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Registration Process for Individual Plants and Exhibits

1. Arrive at the Hallway adjacent to the Registration Area with the individual plants and exhibits that you wish to register at that time. There will be tables in this location for your use.
2. Take a numbered card, which indicates your **Line Position** for registration. Additional visits are allowed; however, a new **Line Position** number will be necessary for each subsequent visit.
3. Fill out **Green Tag(s)** for each of your entries in accordance with the Guidelines and Regulations specific for each Class and Award.
4. When your **Line Position** number is called, enter the registration area with your individual plants and exhibits.
5. Submit your **Completed Green Tag(s)** to the Registration Clerk for **Verification**.
6. Present your individual plant or exhibit to the Registration Clerk when asked.
7. Each **Verified and Registered Green Tag** will be handed to you, at which time you may place your individual plants and exhibits on the Show Floor and hang each **Green Tag** according to individual plant and exhibit identification guidelines.
8. The **Spotter** will guide you to the proper location for individual plant and exhibit placement.

THERE ARE THREE CATEGORIES OF ORCHID CUT FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS:

- A-1. Arrangements with **one single orchid flower** (any genus; an example would be a single Cattleya flower)
- A-2. Arrangements with **multiple orchid flowers from a single plant** (any genus; an example would be a stem of Phalaenopsis or Dendrobium flowers)
- A-3. Arrangements with **multiple orchid flowers from multiple genera** (any genus; these could include mixed genera, mixed colors from the same genus, etc.)

General Requirements for Orchid Cut Flower Arrangements Class A

1. Orchid Cut Flower Arrangement Exhibition is open to Naples Orchid Society Members only.
2. Awards and Ribbons may be bestowed for First, Second and Third Place.
3. Arrangements shall be a maximum of 20" high x 14" wide x 14" long. These restrictions will be strictly enforced, NO EXCEPTIONS!
4. Fresh cut orchids are the only flowers permitted.
5. Wood, stone, metal, ceramic and glass accessories and small battery powered electric lights contained within the exhibit (powered by dry cell batteries that would typically be found in a watch or hearing aid or 9-volt, AAA, AA, A, C, or D only) are permitted.
6. No artificial or dyed plant material is permitted.
7. All plant material should be properly conditioned and kept fresh for the duration of the show. Awards are to be determined by the Standard System of Awarding, American Orchid Society.
8. The Exhibit MUST BE NAMED! Submit the Exhibit Title on the **Green Tag** to the Registration Clerk on Thursday before 4:30 pm. **Absolutely no entries after 5:00 PM.**
9. Exhibit Title should be displayed on a **placard**, provided by the Exhibitor, in front of the exhibit. Exhibitor's name will be displayed after judging is completed.
10. Precaution will be taken for the safety of containers and accessories; however, the society will not be responsible for damage, loss or theft.

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11. All exhibitors are asked to be familiar with the general show and exhibition rules as published in the NOS Show Schedule. All general and NOS rules will apply to all exhibits.