

January Judging

Cooler weather really brought out all the cattleyas and dendrobiums this year. Chilly temperatures also kept the vandas back in their greenhouses until it gets warmer. This month, members have brought in more orchids than we've had since before 2019 (47 orchids). This might be a good time to ask any of the members if they would like to participate in our judging program. You get to learn about the many types of orchids and what the judges look for when judging different types and qualities of orchids. Our long term goal is to have enough judges so that they can finish up early and enjoy the meetings with the rest of the members.

Growing and Judging Tips Before you bring in your orchids for judging, look them over carefully and make sure you have a name tag. Check for thrips, scale and snails. If you have any of those, leave them at home! Stake your flowers to show a pleasing, beautiful display. Remove any dead, damaged leaves, old stems, and even spent, dead flowers. Last, but not least, fill out one of our judging slips with your entry. Print or write clearly and accurately. With this in mind, you know you are doing your best to show others your beautiful, award-winning orchids.

Judging Results

Vandaceous Group: 5 entries

1st	V. Tracey Moehling	Robin Burr
1st	Rhynchostylis (Rhy.) gigantea	Judy Congdon
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2nd	V. Selena	Judy Congdon
2nd	Rhy. gigantea (peach)	Robin Burr

Cattleya Group: 19 entries

1st	Rlc. Nina de Primavera	Charles Asche
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1st	Ctt. Spring Fires x Rth. Telling Lies	Kim Belisle
1st	Ctna. Why Not	Natalie Chutkun
1st	Blc. Lawless Zuberflot	Judy Congdon
1st	Pot. Love Triangle	Judy Congdon
1st	Ctna. Why Not (yellow)	Judy Congdon
1st	Blc. Pink Empress	Lynn Corson
1st	Bc. Hawaiiin Agenda	Lynn Corson
2nd	C. Mishima Elf	Kim Belisle
2nd	C. trianae	Judy Congdon
2nd	Rlc. Suncoast Magic Leopards	Judy Congdon
2nd	Pot. Orlades Tradition	Judy Congdon
2nd	Catt. Mrs. Emma Billips	Judy Congdon
2nd	Bc. Mami Akatsuka	Lynn Corson

2nd	Pot. Heather's Gold	Lynn Corson
3rd	C. Tokyo Magic x Blc. Suncoast Magic	Robin Burr
3rd	Rlc. Mari's Glory	Robin Burr
3rd	Rlc. Amazing Thailand	Robin Burr

Dendrobium Group: 6 entries

1st	Den. Chocolate Antlers	Robin Burr
1st	Den. antennatum	Judy Congdon
1st	Den. Liberty White	Judy Congdon
1st	Den. Touch of Gold	Judy Congdon
1st	Den. Champagne x Den. stratiotes	Lynn Corson
2nd	Den. Madame Uraivan	Robin Burr

Oncidium Group: 9 entries

1st	Onc. Twinkle	Robin Burr
1st	Tol. Jairak Firm	Tere Camacho
1st	Vuyl. Melissa Brianne	Natalie Chutkun
1st	Tol. Jairak Firm	Judy Congdon
1st	Bllra. Marfitch	Judy Congdon
2nd	Onc. ornithorhynchum	Robin Burr
2nd	Onc. Twinkle	Robin Burr
2nd	Tol. Jairak Rainbow	Judy Congdon
2nd	Bllra. Marfitch	Lynn Corson

Paphiopedilum Group: 3 entries

1st	Paph. glaucophyllum	Tere Camacho
2nd	Paph. exul	Olga Erickson
2nd	Paph. Prim and Proper	Lynn Corson

Encyclia Group: 1 Entry

1st	Ett. Volcano Trick	Judy Congdon
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Miniatures Group: 1 Entry

1st	Oberonia mucronata	Tere Camacho
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Other Species Group: 2 Entries

1st Angracecum sesquipedale

Judy Congdon

1st Mormolyca (Mo.) ringens

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Other Hybrids Group: 1 Entry

1st Mo. Barnabas Collins

Judy Congdon

East Everglades Orchid Society thanks **David Schaffter and Bill Capps** for judging our members' orchids. Photo credits-**Tere Camacho**