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Hong Kong Flower Show

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Plant Exhibit Competition
(Potted Plant Growing and Nursing)
Prospectus and Entry Forms of
Sections I to VII



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Prospectus of Plant Exhibit Competition (Potted Plant Growing and Nursing)

The Plant Exhibit Competition (**Potted Plant Growing and Nursing**) comprises seven sections, namely Section I (Orchid - Excluding Chinese Cymbidium), Section II (Chinese Cymbidium), Section III (Potted Plant), Section IV (Cactus & Succulent), Section V (Foliage and Carnivorous Plant), Section VI (African Violet) and Section VII (Bonsai Type Plant). Each section has different themes, requirements and quotas. The entry list is determined on a first-come-first-served basis. The entry of this competition is free of charge.

Section / Quota

Section I ORCHID (excluding Chinese Cymbidium)		
Class No.	Theme	Quota
P101	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (alba or semi-alba), 1 clone	105
P102	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (red or pink), 1 clone	
P103	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (stripes), 1 clone	
P104	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (dots or spots), 1 clone	
P105	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis multi-flowers (flower number over 15, flower diameter not exceeding 50mm), 1 clone	
P106	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (novelty or others), 1 clone	
P107	Cattleya & allied-hybrids (flower diameter not exceeding 100mm), 1 clone	
P108	Cattleya & allied-hybrids (flower diameter exceeding 100mm), 1 clone	
P109	Oncidium, miniature, 1 clone	
P110	Oncidium (excluding miniature), 1 clone	
P111	Oncidium allied-hybrids, 1 clone	
P112	Paphiopedilum species (progressive or multi-flower), 1 clone	
P113	Paphiopedilum species (single flower), 1 clone	
P114	Paphiopedilum hybrids (progressive or multi-flower), 1 clone	
P115	Paphiopedilum hybrids (single flower), 1 clone	
P116	Dendrobium species, 1 clone	
P117	Dendrobium hybrids, 1 clone	
P118	Jewel Orchids, 1 pot	
P119	Cymbidium (excluding Chinese Cymbidium), 1 clone	
P120	Other species or hybrids, 1 clone	



Section II CHINESE CYMBIDIUM

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P201	“Ban Gao”, variegated foliage, 1 clone	30
P202	“Zhua” & “Fu Lun”, variegated foliage, 1 clone	
P203	“He” & “Guan”, variegated foliage, 1 clone	
P204	“Hu Ban Yi” & “Shu Ban Yi”, variegated foliage, 1 clone	
P205	Cymbidium goeningii, in flower, 1 clone	
P206	Cymbidium sinense, in red flower, 1 clone	
P207	Cymbidium sinense, multi petal/multi-lip, in flower, 1 clone	
P208	Cymbidium sinense, “Qi Ye” Dwarf type, 1 clone	
P209	Other Chinese Cymbidium, 1 clone	

Section III POTTED PLANT

(Note : Plants grown on ground then transplanted into pots will be disqualified.)

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P301	Hyacinth, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	165
P302	Kalanchoe, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P303	Begonia, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P304	Geranium, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P305	Pansy, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P306	Petunia, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P307	Periwinkle, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P308	Rose, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P309	Impatien, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P310	Any bulbous plant, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P311	Other flowering potted plant, 1 pot of any flowering potted plants not listed in this section or any plants not listed in other sections (pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P312	Flowering plant in hanging basket, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	

Section IV CACTUS & SUCCULENT

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P401	Cactus, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)	100
P402	Cactus, 1 pot (pot exceeding 150mm dia.)	
P403	Succulent, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)	
P404	Succulent, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot exceeding 150mm dia.)	
P405	Succulent with flowers in hanging basket, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P406	Crist or variegated succulent or cactus, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P407	Cactus, 3 pots (pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)	
P408	Succulent, 3 pots (pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)	

Section V FOLIAGE AND CARNIVOROUS PLANT

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P501	Fern, 1 pot	155
P502	Bromeliad, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P503	Other ornamental green foliage plant, green leaves, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P504	Other ornamental variegated foliage plant, non-green leaves, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P505	Other ornamental foliage plant, 1 hanging basket	
P506	Foliage plant inside glass bottle, 1 bottle (display of plants in a bottle not exceeding 700mm dia. and 700mm height)	
P507	Bottle landscape, 1 bottle (natural plants* with accessories* in a bottle not exceeding 700mm dia. and 700mm height)	
P508	Sarracenia spp., 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P509	Nepenthes spp., 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P510	Other carnivorous plant, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	

Section VI AFRICAN VIOLET

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P601	Miniature African Violet, 1 pot (leaf span not exceeding 150mm)	80
P602	Semi-miniature African Violet, 1 pot (leaf span 150mm to 200mm)	
P603	Standard African Violet, 1 pot (leaf span over 200mm)	
P604	Trailer African Violet, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 200mm dia., containing at least 3 branches from one plant)	
P605	Other Gesneriad, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P606	Other trailer Gesneriad, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	



Section VII BONSAI TYPE PLANT

(The internal dimensions of the pots of all entries in Classes P701-P708 should not exceed 900mm in length; 630mm in width; and 700mm in height.)

Class No.	Theme	Quota
P701	Flowering Plant, 1 pot	135
P702	Fruit Bearing Plant, 1 pot	
P703	Cascade Plant, 1 pot	
P704	Foliage Plant, 1 pot	
P705	Tree attached to rock(s), 1 pot (Only natural rocks could be used. Artificial rocks are not allowed.)	
P706	Forest (multiple trunks), 1 pot	
P707	Reclining Tree, 1 pot	
P708	Landscape Bonsai, 1 pot (Only natural rocks could be used. Artificial rocks are not allowed.)	
P709	Miniature Bonsai, 1 pot The internal dimensions of the pots should not exceed: For rectangular or oval shape pots Length: 200mm Width: 125mm For square or circular shape pots Length: 125mm Width: 125mm	

Rules of Competition

- Entrants must enter the competition in appropriate classes and the Show Committee (the Committee) reserves the right to re-classify exhibits into appropriate classes without giving prior notification to the entrants.
- Entrants are only allowed to enter one exhibit in each class unless otherwise stated.
- Exhibits with living creatures will not be accepted.
- Entrants are not allowed to act as judges in classes which they have entered.
- All entries should be delivered to the showground at any time from **9:00 am to 9:00 pm on 12 March 2019 (Tue)**.
- Late entries will not be accepted.
- Size of pots for exhibits of Sections III to VII : the diameter or the longest side of a pot or a pan means the internal measurement taken as near its top as possible. Failure to comply with this rule will lead to disqualification.

** Please refer to the part of **Definition***

Definition of Terms

(A) Accessory

- Anything other than natural plant material in an exhibit.
- Plant material in its natural form can never be an accessory, therefore any number of placements of plant material can be used in an exhibit when accessories are prohibited.
- Plant material which has been tooled or crafted to resemble non-plant forms , e.g. a bird's nest, a corn dolly, a wooden figurine, is an accessory.
- Backgrounds, bases, drapes, title cards and containers holding plant material are not accessories and may always be used unless prohibited by the Committee.

(B) Plant Material

1. Natural Plant Material

- Natural plant material is any vegetable matter.
- It includes fresh, dried, garden, wild foliage, fruit, fungi, vegetables and seaweed.

Note : It is acceptable to enhance plant material by the application of oil, milk, wax or other similar products.

2. Additionally Coloured Plant Material

- Any natural plant material in which the colour or texture is altered by bleach, dye, glitter, paint, varnish etc. may be used unless specifically forbidden by the show schedule.

3. Types of Natural Plant Material

i. Fresh plant material

- Living plants or material cut from living plants.
- Living plants and cut stem ends must be exhibited in water or water-retaining material. Failure to do this will result in disqualification.
- Exceptions: Air plants, cacti, fruits, fungi, grass turf, lichen, moss, succulents, vegetables and long-lasting plant material, which will remain turgid for the duration of the Show.

Note : Lichen and moss, fresh or dried are acceptable in any exhibit.

ii. Dried Plant Material

- Any dried, preserved, bleached, skeletonised, or made-up plant material including basket cane, raffia, seed pods, sisal and spathes.

Note : Lichen and moss, fresh or dried are acceptable in any exhibit.

iii. Driftwood

- Any bark, branch, wood or root in a dry condition excluding seedpods and spathes.

iv. Garden Plant Material

- Plant material that can be cultivated out of doors.

v. Wild Plant Material

- Plant material that grows uncultivated out of doors.

4. Natural Plant Material is further defined as follows:

i Flower/Bloom

- A single stem supporting one or more flowers.

Note : Bracts, catkins, cereals, heads of grass, reedmace, reeds, rushes and sedges at any stage of their development may be used as flowers.

ii Foliage

- Leaves of any plant.
- Unopened buds not showing petal colour are acceptable.
- Flowerless bracts of any plant are acceptable as foliage, but should not predominate in exhibits required to feature foliage.

iii Bracts

- Flower-like bracts or sepals such as anthurium, ballota, clary, euphorbia, hellebore, hydrangea, molucella, poinsettia are acceptable as flowers and/or foliage.

iv Fruit

- Berries, cones, fruit, fungi, nuts, seed-heads and vegetables.

Note : Catkins, cereals, heads of grass, reedmace, reeds, rushes and sedges at any stage of their development may be used as fruit.



5. Artificial Plant Material

- Artificial plant material is realistic or fantasy plant-forms, made wholly or partly from non-plant material. This includes fabric, glass, metal, plastic, plaster, polyester, ribbon, shells, silk, sugar wax etc. which is used as a substitute for natural plant material in an exhibit.
- ARTIFICIAL PLANT MATERIAL IS NOT ALLOWED.
- Individual pieces of artificial plant material are not allowed for use as accessories.
- Artificial plant material or artificial plant forms that are an integral part of a container, base, background or accessory are allowed.

6. Artificial grass turf is not allowed for any purpose (including bases)

The Chinese translation of information relating to “accessory” in (A) and “plant material” in (B) above is for reference only. In case of dispute, the English version shall prevail.

Reference : National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies (2015). Competitions Manual (3rd ed.). Cheltenham: Quorum Print Services Ltd.

Notes

1. Except with the prior approval of the Show Committee, all exhibits must be bona fide property of the entrants and must be put on display throughout the entire show period (**12-24 March 2019**).
2. Entrants must ensure that their exhibits remain in a good condition during the show period. Should any exhibit wither to a state that is no longer suitable for display, the Show Committee reserves the right to remove it from the display bench. The entrant can retrieve his/her exhibit on the dates specified in paragraph 9 below.
3. The Committee reserves the right to refuse or withdraw any entry without any explanation.
4. Entrants will be disqualified for infringement of any rules and regulations.
5. The Show Committee will not be liable for any loss or damage caused to any exhibits, competition materials or accessories* due to accident or other reasons.
6. Awarding of prizes are at the absolute discretion of the judges.
7. Please note the following ordinances related to plants:
 - (a) Under the Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Ordinance (Cap. 586 of the Laws of Hong Kong), the import, export, re-export or possession of an Appendix I plant species (e.g. slipper orchids) or an Appendix II plant species of live and wild origin, requires a licence issued in advance by the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department. The import, export or re-export of an Appendix II plant species not from wild origin is also subject to the production of a valid CITES** export permit (or a Phytosanitary Certificate issued by any of the 11 Parties which has endorsement serving as CITES export permit for the export of an artificially propagated Appendix II plant species) and inspection by an authorized officer upon its landing or before export/re-export in Hong Kong.
(** CITES=Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora)
 - (b) As stipulated in the Plant (Importation and Pest Control) Ordinance (Cap. 207 of the Laws of Hong Kong), a Plant Import Licence issued by the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department and a valid Phytosanitary Certificate issued by an authorized officer of the Plant Protection Services of the exporting country are required for import of plants into Hong Kong. However, plants produced in and imported from any place in China outside Hong Kong are exempted from the licensing control of Cap. 207.
Note : If exhibit is a plant of the above-mentioned 7 (a) or (b), entrant must attach copy of the required licence or certificate together with the application form for record.
 - (c) Under the Forests and Countryside Ordinance (Cap. 96 of the Laws of Hong Kong), damaging any plants in any forest or plantation on government land is prohibited. Some rare and attractive plants are specifically listed in the Forestry Regulations to control their sale or possession.
 - (d) Under the Genetically Modified Organisms (Control of Release) Ordinance (the Ordinance), Cap. 607 of the Laws of Hong Kong, any person who knowingly cultivates seeds (e.g. seeds of pest-resistant GM maize), cut flowers (e.g. violet or blue GM carnation and violet or blue GM rose) or plants (e.g. GM petunia) of unapproved

GM plants, or knowingly imports the GM plants or their seeds intended for cultivations in a field or into the open environment, commits an offense. An offender shall be liable upon conviction to a fine of HK\$100,000 and to imprisonment for one year.

8. Each entrant will be given a badge for free admission to the showground for the purposes of putting up, maintaining and retrieving his/her exhibit(s). The above arrangement is not applicable on the Judging Day (**i.e. from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm on 13 March 2019 (Wed)**). During the show period, free admission to the showground will be limited to the time specified below:

- (a) 9:00 am to 9:00 pm on weekdays
- (b) 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm on Saturdays and Sundays

9. Entrants can retrieve their exhibits in the following periods:

Date	Time
25 March 2019(Mon)	9:00 am-9:00 pm
26 March 2019(Tue)	9:00 am-12:00 noon

Exhibits not claimed after the above periods will be disposed of by the Committee. The Committee will not accept the responsibility for any loss or damage incurred.

10. The Committee reserves the sole and absolute right to interpret these rules, regulations and conditions; and to settle finally and determine all matters arising out of the Show. The decision of the Committee will be final.
11. A prize will be awarded to the best exhibit in each section. Certificates will be awarded to the winners of each class. A prize presentation ceremony will be held at Victoria Park during the show period. Prizes will be presented at the ceremony and certificates will be sent to the winners by post after the show.
12. Results will be announced in the LCSD website: www.hkflowershow.hk

Submission of Entry Forms

1. Entrants are only allowed to enter one exhibit in each class in Section I to Section VII. The number of places in each section is limited. In the event of over-subscription, places will be determined on a first-come-first-served basis.
2. Entry forms can be downloaded from the Leisure and Cultural Services Department website: www.hkflowershow.hk
3. Entrants must return the completed entry form in person (during the following office hours), by post, by fax or by email between **3 January 2019 (Thu) and 23 January 2019 (Wed)** to:

Secretariat of Show Committee,
Hong Kong Flower Show 2019,
11/F, Leisure and Cultural Services Headquarters,
1-3 Pai Tau Street, Sha Tin.

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00a.m. – 1:00p.m.
 2:00p.m. – 6:00 p.m. (except public holidays)

Fax. No.: 2691 7264

Email : hkfscompetitions@lcsd.gov.hk

4. The successful entrants will be notified in writing on or before **12 February 2019 (Tue)**. The Show Committee will not be responsible for the postal delay due to the incorrect or incomplete correspondence address provided by the applicant.

Enquiries

For enquiries, please call 2601 8260.



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Plant Exhibit Competition (Potted Plant Growing and Nursing)

Entry Form of Sections I to VII

Entrant's Number : _____ (for official use only)

Name : _____ Mr / Ms

HKID (First 4 digits) : _____

Address : _____

Telephone : _____ Mobile phone : _____

Fax : _____ Email : _____

Entrants are only allowed to enter one exhibit in each class in Section I to Section VII. The number of places in each section is limited. In the event of over-subscription, places will be determined on a first-come-first-served basis. Successful entrants will be notified of their place(s) in writing on or before 12 February 2019 (Tue).

Section I ORCHID (excluding Chinese Cymbidium)			Section II CHINESE CYMBIDIUM			Section III POTTED PLANT		
Class No.	Theme	Please fill in ✓ if participating	Class No.	Theme	Please fill in ✓ if participating	Class No.	Theme	Please fill in ✓ if participating
P101	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (alba or semi-alba), 1 clone		P201	"Ban Gao", variegated foliage, 1 clone		P301	Hyacinth, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
P102	Phalaenopsis and Doritaenopsis (red or pink), 1 clone		P202	"Zhua" & "Fu Lun", variegated foliage, 1 clone		P302	Kalanchoe, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
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P108	Cattleya & allied- hybrids (flower diameter exceeding 100mm), 1 clone		P208	Cymbidium sinense, “Qi Ye” Dwarf type, 1 clone		P308	Rose, 1 pot (pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)	
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P112	Paphiopedilum species (progressive or multi-flower), 1 clone					P312	Flowering plant in hanging basket, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 300mm dia.)	
P113	Paphiopedilum species (single flower), 1 clone							
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Section IV CACTUS & SUCCULENT		Please fill in ✓ if participating	Section V FOLIAGE AND CARNIVOROUS PLANT		Please fill in ✓ if participating	Section VI AFRICAN VIOLET		Please fill in ✓ if participating
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P407	Cactus, 3 pots (pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)		P507	Bottle landscape, 1 bottle (natural plants* with accessories* in a bottle not exceeding 700mm dia. and 700mm height)				
P408	Succulent, 3 pots (pot not exceeding 150mm dia.)		P508	Sarracenia spp., 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)				
			P509	Nepenthes spp., 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)				
			P510	Other carnivorous plant, 1 pot (hanging basket or pot not exceeding 250mm dia.)				

Section VII BONSAI TYPE PLANT

Class No.	Theme	Please fill in ✓ if participating
P701	Flowering Plant, 1 pot	
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P709	Miniature Bonsai, 1 pot The internal dimensions of the pots should not exceed: For rectangular or oval shape pots Length: 200mm Width: 125mm For square or circular shape pots Length: 125mm Width: 125mm	

Declaration

- I hereby declare that I am not the judges in the Sections which I have entered. I confirm that I have read the rules and regulations of this competition and agree to accept and abide by the relevant provisions.
- For entry to Section I (Orchid - Excluding Chinese Cymbidium), Section II (Chinese Cymbidium) and Section V (Foliage and Carnivorous Plant)**

I understand that under the Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Ordinance (Cap. 586 of the Laws of Hong Kong), the import, export, re-export or possession of an Appendix I plant species (e.g. slipper orchids) or an Appendix II plant species of live and wild origin, requires a licence issued in advance by the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department. The import, export or re-export of an Appendix II plant species not from wild origin is also subject to the production of a valid CITES** export permit (or a Phytosanitary Certificate issued by any of the 11 Parties which has endorsement serving as CITES export permit for the export of an artificially propagated Appendix II plant species) and inspection by an authorized officer upon its landing or before export/re-export in Hong Kong. Under the Plant (Importation and Pest Control) Ordinance (Cap. 207 of the Laws of Hong Kong), a Plant Import Licence issued by the Agriculture, Fisheries and Conservation Department and a valid Phytosanitary Certificate issued by an authorized officer of the Plant Protection Services of the exporting country are required for import of plants into Hong Kong. However, plants produced in and imported from any place in China outside Hong Kong are exempted from the licensing control of Cap. 207.

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Signature :

Name of Entrant :

Date :



Remarks :

1. Entrants are only allowed to enter one exhibit in each class.
2. The Show Committee reserves the right to amend the exhibit/name of the species provided by the entrants in case of misidentification.
3. All entries must be delivered to the showground between 9:00 am and 9:00 pm on 12 March 2019 (Tue). Late entries will not be accepted.
4. Exhibits of Sections I to VII must be put on display throughout the entire show period (12-24 March 2019).
5. Date of Enrolment: 3 January 2019 (Thu) to 23 January 2019 (Wed)

After completing this form, please return it in person (during the following office hours), by post, by fax or by email (it shall be deemed to be received on the date actually received by the Department) to

Secretariat of Show Committee,
Hong Kong Flower Show 2019,
11/F, Leisure and Cultural Services Headquarters,
1-3 Pai Tau Street, Sha Tin.

Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00a.m. - 1:00p.m.,
 2:00p.m. - 6:00 p.m. (except public holidays)

Fax. No.: 2691 7264

Email : hkfscompetitions@lcsd.gov.hk

6. The personal data and information provided by entrants in this application will be used for the purposes of enrolment, completion of statistics, future correspondence and publicity of the Show only. If you want to change or retrieve the personal data and information, you may contact Secretariat, Show Committee by telephone on 2601 8260.

Warning and Notes :

Anyone who imports, exports, or re-exports or possesses endangered species scheduled under the Protection of Endangered Species of Animals and Plants Ordinance (Cap. 586) without a valid licence, is liable to prosecution and subject to a maximum fine of HK\$5,000,000 and two years imprisonment on conviction.

Under the Forests and Countryside Ordinance (Cap.96), damaging any plants in any forest or plantation on government land is prohibited. Some rare and attractive plants are specifically listed in the Forestry Regulations to control their sale or possession. The maximum penalties for contravening the Regulations are HK\$25,000 fine and one year imprisonment.

Under the Genetically Modified Organisms (Control of Release) Ordinance (the Ordinance), Cap. 607, any person who knowingly cultivates seeds (e.g. seeds of pest-resistant GM maize), cut flowers (e.g. violet or blue GM carnation and violet or blue GM rose) or plants (e.g. GM petunia) of unapproved GM plants, or knowingly imports the GM plants or their seeds intended for cultivations in a field or into the open environment, commits an offense. An offender shall be liable upon conviction to a fine of HK\$100,000 and to imprisonment for one year.