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Next meeting: 29 September - Ros Cappell will give a talk on Dendrobiums

PRESIDENT'S REPORT - SEPTEMBER

Hello once again, I won't talk about the weather because by the time you read my blurb it's likely to be 100% different to today. Rain, more rain, summer heat! then spring. It's no wonder our poor plants are 'all over the shop'. Our poor Speciosums suffered from a lack of sunlight over the winter, producing less than abundant racemes, but to compensate, I have seen large numbers of native Dendrobium hybrids with great flower count and some great new colours. Recent society show benches are looking stunning.

So now it's all about the upcoming AOC Show at Woolgoolga. (Set up is Wednesday 1/10, judging Thursday 2/10 and show open Friday to Sunday 3 - 5/10)

Many of our members are heading north during the week of our September meeting (Sept 29th) but there are a couple of us, Ken, Christine/Jean and I, who will have our vehicles at the meeting ready to be loaded for a Tuesday am departure. We have appealed for plants to make our NSW display 'the best we can' and are now just hoping that you guys will allow us to take your very best plants, maybe win you a prize, but certainly hoping to stage a display worthy of admiration and a credit to our many wonderful growers.

We wish those wonderful and hardworking folk in Woolgoolga and surrounds "all the very best!" for their event, we pray for good weather and safe travel for the hundreds of passionate and dedicated orchid enthusiasts heading to the Coffs Coast.

Take some time to have a rest at the neighbouring high school and learn from one of the excellent speakers, enjoy some 'food truck' fare (I'm told the variety is superb) and don't forget to 'bring your money with you' when you visit the vendor hall and just wish you could have it all!

I'm sure I will see all of you there, going to the dinner on Saturday 4/10?

Say hello!

Veronica

P.S. Our sales table will NOT trade on Monday 29th Sept. Lesley will be en route for Woolgoolga and Jane will be otherwise engaged. More importantly we have plants to pack in the remaining cars for the trip on Tuesday



Veronica presenting Seong Tay with a gold medal for his contribution to the orchid community

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Meeting Venue: Ermington Community Hall, River Rd, Ermington NSW 2115, last Monday of the month starting at 8pm

WHAT'S ON AT FUTURE MEETINGS

- 29 September:** Ros Cappell will give a talk about Dendrobiums
27 October: TBA
24 November: Christmas Party



DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR MUG TO THE MEETING



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JUDGES ROSTER 2025

	September	October
Panel 1 Class 1-11	L Bromley J D'Olier C Polis	G Hart Irene Chalmers T Yee
Panel 2 Class 12-22 Nov. 40-42	J Fulcher P Miszalski W Chapman J Gouvoussis	M Aldridge K Siew P Serb
Panel 3 Class 23-33 Nov. 43-44	D Law J Robinson C Scott-Harden	J D'Olier N Gill J Gouvoussis
<i>N.B. Reserves and Ass. judges for panels will be chosen on the night</i>		

**PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE
NO SALES TABLE AT THE SEPTEMBER OSNSW
 MEETING**

UPCOMING MAJOR EVENTS 2025

- [AOC National Conference & Show](#) 1-5 October
- [Orchids Central](#) 17-19 October
- [Summer Orchid Festival](#) 13-14 December

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- Joint Country or Interstate & 1st Yr \$29.00

SPECIES OF THE NIGHT

Den. teretifolium (J Portelli)



HYBRID OF THE NIGHT

Paph. Liberty Taiwan (S Tay)



 **Orchids Central**
Orchid Displays and Sales
Club Condell Park
178 Eldridge Road, Bankstown
Club Bistro, Facilities and Parking

17th to 19th October 2025
9.30am - 4pm Friday and Saturday
9.30am - 2pm Sunday

Adults: \$10
Buses: \$8
Children under 15 Free



Vendors

Alice's Orchids	Nicky's Slippers	The Orchid Place
Hamiltons World of Cacti	Orchid Care Services	Wirra Willa Orchids-Queenplants & Orkid Design
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Woolgoolga District Orchid Society Inc.



2025 AOC

International Conference & Show

23rd Australian Orchid Council
International Conference & Show 2025
October 1-5, Wiigulga Sports Complex,
Solitary Islands Way, Woolgoolga

Minutes of the Orchid Society of NSW General Meeting held on Monday, 25 August 2025 at the Ermington Community Centre, River Rd., Ermington

Opening

Tonight's meeting was declared open at 8pm by President Veronica Clowes who welcomed those present to the August 2025 meeting. Veronica asked members to make sure they sign the attendance book at Toni's table, and to enjoy the plants on display this evening. The 2025 Members Point Score Competition is now underway and finishes with the October 2025 meeting.

Visitors – Alonya Cullinan

New Member – David Forster

Apologies – John Allen, Joy Gouvoussis, Peter Serb

Confirmation of Minutes

The minutes of the meeting held on 28 July were confirmed as a true account of that meeting.

Proposed by Christine Rethers and seconded by Richard Blaxland, approved.

General Business

- *Hall pack up* – We will continue our new routine for the pack up of our hall before the raffle draw. Along with the five plants in the raffle there is also a 'special' plant so the first person in the draw will have a choice to make. Tonight's special plant is *Blc. Golden Zelle 'Lemon Chiffon' AM x Blc. Liu's Joyance 'Golden Pin'*.
- *Supper assistance for today* Would someone please volunteer to assist with the supper this evening and also help with the collection of the benching accessories? Thank you, Fedora, Lisa and Sharon, for assisting with supper,
- *Affiliated Societies Photo competition*: Judging has been completed for the 2024/25 competition and the results were:
Species: *Paph. sukhakulii 'TOM'* Owned by Seong Tay, Paph. Orchid Society,
Hybrid: *Paph. Johanna Burkhardt 'Rajani'* FCC/AOC Owned by David Judge, Canberra Orchid Society;
Novice: *Cym. Spicy Khan x Uluru Orange Delight* Owned by Adrian Zderic, Bankstown Orchid Society.
Each of these winners will receive \$300 and their societies will receive \$100. The new competition for 2025/26 is now open and photos should be sent to Ian as soon as they are available, don't wait to send them later, as you may quite easily forget to do it.
Details of the Affiliated Societies Photo competition can be found in the Affiliated Societies section of our website. There are valuable cash prizes to be won for the owners of the winning orchids and also the society they belong to. The next cut-off is 30 June 2026.
- *Orchids Out West* (15 -17 May 2026) – currently in recess. (Dates for your diary)
- *Orchids Central* (17 - 19 October 2025) – The organisation is in progress.
- *OSNSW Summer Orchid Festival* – This new show will be held on 13th and 14th December in this hall at Ermington. The schedule and all information is available on the SOF website and FB page and on the link from the OSNSW website. Advertising has begun, all prizes have now been sponsored.
- *Sales Table*: The Sales table is now in operation with Lesley Bromley and Jane D'Olier looking after it. A 15% commission for OSNSW will be charged. We are providing a form for you to enter the name of the plant you are selling, your name and the price you are selling the plant for. We hope to see some great plants there...join in the fun and bring your money with you
- *Ira Butler Competition*: The competition for 2024/2025 has now been judged and the results will be announced shortly. Entries for the 2025/2026 competition should be sent to the secretary of the competition (Irene Chalmers). Details may be found on the following website: <https://irabutlertrophy.org.au/>.
- *AOC Conference and Show in 2025 – registrations can still be made*. The AOC Conference and Show will be hosted by Woolgoolga Orchid Society, 1st to 5th October 2025. OSNSW is giving full support and sponsorship to the hosting society and encouraging support and attendance. All societies have recently received information from the organising committee about sponsoring opportunities and general information about the venue and local area. There are now approx. 286 registrants.
OSNSW plan to use a small van to transport larger plants to Woolgoolga for the display. Veronica has spoken with the Cymbidium Club about sourcing both plants and cut stems from their members for use in our display. Plants will need to go in the van which is leaving Sydney on Monday morning, 1st October 2025 (before our monthly meeting). NB: if you have a large plant to go into the competition, too large for car transportation, please speak to one of us so that we can include it in the van's manifest. Members' entries can be left at the hall after the meeting on 29 September for transportation to the show the following day.
- *AOC News*: Peter D'Olier reported that there have been several committee resignations recently. A new committee will be elected on Sunday, 5th October at the AOC AGM and BOM meeting in Woolgoolga.

Treasurer's Report

Cheque account balances as at 18 August 2025: total \$11,994.14.. Term deposit balances at Westpac: \$141,756.93.

Registrar's Report

The training program is continuing and going well. I have decided to include additional sessions to cover the topics. There are more potential starters. Ian advised that he is still finalising the AOC awards with the Registrar General. Also, the outstanding payments. Everything should be sorted in the next few weeks. It is anticipated that in the future the awards will be sent digitally and then printed and laminated locally.

Awards for the last two months

Canberra

- *Serapias lingua* ACM Mile Pielour
- *Paph.* Bel Royal FCC-ACE David Judge

North Shore meeting

- *Paph.* Norito Hasegawa 'Lockerbie' HCC-NSW Rod Nurven

Central Coast Cymbidium Club Show

- AOC Award Appl Cym. Dream Blaze 'Dural' AM Geoff Le Marne

Paph Show

- *Paph.* Shun-Far Golden 'TOM' AM Seong Tay

Shoalhaven Show

- *Paph.* Montebello's Delight HO 'See Ting' AM Martin and Sue Montibello

St Ives Orchid Fair

- *Epi.* Pacific Artist 'Orange Spark' AM Roberson Orchids
- *Den.* Wonder Nishii 'St Ives' AM Roberson Orchids
- *Paph.* Michael Kooperwitz 'Alices Orchids' AM Alices Orchids
- *Paph.* Gong Gong 'White Swan' AM Craig Miles
- *Paph. venustum* 'Tom # 4' AM Seong Tay
- *Ptst. curta* 'JAM' ACM Joyce and Malcolm Stone

Monthly Speakers

- *September:* Ros Capell – Australian dendrobiums
- *October:* Ian will not be present – suggestions include an orchid SOS
- *November:* Christmas party

The meeting was adjourned for the AGM

AGM of the Orchid Society of NSW Inc. Meeting opened at 8.20 pm.

The Management Committee Report was given by Veronica Clowes.

It is my pleasure to provide an update to members on the happenings of OSNSW since September 2024.

It is pleasing to note that we have attracted 12 new financial members this year. On the home front, we have resurrected our society Sales table at regular meetings under the control of Lesley Bromley and assisted by Jane D'Olier. We are off to a rather slow start, but the plants being offered for sale are all of good quality and sell quickly! We need more plants please.

We changed the pack up routine of our hall and introduced a 'special' raffle plant in compensation for the interruption of 'flow' to the meeting. We did this to enlist more assistance from members to pack away the hardware used each meeting.

The 'special' raffle plant is valued at at least \$50 and the ticket drawing causes much excitement each month.

The Royal Easter Show: Our continued involvement and member participation to the Sydney 'Royal' gives success and great pleasure to a small but dedicated group of OSNSW members. We need more participants in this endeavour, please speak to one of us for more info. Our promotional 'CART' attracts much interest from passers-by, eager for cultural advice, and the promotion of orchid society locations and meeting details for all who display interest.

Shows: Weather patterns this year have caused great consternation among our show organising committees. Our shows are targeted to the general flowering season of the genera we showcase, and to 'miss the mark' causes great disappointment all around. The big WET this year (it actually began in 2024) has created many sad stories, I suspect there will be more losses in the weeks to come.

However, our first show of the year ORCHIDS OUT WEST went off very well. (Despite the rain which had already started) the displays there showcase the fantastic local growers of the societies of the region. A very successful weekend.

The other show with OSNSW involvement is ORCHIDS CENTRAL. Held on the first weekend in October in Bankstown (so Oct 2024) the show drew many local folks from all walks of life, eager to see, learn and spend. O.C. As we call it, is still in its infancy and I expect the participation to increase markedly over the next few years.

The other major shows in the Sydney area, Mingara, the Cymbidium Extravaganza and St Ives 'The big one' all continue to flourish, all reporting increased attendances...well done to you all.

The AOC Conference and Show, hosted by the Woolgoolga and other local societies will be held from October 1st to 5th 2025. Set up is on October 1st, judging Oct 2nd and the show itself open to all from Oct 3rd to 5th. There is an extensive educational program to be held in the close by high school, vendors with 1000's of orchids to tempt you and the presentation dinner on Saturday Oct 4th, 2025. We wish the wonderful organising committee 'all the very best' They have worked so hard and deserve

the praise of us all.

And finally, our NEW SHOW – the SUMMER ORCHID FESTIVAL.

After we all enjoy our Christmas celebrations and pack up our societies for a well-earned break over the heat of summer, the glorious large Brazilian Cattleyas open their huge flowers to show their magnificence to but a few. We have decided to stage the Inaugural Summer Orchid Festival here at the Ermington Community Centre over the weekend of 13th and 14th December 2025. Here at the festival, we will host those wonderful cattleyas in abundance (think *Cattleya purpurata*, *Cattleya tenebrosa* and more) along with the gorgeous multi floral Paphiopedilums (another orchid which flowers in our time of recess). We already have our SOF website and FB page up and running, our schedule is now available for you to peruse and prepare your entries for this prestigious event. ALL members are invited to bring their best plants to this competition, and also those flowering plants to the sales table. You will find a link from the OSNSW website too. And don't forget the Sales Table! only at this event. (See Website for details)

So that is the summary of our year to date, may we continue to be enthusiastic in our endeavours, eager to participate in new ventures, willing to share information and successful in all that we do.

Treasurer's Annual Report was given by Chin Wong

Chin outlined the key sections of the annual profit and loss statement and balance sheet. The report was endorsed by members.

Registrar's Annual Report – not available.

Election of 2025/2026 Committee

The officers and committee members then stood down and Craig Scott-Harden was introduced as the returning officer.

The following nominations have been received:

Veronica Clowes President

Christine Rethers Secretary

Chin Chee Wong Treasurer

Committee members: Garrie Bromley, Ken Siew, Toni Benton, Peter and Jane D'Olier, Paige Sinclair

Irene Chalmers retains her position as Immediate Past President

Ian Chalmers as Registrar of Judges (elected by the Judging Panel).

There being no other nominations, those nominated were declared elected.

The AGM concluded at 8.40pm and Veronica thanked Craig and resumed the chair.

Guest Speaker

The guest speaker was Hendrick Venter, who gave a very interesting and well-illustrated talk on South African orchids. He covered not only the most familiar orchid, *Disa uniflora*, but a number of other less well-known but none-the-less beautiful orchids.

Special Presentation

The President then asked Seong Tay to step forward and presented him with a gold medal for his outstanding contribution to the orchid community, both for the support he has given to a number of orchid societies and for the large number of FCC awards given to orchids he has grown and shown.

Plants of the Night

Best species: *Den. teretifolium* owned by Joe Portelli

Best Hybrid: *Paph.* Liberty Taiwan owned by Seong Tay. This orchid went on to be awarded an FCC at the meeting.

Lucky exhibitor: Dora Law

Congratulations to our winners this evening.

The raffle was then drawn. The prize winners were: Dora Law, Antonina Forster, Joe Portelli, Craig Scott-Harden, Fedora Pristov and Bernadette Williams.

Next month: The speaker will be Ros Capell speaking about Australian dendrobiums.

The meeting was then declared closed at 9.50pm by Veronica who thanked the members for their attendance and wished everybody a safe trip home.

SOCIETY SHOW DATES 2025

September	17-19	Boolaroo Orchid Society	Belmont Citi Centre, Macquarie & Edgar Sts Belmont
	19-21	Woodburn/Evans Head & District Orchid & Foliage Society	Woodburn Memorial Hall, River St Woodburn
	20	Southern Highlands Orchid Society	Mittagong RSL, Old Hume Hwy, Mittagong
	20-21	South and West Region Orchid Show and Conference	Fitzroy Pavilion, Exhibition Park, Canberra
	20-21	Blacktown City Orchid Society	Seven Hills Shopping Plaza, 224 Prospect Highway Seven Hills
	26-28	Leisure Coast Orchid Society	Woonona RSL Club Bulli
	27-28	Maclean & District Orchid Society	Maclean Showground
	27-28	Wagga Wagga Orchid Society	Glenfield Community Centre, Tanda Place, Glenfield
October	1-5	AOC International Conference & Show	Wiigulga Sports Complex, Woolgoolga NSW
	8-12	Campbelltown & District Orchid Society	Macarthur Square near Chemist Warehouse, Kellica Rd end
	9-10	Maitland & Coalfields Orchid Society	Thornton Shopping Centre, Thomas Coke Dr & Taylor Ave Thornton
	9-12	Western Suburbs Orchid Society Inc.	Ashfield Mall, 260 Liverpool Rd Ashfield
	11	Illawarra District Orchid Society	Senior Citizens Hall Benaud St Warilla
	11	Orchid S.P.E.C.I.E.S. (NSW) Inc.	West Pennant Hills Community Church, 41-43 Eaton Rd West Pennant Hills
	11	Revesby Workers Australian Native Orchid Club	Atrium of the Revesby Workers Club 2B Brett St Revesby.
	13-15	City of Lismore Orchid Society	Nth Coast National, Modanville Rd North Lismore
	17-19	Orchids Central	Club Condell Park, 178 Eldridge St Condell Park
	18	Shoalhaven Orchid Society	Bomaderry Community Hall, 19 Birriley St Bomaderry
	18-19	Central Coast-Hunter Region Cymbidium Society	Home Co., Cnr Wyong Rd & Bryant Drive Tuggerah (outside Spotlight)
	31-1	Sapphire Coast Orchid Society	Pambula Town Hall
	1-2	Blue Mountains & Penrith District Orchid Society	Melrose Hall, Cnr Gt Western Highway and Park St Emu Plains
November	1-2		
December	13-14	OSNSW Summer Festival	Ermington Main Hall, River Rd Ermington



Saturday 13 December 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM & Sunday 14 December 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM.

Featuring the Stunning *Cattleya (Laelia) purpurata*

Admission: Adults: \$5 | Children under 12: Free

Location: Ermington Community Centre, 10 River Road, Ermington | Free parking available.

Known as the "Queen of Laelias," these spectacular Brazilian orchids will be the highlight of our first annual Summer Orchid Festival. Admire their remarkable diversity of colors and patterns as expert growers showcase prime specimens in full bloom.

Event Highlights

- Extensive display of *Laelia purpurata* varieties, multifloral paphiopedilums and other summer flowering orchids.
- Sales area with rare and common orchids from top growers providing a great opportunity to pick up a great Christmas gift for the orchid lover in your life.

Experienced orchid growers on hand to answer your burning orchid care questions.

For more information: **Email:** summerorchidfestival@gmail.com | **Website:** summerorchidfestival.com.au

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BENCHING RESULTS AUGUST 2025

Best Hybrid: Seong Tay — *Paph. Liberty Taiwan*

Best Species: Joe Portelli — *Den. teretifolium*

Open Classes - Hybrids

Class 1 - Cymbidium

1. L Harris *Cym. Arachnid 'Black Pearl'*
2. D Law *Cym. Akebona 'Jacinta' x Jimbo Tupp*
3. A&D Forster *Cym. Atlantic Crossing x Eight Carat*

Class 3 - Laeliinae 120mm and over

1. J Gafa *Blc. Brunswick Blush 'Coral'*
2. FMusial&LChang *Rlc. Dream Trader 'Coloussus'*

Class 5 - Laeliinae (71mm - 119mm)

1. J Gafa *Sc. Royal Beau x Lana Coryell 'Deborah'*

Class 6 - Laeliinae Miniature (up to 70mm)

1. A Mobbs *Rth. Topaz Chelsea 'Sprite'*
2. L&G Bromley *Slc. Jillian Lee 'Elizabeth'*

Class 8 - Cyripedioideae Maudae shape

1. A Mobbs *Paph. Virginia Moffett*

Class 8A - Cyripedioideae Other

1. S Tay *Paph. Fanaticum*
2. T Agrela *Paph. Invincible*
3. J Robinson *Paph. Fanaticum*

Class 9 - Specimen Orchid

1. J Portelli *Ddc. tenellum*
2. L Harris *Coel. Unchained Melody*

Class 10 - Terrestrial Species/Hybrid any genera

1. L Harris *Ptst. curta*
2. A&D Forster *Ptst. pendunculata*
3. D Law *Ptst. curta*

Class 11 - Seedling any hybrid genera

1. S Tay *Paph. Liberty Taiwan*
2. D Law *Paph. St Swithen*
3. J Gafa *Cat. King of Gozo*

Class 12 - Phalaenopsis (75mm and over)

1. J Portelli *Phal. Fuller Star*

Class 13 - Phalaenopsis (51-75mm)

1. A Mobbs *Phal. unknown*
2. I&I Chalmers *Phal. Ox Boxbron Yellow*

Class 14 - Phalaenopsis (up to 50mm)

1. I&I Chalmers *Phal. Younghome 'Little Cherry'*
2. I&I Chalmers *Phal. Younghome 'Little Cherry'*

Class 16 - Vandaceous (50mm and over)

1. D Law *(Rhyn. gigantea Red x Vdps. gigantea Red) x Rhyn. gigantea Red*
2. D Law *V. coerulea x luzonica*
3. I&I Chalmers *V. Flammerolle*

Class 17 - Dendrobium

1. J Gafa *Den. Blue Planet*
2. I&I Chalmers *Den. Roberta Roper*

Class 19 - Oncidiinae (36-60 mm)

1. D Law *Colm. Wildcat 'Blood Shot'*
2. M Drury *McLna. Yellow Star 'Golden Gambol'*

Class 19A - Oncidiinae (up to 35mm)

1. L&G Bromley *Oncsa. Trinket 'Good One'*
2. J Robinson *Tolu. Burbank Joy x Rcm. Willinga*

Class 20A - Australian Native Hybrids Other

1. C Scott-Harden *Den. Australian Obsession x Cosmic Gold*
2. J Gafa *Den. Gympie Fireworks*
3. C Scott-Harden *Den. Saigon Mesmerised*

Open Classes - Species

Class 23 - Laeliinae

1. J Gafa *Catt. loddigesii*
2. L&G Bromley *Epi. stamfordianum 'Galaxy'*
3. C Scott-Harden *Rl. glauca*

Class 24 - Cyripedioideae

1. J Robinson *Paph. venustum*
2. A Mobbs *Paph. venustum 'Puck Wings' x 'Wide Wings'*
3. J Robinson *Paph. villosum*

Class 25 - Vanaceous

1. J Gafa *Rhy. gigantea var. Illustre 'Mathew'*
2. P&J D'Olier *Rhy. gigantea 'Silvia'*
3. C Rethers *Phal. amabilis*

Class 27 - Dendrobium

1. J Robinson *Den. lawesii var. bicolour 'Georgie'*
2. P&J D'Olier *Den. scabrilingue*
3. D Law *Den. glomeratum*

Class 29 - Australian Native Other

1. J Portelli *Den. teretifolium*
2. J Portelli *Den. linguifore var nugentae*
3. I&I Chalmers *Den. tetragonum*

Class 30 - Miniature flowers

1. A&D Forster *Med. decoratum*
2. I&I Chalmers *Ddc. pulchellum*
3. J Fulcher *Pho. cantonensis*

Class 31 - American Species Other

1. T Agrela *Max. schunkeana*
2. M Drury *Cu. pulchella*
3. RG Blaxland *Max. variabilis*

Class 32 - Pleurothallidinae

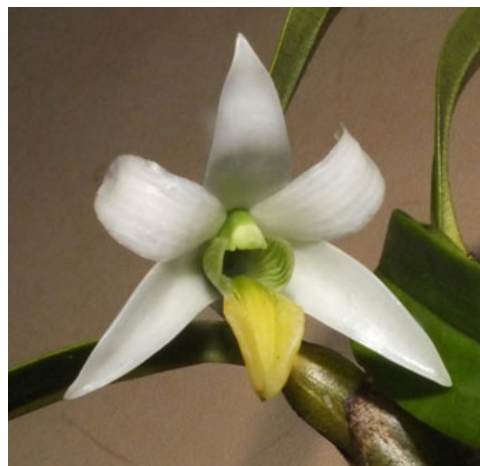
1. P&J D'Olier *Pths. pectinata var. alba*
2. J Fulcher *Rstp. cuprea*
3. J Fulcher *Rstp. sp.*

Class 32A - Coelogyninae

1. C Rethers *Ddc. niveum*
2. RG Blaxland *Ddc. pseudowenzellii 'Tan'*
3. RG Blaxland *Pho. cantonensis*

Class 33 - Species not elsewhere specified

1. P&J D'Olier *Er. thao*



Den. scabrilingue (P&J D'Olier)

September 2025

BENCHING AUGUST 2025



Ddc. tenellum (T Agrela)



Ddc. niveum (C Rethers)



Paph. Invincible (T Agrela)



Catt. loddigesii (J Gafa)



Epi. stamfordianum 'Galaxy' (L&G Bromley)



Blc. Brunswick Blush 'Coral' (J Gafa)