

The International *Delphinium* Register Supplement 2005

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The following list contains the delphinium cultivar and cultivar-group names, which have been registered between 1st January 2005 and 31st December 2005. Raisers and introducers of new delphiniums are urged to ensure that the names of all their plants have been registered.

Registration forms can be obtained from the International *Delphinium* Registrar, Royal Horticultural Society's Garden, Wisley, Woking, Surrey GU23 6QB or from the RHS website at:

http://www.rhs.org.uk/plants/registration_delphinium.asp

There is no fee for registration, or for the Registration Certificate (when this is requested).

In the list below R = raiser, H = hybridiser, G = person who grow the plant to its first flowering, S = selected by, N = person naming the plant, I = introducer, REG = registrant.

Colour codes such as "112D" or "84B" refer to the RHS Colour Chart (1966, reprinted 1986, 1995, 2001).

'China Blue'

cv. (Open pollinated seed from 'Gossamer') H (2000), G (2001), N & REG (2005): R W Carvill; I: Kent & East Sussex Delphinium Group (2003). Stems medium (c. 1.8m). Leaves dark green and well defined. Spikes 75cm, blunt, with many laterals. Flowers semi-double, 70mm wide, pale blue (112D) over white, slightly frilled; pure white, small eye; spurs 30mm long; pedicels 55mm long. Spike well furnished, with florets held for the life of the bloom.

Nomenclatural standard: colour photograph provided by registrant (WSY0070108).

'Fox'

cv. (Selection from *D. nudicaule*) R (2000), N & I (2004), REG (2005): Ernst Benary Samenzucht. Compact, well-branched habit with stems 25-30cm. Leaves glossy. Flowers single, bright scarlet orange-red, with a faint yellow-orange marking towards the centre, remaining funnel-shaped even when mature; eye small and scarlet red; spurs long and prominent. Floriferous, dwarf cultivar; flowering June to August. Propagated by seed.

Nomenclatural standard: colour digital print provided by registrant (WSY0070309).

'Raymond Lister'

cv. ('Kathleen Cooke' ♂ × unnamed blue seedling ♀) H (1996), G (1997), N & REG (2005): Mrs J C Bott. Stems medium (1.6-1.7m). Leaves mid green. Spikes 75cm, blunt, with 4-5 short laterals. Flowers semi-double, 65-75mm wide, mid blue (100B-C) slightly suffused with violet (84B) towards the centre, maturing darker blue (100A); inner sepals with frilled margins; eye mid brown; pedicels 70mm long. Produces many shoots.

Etymology: named after the gardener to the late Richard Wainwright, President of the Delphinium Society and Member of Parliament.

Nomenclatural standard: colour photograph provided by registrant (WSY0070206).

'Summer Blues'

cv. (Selection from *D. grandiflorum*) R (1998), N & I (2003), REG (2005): Ernst Benary Samenzucht. Naturally compact and well-branched with stems to 35cm. Leaves quite narrowly divided. Flowers single, soft blue; soft blue eye with two yellow spots, each surrounded by a large white irregular patch; one green spot near the apex of each sepal on the reverse side; spurs prominent. Floriferous, dwarf cultivar, more heat tolerant than other delphiniums of this type. Flowering June – early August. Propagated by seed.

Nomenclatural standard: colour digital print provided by registrant (WSY0070313).

'Summer Stars'

cv. (Selection from *D. grandiflorum*) R (1998), N & I (2004), REG (2005): Ernst Benary Samenzucht. Naturally compact and well-branched with stems to 35cm. Leaves finely divided. Flowers single, white with a hint of yellow-green when immature; white eye with two yellow spots; one green spot near the apex of each sepal on the reverse side; spurs prominent. Floriferous, dwarf cultivar, earlier to flower and more heat tolerant than other delphiniums of this type. Flowering May-July. Propagated by seed.

Nomenclatural standard: colour digital print provided by registrant (WSY0070205).