

## Nervilia

### Name and Authority

**Nervilia** Gaudich.

### Common Name

Shield Orchids

### Originally Described by

Charles Gaudichaud-Beaupré in Voy. Uranie [Freycinet] 4:5, Pl. 35 (1829)

### Flowering Months

..... Nov Dec

### Description

Nervilia [species](#) are [clonal](#) with the stem [tuber](#) producing one or more replacement daughter tubers each year. The leaves are pleated or prominently veined (hence the [genus](#) name) and are produced after flowering. The flowers are usually short-lived with seed development occurring rapidly following pollination.



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