

To Exhibit Plants: You must be a member of the Naples Orchid Society and a Hobby Grower. Plants entered on the Plant Table must have been property of the owner for a period of not less than 6 months. Revised: January 2012

Plant Table Classes:

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| 1. Large Cattleya (flowers larger than 4 inches) | 7. Large Species |
| 2. Small Cattleya (flowers less than 4 inches) | 8. Medium Species |
| 3. Vandas (Vanda on Vanda) | 9. Small Species |
| 4. Vandaceous (ALL other hybrids) | 10. Oncidium Alliance |
| 5. Dendrobium | 11. Slipper Types |
| 6. Phalaenopsis (incl. Dtps.) | 12. Other Tribes |

To Enter Plants:

- 1. Each plant MUST have a properly filled out green entry form.** The forms are located on the plant entry table in the rear of the gymnasium. See plant table workers for help.
 - 2. For species plants, green tags need to have the correct genus and species names. For Hybrids, green tags need to show the registered hybrid name with complete parentage.** Improperly filled out green tags can mean disqualification of the entry.
 - 3. See Plant Table workers if you need help filling out the green tags.** Sanders' volumes on registered hybrid names are there to assist you as well as society computers with software.
 - Please print legibly making sure to print the owners name as well. Fold tag below dotted line.
 - Once the green tag has been properly filled out, the plant may be placed on the appropriate hybrid or species table. Improperly placed plants may be disqualified. Ask an officer or plant table worker for assistance.
 - 6. Exhibitors must have their plants placed prior to 7:10pm.** Voting will begin promptly at 7:10pm., plants cannot be placed on tables after 7:10 pm.
 - Each member or guest who would like to vote on the plants exhibited should pick up their ballots from the Plant Table. A number will be affixed to each entered plant. To vote for that plant simply enter the number of the plant in the appropriate box on your ballot sheet.
 - Ballots will be deposited within the container located by the Plant Table workers.
 - There must be a minimum of five entries per class in order to award a first, second and third place ribbon. 4 entries or less in a class means that only a first place ribbon in that particular class will be awarded.
 - 10. First place = 3 points; Second place = 2 points; Third place = 1 point. A special Gold Ribbon for Best Hybrid and Best Species will receive 3 points.** At the end of the calendar year, points will be tallied and the Top Three Point Winners will be announced at the Holiday Party. Awards will be presented at the January regular meeting.
- A. **Any plant thought to be virused, diseased or determined to be carrying insects will be pulled off of the plant tables.**
- B. the Naples Orchid Society does not accept cut flowers or inflorescences on the plant tables.
- C. Any plant without a proper name, hybrid or species, can be shown on the "Show & Share" table. Plants that have not be owned for 6 months by a member may be shown here as well.