding, at the above phone number or email address.

### In which class does your plant belong?

Read through all the classes in the appropriate section of the Plant Registration Classes list in this document before choosing your plant’s class. Place the plant in the first class in which it belongs. For example, if you are registering an *Epilaeliocattleya*, it should go into Class 4 through 11, not Class 2. (Class 2 excludes *Cattleya*) If you need help determining a class, contact the registrar, Jeanne Kaeding, by email or phone, or during set-up on Friday before 4pm. *If your plant is not registered in the correct class, it may not be eligible for judging.* Plants may be entered in only one class except for the GROS Best Windowsill Grown Plant (see below).

### GROS gives two cultural awards

To be eligible, you must have grown the plant for at least one year.

- **Best Amateur Grown Plant:** The definition of “amateur” for this award is someone who does not run a commercial orchid sales business and sells 50 or fewer plants per year. Indicate your desire to enter your plant for this award on the Plant Registration excel sheet.
- **Best Windowsill Grown Plant:** The plant may not have been grown under artificial lights or in a greenhouse for at least one year. Eligible exhibitors may register **one plant** for the Best Windowsill Plant award during pre-registration. Indicate your desire to enter your plant for this award on the Plant Registration excel sheet.

## Please note: American Orchid Society (AOS) Awards require fee

You may opt out of being considered for AOS Awards at the time of plant registration. If you do not opt out and your plant receives an AOS award, *you will be billed by the AOS for the cost of registering your award* (currently \$40 for AOS members, \$60 for non-members). If you do not pay the fee to the AOS you will be disqualified from future awards. Let the registrar know if you do not want your plants AOS judged.

## Award Categories

**Major Awards:** (1st place ribbon/trophy only, given at the discretion of the judges)

- AOS Show Trophy (for best exhibit)
- Best Hybrid in Show ribbon
- Best Species in Show ribbon
- GROS Best Amateur Grown Plant ribbon
- GROS Best Windowsill Grown Plant ribbon

**Exhibit Class Awards:** (1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons given at the discretion of the judges)

- Commercial Exhibits: more than 16 blooming plants
- Commercial Exhibits: 11-16 blooming plants
- Orchid Society Exhibits: (includes non-profit institutions)
- Amateur Exhibits: more than 12 blooming plants
- Amateur Exhibits: 1-12 blooming plants
- Educational Exhibits

Please note: the term "Amateur" for Exhibit Class Awards is defined as anyone not selling at this orchid show, except at the GROS Members' Sales Table.

**Plant Awards:** (1<sup>st</sup> place ribbon given at the discretion of the judges)

- Best of Cattleya Alliance (classes 1-12)
- Best of Pleurothallid Alliance (classes 13-15)
- Best of Dendrobium Alliance (classes 16-22)
- Best of Paphiopedilum (classes 23-35)
- Best of Phragmipedium (classes 36-38)
- Best of Oncidium Alliance (classes 39-44)
- Best of Phalaenopsis (classes 45-55)
- Best of Vandaceous Alliance (classes 56-61)
- Best of Cymbidium Alliance (classes 62-65)
- Best of Maxillaria Alliance (classes 66-69)
- Best of Miscellaneous Classes (classes 70-78)

## **Plant Registration Classes:** (1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons at the discretion of the judges)

### **Cattleya Alliance** (*classes 1-12*)

1. Encyclia, Epidendrum and Prosthechea species.
2. Encyclia, Epidendrum, and Prosthechea hybrids and intergenerics, but excluding Cattleya and Guarianthe.
3. All other Cattleya Alliance species
4. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers equal to 10-cm (4 inches) or less; White, and White with Colored Lip
5. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers larger than 10-cm (4 inches) White, and White with Colored Lip
6. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers equal to 10-cm (4 inches) or less; Magenta, Lavender, Mauve, Pink, Purple
7. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers greater than 10-cm (4 inches); Magenta, Lavender, Mauve, Pink, Purple
8. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers equal to 10-cm (4 inches) or less; Yellow, Orange, Red
9. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: flowers greater than 10-cm or less (4 inches); Yellow, Orange, Red
10. Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics: All Other Colors, including Green
11. Mini-Cattleya hybrids and intergenerics (plants with mature growth of 10 inches or less, excluding inflorescence) NOT entered in any previous class
12. All other genera hybrids, and intergenerics of the Cattleya Alliance

*Best of Cattleya Alliance (classes 1-12)*

### **Pleurothallid Alliance** (*classes 13-15*)

13. Masdevallia and Dracula species
14. Masdevallia and Dracula hybrids and intergenerics
15. All other genera species, hybrids, and intergenerics of the Pleurothallid Alliance other than above

*Best of Pleurothallid Alliance (classes 13-15)*

### **Dendrobium Alliance** (*classes 16-22*)

16. Dendrobium species, nobile type
17. Dendrobium species, phalaenopsis and antelope type
18. Dendrobium species, all others
19. Dendrobium hybrids, nobile type
20. Dendrobium hybrids, phalaenopsis and antelope type
21. Dendrobium hybrids all others
22. All other genera species, hybrids, and intergenerics of the Dendrobium Alliance other than above

*Best of Dendrobium Alliance (classes 16-22)*

**Paphiopedilum** (classes 23-35) \*Color class should be decided by the dominant color of the flower

23. Paphiopedilum species: subspecies Brachypetalum and Parvisepalum
24. Paphiopedilum species: all other single flowering
25. Paphiopedilum species: multi-flowering (sequential flowering use class 26)
26. Paphiopedilum species: sequential flowering
27. Paphiopedilum multi-flowering hybrids (including sequentially flowering)
28. Paphiopedilum single flowered primary and half-primary hybrids, at least one parent is a species from section Brachypetalum or Parvisepalum

\* Paph Single Flowered Hybrid Classes

*Primary hybrids: both parents are species; half-primary hybrids: one parent is a species, the other is a hybrid*

*Please note: Maudiae type Coloratum hybrids (green sepals, vini or purple pouch) use class 30*

29. Paphiopedilum hybrids-Maudiae or cruciform type white/pink/green/yellow
30. Paphiopedilum hybrids-Maudiae or cruciform type other colors except vini-color (*includes coloratum type*)
31. Paphiopedilum hybrids full, round shape: bronze, brown, tan, mahogany
32. 32. Paphiopedilum hybrids full, round shape: red, pink
33. Paphiopedilum hybrids full, round shape: all other colors except vini colors
34. Paphiopedilum hybrids- vini-colors all types
35. All other species, hybrids, and intergenerics in the Cypripedium Alliance, i.e. Mexipedium, Cypripedium, Selenopedium, etc.

*Best of Paphiopedilum (classes 23-35)*

**Phragmipedium Classes** (classes 36-38)

36. Phragmipedium species
37. Phragmipedium hybrids, red/yellow/orange/pink (besseae or kovachii hybrids)
38. Phragmipedium hybrids, all others

*Best of Phragmipedium (classes 36-38)*

**Oncidium Alliance\*** (classes 39-44)

*\*Colmanara Wild Cat is now an Odontocidium/Oncidium/Gomesa and should be put in class 43*

39. Brassia and Ada species, hybrids, and intergenerics (includes Miltassia, Brassidium, Aliceara, Beallara, etc.)
40. Miltonia and Miltoniopsis species and hybrids
41. Tolumnia and Rodrumnia species and hybrids
42. Oncidium, Odontoglossum, and Gomesa species (including Lemboglossum, Rhyncostele, Rossioglossum, Ticoglossum, Otoglossum, etc.)
43. Oncidium, Odontoglossum, and Gomesa hybrids and intergenerics (includes Oncostele, Oncidoglossum, Gomestele, Wilsonara, Howeara, Odontioda, Oncidioda, Oncidesa, Colmanara, Odontocidium, etc.)
44. All other genera species, hybrids, and intergenerics of the Oncidium Alliance (including Psychopsis)

*Best of Oncidium Alliance (classes 39-44)*

## **Phalaenopsis** (classes 45-55) (includes Doritis and Doritaenopsis)

*\*Doritaenopsis hybrids should be included in Phalaenopsis hybrid classes*

45. Phalaenopsis and Doritis species
46. Phalaenopsis hybrids: White, no markings, with or without colored lip, flowers equal to 4-cm (2 inches) or less
47. Phalaenopsis hybrids: White, no markings, with or without colored lip, flowers larger than 4-cm (2 inches)
48. Phalaenopsis hybrids: White-Spots/bars/blush/stripes flowers equal to 4-cm (2 inches) or less
49. Phalaenopsis hybrids: White, Spots/bars/blush/stripes flowers larger than 4-cm (2 inches)
50. Phalaenopsis hybrids: Pink, with/without markings flowers equal to 4-cm (2 inches) or less
51. Phalaenopsis hybrids: Pink, with/without markings flowers larger than 4-cm (2 inches)
52. Phalaenopsis hybrids: Yellow, Green, with/without markings flowers equal to 4-cm (2 inches) or less
53. Phalaenopsis hybrids: Yellow, Green, with/without markings larger than 4-cm (2 inches)
54. Phalaenopsis hybrids: Other Colors, with/without markings
55. Phalaenopsis intergeneric hybrids (except Doritaenopsis, included in classes 43-47)

*Best of Phalaenopsis (classes 45-55)*

## **Vandaceous Alliance** (classes 56-61)

56. Neofinetia falcata IN FLOWER and its intergeneric hybrids; if to be judged on leaves, enter in class 77
57. Vanda and Ascocentrum species
58. Vanda and Ascocentrum hybrids and intergenerics (including Ascocenda) flowers equal to 3.5 cm (1.5 inches) or less
59. Vanda and Ascocentrum hybrids and intergenerics (including Ascocenda) flowers larger than 3.5 cm
60. All other genera species of the Vandaceous Alliance
61. All other genera hybrids, and intergenerics of the Vandaceous Alliance

*Best of Vandaceous Alliance (classes 56-61)*

## **Cymbidium Alliance** (classes 62-65)

62. Cymbidium species
63. Cymbidium hybrids: flowers equal to 7.5 cm (3 inches) or less
64. Cymbidium hybrids: flowers larger than 7.5 cm (3 inches)
65. All Other genera species, hybrids, and intergenerics related to Cymbidium

*Best of Cymbidium Alliance (classes 62-65)*

## **Maxillaria Alliance** (classes 66-69)

66. Lycaste and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics, other than above
67. Maxillaria and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics, other than above
68. Zygopetalum and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics, other than above
69. Bifrenaria and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics, other than above

*Best of Maxillaria Alliance (classes 66-69)*

## **Miscellaneous Genera** (classes 70-78)

70. Catasetum, Clowesia, Cycnoches, Dressleria, Mormodes, and Allied genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
71. Stanhopea, Gongora, and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
72. Calanthe, Phaius, Chysis, Bletia and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
73. Disa, Habenaria, Orchis, and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
74. Coelogyne and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
75. Bulbophyllum, Cirrhopetalum and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics other than above
76. Jewel Orchids and Allied Genera: species, hybrids, and intergenerics, to be judged on flowers *note: Jewel orchid, or painted orchid is a term that refers to orchids grown for their foliage; many genera belong to this class*
77. Orchid Species and hybrids grown for unusual foliage without flowers, includes jewel and painted orchids, Vanda /Neofinetia falcata. etc.
78. All other genera species, hybrids, and intergenerics not covered above

### *Best of Miscellaneous Classes (classes 70-78)*

## **Other** (classes 79-82)

79. Arrangements, Corsages, Bouquets: orchids must be the main flower in the object
80. Photographs
81. Paintings, etchings, etc., artistic or botanical in nature
82. Handcrafts: Needlework, Ceramics, Jewelry, etc.

End of Plant Registration Classes