

# March Judging

**Time to Repot!** You can reuse your old ceramic pots by soaking them in a bucket of water with a 10-20% Chlorine or Clorox mix for a few days. A stiff toilet brush is a good scrubber to remove old, dead roots. Make sure you rinse thoroughly after cleaning. They should soak in clean water for a few days to remove the chlorine. Look for new “eyes” or buds forming on your Cattleyas. Be careful not to damage or break these buds while repotting. You can repot cattleyas, especially if they’ve already bloomed. When repotting vandas, soaking the roots in water for 20 minutes makes them more pliable and less likely to break during repotting. Start rounding up your potting mixes, new baskets, tree fern or whatever your favorite potting medium you like to use.

We had 3 Culture awards this month. **Chris Houk** received culture for his large, well-grown *Cattleya Patricia* grown in a 12 inch basket. **Rene’ Izquierdo** brought in a culture-winning *Den. canaliculatum* with many flowers, grown on a plank of wood. **Yadel Guia** received culture for a beautiful, large *Den. anosmum* grown on a cork slab. **Thank You** to all of you who participated in our judging program, for bringing in and sharing your beautiful orchids with us. See you next month!

## **Vandaceous Group: 6 entries**

<b>1st</b>	V. Samsai Blue	Rene’ Izquierdo
<b>1st</b>	V. Motes Adorbs	Rene’ Izquierdo
<b>1st</b>	V. Ladda Gold	Chris Houk
<b>1st</b>	V. denisoniana	David Schaffter
<b>2nd</b>	Rntda. Hew Mun	Rene’ Izquierdo
<b>2nd</b>	V. Dr. Anek	Pedro Bonetti

## **Cattleya Group: 7 entries**

<b>1st</b>	C. Patricia (culture)	Chris Houk
<b>1st</b>	Rlc. Kat Green Power	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	C. skinnerii	Gilda Nolasco
<b>1st</b>	Blc. Yen Corona	Pedro Bonetti
<b>1st</b>	Ctna. Marley Beckford	Kim Belisle
<b>2nd</b>	C. skinnerii alba	David Schaffter
<b>2nd</b>	C. amethystaglossa	Lynn Corson

## **Dendrobium Group: 8 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Den. canaliculatum (culture)	Rene’ Izquierdo
<b>1st</b>	Den. aggregatum	Rene’ Izquierdo
<b>1st</b>	Den. tangeranum	Chris Houk
<b>1st</b>	Den. anosmum (culture)	Yadel Guia

<b>2nd</b>	*Den. Nopporn Pink x Den. discolor	Rene' Izquierdo
<b>2nd</b>	Den. Yasuko Sugiyama	Rene' Izquierdo
<b>2nd</b>	Den. jenkinsinii	David Schaffter
<b>3rd</b>	Den. aggregatum	Tere Camacho

\*Den. Nopporn Pink x Den. discolor = Den. Wilmotte Dunn

**Oncidium Group: 2 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Onc. Jairak Flyer	Tere Camacho
<b>1st</b>	Tolum. Pinku	David Schaffter

**Phalaenopsis Group: 10 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Phal. Sogo Yenlin	Kim Belisle
<b>1st</b>	Phal. Cupid Spirit	Donna Taylor
<b>1st</b>	Phal. violacea	Pedro Bonetti
<b>1st</b>	Dtps. Hsinying	Donna Taylor
<b>2nd</b>	Phal. violacea	Tere Camacho
<b>2nd</b>	Phal. cornu-cervi	Tere Camacho
<b>2nd</b>	Phal. Big Lip	Donna Taylor
<b>2nd</b>	Phal. Brother Lancer	Donna Taylor
<b>3rd</b>	*P. Ching Her Budda x Dtps. Leopard Prince	Donna Taylor
<b>3rd</b>	Phal. Kaleidoscope	Tere Camacho

\*P. Ching Her Budda x Dtps. Leopard Prince= Phal. I-Hsin Sesame

**Cymbidiod Group: 1 Entry**

<b>2nd</b>	Cym. Caleor	Tere Camacho
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**Paphiopedilum Group: 4 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Paph. Mustache	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	Paph. St. Swithin	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	*Paph. Supersuk x Paph. Raisin Pie	Kim Belisle
<b>2nd</b>	Paph. St. Swithin	Lynn Corson

\*Paph. Supersuk x Paph. Raisin Pie= Paph. Hsinying Alien

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