

## INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY, INC.

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### ***All submissions due Mar. 15th, 2008 for next Issue!***

**Ads** are to be pre-paid and submissions **MUST** be in JPEG format. All submissions welcome! Please send **articles** in MS Word, RTF format as an attachment to your eMail or mail your submissions to the above address. Please send us your pictures, stories, tutorials, and anything else gourd related.,

plus your suggestions for improving or inclusion in The Tendril.

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2" Column \$10	
1/4 page \$15	1/2 PAGE \$30
1/3 page \$22.50	Full page \$60

## Gourd Happenings In Our Gourgeous World

### **January 19, 2008 - 5th Annual Gardening Show—9 AM to 4 PM**

SATURDAY at Washington Township Elementary School, 178 Division Road, Valparaiso, IN. Sponsored by Purdue University Cooperative Extension & Porter County Master Gardeners Association. Patch 1 will be working the booths, 1 for the IGS Society, and 2 for patch members. Come and join us.

### **February 23, 2008 - Seed Packing Day 9:00 AM—4:00 PM**

#### **Thorntown Public Library (send eMail to editor for Maps).**

Repackage or re-identify existing seeds packages in Seed Box. Repackage bulk seeds ordered from vendors or seeds from the Pure Seed Project. This is a "FUN" day where you can meet other members and chat with new friends.

### **April 4th, 5th, and 6th, 2008 - 16th ANNUAL**

**INDIANA GOURD SOCIETY - NEW LOCATION - SOUTH BEND, INDIANA.** Theme: Discover Gourds Hidden Treasures. This is a whole new market area for many of you. See our IGS web site for updates. [www.indianagourdsociety.org](http://www.indianagourdsociety.org)

### **May 03, 2008 - Spring Membership Meeting - 9 AM to 3 PM**

at the Miami County Fairgrounds, at the 4-H Project building in Peru Indiana. Food service provided. Friday night setup allowed. Tables available. Outside vendor setup. RV hook up available at \$20.00 (water and electric and waste disposal available). General elections to be held during the Board Meeting. See article pg 5. Board meeting and Elections follow the festival breakdown.

### **May 24, 2008 - Patch #1 Gourd Festival 9 AM to 3 PM**

LaPorte County Fairgrounds 2581 W. SR 2, LaPorte, IN  
Gourd plants, dried gourd vendors, gourd arts and crafting supplies  
Gourd seeds and IGS Gourd Store, free demonstrations  
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### **, 2008 - State Fair Setup 9:00 AM—3:00 PM**

Mark your calendar and come down to the Fairgrounds and help set up the IGS booth for the run of the fair August 8th through August 19th

We are seeking volunteers for both demonstrating their talents in gourd and volunteers for helping with Seeds Sales, Ways & Means Sales, and in general discussing gourds with the public.

### **August -6 thru 17, 2008 Indiana State Fair**

Dried gourd and gourd art competition  
Gourd seeds and IGS Gourd Store, free demonstrations

#### **Volunteers needed to help staff the booth, or do demonstrations**

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