

## Ira Butler Trophy 2006

The Gold Ira Butler Trophy 2006, for the Champion Australian Native Orchid Hybrid of the Year has been awarded to *Dock. Grey Ghost 'Tumbi'* .

This magnificent orchid, owned by Phena and Brian Gerhard of Down Under Native Orchids, was bred by Down Under Native Orchids and nominated at the ANOS Warringah Group Spring Show. The plant featured many well open, greyish white flowers with light plum striations along the petals and sepals. All flowers were upright and well displayed.



The following five nominations each receive a **Silver Ira Butler Trophy**

- *Dendrobium* Jesmond Gem 'Olive Adams', owned by Peter, Cheryl and David Adams



- *Dendrobium* Rudkin 'Tynan', owned by John and Diane Sharam



- *Dendrobium* Brinawa Sunset, owned by Henk van den Berg



- *Sarcochilus* Judith 'Snowy', owned by David Butler



- *Den.* Tarean Creek 'Taliska' owned by Anita Evans



The following nominations receive **Ira Butler Certificates**

- *Sarcochilus* Melba 'Surprise', owned by Ms J Pinner
- *Dendrobium* Lochiel 'Robin', owned by B and B Khann
- *Dendrobium* Australian Goldrush, owned by B and B Khann
- *Dendrobium* Tie Dye 'Magic Moment', owned by Norm and Kay Mitchell
- *Dendrobium* Buxton's Surprise 'Norma', owned by Keith Buxton
- *Dendrobium* Aussie Victory 'Supernatural', owned by Phena and Brian Gerhard of DUNO
- *Dendrobium* Victorian Bride 'Genesis' owned by Carl and Gaylene Armstrong
- *X Taurodium furcillatum* , owned by Steve Howard
- *Dendrobium* Avrils Gold, owned by Grahame Beaton
- *Dendrobium* Golden Sunsprite 'Anne', owned by Greg Taylor
- *Dendrobium* DUNO Charminite, owned by F and H Vernon
- *Dendrobium* Awesome, owned by John Fleming
- *Dendrobium* Light River, owned by F and H Vernon
- *Dendrobium* Johulatum, owned by Keith Skaines
- *Dendrobium* Graeme Banks 'Anna', owned by Anthony Armstrong
- *Dendrobium* Miara, owned by Janet and Tony Baumer
- *Dendrobium* Amber Banks 'June', owned by Brendan Killen
- *Rhynochilus* Colonial Zeal 'Stars', owned by Phena and Brian Gerhard
- *Dendrobium* Graham Hewitt 'Matilda', owned by Rob and Dot Lane
- *Dendrobium* (Victorian Flare 'Solid Violet Lip' x Jesmond Sparkler 'Greg Hall'), owned by W and O Clavant.
- *Dendrobium* X delicatum 'Cathie', owned by M P Osborne
- *Dendrobium* Avril's Gold 'Keesha', owned by G and S Zerbe