THE INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY
Presents

ON THE ROAD AGAIN



INFORMATION

SATURDAY, APRIL 8 9 AM to 5 PM ET

HENDRICKS COUNTY 4H FAIRGROUNDS & CONFERENCE CENTER 1900 E MAIN ST. DANVILLE, IN 46122

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29th Annual Indiana Gourd Show - 2023

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Message from IGS

Due to printing & mailing costs, the three separate books (Information, Competition, and Workshop) will be online only. Your local public library can help you download and print if you feel you need help.

The Competition and Information Books will have everything needed in them: agenda, classes, forms, rules, regulation, etc. They will be available on-line in December, 2022.

The Workshop Book will have information including pictures, prices, and description/instructor names. This book will be online in February, 2023.

Thank you, Indiana Gourd Society, Inc.

Admission: Adult \$5.00

Senior (60+) \$3.00 18 & under free

<u>Location:</u> Hendricks County 4-H Fairgrounds & Conference Center

1900 E Main St, Danville, IN 46122

Phone: 317-718-6154

Saturday Morning: Setup, 7:00 to 9:00 AM ET.

Saturday: Workshops and open to public 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM ET.

DOORS OPEN TO PUBLIC:

Saturday, April 8, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM ET.

For More Information Contact:

Sandra Townsend: Phone (317) 319-4216 or Diane Werblo: Phone (317) 783-1428 Email: cochair@indianagourdsociety.org
Visit: www.indianagourdsociety.org

Message from the Show Co-Chairs

We would like to invite you to the IGS 29th Gourd Show which will be *one day only* on Saturday, April 8, 2023. Since we have a new location, we chose "On the Road Again" as our theme. Our new home will be the Hendricks County 4-H Fairgrounds and Conference Center, 1900 E. Main St. in Danville, Indiana 46122. Put this on your calendar now! Please consider how you can volunteer to make this show a success.

Everyone is welcome to participate. We hope to see you there.

Sandra Townsend/Diane Werblo 2023 Show Co-Chairs showchair@indianagourdsociety.org

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Show Committee

Chair	Name	Phone	E-mail
SHOW CO-CHAIR	SANDRA TOWNSEND	(317) 319-4216	cochair@
SHOW CO-CHAIR	DIANE WERBLO	(317) 783-1428	cochair@
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Make-It, Take-It	Sandra Townsend	(317)-319-4216	miti@

For ALL emails above and below -- After the @ symbol add the following: indianagourdsociety.org

Visit IGS online at: www.indianagourdsociety.org

ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN TIME

ENTRY PLACEMENT:	Saturday	April 8	7:00 AM to 9:00 AM
Judging:	Saturday	April 8	9:00 AM
DOORS OPEN TO PUBLIC :	Saturday	April 8	9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
WORKSHOPS:	Saturday	April 8	9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
Make-It, Take-It	Saturday	April 8	Throughout the day
Free Demonstrations	Saturday	April 8	Throughout the day
Silent Auction	Saturday	April 8	Throughout the day
Announcements	Saturday	April 8	4:00 PM
DOORS CLOSED TO PUBLIC	Saturday	April 8	5:00 PM

IGS Executive Board and Board of Directors

President:	Pat Moore	Bloomingdale, IN (2022-2023)	president@
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Director 4:	Sandra Townsend	Sheridan, IN (2023-2024)	directorST@
Director 5:	Diane Werblo	Indianapolis, IN (2022-2023)	directorDW@

Volunteers Needed: Help IGS put on a GREAT show. Volunteers needed to help setup, during the show and to help teardown after the show.

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INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY, INC. Membership Application DATE: 1year @ \$15.00 PLEASE PRINT 3 year @ \$40.00 (Free gift with New or 3yr Membership)
NAME:
ADDRESS:
CITY, STATE, ZIP
PHONECOUNTY
EMAIL
YOU WILL RECEIVE AN ELCTRONIC <u>TENDRIL</u> UNLESS YOU SEND A WRITTEN REQUEST WITH YOUR APPLICATION.
Make your CHECK payable to the INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY, INC. (IGS) MAIL TO: INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY, INC., 691 W Veach Rd, Bloomingdale, IN 47832 Visit the IGS Web site at: www.indianagourdsociety.org

Visit Your Friendly Ways & Means Store At The Show We have IGS logo Hats, Visors and Books for sale

A Trash or Treasure Table
Jim Story DVDs© - \$20.00 each
The Companion Book "Gourds - From Vine to Design" - \$10.00 each
Jim Story DVD's are copyrighted by the Indiana Gourd Society
and may NOT be duplicated in any manner. (All rights are reserved.)
Contact Phil Moorhead about the DVDs and Books at:
treasurer@indianagourdsociety.org

Contact: Diane Werblo, Phone: (317) 783-1428 Email: vendor@indianagourdsociety.org

Selection: Inside and outside spaces available.

Set - Up: Saturday, April 8, 7 AM 9 AM Vendor packets available all day.

ID Badges: Up to two (2) preprinted name badges per booth space rented. Tags will be in your

packet. These badges must be worn during the show hours as your Show Pass into

the Shows Venue Area. Additional badges may be purchased for \$5.00.

Security: Reasonable security will be provided for all show participants by the Indiana Gourd

Society, Inc. and Hendricks County 4-H Fairgrounds.

Refunds: No refunds issued on cancellations received after April 1st. (FIRM)

Location and Booth Space:

- Dry Gourd Vendors (with cleaned gourds) will be allowed inside, if space is available.
- Outside Space, approximately 16' x 24'.
- Inside Space, approximately 10' x 10'.
- Booth locations, assigned by the committee according to show layout.
 Specific request will be considered, but cannot be guaranteed.
- Demonstrations in the booth are limited to the confines of the booth. Demonstrations must be completed during show hours, must not produce a "make it-take it" item, or charge a fee.
- **Staffing the booth** is the responsibility of the person applying for the booth space. <u>Vendor is responsible for staffing booth during show hours</u>. As a courtesy to neighboring vendors, no booth is to be left unattended during show hours.

Permits, Merchandise and Sales:

- Each vendor is responsible for all Federal/Indiana taxes (forms at Dept. of Revenue, Indianapolis, Ind.)
- Merchandise must be at least seventy-five percent (75%) gourd and/or gourd-related. Any
 other merchandise and/or vendors will be by IGS invitation only.
- NO SALE of fractal burned gourds, plastic items or artificial flowers is permitted.

Committee reserves the right to reject and/or restrict vendor due to space constraints, condition and/or quality of sale merchandise, sale of inappropriate items for this show or substandard booth appearance.

- All imported sale gourds must be clearly marked, "Imported from " (specify country).
- Sales begin after your booth has been set up and continues throughout show hours.

Teardown:

Vendors may teardown after 5:00 PM on Saturday. Merchandise sell-out does <u>NOT</u> constitute a reason to dismantle your booth or remove merchandise prior to the designated teardown time.

Vendor Policy—IGS State Show—2023

The Indiana Gourd Society, Inc. will not create a policy that will eliminate any vendor from demonstrating or selling any Brand Name merchandise or determine any price structure for merchandise sold, thereby eliminating competition between vendors. This has been the position of the Indiana Gourd Society, Inc. in the past and shall continue to be in the future.

IGS Board of Directors

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Vendor Application Form—IGS 2023 Show

Mail completed form and check to:This form is available at: www.indianagourdsociety.orgIGS RegistrationE-mail: vendor@indianagourdsociety.orgP.O. Box 822Phone: Diane Werblo: (317) 783-1428

Marion, Indiana, 46952 DEADLINE: RECEIVED - April 1

Non-Compliance: Failure to comply with regulations may prohibit any vendor from future participation in other Indiana Shows. Show committee decision is final.

Give a detailed description of what you are selling at the Indiana Gourd Show:

Your Name:			
Business Name:			
Address:			
City/State/Zip:			
E-Mail:			
Phone:		Cell:	
Best time to call:			
IGS Member: Circl	e YES or NO	_	

Describe any free demonstrations you are willing to do. Specify – Demo area or your booth.

Vendors will receive two (2) name tags per booth space rented. Additional tags may be purchased for \$5.00 each – list names below. Tags serve as your SHOW PASS when worn. To be picked up on Saturday before 9 am or a door fee will be charged.

Names:

#	Inside booth space (10' X 10') @ \$25 each.	\$
#	Outside booth space (16' X 24') @\$25 each.	\$
#	Tables (8' X 30") @ \$5 each. (you may bring your own tables.) We recommend you cover table tops.	\$
#	Chairs - @ \$2 each. (you may bring your own chairs.)	\$
#	Electricity @ \$5.00/vendor. Demonstrators given electrical preference. No extension cords or surge suppressors provided.	\$
#	Additional name tags @ \$5.00 each (write names on separate sheet).	\$
TOTAL	Make check payable to: Indiana Gourd Society, Inc. (IGS) and mail with application.	\$

Volunteer Registration Form

Mail completed form to: **IGS Registrations** P.O. Box 822

Marion, Indiana, 46952

Comments:

Full form is available at: www.indianagourdsociety.org E-mail: volunteer@indianagourdsociety.org Phone: Diane Werblo at: (317) 783-1428 Pre-register DEADLINE: RECEIVED- April 1.

Your time and volunteer efforts contribute toward a successful Indiana Gourd Show. Pre-registered volunteers, working 4 hours or more, will be rewarded with a free show pass.

Name:	
Address:	
City/St./Zip:	
E-Mail:	
Phone/Cell #:	
Volunteer For:	Fill in area below
Pre-register RFCFI	VFD DEADLINE is April 1 to receive a free show pass

Pre-register RECEIVED DEADLINE is April 1 to receive a free show pass.

Volunteer for a **total of 4 hours or more**, in the following areas: Setup, Admissions, Greeters, Gourd Exhibit Area, AGS Judges, Seed Sales, Education, Kids' Patch, Ways & Means, Workshop Sign-in Booth, Auctions, Membership, Tear-down, or anywhere IGS needs you.

Please list times and areas you would like to work in. if you have a preference.

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IGS Member Sales Booth--A Membership "Perk"

Pre-register DEADLINE: RECEIVED BY- April 1.

Mail completed form to: IGS Registration, P.O. Box 822, Marion, IN. 46952

E-mail: igssalesbooth@indianagourdsociety.org Phone: Diane Werblo at: (317) 783-1428

This form is available at: www.indianagourdsociety.org

Have some gourd art you would like to SELL, but not enough to merit a full booth space? Here's your chance to SELL your gourds. ANY active IGS member, even if you PAID for your own vendor's booth, may have up to 10 items in the IGS Member Sales Booth, as space allows. You must pre-register to sell and volunteer to work 1 hour or more where IGS assigns you.

Sellers: Each member is responsible for tagging their own gourds and getting them to and from the booth. A seller may leave a tote hidden in booth with extra gourds to replace gourds that sell. You may use your craft/gourd business card; this is recommended to give the buyer your name and contact info. Seller will have the say as to what items go on display first, if space is a problem or your sold gourds need replaced. IGS will make payment to sellers, by check, at the end of show.

Booth Chair: Is responsible for setting up the booth. All gourd items will be placed randomly, but appealingly, in the booth space.

Please Note: The 1 hour required to display/sell in this booth, IS NOT included in the 4 hours required for a Free Day Pass.

Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
E-Mail:	
Phone/Cell No.	

Please circle the times you can work. IGS will assign you areas or list if you have a preference.

9 to 10 AM	Noon to 1 PM
10 to 11 AM	1 to 2 PM
11 to noon	2 to 3 PM
	3 to 4 PM
	4 to 5 PM

Workshop Instructor Application For April, 2023

Show Date

2023

Saturday of Easter

Weekend

April 8, 2023

Name of Instructor:

Hendricks Co Fairgrounds & Conference Ctr 1900 E Main St, Danville, IN 46122

Deadline to return Instructor Applications

In our hands by Feb. 14, 2023 For application and photos

(Post office can take up to two weeks to deliver)

To be considered by the Workshop Committee, applications and photos of proposed projects must be completed, returned and in our hands by Feb. 14, 2023 Send to IGS Workshops, Phil Moorhead, PO Box 822, Marion, IN 46952, or scan and e-mail to (workshops@indianagourdsociety.org) We prefer digital photos 300dpi or better. Please send a separate application for each workshop.

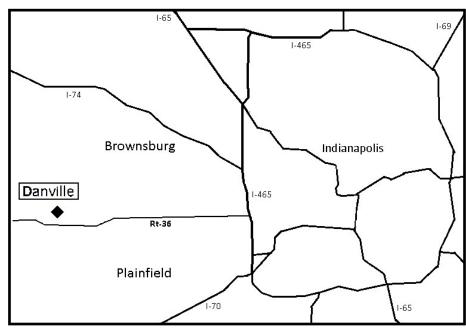
Address:
City/State/Zip:
Telephone/Cell:
E-mail
**Title of Workshop:
Workshop Description:
List of motorials/granding students most to have (you grands)
List of materials/supplies students need to have (you supply gourds):
Special requirements: (electricity, water, vent, etc.):
**Class size: (Minimum #) One (1) to (Maximum #)
IGS request your fee be \$30 or less for a technique and/or completed gourd.
Workshop charge (your fee): \$ (IGS will add \$5.00 to your class fee) \$
Circle one answer from each line:
⇒ Will participant leave with finished technique or gourd? <u>Yes</u> <u>No</u>
⇒ Project Level: <u>Beginner</u> <u>Intermediate</u> <u>Advanced</u> <u>All Levels</u>
⇒ Time required for workshop: <u>1-hour</u> <u>2-hours</u> <u>3-hours</u>
⇒ Day/time preferred for workshop:
Any time Saturday Saturday - AM Saturday PM
Times that will NOT work:

** Instructors, if you submit a class and it is selected, IGS considers you committed to teach that class.

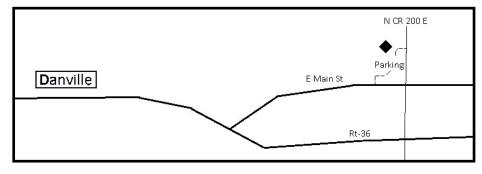
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Central Indiana Map



Danville Fairgrounds Area Map



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