

# 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 1<sup>st</sup> January 2005 and 31<sup>st</sup> 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](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' ♂ x 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).