

2009 Show Update

The committee has been working hard at editing, and re-editing the show catalog. Jesse is putting the finishing touches on it as I write this. He has been working very hard at putting this show catalog together, and we owe him a big “thank you”. He is a pure gem to the Indiana Gourd Society. The catalog will be available at the Fall Membership meeting in Lafayette on November 8th. Make sure you get yours then.

Whenever we are somewhere for an event, people are asking, “did you attend the gourd show in South Bend this year?” Even my eye doctor asked if I attended, and he said he wanted to get there, but other events stopped him. So, needless to say, I wrote down the dates for him, and encouraged him to attend. We have already written down the dates for quite a few people that we see at our craft shows, and they seem excited. So it seems that the ‘gourd’ word has gotten around, and people are looking forward to another year of gourds at the St. Joseph County Fairgrounds. Don’t forget the dates, March 27, 28 & 29, 2009.

We are looking forward to another year of fun, and education on our beloved gourd.

Renee Meyers - Show Chair 2009

VOLUNTEERS

Something important to all shows is our cadre of volunteers. But, we need more than the cadre to help carry out the 2009 State Show and to help man the 2009 State Fair.

Our volunteers get what we can afford as a non-profit society in the way of benefits—free entry to the shows for a limited time, depending on how much you volunteer.

This is a great way to meet and connect with and get to know other members of the society. So, if you’re interested, so are we.

Volunteer forms will be in the 2009 Show Catalog. For the State Fair, just eMail anyone on the back cover of the Tendril to do so.

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