

April Judging

WE WILL NOT be judging our members' orchids next month. **May** is our **Annual Auction**, so therefore, there will be no judging. We will **resume** judging in **June**.

You should be deep in re-potting your orchids during this time. One of the most important things to remember, no matter what type of potting, mounting, or hanging you do, make sure your orchid is tied securely to your potting medium so it doesn't move. Your orchid needs to attach new roots to the medium as soon as possible and not break its bond, due to a wiggly plant.

We are in need of a few new judges to help judge our orchids. We will train you how we judge and you will learn so much more about orchids. Please step up and offer to help us keep our judging program going.

One last request, when you bring in orchids to be judged and you start to fill out your entry forms, please focus on your penmanship when writing. Some members actually type out their entry forms at home. This is good. Some people fill them out at the meeting, which can be challenging, especially when the judges try to read them. Print out those forms, slow and steady! Thank You.

We had a CULTURE award given to **Kim Belisle** for her beautifully-grown *Maxillaria tenuifolia* grown in a pot in a basket. There were about 150 dark fragrant flowers held close to the base of the leaves. Congratulations, **Kim**, for sharing your orchid with us.

We fixed our hanging orchid display stand, so hopefully, the unfortunate event from last month will be a thing of the past. We also need to restrict the display stand to lighter orchids and use the tables for heavier, potted plants.

Vandaceous Group: 14 entries

1st	V. ampullacea	Robin Burr
1st	V. mariae	Robin Burr
1st	Saidenfadenia mitrata	Robin Burr
1st	V. Abuflora Blue*	Robin Burr
1st	V. Robin Burr	Robin Burr
1st	Asctm. miniatum	Judy Congdon
1st	V. SW Starlight	Judy Congdon
1st	Ren. Mauricette Brin	Judy Congdon
1st	Aeridovanda Lemon Jasmine	Judy Congdon
2nd	Rrn. Shim Phya Feh	Robin Burr
2nd	Asctm. miniatum	Robin Burr
2nd	V. Arthorn x V. Pralor	Judy Congdon
2nd	Ascda. Suksamran Sunlight	Judy Congdon
2nd	V. Pachara Delight	Lynn Corson

*V. Pakchong Blue x Golamco's Blue Magic = V. Abuflora Blue

Cattleya Group: 15 entries

1st	Myc. RIO's Little Treasure*	Kim Belisle
1st	C. Seabreeze x C. gaskelliana	Robin Burr

1st	C, intermedia	Judy Congdon
1st	C. Love Knot	Judy Congdon
1st	Ctna. Why Not	Judy Congdon
2nd	Catt. Carmela's Tropical Beauty	Kim Belisle
2nd	Catt. Why Not	Robin Burr
2nd	Bc. Maikai	Robin Burr
2nd	Bcl. Little Bird	Natalie Chutran
2nd	Bc. Jairak Kiku	Judy Congdon
2nd	Blc. Chomthong Fancy	Judy Congdon
2nd	C. Trudy Calder	Judy Congdon
2nd	Pot. Hawaiian Prominence	Lynn Corson
3rd	Blc. Amy Wakasugi	Lynn Corson
3rd	Wmt. Keith Phillip	Lynn Corson

*Schom. albopurpurea x C. violacea = Myc. RIO's Little Treasure

Dendrobium Group: 6 entries

1st	Den. aphyllum	Robin Burr
1st	Den. Kiilani Gold	Robin Burr
1st	Den. Chocolate Antlers	Lynn Corson
2nd	Den. QF Royal Blue*	Robin Burr
2nd	Den. Judy Mezey	Lynn Corson
2nd	Den. Oriental Smile	Lynn Corson

*Den. Blue Twinkle x Den. Blue Seas = Den. QF Royal Blue

Oncidium Group: 2 entries

1st	Trichocentrum undulatum	Judy Congdon
2nd	Onc. sphacelatum	Robin Burr

Phalaenopsis Group: 2 entries

3rd	Phal. Allura Voodoo ?	Natalie Chutran
3rd	Phal. GC Reyoung Lava ?	Natalie Chutran

Paphiopedilum Group: 5 entries

1st	Paph. lowii	Lynn Corson
1st	Paph. Via Clara Ruggiero	Lynn Corson
1st	Paph. Yang-Ji Hawk*	Lynn Corson

2nd	Paph. Memoria Jim Solly*	Lynn Corson
2nd	Guarechea Black Comet	Lynn Corson

*Paph. sanderianum x Paph. anitum = Paph. Yang-Ji Hawk

*Paph. Hsinying Franz #2 x Paph. anitum = Paph. Memoria Jim Solly

Encyclia Group: 5 entries

1st	Enc. Rioclarense	Judy Congdon
1st	Enc. cordigera	Lynn Corson
2nd	Epi. Yellow Imp	Judy Congdon
2nd	Sergioara Yokosuka Story	Judy Congdon
3rd	Enc. David Saunders	Lynn Corson

Other Species Group: 2 entries

1st	Max. tenuifolia	CULTURE	Kim Belisle
1st	Max. tenuifolia		Lynn Corson

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