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INTRODUCTION

The second edition of the *International Rhododendron Register and Checklist* included accounts of all plants whose names had been registered up to the end of December 2002. The first seventeen Supplements included names registered from 1 January 2003 to 31 December 2022. This *Eighteenth Supplement* includes all those registered in 2023.

The layout of each entry follows the format adopted in the 2004 *Register and Checklist* and is explained there in detail on pages 7–10 of the Introduction.

It may be helpful here to repeat that the following abbreviations are employed:

(a)	azalea
(az)	azaleodendron
cv.	cultivar
G	grown to first flower by
gp	Group
H	hybridised by
I	introduced by
N	named by
(r)	rhododendron
R	raised by
REG	registered by
S	selected by
(s)	seed parent
(v)	vireya

Where possible colour references are given to the *RHS Colour Chart* (1966, 1986, 1995, 2001 & 2015) with colour descriptions being taken from *A contribution towards standardization of color names in horticulture*, by R.D. Huse and K.L. Kelly (ed. D.H. Voss), 1984.

All raisers and introducers of new rhododendrons are urged to ensure that the names of their plants have been registered and are reminded that registration needs to be effected before the plant is introduced or the name appears in print. Registration forms can be obtained from the International Rhododendron Registrar (at the address given below), from the RHS website (<https://www.rhs.org.uk/plants/pdfs/plant-registration-forms/rhododendron-name-registration.PDF>) or from one of the national or regional registrars as follows:

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NAMES REGISTERED JANUARY 2023 – DECEMBER 2023

(r) 'Alexander Ballie'

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) X *X hyperythrum*

H: S.B. Southerland (2000), **G:** S.B. Southerland (2010), **N:** S.B. Southerland (2023),

REG: S.B. Southerland (2023)

Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 47–50 × 60mm, with 5 emarginate lobes, buds vivid red (57A) opening inside pale purplish pink (56A), paler at centre, with red spots on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside deep purplish pink (64D); filaments cream, with brown anthers; style cream, with red brown stigma; unscented. Calyx apparently absent. Lvs oblong, 160 × 50mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with downcurved margins, moderate olive green (137A) above, with brownish orange (171B) indumentum below, prominent on the midvein, diminishing alongside veins and between veins. Shrub 2.3 × 1.9m in 22 years. Early season (April in central North Carolina, USA). Hardy to –23°C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162773).

Etymology: named for the Scot who was the hybridiser's first ancestor to arrive in North America

(r) 'Alva Koster'

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pivoine' (s) X 'Brigitte'

H: Dr H. Schmidt (c. 2010), **G:** Dr H. Schmidt (2020), **N:** Dr H. Schmidt (2020), **I:** Rhododendron-Haven (2030), **REG:** Dr H. Schmidt (2023)

Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 55 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds strong purple (80B), opening inside very pale purple (75D) in the throat, shading to deep purplish pink (78C) at margins, with a large blotch of orange-yellow (163A/B) markings on the dorsal lobe, with some scattered markings across the adjacent lobes; outside light purple (75A); filaments white, with creamy white anthers; style white, with red stigma; unscented. Calyx absent. Lvs broadly ovate, 110–120mm long, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.35 × 0.75m in 12 years. Late May (in Denmark). Hardy to at least –20°C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162882).

Etymology: named for a granddaughter of the hybridiser

(a) 'Amelia Mary'

cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Pocono Pink' × 'Janet Rhea') × 'Ashley Ruth' (s) X 'Rebecca Taffer' × 'James Stewart'

H: J.F. Klimavicz (2009), **G:** J.F. Klimavicz (2012), **N:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023), **REG:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023)

Fls 2–3/terminal bud, 30 × 61mm, saucer-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds white, opening white, with a sparse scattering of light yellow-green spots on the dorsal lobe of some flowers; outside white; filaments white, with brown anthers; style white, with green stigma; unscented. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144A/144B). Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub

0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason (early May in Washington, D.C. area). Hardy to –18°C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162787).

Etymology: named for a granddaughter of the hybridiser. Breeder's code: JL-09-19

(a) 'Andrea Jeanne'

cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Festival' × 'Satellite' (Klupenger) (s) X 'Mrs Nancy Dippel' × 'Gay Paree'

H: J.F. Klimavicz (2000), **G:** J.F. Klimavicz (2003), **N:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023), **REG:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023)

Fls 2–3/terminal bud, 30 × 61mm, saucer-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds purplish pink blends (61D/62A) opening inside with highly variable combinations of deep purplish pink (61D) and strong purplish pink (62A) OR sometimes completely strong purplish red (58C) OR sometimes with irregular white margins; all with deep purplish red (61A) spots on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside purplish pink blends (61D/62A); filaments and style correspond to predominant lobe colour; anthers dark; most stigmas are green; unscented. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, with some puckering, 30 × 15mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, moderate olive green (146A) to moderate yellow-green (146B) and semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason (early May in Washington D.C., USA area). Hardy to –18°C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162788).

Etymology: named for a daughter of the noted azalea specialist Carolyn Beck

(r) 'Avalon Misty Rose'

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Yaku Angel' (s) X 'Sumatra'

H: T. Boland (2006), **G:** T. Boland (2011),

N: T. Boland (2023), **REG:** Memorial University of Newfoundland Botanical Garden (2023)

Fls 7–10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (pinched apically to give an emarginate appearance); buds vivid reddish purple (N74A) opening inside very light purple (75C), with a darker tone along the midvein and with strong red (53C) spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside opening very light purple (75C), becoming very pale purple (75D); filaments cream, anthers cream, with a brown ring at tip; style cream at base, shading to red brown at apex, with red brown stigma; unscented. Calyx 2mm long, moderate olive green (137A). Lvs elliptic, broadly upangled from the depressed midrib, 100–120 × 40–50mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with margins wavy and downcurved, moderate olive green (137A) and matt, with sparse white hairs above, thinly matted with orange-yellow (163A–B) hairs below. Shrub 0.5 × 1.2m in 16 years. Midseason (early to mid June on coastal Newfoundland Island). Hardy to –20°C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162791)

(r) **'Beth Okeby'**

cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *decorum* (s) X *nuttallii* × *lindleyi*

G: Waipahihi Botanical Garden (2017),

N: J.K. Bishop (2022), **REG:** J.K. Bishop (2023)

Fls 8/loose ball truss, 70 × 100mm, broadly open funnel-shaped, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale green, with touches of pink, opening inside white, with green at base and with some light, grey brown spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside white, overlaid with pink at the midribs; filaments pale creamy white, anthers grey brown; style pale green, stigma bright green; pleasant, spicy scent. Calyx negligible. Pedicels dark pinkish red. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 50mm, rounded at base; acute at apex, with wavy margins, glossy, mid-green with greenish yellow midrib above, no indumentum below; petioles flattish, bright greenish yellow. Shrub 2.0m × 1.5m in 10 years. October to November (in Taupo, New Zealand). Reasonably hardy. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162604).

Etymology: named in memory of a valued volunteer and life member of the Waipahihi Botanical Gardens. A rare elepidote/lepidote cross

(r) **'Binevenagh'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ring of Fire' (s) X 'Argosy'

H: J. Gault (2009), **G:** J. Gault (2014), **N:** J. Gault (2022), **I:** J. Gault, **REG:** A. Tam (2023)

Fls 8(–10)/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 80 × 95–100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes and with the lobe margins recurved, buds moderate red (N34C), opening inside light yellow (11B), paling to margins, with vivid red (46B) at the base of each lobe; outer lobes light yellow (11B); filaments yellow, with brown anthers; style yellow, with light green stigma; subtle scent. Calyx 13–15mm long, light yellow (11B) outside, inside light yellow (11B), tinged with vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 123 × 50mm, asymmetrically cordate at base, acuminate at apex, with wavy margins, matt above. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 5–10 years. Late June (in Limavady, Northern Ireland). Hardy to –15C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162608).

Etymology: named for a hill, local to the registrant

(a) **'Brocēni'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) X 'Toucan'

H: R.K. Kondratovics (2000), **G:** R.K. Kondratovics (2006), **N:** G. Riekstina (2023), **REG:** Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)

Fls 13/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 10–12 flat-edged lobes, buds strong yellowish pink (37A), opening inside white (N155B), with a light pale purplish pink (65C) blush at the centre and with a large vivid yellow (15A) blotch on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside white (N155B), with a moderate purplish pink (65A) blush at the centre; lightly scented; stigmas absent; style pinkish red, with light green stigma. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, glossy above, with a few scales

below. Shrub 2.2 × 1.6m in 22 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to –30C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162869).

Etymology: named after the Latvian town of Brocēni

(r) **'Budbrook'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Parentage unknown

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),

REG: K.G. Jordan (2023)

Fls 12/loose ball, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, buds light purplish pink (55C), with light greenish yellow (8C) at base, opening inside light purplish pink (55C), with light greenish yellow (8C) at base and with a flared, strong red (53C) spotted blotch on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside strong purplish red (55B), with light greenish yellow (8C) undertones, shading to deep purplish pink (55A) at the midrib; filaments yellow, with brownish anthers; style yellow, with yellow stigma, ringed with red. Calyx 20–30mm long, outside light greenish yellow (8C), suffused with light purplish pink (55C); inside deeper yellow, with strong red (53C) at the margins. Lvs oblong, 120 × 35mm, narrowly rounded at base and apex, with wavy, decurved margins. Shrub 1.8–2.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-season (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162582).

Etymology: named for the farm where the cultivar was grown.

Grown from seed obtained from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(r) **'Caden Meier'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Sparkler' (s) X 'Rhodsoc'

H: P.B. Moser (2013), **G:** P.B. Moser (2020),

N: P.B. Moser (2023), **REG:** P.B. Moser (2023)

Fls 10/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (61C), shading to pinkish white (N155B) at base, opening inside pinkish white (N155B), with basal flares of moderate red (47A) on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside pinkish white (N155B), shading to light purplish pink (55C) at the lobe centres; filaments white, with brown anthers; style pale green, with yellow-green stigma; unscented. Calyx 0.1mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 152–178 × 38–51mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with margins downcurved, moderate olive green (137B). Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 11 years. Midseason (early May in Philadelphia, USA area). Hardy to –18C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162792).

Etymology: named for a grandson of the hybridiser

(r) ‘**Captain Johnstone**’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) X *barbartum*

H: Captain G.H. Johnstone (1923), **G:** W.H. Banks, **N:** Hergest Croft Gardens, **REG:** Hergest Croft Gardens (2023)

Fls (6–)9(–15)/loose ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50–60 × 70–80mm, with 5 slightly wavy and emarginate lobes, buds vivid red (45C) shading to vivid red (46B), opening inside strong red (53C), then shading from deep pink (52B) at margins to deep purplish pink (54B) in the throat, eventually fading to pale purplish pink (56C) at the margins; outside vivid red (45C), shading to strong red (51A), paling through deep pink (52B), becoming light purplish pink (56C) at the base of the tube; 11–12 pink filaments, with dark anthers; style pink, with white, impressed stigma; ovary densely hairy; nectaries dark red. Calyx 10–15mm long, shading from moderate pink (49B) to light pink (49C), with strong pink (54C) at the margins, fading with maturity. Pedicels 25–30mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, 170–200 × 60–70mm, cuneate at base, mucronulate at apex, with margins decurved, matt above. Tree to 6.0 × 6.0m in 60–70 years, with peeling red-brown bark. April (in Herefordshire, UK). Hardy to –15C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162635).

Etymology: named for Captain George Johnstone of Trewithin, from whom William H. Banks received the plants

(a) ‘**Carolyn Beck**’

cv. Evergreen azalea: ‘Rebecca Taffer’ (s) X ‘James Stewart’

H: J.F. Klimavicz (2011), **G:** J.F. Klimavicz (2013), **N:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023), **REG:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023)

Fls semi-double to double, 2–3/terminal bud, 35 × 65mm, saucer-shaped, with 15–17 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate purplish pink (66D), shading to white near base, opening inside white, with green at base and moderate purplish pink (66D) to strong purplish red (63B) at margins, with some sparse vivid purplish red (67B) spotting on the dorsal lobes; outside moderate purplish pink (66D), shading to white near base; stamens absent; style white, with green stigma; unscented. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 25 × 11mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, moderate yellow-green (146B) above. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Midseason (late April in Washington D.C., USA area). Hardy to –18C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162789).

Etymology: named for the noted azalea specialist Carolyn Beck, a long time leader of the Azalea Society of America, author and propagator.

Hybridiser’s code: LJ-11-82

(r) ‘**Champagne Gala**’

Syn. of ‘Randy Dalton’

(r) ‘**Colin Cook**’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Olin O. Dobbs’ (s) X *hyperythrum* (pink-flowered)

H: S.B. Southerland (2000), **G:** S.B. Southerland (2008), **N:** S.B. Southerland (2023),

REG: S.B. Southerland (2023)

Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53C) opening inside deep purplish pink (64D), with vivid reddish purple (74B) spots at the base of the dorsal lobe; outside vivid purplish red (74B); filaments white, with creamy white anthers; style white, with reddish pink stigma; unscented. Calyx apparently absent. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 65mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with downcurved margins, moderate olive green (137A), glossy above. Shrub 2.6 × 2.1m in 22 years. Early (April in inland North Carolina, USA). Hardy to –23C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162774).

Etymology: named for the grand-nephew of the hybridiser’s wife

(a) ‘**Diaoul Ruz**’

cv. Deciduous azalea: ‘Homebush’ (s) X ‘Hotspur Red’

H: A. Maguet (2018), **G:** A. Maguet (2022),

N: A. Maguet (2023), **REG:** A. Maguet (2023)

Fls double 10(–11)/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 + 5 recurved, slightly wavy-edged and dentate lobes, buds pubescent, vivid red (45B) opening inside and outside strong reddish orange (42C), with a discreet yellow blotch at the base of the dorsal lobes; stamens absent; style red at base, shading to green at apex, with green stigma. Calyx 2mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 40–60 × 20–25mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, matt and pubescent. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 5 years. May (in Brittany, France). Hardy to –15C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162888).

Etymology: Breton for “red devil”

(r) ‘**Donald’s Hill**’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Coral Reef’ X *griersonianum* (s) × ‘Argosy’

H: J. Gault (2009), **G:** J. Gault (2014), **N:** J. Gault (2022), **REG:** A. Tam (2023)

Fls 7(–8)/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75–80 × 80mm, with 7 very wavy-edged and slightly emarginate lobes, buds light yellow (11B) to pale yellow (11C), opening inside white (155C), with light yellow (11B) at the base of the lobes and with touches of strong pink (50C) on the apices; outside white (155C); filaments pale yellow, anthers white; style and stigma pale green; faintly scented. Calyx insignificant. Lvs broadly ovate, 120–130 × 45–50mm, asymmetrical and slightly caudate at base, roundly acuminate at apex, with flat margins, new growth is dark red, becoming lime green and matt above. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 14 years. Mid-June (in Limavady, Northern Ireland). Hardy to –15C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162611).

Etymology: named for a hill, local to the registrant

(r) **'Dusty Gian'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: Thought to be *fortunei* open pollinated

N: M.M. Mills (2019), **REG**: M.M. Mills (2023)
Fls 7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 67 × 95mm, with 8 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (67A), opening inside pinkish white (N155B), variably overlaid with strong purplish red (67A), particularly where the lobes join, becoming white and with a small dorsal flare opening dark reddish orange (175B), paling to light olive (152B); outside pinkish white (N155B), variably overlaid with strong purplish red (67A), particularly where the lobes join, becoming white; stamens 16, filaments whitish, shading to green at the ovary, anthers tan; style whitish, shading to green at the ovary, stigma green; strongly scented, with a honeydew melon fragrance. Normal calyx absent. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 38mm, rounded at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, moderate olive green (137A), semi-glossy, with raised lateral veins. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 20 years. Midseason (early May, in Philadelphia, USA). Hardy to -18C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162626).
Etymology: named for a character in unpublished fiction

(a) **'Dziesmusvētki'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Unguns' (s) X Exbury seedling (Ex-5)
H: R.K. Kondratovics (1982), **G**: R.K. Kondratovics (1988), **N**: G. Riekstina (2023), **REG**: Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)
Fls 11/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged and neatly frilled lobes, buds vivid reddish orange (34A) opening inside vivid reddish orange (30A), with vivid yellowish pink (30C) in the centre and with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside vivid reddish orange (30A); filaments light orange-red, with yellow anthers; style light red, with green stigma. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, green and glossy above. Shrub 2.5 × 2.3m in 18 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to -30C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162870).
Etymology: named in dedication to the Latvian Song Festival, per request of the Latvian branch of Swedbank

(r) **'Eddu'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Horizon Monarch' × 'L'Engin' (s) X 'Rwain' × 'L'Engin'
H: M. Colombel (2017), **G**: M. Colombel (2021), **N**: M. Colombel (2023), **REG**: M. Colombel (2023)
Fls 13-19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 85-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged and very frilly lobes, buds vivid purplish red (57D), opening inside strong purplish red (58C) when young, becoming strong purplish pink (73B), with a small flare of deep purplish red (59B) at the base of the dorsal lobes; outside vivid purplish red (57D) when young, becoming light purplish pink (62C), with light reddish purple (74C) at the margins; filaments white,

with dark brown anthers; style white, glandular on the bottom half, with dark red stigma; ovary hairy and glandular. Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish pink, with small hairs on the margins. Lvs broadly elliptic, 120-140 × 65-72mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, dark green and glossy above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 6 years. Beginning of May (in northern France). Hardy to -15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162863).
Etymology: named for a Breton whisky

(a) **'ErasmusPlus Latvija'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) X 'Toucan'
H: R.K. Kondratovics (2000), **G**: R.K. Kondratovics (2006), **N**: G. Riekstina (2023), **REG**: Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)
Fls 13/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 10 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid reddish orange (N30A) opening inside pale orange-yellow (23D), shading to strong yellowish pink (38A) at the margins, with a large brilliant yellow (13B) blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid reddish orange (34A); stamens absent; style light red, with green stigma. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 43mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, green and glossy above. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 22 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to -30C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162871).
Etymology: named after the Erasmus+ programme per request of the programme organisers in Latvia

(r) **'Fengfei'**

cv. *Lepidote rhododendron*: selection from {dauricum} (s)
S: Shufang Gong (龚东芳) (2016), **N**: Shufang Gong (龚东芳) (2023), **REG**: 龚东芳, 王金刚, 张海珍, 于景华, 安凤菲, 黄臻 (2023)
Fls 3(-7)/slightly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 20, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds light green, opening inside and outside white (NN155C); filaments white (NN155C), anthers light yellow; style white (NN155C), with light yellow stigma. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 20mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with slightly decurved margins, strongly scented, semi-glossy above, with white indumentum on opening, this is shed upon maturity. Shrub 0.4 × 0.2m in 7 years. Mid April (in Harbin, China). Hardy.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162577).
Original script: 凤菲

(r) **'Fest Deiz'**

cv. *Lepidote rhododendron*: *tubiforme* (s) X *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon*
H: A. Maguet (2014), **G**: A. Maguet (2020), **N**: A. Maguet (2023), **REG**: A. Maguet (2023)
Fls 3(-4)/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, semi-pendant, 45 × 50, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (60B) opening inside white, with touches

of purplish pink at the margins and with a broad flare of purplish red spots on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (61B); 9 to 10 white filaments, with brown anthers; style white, with yellow-green stigma. Calyx 5mm long, red-purple, with scales. Lvs lanceolate, 40–55 × 15mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, glossy above, with white scales below. Buds, corolla tube and peduncles also have white scales. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early April (in Brittany, France). Hardy to –15C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162890).
Etymology: In the Breton language “fest deiz” is a feast with traditional music and dancing during the day

(r) ‘Frank Fujioka’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Spun Gold’ (s) X ‘Very Berry’
H: M. Colombel (2014), **G:** M. Colombel (2019), **N:** M. Colombel (2023), **REG:** M. Colombel (2023)
Fls 12–19/ball truss, campanulate, 60–65 × 85–95mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds deep yellowish pink (41D), opening inside moderate yellowish pink (37C), with twin flares of strong red (39A) spotting, narrow and heavily spotted at base, the flares widening and the spots becoming more spaced out, up the dorsal lobe, with some spotting on the adjacent lobes; outside deep pink (47D); filaments yellow, with brownish anthers; style pale green and glabrous, with dark red brown stigma; ovary hairy. Calyx 12–30mm long, moderate reddish orange (35B). Lvs elliptic, 95–145 × 42–63mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, matt above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 9 years. Mid-May (in northern France). Hardy to –20C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162856).
Etymology: named for a friend of the registrant

(r) ‘Garnet Thomas’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Ken Janeck’ (s) X ‘Moser’s Maroon’
H: T. Ahern (1996), **G:** T. Ahern (2008), **N:** T. Ahern (2022), **REG:** T. Ahern (2023)
Fls 22/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 47 × 79mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds dark red (59A) at margins, shading to moderate purplish red (59C) at base, opening inside dark red (59A) at margins, shading through moderate purplish red (59C) to light purplish pink (62C) at throat, with a dark red (59A) speckled blotch overlying a small pale area in the centre of the dorsal lobe; outside dark red (59A), shading to light purplish pink (62C) at base; filaments recurving, white, with purple anthers; style pinkish red, with dark stigma. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 41mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with wavy margins, emerging light green, with light maroon margins, becoming medium green, matt. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 26 years. Late season (early June in eastern Pennsylvania). Hardy to –22C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162628).
Etymology: named for a grandson of the hybridiser

(r) ‘Gillian Gault’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Ring of Fire’ (s) X ‘Argosy’
H: J. Gault (2009), **G:** J. Gault (2014), **N:** J. Gault (2022), **REG:** J. Gault (2023)
Fls 8(–10)/ball truss, broadly campanulate, 65 × 85mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (58B), opening inside pale yellowish pink (27D), paling to throat, with yellow in the throat; outside moderate pink (49B) to light pink (49C), with dark pinkish red stripes along the midrib; filaments pale cream, with brown anthers; style pale green, covered in brown hairs, with green stigma; faintly scented. Calyx 1–2mm long, strong purplish red (58B). Pedicels strong purplish red (58B). Lvs broadly lanceolate, 110–120 × 40–50mm, obtuse at base, mucronulate at apex, with decurved margins, matt above; petioles greenish yellow. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 14 years. Mid-June (in Limavady, Northern Ireland). Hardy to –15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162614).
Etymology: named for the daughter of the registrant

(a) ‘Glinda the Good Witch’

cv. Evergreen azalea: *R. nakaharae* (Sweetman’s witches’ broom form, open pollinated) (s)
H: H. Sweetman (1989), **G:** H. Sweetman (1992), **S:** H. Sweetman (post-1992), **N:** H. Sweetman (2022), **REG:** H. Sweetman (2023)
Fls 1–2/terminal bud, funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 rounded and overlapping lobes, with flat margins, buds deep yellowish pink (44D), opening inside deep yellowish pink (44D), fading to deep yellowish pink (41D), with twin spotted basal flares of strong purplish pink (61B) on the dorsal lobe; outside deep yellowish pink (44D); filaments pink, anthers very dark; style pink, with very dark stigma; unscented. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs elliptic, 19 × 13mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 10 years. Late (mid-June in south-eastern Pennsylvania, USA). Hardy to –18C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162793).
Etymology: named for a character from the book *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* by Frank L. Baum

(r) ‘Hayden Jordan’

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Nelda Peach’ (s) X ‘Karen Triplett’
G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020), **I:** Blue Mountain Nurseries, **REG:** K.G. Jordan (2023)
Fls 11/loose ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (46A) opening inside vivid red (46C), with a flared blotch of strong red (46A) on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside vivid red (46C); filaments red, with dark anthers; style red, with light stigma. Calyx 8–20mm long, irregular, vivid red (46C), with a flared blotch of strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, slightly rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with slightly decurved and wavy margins, opening bronze, becoming green and glossy above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years.

Mid to late season (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162586).

Etmology: named for the son of the registrant. Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(a) **'Heolig'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Corneille' (s) *X luteum*

H: A. Maguet (2011), **G:** A. Maguet (2021), **N:** A. Maguet (2023), **REG:** A. Maguet (2023)

Fls semi-double, 11(-12)/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5(-6) flat-edged and recurved lobes, buds vivid yellow (16A), with strong orange (25B) at apex, opening inside pale yellow (11D), with touches of strong orange-yellow (24B); outside strong orange (25B) along tube and at apex, with vivid yellow (16A) in the middle, pubescent and glandular; scented; one or two yellow filaments, with brown anthers; style yellow at base, with pinkish red at apex, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, greenish, pubescent and glandular. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 60-90 × 30-40mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, matt and green, becoming orange to purple in autumn. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 11 years. Late April to early May (in Brittany, France). Hardy to -15C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162903).

Etmology: In the Breton language "heolig" means little sun (heol = sun)

(r) **'Irina Romanca'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) *X hyperythrum* pink-flowered

H: S.B. Southerland (2000), **G:** S.B. Southerland (2008), **N:** S.B. Southerland (2023), **REG:** S.B. Southerland (2023)

Fls 11/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged and emarginate lobes, buds vivid purplish red (74B), opening inside very light purple (75C), shading to strong reddish purple (70B) at margins, with deep purplish red (71A) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside strong reddish purple (70B), interior blotch visible; filaments white, with buff anthers; style whitish, with red brown stigma; unscented. Calyx apparently absent. Lvs elliptic, 184 × 51mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, dark green (136A), semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 13 years. Early (beginning of April, in inland North Carolina, USA). Hardy to -23C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162775).

Etmology: named for a friend, from Romania, of the hybridiser

(r) **'Jacquotte'**

cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dekatanum* (s) *X sulfureum*

H: J.-F. Petton (2018), **G:** J.-F. Petton (2023), **N:** J.-F. Petton (2023), **REG:** J.-F. Petton (2023)

Fls 3/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pinched apically to give an emarginate appearance, buds green, opening inside and outside brilliant greenish yellow (3B), the outside of the lobes scattered with brown scales; filaments yellow, with

dark red-brown anthers; style yellow, with green stigma. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (2C). Lvs elliptic, 52 × 26mm, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, with flat margins, matt above, opening with moderate yellow-green (138B) scales, becoming moderate olive green (147A) below. Shrub 0.55 × 0.55m in 6 years. End of April to early May (in Scaër, France). Hardy to -10C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162630).

Etmology: nickname for the hybridiser's wife

(v) **'Jane Simpson'**

cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*macgregoriae* × *rubineiflorum*) × (*rubineiflorum* × *pauciflorum*) (s) *X rousei*

H: A. Rouse (2011), **G:** A. Rouse (2018), **N:** A. Rouse (2021), **REG:** A. Rouse (2023)

Fls (2-3)(-4)/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 22-26 × 25-30mm, with 5 very slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds pale green, tipped with brown, opening inside and outside white, touched light purplish pink (62C) at the base of tube; filaments pink, with red-brown anthers; style pale cream, with pale yellow stigma; unscented. Calyx absent. Pedicels 20mm long, pinkish red, glandular, sharply angled at the junction with the flower. Lvs elliptic, 10-22 × 4-8mm, shortly attenuate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, glossy green above, laxly scaly below. Shrub 0.25 × 0.25m in 12 years. Early spring (September, in Victoria, Australia). Moderately hardy.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162878).

Etmology: named after a cousin of the hybridiser

(r) **'Jenny Jordan'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Parentage unknown

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),

I: Blue Mountain Nurseries, **REG:** K.G. Jordan (2023)

Fls 11/loose ball truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 6(-7) very wavy-edged and ruffled lobes, buds deep red (53A), opening inside vivid purplish red (67B), deepening to margin edges and paling towards the base of the lobes, with a flare of deep red (53A) at the base of each lobe, with spotting of the same colour on the dorsal lobe and partly on the adjoining lobes; outside vivid purplish red (67B), with strong purplish red (67A) along the lobe ridges; filaments pinkish red, with brown anthers; style and stigma pinkish red. Corolla 12mm long. Lvs oblong, 190 × 65mm, with wavy and decurved margins, glossy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid to late season (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162590).

Etmology: named for the wife of the registrant.

Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(a) **'Kandava'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) *X 'Austra'*

H: R.K. Kondratovics (1999), **G:** R.K. Kondratovics (2006), **N:** G. Riekstina (2023), **REG:** Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Larvia (2023)

Fls 16/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 10 very wavy-edged lobes, buds

strong reddish orange (42B) opening inside pale pink (49D), with strong pink (49A) at margins, with a blotch of strong orange-yellow (17A) on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside pale pink (49D); sweetly scented; stamens absent; style red, with green stigma. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, green and glossy above. Shrub 3.0 × 2.5m in 23 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to -30C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162872).
Etymology: named after the Latvian town of Kandava

(r) **'Ken Jordan'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Fantastica' (s) X *strigillosum*

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),
I: Blue Mountain Nurseries, **REG:** K.G. Jordan (2023)
Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged and lightly ruffled lobes, buds strong red (53C), opening inside and outside strong red (53C); filaments light pinkish red, with white anthers; style light pinkish red, with pale stigma. Calyx <1mm long, strong red (53C). Lvs oblanceolate, with decurved margins, matt above, with dark tan hairs, becoming tan below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early to mid season (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162593).
Etymology: named after the registrant.
Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(r) **'Kerttu'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Helsinki University' (s) X 'Golden Coach'

H: K. Theqvist (2003), **G:** K. Theqvist (2022),
N: K. Theqvist (2022), **REG:** K. Theqvist (2023)
Fls 10(-14)/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow (18A), opening inside pale greenish yellow (1D), shading to light greenish yellow (1C) at centre, with two short flares of moderate red (47A) in the throat, surmounted by two long, neatly spaced, lines of deep purplish red (71A) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside pale greenish yellow (1D); filaments and anthers white; style greenish yellow, with red stigma. Calyx 2mm long, yellow-green.
Lvs elliptic, 150-170 × 55-65mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with decurved margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 10 years. Midseason (early June in Finland). Hardy to at least -28C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162666).
Etymology: Kerttu is a common Finnish female first name, with a history dating back to the 13th Century

(r) **'Klič'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Reifrock' (s) X 'Claudine'

H: M. Severa (2013), **N:** M. Severa (2018),
I: Silva Tarouca Research Institute (2021),
REG: M. Severa (2023)
Fls 12-15/slightly domed truss, funnel-shaped,

65-75mm wide, with 5(-6) wavy-edged and frilled lobes, opening inside strong purplish red (71B), with white at base, the dorsal lobe having a large flare of white rising from the base to two-thirds of the way up the lobe, with strong purplish red (71B) margins, and with strongly pronounced deep greenish yellow (153A) markings within the white flare; outside strong purplish red (71B), with deep purplish red (61A) along the ribs; filaments bright red pink, with white anthers; style bright red pink, with dark purple-black stigma. Calyx to 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 110-135 × 35-40mm, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, with flat margins, dark green and glossy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 10 years. May (in Czech Republic). Hardy.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162880).
Etymology: named after the mountain in North Bohemia (Czech Republic)

(a) **'Kouign Amann'**

cv. *Deciduous azalea*: 'Homebush' (s) X 'Kentucky Minstrel'

H: A. Maguet (2015), **G:** A. Maguet (2020),
N: A. Maguet (2023), **REG:** A. Maguet (2023)
Fls semi-double, 12(-15)/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 + 5 flat-edged and recurved lobes, buds deep red (185A), opening inside vivid reddish orange 32A, with touches of strong orange (25A); outside vivid reddish orange (43B); one or two reddish filaments, with reddish brown anthers; style 5mm long, orange, with green stigma; ovary hairy. Calyx 5mm long, green and pubescent. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 60-90 × 25-30mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, matt above. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years. May (in Brittany, France). Hardy to -15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162906).
Etymology: "Kouign Amann" is the name of a breizh cake with a lot of butter

(r) **'Kretliini'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Eino' (s) X 'Burgundula'

H: K. Theqvist (2010), **G:** K. Theqvist (2022),
N: K. Theqvist (2022), **REG:** K. Theqvist (2023)
Fls 10(-14)/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 75-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish red (71A), opening inside strong reddish purple (N78A), with dark purple (79A) spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside strong reddish purple (N78A); filaments dark red, anthers pale cream; style light red, with dark red stigma. Calyx insignificant, dark green. Pedicels dark red. Lvs elliptic, 120-150 × 45-55mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason (early June in Finland). Hardy to at least -28C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162671).
Etymology: Kretliini is an old Finnish loan word from the Swedish "gredelin" meaning "blue-red"

(r) **'Kristian's Monarch'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Hellikki' (s) X 'Lem's Monarch'

H: K. Theqvist (2010), **G**: K. Theqvist (2022), **N**: K. Theqvist (2022), **REG**: K. Theqvist (2023)
Fls 6(–8)/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 70–80 × 90–120mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (N57A), opening inside deep purplish pink (N57D), with small twin flares of vivid reddish orange (34B) on the dorsal lobe, the whole becoming white upon maturity; outside deep purplish pink (N57D) becoming white upon maturity; filaments light pink, with brown anthers; style and stigma light pink. Calyx 7mm long, moderate red (N34A). Pedicels moderate red. Lvs elliptic, 150–250 × 55–85mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason (early June in Finland). Hardy to at least –28C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162718).

Etymology: Registrant's first name, partnered with Monarch to acknowledge its parentage

(r) **'Late Scoop'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: Probably 'Caroline' × 'Maxhaem Salmon'

H: J.B. Gable (c. 1959), **G**: J.B. Gable (1964), **N**: M.M. Mills (2018), **REG**: M.M. Mills (2023)
Fls 14(–15)/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 58 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (68A), opening inside light purple (75B), paling to centre, with dark purple (79A) in the throat, as a short dorsal flare, surmounted by deep purplish red (71A) spots and with a few deep purplish pink (68A) spots elsewhere; outside light reddish purple (74C); filaments white, anthers pale yellow; style white, with reddish stigma; unfragranced. Calyx 5mm long, vivid reddish purple (74B). Lvs oblong to slightly oblanceolate, 180 × 48mm, cuneate or oblique at base, acute at apex, with downcurved margins, moderate olive green (147A), semi-glossy. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 19 years. Midseason (late May, in Philadelphia, USA). Hardy to –22C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162625).

Etymology: named using a newspaper term, in honour of the hybridiser's daughter Caroline Gable (deceased), a journalist and noted plantswoman; adding another "ice cream name" to the Gable group; invoking the relative lateness of the bloom. May have been seen as Gable's 41–64

(r) **'Leonardslee Shot Silk'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group (s) X *facetum*

H: E.G. Loder, **G**: E.G. Loder, **N**: E.G. Loder, **REG**: Leonardslee Gardens (2023)

Fls 15/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 45–50 × 50–60mm, with 6–7 slightly wavy-edged lobes (some pinched apically to give an emarginate appearance), buds cherry pink opening inside with broad purple-pink margins shading to light brownish orange at centre, with small brownish red spots on the dorsal

and adjoining lobes, the whole with a satin-like sheen; outside coral pink at base, shading to purple-pink at apex; filaments cream, with brown anthers; style cream and glandular, with red stigma; unscented. Calyx 2–3mm long, yellowish green, unlobed. Lvs oblanceolate, 155–190 × 45–55mm, tapered at base, mucronate at apex, with flat margins, matt above. Tree 9.0 × 3.0m in 30 years. June (in West Sussex, UK). Hardy to –15C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162877).

Etymology: from the name given to the plant by Sir Edmund Loder, in reference to the flowers having a mix of two colours

(r) **'Libin'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Hachmann's Mercator' (s) X 'Genoveva'

H: M. Severa (2013), **N**: M. Severa (2018),

I: Silva Tarouca Research Institute (2021),

REG: M. Severa (2023)

Fls 13–15/slightly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 80–90mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy to almost flat-edged lobes, opening inside pale purple (N75C), with a large blotch of strongly pronounced dark red (187B) markings on the dorsal lobe and with a scattering of markings on the adjacent lobes; outside pale purple (N75C), with slightly darker (N75A–B) ribs; filaments pink, with light brown anthers; stigma very pale pink, with dark red stigma. Calyx to 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 130–155 × 40–48mm, rounded at base and mucronate at apex, with flat margins, medium to light green and glossy above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. May (in Czech Republic). Very hardy.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162881). Etymology: named after the mountain in South Bohemia (Czech Republic)

(a) **'Ligatne'**

cv. *Deciduous azalea*: 'Aida' (s) X 'Uguns'

H: R.K. Kondratovics (1978), **G**: R.K. Kondratovics (1985), **N**: G. Riekstina (2023), **REG**: Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)

Fls 10/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged and slightly frilly lobes, buds strong reddish orange (42B) opening inside light orange-yellow (23C), with broad margins of strong yellowish pink (40D) and marked with a large blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A) on the dorsal lobes; outside strong reddish orange (40C); filaments light orange, with yellow anthers; style orange, with green stigma. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 50mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, bright green and glossy above. Shrub 2.2 × 2.5m in 44 years. Early June (in Latvia). Hardy to –30C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162873).

Etymology: named after the Latvian town of Ligatne

(r) **'Little Hudson'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) X 'Purple Splendour'

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),

I: Jordan's Nursery, **REG:** K.G. Jordan (2023)

Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid reddish purple (74A), opening inside vivid reddish purple (74B), paling towards midrib, becoming white in the throat, with some sparse yellow-green spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid reddish purple (74A), on the lobe margins and on the midrib, fading to vivid reddish purple (74B), with flashes of white at the base of each lobe margin; filaments white, with brown anthers; style white, with light green stigma. Calyx 1mm long, green flushed with very light pink. Lvs oblong, with decurved margins, glossy. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162594).

Etyymology: named for the grandson of the registrant. Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(r) **'Little Margot'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) X 'Viennese Waltz'

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),

I: Blue Mountain Nurseries, **REG:** K.G. Jordan (2023)

Fls 14/loose ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (55A), opening inside pale purplish pink (55D), overlaid with deep purplish pink (55A), with a flare of pale greenish yellow (2D) on the dorsal lobe, surmounted by some sparse deep purplish pink (55A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (55A), paling to pale purplish pink (55D) at the lobe margins; filaments and anthers white and brown; style and stigma white. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 42mm, rounded at base and apex, with flat margins, glossy. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162599).

Etyymology: named for registrant's granddaughter. Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(r) **'Maid of Norway'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* var. *puralbum* (s) X probably *campylocarpum*

G: Gothenburg Botanic Garden (1970),

N: The Norwegian Arboretum (2022),

REG: P.M. Jørgensen (2023)

Fls 5(-9)/loose truss, open campanulate, 40–50 × 38–45mm, with 5 flat-edged, sometimes emarginate, lobes, buds pinkish or yellowish, opening inside white, with a small blotch of red at the base of the dorsal lobe, surmounted with some very sparse spotting; outside white; filaments white, with brown anthers; style greenish white, glandular towards base, with green stigma; ovary glandular. Calyx 2–5mm long, green, with red margins and scattered glandular hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50–70 × 30–40mm, rounded at base, acuminate at apex, with flat margins, dark green and glossy above. Shrub 4.2 × 4.0m in 48

years. May (in Bergen, Norway). Hardy to –15C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162578).

Etyymology: named after Princess Margrete of Norway (1283–1290), who became Queen of Scotland in 1289 and was given this nickname. The probable pollen parent is based on the morphology of the new plant

(r) **'Majestic Cream'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* yellow-flowered (s) X *hyperythrum*

H: S.B. Southerland (2004), **G:** S.B. Southerland

(2012), **N:** S.B. Southerland (2023),

REG: S.B. Southerland (2023)

Fls to 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 114mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, apically pinched, giving an emarginate appearance, buds deep purplish pink (70C) opening inside yellowish white (155D), with very small twin basal flares of strong purplish red (63B) on the dorsal lobe; outside yellowish white (155D); filaments white, with brown anthers; style white, with brownish yellow stigma; lightly scented. Calyx apparently absent. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 41mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with margins downcurved, dark green (136A) and semi-glossy above. Shrub 2.5 × 1.6m in 17 years. Midseason (mid April in central North Carolina, USA). Hardy to –21C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162776)

(r) **'Mira Cecilia'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) X unknown yellow elepidote hybrid from Robert Furman

H: T. Ahern (2000), **G:** R. Southward (2006),

S: R. Southward (2006), **N:** T. Ahern (2022),

REG: T. Ahern (2023)

Fls 14/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 64mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (54A), with strong red (53B) on the dorsal lobe, opening inside light pink (49C), shading to light yellow (18B) at the centre, with a strong purplish red (64B) dorsal blotch and spots on the dorsal lobe; outside light pink (49C), shading to moderate pink (49B) toward base, with strong pink (50C) at the base of the dorsal lobe; stamens whitish; style whitish, with brown stigma. Normal calyx absent. Lvs elliptic, 133 × 57mm, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, with flat margins, emerging light mahogany, becoming dark green and matt above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 21 years. Midseason (late May in eastern Pennsylvania). Hardy to –22C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162627).

Etyymology: named for a granddaughter of the hybridiser

(r) **'Miss Prisc'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Horizon Monarch' (s) X 'L'Engin'
H: M. Colombel (2010), **G:** A. Maguet (2019),
N: A. Maguet (2023), **REG:** A. Maguet (2023)
Fls 11(–13)/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 200 × 200mm, with 5(–6) wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (51A), opening inside pale yellow (158B), with pale pink shades at the margins and with a crimson blotch at the base of the dorsal lobe; outside strong red (51A) in a broad stripe along midrib, with deep pink (51B/C) at the sides and around the margins; 10–12 pale filaments, with brown anthers; style very pale green, with dark green stigma. Calyx 8mm long, deep pink. Lvs elliptic, 120–170 × 40–60mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, matt. Shrub 1.6 × 1.4m in 12 years. Early May (in Brittany, France). Hardy to –15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162909).
Etymology: Prisc is the abbreviation of Priscilla, first name of a daughter-in-law of the registrant

(a) **'Orange Sanguine'**

cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hotspur Red' (s) X *X luteum*
H: A. Maguet (2010), **G:** A. Maguet (2022),
N: A. Maguet (2023), **REG:** A. Maguet (2023)
Fls 9(–11)/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5(–6) recurved and flat-edged lobes, buds vivid reddish orange (30B) to vivid yellowish pink (30C), with touches of vivid reddish orange (33A), pubescent, opening inside strong orange (N25B) to strong orange-yellow (25C), the upper lobe embossed; outside brilliant yellow (21C), overlaid with shades of vivid reddish orange (33B), pubescent; highly scented; filaments white at base, shading to orange at apex, with red anthers; style red-orange, hairy at the base, with reddish stigma; ovary hairy. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 70–100 × 30–60mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, matt. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m in 7 years. Early May (in Brittany, France). Hardy to –15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162912).
Etymology: translates as blood orange

(r) **'Peachmelody'**

cv. *brachycarpum* × *aureum* (s) X 'Golden Melodie'
H: O. Jussila (2005), **G:** K. Theqvist (2016),
N: K. Theqvist (2022), **REG:** K. Theqvist (2023)
Fls 8(–12)/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40–50 × 55–65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (52C), opening inside pinkish white (N155C), with twin flares of strong greenish yellow (151A) on the dorsal lobe, with some light spotting on the adjacent lobes; outside light yellowish pink (38C); filaments white, with cream anthers; style light green, with darker green stigma. Calyx 2mm long, olive green. Bracts red. Lvs elliptic, 90–110 × 40–50mm, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, with decurved margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason (early June in Finland). Hardy to at least –28C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162725).
Etymology: a name suggested by the hybridiser

(r) **'Peter's Yellow'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: *brachycarpum* subsp. *brachycarpum* Tigerstedtii Group (s) X unknown yellow
H: P.M.A. Tigerstedt (1995), **G:** R.K. Kondratovics (2007), **N:** G. Riekstina (2023), **REG:** Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)
Fls 15/strongly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds light greenish yellow (4B) opening inside pale greenish yellow (1D), with light yellow-green (2C) at the base of the dorsal lobe and with moderate brown (165A) spots on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside pale greenish yellow (1D), with light yellow-green (2C) on the dorsal lobe; stigmas white; style light yellow, with brown stigma. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 60mm, rounded at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, yellowish green and glossy above. Shrub 2.5 × 2.3m in 27 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to –30C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162874).
Etymology: named in memory of Peter M.A. Tigerstedt, the hybridiser

(a) **'Pete Vines'**

cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Caitlin Marie' × ['Marushkua' × 'Florence Waldman']) × 'Coronado Red' (s) X ('Caitlin Marie' × ['Coronado Red' × ('Leopold-Astrid' × 'Girard's Fuchsia')]) × ('Coronado Red' × ['Caitlin Marie' × ('Marushka' × 'Florence Waldman')])
H: J.F. Klimavicz (2013), **G:** J.F. Klimavicz,
N: J.F. Klimavicz, **REG:** J.F. Klimavicz (2023)
Fls semi-double to double, 2–3/terminal bud, 35 × 65mm, saucer-shaped, with 16 wavy-edged and lightly frilled lobes, buds strong red (46A), opening inside strong red (46A) with a dark red (59A) blotch on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside strong red (46A); stamens absent; style red, with pale pink style; unscented. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, moderate olive green (146A) and semi-glossy above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason (early May in Washington, D.C., USA area). Hardy to –18C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162790).
Etymology: named for a noted hybridiser of evergreen azaleas who gave the registrant a boost as he began hybridising.
Hybridiser's code: C8-13-52

(r) **'Petteri'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: *brachycarpum* subsp. *brachycarpum* Tigerstedtii Group (s) X *wardii*
H: P.M.A. Tigerstedt (2002), **G:** K. Theqvist (2018),
N: K. Theqvist (2022), **REG:** K. Theqvist (2023)
Fls 12–15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 30–40 × 55–65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light greenish yellow (4C), opening inside light to pale greenish yellow (1C–D), with moderate purplish red (64A) spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside pale greenish yellow (1D); filaments greenish yellow, anthers pale creamy brown; style yellow, stigma red. Calyx 3mm long, olive green, with red edges.

Pedicels dark red. Lvs elliptic, 110–140 × 55–65mm, rounded at base, broadly acute and slightly mucronate at apex, with decurved margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason (early June in Finland). Hardy to at least –28C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162734).
Etymology: named in honour of Peter M.A. Tigerstedt, with his nickname Petteri

(r) **'Philadelphia'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* 'Lu-Shan' (s) X *fortunei*

H: H.B. Kline (c. 2001), **G:** H.B. Kline, **N:** M.M. Mills (2021), **REG:** M.M. Mills (2023)
Fls 14(–16)/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds light purplish pink (68D), opening inside very pale purple (69D), with moderate orange-yellow (164B) flaring over pale yellow (20D) at the base of the lobes; outside very pale purple (69B), with light purplish pink (73C) along the midribs; small, vestigial stamens; style pale green, with darker green stigma. Calyx negligible. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, with flat margins, emerging moderate olive brown (N199A), maturing to greyish olive green (NN137B). Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 16 years. Midseason (late April in Philadelphia, USA). Hardy to –23C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162623).
Etymology: named for the birth city of the hybridiser

(r) **'Randy Dalton'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Parentage unknown
H: J.B. Gable (pre-1972), **G:** The Gable family, **N:** M.M. Mills (2019), **REG:** M.M. Mills (2023)
Fls 7(–9)/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 67 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (51B), opening inside pale orange-yellow (16D), shading to light yellowish pink (27B), with brilliant yellow (14C) in the throat, particularly on the dorsal lobe; outside moderate pink (51D), with darker midveins; filaments yellow, with white anthers; style pale green, stigma darker green; lightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow (N144B), shading to deep pink (51B) at the margins. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 50mm, rounded at base, obtuse and slightly apiculate at apex, with flat margins, moderate yellow-green (146B) semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 25 years. Midseason (late April in Philadelphia, USA). Hardy to –19C.
Syn: 'Champagne Gala'
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162624).
Etymology: named for a grand-nephew of the hybridiser and the late husband of the registrant

(r) **'Raymond Grall'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* (s) X 'Loderi King George'
H: R. Grall, **G:** J.-F. Petton, **N:** J.-F. Petton, **I:** Kerisnel, **REG:** J.-F. Petton (2023)
Fls 12/compact truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds green, strong purplish red (63A), with deep purplish red (71A) flare at the base of

the dorsal lobe; outside vivid purplish red (66B); ten pale filaments, with dark anthers; style pale, with green stigma. Calyx 2mm long, pale yellow-green (149D). Lvs ovate, 90 × 40mm, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, with flat margins. Shrub 1.76 × 2.25m in c.9 years. Mid-May (in Scaër, France). Hardy to –10C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162633).
Etymology: named for the nurseryman well known in France. M. Grall travelled to Yunnan and several other treks in Asia with members of the Societé Bretonne du *Rhododendron*, in which he was an active member

(r) **'Reginald Medlicott'**

cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *R. augustinii*
G: R.W. & N. Medlicott, **S:** P. Barling, **N:** N. Medlicott, **I:** C.A. McLaughlin, **REG:** A.E.J. Fitchett (2023)
Fls 7/open truss, flat saucer-shaped, 25 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds pale green, opening inside brilliant violet (90D), very pale purple (91C) along the midribs, with olive and brown speckles in a broad flare, mainly on the dorsal lobe, but with some spotting on the adjacent lobes; outside light purple (91A); filaments white, with pale brown anthers; style white, touched pink, with red stigma. Lvs broadly ovate, 85–95 × 26–36mm, rounded at base, acute at apex, with flat margins, semi-glossy. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m in 20 years. October (in Dunedin, New Zealand).
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162607).
Etymology: named for the respected Dunedin psychiatrist

(r) **'Shirlee Gault'**

cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ring of Fire' (s) X 'Argosy'
H: J. Gault (2009), **G:** J. Gault (2014), **N:** J. Gault (2022), **REG:** J. Gault (2023)
Fls 8(–10)/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 95–100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside pale greenish yellow (13D), overlaid with moderate yellowish pink (37C), with strong red (47B) spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside opening moderate yellowish pink (37C), becoming light yellowish pink (29C); filaments pale yellow, with brown anthers; style pale greenish yellow, with brown hairs, stigma dark green; unscented. Calyx to 1mm long, strong red (47B). Lvs broadly ovate, 125 × 55mm, obtuse at base, sharply acuminate at apex, with wavy margins. Shrub 3.5 × 2.0m in 14 years. Early to mid-June (in Limavady, Northern Ireland). Hardy to –15C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162620).
Etymology: named the daughter of the registrant

(r) **'Simon Jordan'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) X 'Blue Hawaii'

G: K.G. Jordan (2015), **N:** K.G. Jordan (2020),

REG: K.G. Jordan (2023)

Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged and ruffled lobes, buds strong reddish purple (72B) at base, shading to strong purplish pink (62A) at apex, opening inside pale greenish yellow (9D), with touches of very pale purple (76D) at margins and with a large flared blotch of strong red (46A) on the dorsal lobe and with some marking on the adjacent lobes; outside pale greenish yellow (9D), suffused with strong red (46A) from the inner flare and on the midrib; filaments pale creamy white, with pale cream anthers; style pale yellow, with dark red stigma. Calyx 7–15mm long, irregular, pale greenish yellow (9D), with vivid red (45A) flare. Lvs oblong, 120 × 45mm, rounded at base and apex, with wavy and decurved margins, matt. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid to late season (in Geraldine, New Zealand). Hardy.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162600).

Etymology: named for the son of the registrant.

Grown from seed from the ARS Seed Exchange (2003)

(r) **'Spritz'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Horizon Lakeside' (s) X ('Kernöstic' × 'Jalisco Elect') × ('Fred Wynniatt' × 'Ring of Fire')

H: M. Colombel (2003), **G:** M. Colombel (2007),

N: Fleurolex Vitroplant Production sprl (2022),

I: Fleurolex Vitroplant Production sprl (2022),

REG: M. Colombel (2023)

Fls 14–17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50–55 × 80–90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes (some emarginate, others pinched apically to give an emarginate appearance), buds strong red (47B), opening inside brilliant yellow (21C), shaded with deep pink (48A) at the margins, spotted with strong red (46A) on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside deep yellowish pink (39B), shading to vivid reddish orange (34B) towards the base; filaments cream, with red-brown anthers; style cream, with green stigma; ovary glandular and green. Calyx 1–4mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs elliptic, 90–100 × 38–42mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with flat margins, dark green and matt above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.6m in 17 years. Mid-May (in northern France). Hardy to –15C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162867).

Etymology: named for an Italian cocktail

(r) **'Stan's Red Kaleidoscope'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Trilby' (van Nes) × *hyperythrum* (s) X 'Kilimanjaro'

H: S.B. Southerland (1997), **G:** S.B. Southerland

(2005), **N:** S.B. Southerland (2023),

REG: S.B. Southerland (2023)

Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 60mm, with 5 minutely frilled lobes, buds vivid red (45A) opening inside light pink, irregularly and heavily splashed with vivid purplish red (61C), with a prominent dark

red (59A) basal flare on the dorsal lobe and with some spotting of the same colour on the adjacent lobe; outside strong red (53C), whitish at base; filaments white, with brown anthers; style white, with dark reddish brown stigma; unscented. Calyx insignificant. Lvs elliptic, 134 × 47mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with downcurved margins, dark green (136A) and semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 24 years. Midseason (mid April in inland North Carolina, USA). Hardy to –23C. Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162783)

(r) **'Stella Matutina'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: 'Mars' (s) X 'Prelude'

H: J.F. Minahan (1984), **G:** J.F. Minahan (1989),

N: J.F. Minahan (2021), **REG:** F.P. Minahan (2023)

Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5(–6) wavy-edged and occasionally emarginate lobes, buds deep pink (52B), opening inside white (NN155C), with strong purplish red (55B) stripes running from the throat between the lobes; outside strong purplish red (55B), shading to white (NN155C) at margins; filaments yellowish white, anthers brown; style yellowish white, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs ovate, 92 × 51mm, oblique at base, broadly acute at apex, with downcurved margins, greyish olive green (NN137A), semi-glossy above. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 30 years. Midseason (Mid-May in central Pennsylvania). Hardy to –18C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162629).

Etymology: Latin for Morning Star, an appellation for both Jesus and his mother, Mary

(r) **'Suomi 100'**

cv. *Elepidote rhododendron*: *brachycarpum* subsp.

brachycarpum Tigerstedtii Group (s) X 'Lemonade'

H: P.M.A. Tigerstedt (1995), **G:** Arboretum Mustila,

N: P.M.A. Tigerstedt (2017), **I:** Arboretum Mustila

(2017), **REG:** Finnish Rhododendron Society (2023)

Fls 10–14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45–55 × 70–80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light greenish yellow (1C), opening inside pale greenish yellow (1D), with light greenish yellow (1C) at the centre, sparsely spotted with moderate purplish red (64A) on the dorsal lobe; outside pale greenish yellow (1D); filaments light yellow, anthers dark yellow brown; style light yellow, stigma red. Calyx to 4mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160–200 × 60–70mm, obtuse at base, broadly acute and minutely mucronate at apex, with flat margins, semi-glossy above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early (end of May to early June in Finland). Hardy to at least –28C.

Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162739).

Etymology: named in honour of Finland's centennial celebration of independence. Has been sold under the seedling number TTA-730 by the Arboretum Mustila

(r) **‘Talsi’**
cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ‘Irina’ (s) X unknown
H: R.K. Kondratovics (1983), **G:** R.K. Kondratovics (1989), **N:** G. Riekstina (2023), **REG:** Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)
Fls 16/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (73A) opening inside very pale purple (76C), with moderate purplish pink (N74D) at margins and with a large patch of deep greenish yellow (153A) spots on the dorsal lobe and a few spots on the adjacent lobes; outside light purple (75B); filaments light pink, with white anthers; style light pink, with red-purple stigma. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, dark green and glossy above. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 19 years. Early June (in Latvia). Hardy to –30C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162875).
Etymology: named after the Latvian town of Talsi

(a) **‘Turaidas Roze’**
cv. Deciduous azalea: ‘Uguns’ (s) X Exbury seedling (Ex-5)
H: R.K. Kondratovics (1976), **G:** R.K. Kondratovics (1982), **N:** G. Riekstina (2023), **REG:** Rhododendron Nursery Babite, University of Latvia (2023)
Fls 13/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 65mm, with 5–6 wavy-edged and frilly lobes, buds moderate red (N34A) opening inside strong reddish orange (42C), with broad margins of strong reddish orange (42B); outside strong reddish orange (42C); stamens red, with cream anthers; style red, with green stigma. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, pointed at base and apex, with wavy margins, green and glossy above. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 22 years. Late May to early June (in Latvia). Hardy to –30C.
Nomenclatural standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0162876).
Etymology: named after the Latvian legend, Turaidas Roze (Rose of Turaida), which tells of a girl who chose death over losing her honour

CORRECTIONS TO THE INTERNATIONAL RHODODENDRON REGISTER & CHECKLIST (2004)

The following list indicates further significant additions and corrections that need to be made to the printed text of the *Register and Checklist* published in 2004 or to its subsequent Supplements. The Registrar is grateful to all those who have brought such errors to her notice and welcomes knowledge of further amendments that may need to be made. Minor changes are not noted here but such changes have been made to the database and will be available in any future electronic version. The database will also be taking into account additional information that comes to light relating to any individual entry, as well as including further entries to the Checklist.

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- ‘Cheapside’ (p.235): change lepidote to elepidote
‘Earl of Athlone’ (p.384): change **R:** date to pre-1929
‘Lemon Ice’ (p.774): change elepidote/lepidote cross to elepidote

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