

# August Judging

**What is in an orchid name?** All orchids belong to the Family of Orchidaceae. Within this Family are over several hundred of orchid genera that contains thousands of species. Each genera have certain characteristics that separates them from each other, such as Vanda, Cattleya, Oncidium, etc. This part of the name always begins with a capital letter. Botanists would use the first letter of the genus (D.) and horticulturists would use a short abbreviation (Den.) for the genus Dendrobium. Each genus has tens to hundreds of species that have different characteristics that separate them from each other. Each named species always begin with a lower cased letter and is usually latinized.

With people collecting orchids from all over the world, they found out they could breed them with each other and create many hybrids using different species. These hybrid orchids were given names from one to four words, usually by the breeder, and words always begin with capitalized letters. With the rise of orchid clubs and competition judging, award winners could give their particular species or hybrid a clonal name that that begins with capital words and is in single quotation marks.

**Filling out your Ribbon Judging Entry Form** The first 2 lines of the entry form asks for the name of your plant. You can put the genus name or abbreviation, and species or hybrid name here. The second 2 lines ask for the names of the orchid cross if you do not know the hybrid name. Occasionally, your orchid name-tag may only list the cross of 2 or more orchids. We can look up the names and sometimes update a new hybrid name for your orchid. We will let you know in the monthly Judging Report of a new Hybrid name. The third 2 lines on the entry form ask for your name and phone number. Please print your first & last name clearly so we can enter it into the judging report. Below your name is a checklist of Orchid Categories where your orchid belongs in. If you know it, please check it, or we can look it up. Most of all, **please fill out your form clearly and carefully so the judges can read it and make it easier for us to judge your orchids. Thank You!**

## **Vandaceous Group: 14 entries**

<b>1st</b>	V. SW Starlight	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	V. Princess Mikasa alba	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	V. Barbara Krantz*	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	V. Corneels Cilliers	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	Prra Tony Tan Keng Yam	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	V. John Smith	Alan Smith
<b>1st</b>	Pda. Levi HKN Ng	Alan Smith
<b>1st</b>	V. Bangkok Sunset	Alan Smith
<b>2nd</b>	V. Princess Mikasa	Judy Congdon
<b>2nd</b>	V. Kru Chom	Lynn Corson
<b>2nd</b>	V. Nambaryn Enkhbayar*	Alan Smith
<b>2nd</b>	V. Athorn	Tere Camacho
<b>2nd</b>	Rhynchorides Magic Wand alba	Tere Camacho
<b>3rd</b>	V. Ben Jasmine	Tere Camacho

\*V. Barbar Krantz = V. Sankamphaeng x V. Rasri Gold

\*V. Nambaryn Enkhbayar = V. limbata x V. tessellata

**Cattleya Group: 8 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Bc. Jairak Kiku	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	Ctna. Jamaica Fire	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	Rlc. Waianae Starburst	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	Myc. Hamlyn's Melody	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	Rlc. Haw Yuan Gold	Lynn Corson
<b>1st</b>	Ctna. Hamlyn's Melody	Lynn Corson
<b>2nd</b>	C. walkeriana	Lynn Corson
<b>2nd</b>	Bc. Yellow Bird	Lynn Corson

**Dendrobium Group: 2 entries**

<b>2nd</b>	Den. Aridana Green	Judy Congdon
<b>2nd</b>	Den. Malayan Orange	Olga Erickson

**Oncidium Group: 1 entry**

<b>1st</b>	Onc. Sweet Sugar	Lynn Corson
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**Phalaenopsis Group: 1 entry**

<b>2nd</b>	Phal. cornu-cervi	Tere Camacho
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**Other Species Group: 3 entries**

<b>1st</b>	Trichoglottis brachiata	Judy Congdon
<b>1st</b>	B. nodosa	Lynn Corson
<b>2nd</b>	Dendrochilum longifolium	Judy Congdon

**Other Hybrids Group: 1 entry**

<b>1st</b>	Habenaria Trogon	Judy Congdon
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