# January 2018 Judging Results

Welcome to a new year of **East Everglades Orchid Society’s Judging Program.**

This is where any member can bring in their blooming orchid to show off their beautiful flowers to the rest of us. We encourage all members to get involved, because when you see your favorite beauty, find the owner, then ask where they purchased it and what type of culture does it require. You even might be able to make a trade for a cutting!

We offer each registered plant a ribbon award from our team of judges, many affiliated with the American Orchid Society (AOS). Each ribbon award is blue for 1st, red for 2nd, white for 3rd, and a green ribbon for culture. At the end of the year, prizes are given out to members who receive the most points in each orchid group. Blue ribbons are worth 5 points, reds are 3 points, and whites are worth 1 point. Culture (green) is worth 1 point for a special award.

If you participate in judging, you must fill out our registration form and leave it with the plant. It needs to have the name of the orchid and your name. Please use your best penmanship and spelling when filling out the form.

One Culture Ribbon was awarded this month to **Rossy Ochoa** for her clean, beautiful, well-grown *Blc. Hawaii Stars*. This medium-size orchid had 20 flowers and 5 buds well-displayed around the plant growing in a wooden basket. Congratulations, **Rossy**!

**Vandaceous Group: 7 entries**

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| **1st** | V. Pachara Delight | Rossy Ochoa |
| **1st** | V. Petite Bouquet | Don Bourgain |
| **1st** | V. Lou Sneary | Rossy Ochoa |
| **1st** | Rhy. gigantea | Rossy Ochoa |
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| **1st** | Rhy. gigantea | Rossy Ochoa |
| **2nd** | Rhy. gigantea | Rene’ Izquierdo |

**Cattleya Group: 10 entries**

**1st** Lc. Orglades Grand Victoria Clemente

**1st** C. Hagan’s Ace Victoria Clemente

**1st** Blc. Keowee Rene’ Izquierdo

**1st** B. nodosa x L. purpurata Rene” Izquierdo

**1st** Blc. Doris and Byron Donna Taylor

**1st** Blc Hawaii Star Rossy Ochoa

**1st** Slc. Jami Hollingworth Rossy Ochoa

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| **1st** | Blc. Katherine Clarkson x Sunspots | Rossy Ochoa |
| **2nd** | Blc. Lime Cooler | Rene’ Izquierdo |
| **3rd** | Blc. Sherrie Styles | Rene’ Izquierdo |

**Dendrobium Group: 1 entry**

**1st** Den. Genting Royal Rossy Ochoa

**Oncidium Group: 3 entries**

**1st** Onc. Sweet Sugar Rossy Ochoa

**1st** Onc. Mendenhall Rossy Ochoa

**2nd** Bllra. Tropic Lily Donna Taylor

**Cymbidiod Group: 1 entry**

**1st** Fredclarkeara (Fdk.) After Dark Victoria Clemente

**Encyclia Group: 1 entry**

**1st** Enc. cordigera alba Rene’ Izquierdo

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| **Miniatures Group:** | **2 entries** |  |
| **1st** Haraella retrocalla**2nd** Den. rigidum |  | Javier ComesanasJavier Comesanas |

**Other Species Group: 1 entry**

**2nd** Spathoglottis vanoverberghii Javier Comesanas

**Other Hybrids Group: 1 entry**

**1st** Psytonia Samana Javier Comesanas

**East Everglades Orchid Society** thanks **David Schaffter, Erna Maxwell, Lynn Corson, Ana Jaggernath, and Gilda Nolasco** for judging our members’ orchids.