

## General Conditions

1. Exhibitor entries are free and open to all members of approved Orchid Societies. A non-competitive section is available if required.
2. **Every Exhibitor shall complete the documentation EDOS Inc. is required to keep in respect of 'Fire Ants' legislation.**
3. Entries must be tabled by 7.00 pm & available for judging at 7.30 pm.
4. **Staking and tying** shall be sufficient to support the inflorescence but shall be unobtrusive and not detract from the display of the bloom. Ties must be removable, i.e. **NO TAPE!!**
5. The Show Captain and/or Chief Steward have the right to:
  - a. Reject, remove or re-arrange any entry;
  - b. Determine the class in which any plant may be entered;
  - c. Combine and/or establish classes if need be.
6. Entries must not be removed from the hall or tables until after the presentation of prizes on Sunday without the prior permission of the Show Executive (see G.C.14).
7. A New Grower is defined as one who has not been excluded from the New Growers Section at EDOS Inc. Monthly meetings.
8. Any stands tabled must be appropriate to the size of the plants exhibited.
9. A specimen plant is defined as a mature plant which has been grown from a single clone, has a large number of flowers and shows evidence of good culture over an extended period of time.
10. In class "Seedling –etc - Flowering for the first time" - an orchid developed from the meristem process will be excluded.
11. All plants must be the property of the exhibitor and been in the possession of the exhibitor for the preceding 6 months.
12. Where a plant is eligible for more than one class it will be the owner's responsibility to select which class the plants will be judged in.
13. EDOS Inc. or its agents or the Brisbane International Shooting Centre or its agents, accept no responsibility for the theft, loss or destruction of plants, or damage of any kind, occasioned to plants either during transport to and from the show venue, or whilst at the show venue.
14. The Show Executive (The President, Show Captain & Chief Steward) will be the sole arbiters should matters of dispute arise.
15. Individual plants may be entered in one class only.
16. The Champion Orchids will be selected from all plants benched on display tables within designated Competition Class Sections, excluding Class 48.
17. The Judge's decision is final.
18. Acceptance of any entry will be conditional on the exhibitor agreeing to be bound by the conditions set out above.
19. Non EDOS Inc Members are eligible to have plants in the plant sales area for sale provided that they have a minimum of two show quality plants benched in the show.
20. Plant sales are for Orchids and orchid related products only.
21. Bar Code sale Labels are to be requested in advance of the show.
22. Prizes are awarded for the first three placings. All orchid entries for exhibiting that do not fit into a designated class shall be accommodated within an appropriate class or a new class.
23. First place in Classes 33 and 47 to be considered as section champion in the appropriate Species or Hybrid champion section within the Show Schedule.

*Eastern District Orchid Society Inc*

59<sup>th</sup> Spring  
Orchid Show

**Schedule  
2025**



Brisbane International Shooting Centre  
Belmont Shooting Complex  
1485 Old Cleveland Road, Belmont

Saturday 13 September - 8:30 am – 4:00 pm  
Sunday 14 September – 8:30 am – 2:00 pm

*Free Cultural Advice*

**Admission:**  
**Adults \$4.00 & Children Under 14 yrs Free**

*Plants in Bloom for Sale*

## **Spring Show Schedule 2025**

**Date:** Saturday 13 September & Sunday 14 September 2025

**Plant Benching:** Friday 12 Sep 25 – 4.00pm to 7.00pm

**Venue:** Belmont Shooting Complex, 1485 Old Cleveland Road, Belmont

**Show Captain:** Ray Girdlestone – Telephone No: 0411 776 949

**Chief Steward:** Ken Haase – Telephone No: 0439 397 338

**Judges:** As appointed

**Presentation of Prizes:** 2.00 pm Sunday 14 September 2025

**ALL CHAMPION PRIZES** are in the form of Vouchers issued by our Sponsors and EDOS Inc:

<b>Champion Orchid of Show</b>	<b>\$150.00</b> ( <i>Brisbane Orchid Supplies</i> )
<b>Reserve Champion of Show</b>	<b>\$100.00</b> ( <i>Fame Orchids Perpetual Trophy</i> )
<b>Champion Species of Show</b>	<b>\$75.00</b> (M. Sue)
<b>Champion Specimen of Show</b>	<b>\$75.00</b> ( <i>Bendigo Bank Perpetual Trophy</i> )
<b>Champion Australian Native (Species or Hybrid)</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Rolin Orchids</i> )
<b>Champion Cattleya Alliance Hybrid</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Aranbeem</i> )
<b>Champion Dendrobium Hybrid</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Bendigo Bank</i> )
<b>Champion Vandaceous Alliance Hybrid</b> - (includes Phalaenopsis Hybrids)	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>D. Dorham</i> )
<b>Champion Paphiopedilum/Phragmipedium Alliance Hybrid</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Tropic Gardener</i> )
<b>Champion Oncidiinae Alliance Hybrid</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Bendigo Bank</i> )
<b>Champion Any Other Genera Hybrid</b>	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Rolin Orchids</i> )
<b>Champion Novice</b> (classes 49, 50 & 51)	<b>\$50.00</b> ( <i>Bendigo Bank</i> )

ALL CLASS PRIZES ARE VOUCHERS, WHICH ARE AWARDED FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> - \$25, 2<sup>ND</sup> - \$15 AND 3<sup>RD</sup> - \$10. TOTAL PRIZE MONEY FOR THE SHOW IS OVER \$3350.00

### **OPEN COMPETITION CLASSES**

- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Exhibition Type – Predominantly White
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Exhibition Type – Predominantly Mauve/Pink/Purple
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Exhibition Type – Any Other Colour
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Cluster Type - **See Note 1**
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Exhibition Compact Type – max bloom 120mm
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid Exhibition Miniature Type – max bloom 70mm
- Cattleya Alliance Hybrid – Any Other Type
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Exhibition Type – Predominantly White
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Exhibition Type – Predominantly Pink
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Exhibition Type – Any Other Colour
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Type - Striped
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Type - Harlequin
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Type - Novelty
- Phalaenopsis Hybrids Type – Miniature - max bloom 50mm
- Paphiopedilum Hybrids – Exhibition Type
- Paphiopedilum Hybrids – Primary Type – Parentage species be identified
- Paphiopedilum Hybrids – Any Other
- Phragmipedium Hybrids

- Oncidiinae Hybrids Alliance (Excluding Class 20)
- Oncidiinae Hybrids – Tolumnia / Zelemania / Rodrumnia
- Vandaceous Hybrids – 60 mm and above –including cut flowers
- Vandaceous Hybrids – Below 60 mm – including cut flowers
- Vandaceous Alliance intergeneric Hybrids – including cut flowers (excl. 21 & 22)
- Cymbidium Hybrids – Standard / Intermediate / Miniature
- Dendrobium Hybrids – ‘Soft Cane’ Type – White Colour
- Dendrobium Hybrids – ‘Soft Cane’ Type – Yellow Colour
- Dendrobium Hybrids – ‘Soft Cane’ Type – Purple Colour
- Dendrobium Hybrids – ‘Soft Cane’ Type – Any Other Colour
- Dendrobium Hybrids – Any Other Type (Excluding Classes 43 & 44)
- Australian Native Hybrids – Not Elsewhere Included
- Hybrids within Epidendrum, Encyclia & Prosthechea group (including Crucifix – Cut flowers allowed)
- Any Other Genera Hybrids
- Miniature – Hybrids or Species – maximum bloom 15mm - **See Note 2**
- Cattleya Alliance Species – (Excluding Class 35)
- Cattleya intermedia
- Paphiopedilum Species
- Phalaenopsis Species
- Vandaceous Alliance Species – including cut flowers
- Bulbophyllum Species
- Coelogyne Species (Including former Dendrochilum)
- Species – Any Other Genera
- Dendrobium Species (Excluding Class 43)
- Australian Native Dendrobium Species
- Australian Native Dendrobium Natural Hybrids (e.g. x gracillimum, x delicatum & x suffusum)
- Australian Native Dendrobium Hybrids (Excluding Class 44)
- Australian Native Species – Any Other (Excluding Class 43)
- Seedling – Any Genera – Flowering for the first time – **No Mericlones See Note 2**
- Group of Three (3) orchids – (3 distinct genera required)

### **NEW GROWERS COMPETITION – EDOS Inc MEMBERS ONLY**

**Sponsored by Bendigo Community Bank**

- Cattleya Alliance Hybrids
- Any Other Genera Hybrids including Australian Natives
- Species – Any Genera

**Note 1** – At least 1 inflorescence to be judged has 5 fully open blooms

**Note 2** – Refer to General Conditions 23

**A Non-Competitive Section is available for all Growers including Commercial Growers, Suitable Advertising Permitted.**