



# *Fleur de Lis*

## *Clara B. Rees Iris Society*

**April 2023**

**Vol. 65 Issue 8**

**Next Meeting**

**Apr 7, 2023**

**In person only**

**Doors open 7:15 PM**

**Meeting 7:30 PM**

**Willow Glen Library  
1157 Minnesota Ave.  
San Jose, CA 95125**

**Dues**

**Sep 1, 2022-  
Aug 31, 2023**

**Adults - \$15.00**

**Carol Dahout  
CBRIS President**

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**CBRIS  
www.cbris.org**

**Region 14  
www.aisregion14.org**

**American Iris Society  
www.irises.org**

## **April Program**

Tips and demonstration time! This is the meeting for you if you would like to learn, or need a refresher course, how to enter an iris show. Do you know the best way to travel with an iris without getting it damaged? Do you know that an iris stalk has a front? Do you have a grooming kit? Come to this month's CBRIS meeting to learn about entering an iris show. It is fun and easy to do!

If you are a pro, come prepared to help the newer members learn to stage their iris.

Please bring a stalk or two for demonstration purposes as well as your toolbox for grooming.

## **2023 Spring Regional**

AIS Region 14 invites you to their 2023 Spring Regional, "Bees, Butterflies, and Beauty," held in the Sierra foothills on Friday, May 12 through Sunday, May 14, 2023. The regional will feature two guest iris gardens (the Gonzalez and Kanarowski gardens).

This event is hosted by the Yosemite Iris Society. For more information, contact [Carolyn Hoover](#) 559 760-5638.

[Link to registration form](#)

## **Showers of Flowers**

The last pages of this newsletter contain the show schedule for CBRIS Spring Show, "Showers of Flowers." The show takes place Sunday, April 16, in the Roosevelt Room at the Campbell Community Center.

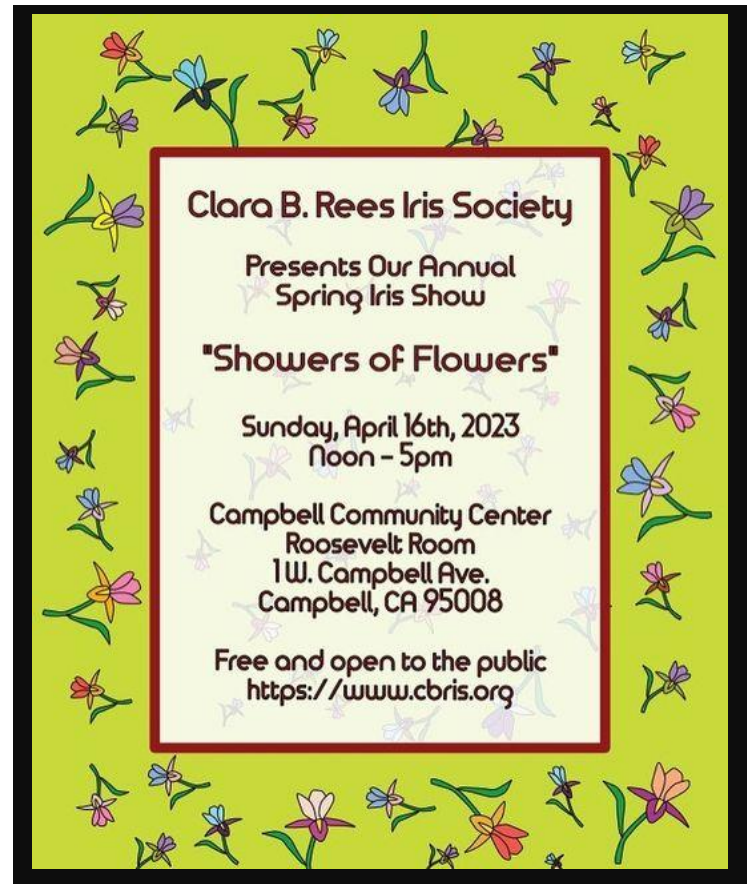
## Dahout Digs

April 2023

### Showtime!

Our spring show, "Showers of Flowers" is quickly approaching! The date is Sunday, April 16, 2023 from 8:00 am – 6:00 pm at the Campbell Community Center, Roosevelt Room, 1 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell 95008. Entries will be accepted from 8:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.. Judging will follow. We will be open to the public from Noon – 5:00 P.M. Breakdown is from 5:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M. Please review the show schedule in this newsletter. Look over the Artistic Division and decide In which category to try your hand!

For our show to be a success we will need the participation of all members. That can be accomplished by entering blooms or artistic arrangements, clerking for the judges, greeting the public, or completing one of the many tasks that need to be done before the show.



At our April meeting, we will demonstrate how to transport, groom, and show your iris. Please bring a few blooming stalks to practice on, even if they are not perfect in your estimation. We will give you a list of items you should have in your grooming kit so you can stage your iris to its best advantage. We will also go over how to fill out the entry tags. Please bring address labels.

Thank you in advance and let's have a great show!

Carol Dahout,  
CBRIS President and Showchair



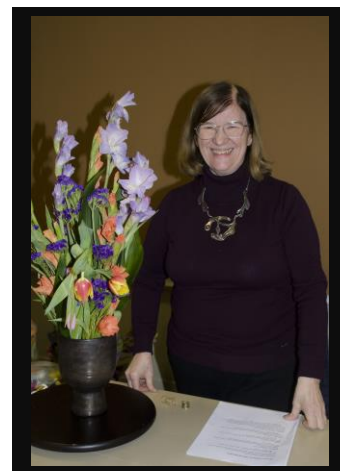
# Minutes CBRIS Meeting, March 3, 2023

President Carol Dahout called the meeting to order at 7:35 PM

Guest: Amy Hawkins

**Program:**

Lynn MacFarland, a National Garden Club Master Judge and NGC 4 Star Member, gave a demonstration on artistic floral design. She created a floral arrangement in each of the three styles called for by our show categories: traditional mass arrangement, Ikebana style, and two connected arrangements. She also gave some advice on how to win points for your arrangement.



**Business Meeting**

**Show:** Carol passed out the show program and reviewed it with the members. We need clerks to assist the judges. Clerking is a good learning experience as the clerks can hear the judges' comments on how they judge the entries. Lunch for clerks, judges, and volunteers will be provided.

**Garden Tour** - If you would like to open your garden to other members on our April 23 Garden tour, contact Nancy Mirabella.

**Christmas Party** - We are checking out restaurants with private rooms for our party.

**Officer recruitment** - Trang will be recruiting new officers. We need a new president, vice-president, secretary, two directors, and a new refreshment chairman.

Master Gardeners are having a Spring Garden Fair on Saturday April 15th at Martial Cottle Park.

**Door Prizes** were awarded using Mark's Wheel of Fortune.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:00 pm.

Respectfully written and submitted,  
Andrea Clague, CBRIS Secretary

**CBRIS needs a new refreshment chair.**

Let Carol know if this is a position that you would consider.

This month's voluneer list:

- Linda L                      Drinks-Carolyn Craft
- Gina
- Naomi



## Open Gardens

Sunday, April 23rd, many of our members will open their gardens for tours, below is a preliminary listing of the gardens you can visit. A follow up reminder will be sent out mid-April so block off your calendars and see what all the heavy rains have brought to bloom. –Nancy Mirabella

1. Chad Schroter  
Address: 15133 Garden Hill Drive, Los Gatos  
Time: 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM  
Note: Chad may not be home, but his daughter has gracefully offered to be there.  
Open garden is in the front yard only.

2. Elaine Fischer  
Address: 1193 Kelsey Drive, Sunnyvale  
Time: 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

3. Jane Jordan  
Address: 2315 Gunar Drive, San Jose  
Time: 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM



## CBRIS.org

The CBRIS web site is getting redesigned. If you have any suggestions, please contact Peter Marra or Carol Dahout.

## Clara B Rees Iris Society Treasurer's Report



Katie Stofer 8  
Jean Hawkins 15  
Linda Stremel 23

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|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Beginning balance, March 1, 2023</b> |                                     | <b>\$ 17,619.61</b> |
| Revenue:                                | Dues                                | 15.00               |
| Expenses:                               | DPI                                 | 1,231.86            |
|   | Show ribbons/tags                   | 97.00               |
|   | Show flyers/programs                | 221.60              |
|   | Picture tags for 2 gallon pot sales | 29.55               |
|   | Flowers for March meeting           | 36.34               |
|   | Library rental, 2 months            | 80.00               |
|   | Show supplies                       | 48.59               |
| <b>Ending balance, March 31, 2023</b>   |                                     | <b>\$ 15,889.67</b> |



## Minutes CBRIS Board Meeting March 3, 2023

Carol called the meeting to order.

**Show** has been approved and we have judges. We'll have three teams of judges and clerks. Need name tags for judges.

Campbell Community center staff will set up tables before we get there. We need two people at 8:00 A.M. to cover tables. Mary and Peter volunteered. Mary will pick up two dozen donuts for breakfast.

Need lunch for judges and clerks: sandwiches, chips, cookies. We will get Togo's half sandwiches. Carol will pick up chips and a case of water from Costco. Mary, Mikey, and Carol will bake cookies.

Carol will get a light green table covering.

**Garden tour** - Nancy has agreed to organize garden tour.

**Picnic** - 3rd Sunday in July. Chris will organize picnic - Elaine will reserve Ortega Park. (Note: Will be 4th Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> as the other date was taken.)

**Christmas Party** - Need to find place with a private room that can hold 30-35 people. Budget is about \$30 a head. Mary will check out places.

**Officer recruitment** - Need somebody to recruit officers for next year.

**Basket for Spring Regional** - Spring regional theme is "Bees, Butterflies, and Beauty." Basket could be a pollinator basket - beeswax candles, hummingbird feeder, milkweed (?). Bring donations to May meeting. Mary will collect stuff for basket.

Respectfully written and submitted,  
Andrea Clague, CBRIS Secretary

## 2023 AIS Membership Drive

The American Iris Society membership drive for 2023 is as follows: If you join AIS with a Full Membership which is a print membership and an e-membership combined, you will receive a free one-year membership to a Section or Cooperating Society of your choice. If you are already a print member and upgrade to a Full Membership, the free membership also applies. The 13 Sections and Cooperating Societies include Tall Bearded, Aril, Median, Dwarf, Species, Siberians, Spurias, Louisiana, Novelty, Pacific Coast, Historic, Reblooming and Japanese. This offer is good for the whole year of 2023.

—Phyllis Wilburn, Sacramento Iris Society LORE Editor



## LARRY GAULTER LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

### Award Time Coming Soon!

The 2023 Honorary Awards Committee, (Kathy Oldham-chair, Aleta Kerr, Tiffany Rush, and Carol Dahout) invites all clubs and members of Region 14 to submit recommendations for the Larry Gaulter Lifetime Achievement Award by the firm deadline of **August 1st**.

Please submit your nomination to the committee chair, Kathy Oldham ([kathyoldham@comcast.net](mailto:kathyoldham@comcast.net)), or another LGLAA committee member, with as much information as possible to support your Region 14 nominee. Be sure the submission for an individual, or couple, or firm documents long-term dedication of eight years or more to Region 14, per Rule 7 below. If you have relevant photographs, please include them.

Once received, your submission will be confirmed by email from the chair, and each committee member will receive a copy to review in confidence. Please include contact information in case the committee has questions. Incomplete or late nominations will not be accepted. The committee is honored to be able to receive your recommendations and will treat the information submitted with respect.

The qualification guidelines as they appear in the Region 14 Standing Rules follow:

#### 7. Qualifications of awardees for the Larry Gaulter Award.

- i. The Larry Gaulter award may be awarded to an individual, firm, or couple that have made a significant, long-term contribution to Region 14.
- ii. A Larry Gaulter awardee shall have demonstrated an exceptional dedication to service to Region 14 over a long period of time. The award is meant to honor those individuals that have demonstrated exceptional service over a period of 8 years or more.
- iii. Service to local clubs, iris shows, judges' training, other local activities and the general promotion of irises may be considered, but only as an adjunct to primary service as defined below. Service at the National is not to be considered.
- iv. Service to the region is demonstrated by (but not limited to) any of: service on regional committees, as regional committee chairs, as regional officers, on the executive or general committee, and service in conjunction with Regional or Regionally sponsored show and meetings.

The announcement of the winner will be made, and Award presented at the Fall Regional meeting 2023.

### New Iris Book

Are you interested in Dwarf and Median bearded irises? If so check out Kevin Vaughn's latest book. 'Dwarf and Median Bearded Irises: Jewels of the Iris World'. Kevin is a lifelong hybridizer. His book is getting great reviews in the iris world. For more information, see page 28 in 'Irises The Bulletin of the American Iris Society'- Spring 2023.





# CBRIS



# MARCH 2023





'Mission Hill'



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**PCIs growing this month in CBRIS member gardens**  
**Hybridizers-**  
**Joe Ghio & Garry Knipe**



'Premonition of Spring'



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Elaine Fischer's PCI Bed



Peter Marra's Garden Clump

Photos by Carol Dahout, Elaine Fuischer, Jane Jordan, & Peter Marra





## Region 14 Judges Training

These are the only three 2023 garden trainings that have been approved to date. Current information and addresses can be found at <http://aisregion14.org/events/judges-training/>.

**May 6, 2023, 10:30 AM, Horton Iris Garden, Loomis, CA** – Master Judge Bill Fink will give a 1.5 hours credit training on Bearded Iris in the Garden.

The following two trainings are part of the Spring Regional in Coarsegold. For more information contact Carolyn Hoover at [yischoover@gmail.com](mailto:yischoover@gmail.com).

**May 13, 2023, 1:30 PM, Mariposa Iris Garden, Mariposa, CA** – AIS Master Judge Sandy Mann will give a 1.5 hour credit training on Bearded Iris in the Garden.

**May 14, 2023, 10 AM, Bee Haven Iris Garden, Coarsegold, CA** – AIS Master Judge Rick Tasco will give a 1.5 hour credit training on Judging Bearded Iris in the Garden.

–Information from Santa Rosa Iris Society Newsletter, April 2023, page 9

## AIS 2023 Photo Contest

Now is the time to plan, or to keep an eye out for, a great iris photo for the 2023 AIS Photo Contest. Submissions are being accepted from May 1, 2023 to August 1, 2023. There are six categories

1. Irises in a landscape or garden (Show the iris in the garden).
2. Irises in the wild. (Species iris in the wild, field or planting).
3. A person or people at iris events or tours.
4. Close up of an iris or irises. (Whole flower is showing).
5. Iris photos-macro. (Close-up of bloom segments).
6. Photos of pets, wildlife, or garden art with the irises.

The same categories will be held for the youth.

Details and a registration form can be found at <https://www.irises.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/2023-Photo-Contest-Entry-Form.pdf>



## CBRIS Door Prize Iris Descriptions April 2023

- Alas** Johnson 2014 MDB; 7"; ML; S. white; F. lg. blue spot, white band; B. white; Slight fragrance; HM, AM.
- Birthday Candle** H. Dash 2022 TB; 32"; L; S. orange; F. red-brown, faint gold rim; B. orange.
- Bottle Rocket** M. Sutton 2009 TB; 35"; EM RE; S. orange flushed pink; F. red veined orange, B. carrot; Slight musky fragrance; HM AM WM Dykes
- Caterpillar Blues** Paul Black 2022 TB; 32"; ML; light blue reverse amoena; B. Dark blue; PBF.
- Cut A Rug** H. Stout 2022 SPX; 29"; EM; S. yellow; F. white, heavily veined purple, yellow edging; B. white, tips yellow; Slight sweet fragrance.
- Daring Deception** Thomas Johnson 2012 TB; 35" M; S. white; F. violet, white band; B. tangerine; Slight fragrance; HM AM WM Dykes
- Don' Talk Back** Steve Kelly 2018 TB; 38"; M; S. buff; F. light purple, buff ring edge; B. orange; Sweet fragrance.
- Folklorica** Steve Kelly 2021 TB; 34"; EM; S. yellow; F. plum, inner red rim, outer gold rim; B. bronze; Slight fragrance.
- Grape Escape** Burseen/Stout 2019 TB; 35"; ML; S. plum-purple; F. same, deeper purple shoulders and veins; B. violet, tips gold; Slight sweet fragrance.
- Hymke** Loic Tasquier 2018 IB SA; 20"; E; S. violet blue; F. light violet blue; B. white tipped yellow, end white with violet blue horns.
- Kimtastic** H.Stout 2022 TB; 36"; ML; S. peach; F. plum raspberry, light pink border; B. orange
- Martian Sunset** Steve Kelly 2021 TB; 30"; EM; S. crimson, lighter midribs; F. crimson, light fluorescent pink; B. gold, white; Slight fragrance.
- Oh Shux** Diana Ford 2022 TB; S. pale violet, olive yellow veining and midribs; F. lightly veined magenta violet; B. orange.
- Peach Dreams** Diana Ford 2022 TB; L; Rich coral/peach self; B. frosted coral.
- Red Norma** H. Stout 2022 SDB; 13"; ML; Red tone self; B. carrot orange.
- Sky Angel** Anita Moran 2022 MTB; 17"; L; S. white, yellow-green, F. white, blue stippling, veins; B. white, tips yellow; Slight sweet fragrance.
- Sonoma Blue** Jim Begley 2022 TB; ML; Deep blue violet self; B. gold, lavender.
- Strawberry Smoothie** R. Skaggs 2021 TB; 38"; ML; S. pink; F. light pink, darker pink veining, ½" pink rim; B. pink, white; Slight sweet fragrance.
- Thunderation** H. Stout 2022 TB; 33"; ML; S. wisteria purple; F. violet plum, wisteria edge; B. gold.
- Uncorked Humor** Burseen 2020 TB; 35"; VEM; S. blue, veined light purple; F. lilac, burgundy/purple hafts; B. orange, yellow; Slight sweet fragrance.



Alas MDB



Birthday Candle



Bottle Rocket



Caterpillar Blues



Cut A Rug SPX



Daring Deception



Don't Talk Back



Folklorica



Grape Escape



Hymke IB SA



Kimtastic



Martian Sunset



Oh Shux



Peach Dreams



Red Norma SDB



Sky Angel MTB



Sonoma Blue



Strawberry Smoothie



Thunderation



Uncorked Humor



**CLARA B. REES IRIS SOCIETY**  
**An Affiliate of the American Iris Society**

PRESENTS

**‘Showers of Flowers’**

**AN IRIS SPRING SHOW**  
**Sunday, April 16, 2023**

12:00 PM to 5:00 PM

**Campbell Community Center**  
**Roosevelt Room**  
**1 W. Campbell Ave.**  
**Campbell, CA 95008**

FREE ADMISSION

# Clara B. Rees Iris Society

An affiliate of the American Iris Society, the Clara B. Rees Iris Society has been promoting the culture and advancement of iris since 1957. We meet the first Friday of every month with the exception of July and August. Guests are always welcome. Check our website [www.cbris.org](http://www.cbris.org) for meeting location. Doors open at 7:00 pm and the meeting begins at 7:30 pm. We have a speaker, followed by refreshments and conclude with the business meeting and door prize drawing. Annual dues are \$15.00 per individual.

## CBRIS 2022-2023 OFFICERS

**PRESIDENT - Carol Dahout**  
**VICE-PRESIDENT- Trang Bui**  
**TREASURER – Mary Collins**  
**SECRETARY – Andrea Clague**

## CBRIS 2023 SHOW COMMITTEE

**SHOW CHAIR – Carol Dahout**  
**ARTISTIC CHAIR – Mikey Lango**  
**PLACEMENT – Mary Collins**  
**PHOTOGRAPHY – Mikey Lango**  
**AWARDS – Jane Jordan**  
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## Judges

### Horticulture

**Ted Hawkins**  
**Barbara Hawkins**  
**John Pesek**  
**Carol Cullen**  
**Lorraine Nicholson**  
**Ann-Marie Hermansen**

### Artistic

**Barbara Gordon**  
**Marilyn Kaplan**  
**Nancy Martin**

## **DIVISION I. Horticulture**

### **Section A. Tall Bearded**

### **Section B. Bearded other than Tall**

- Group 1. Miniature Dwarf Bearded
- Group 2. Standard Dwarf Bearded
- Group 3. Intermediate Bearded
- Group 4. Miniature Tall Bearded
- Group 5. Border Bearded
- Group 6. Aril & Arilbred
- Group 7. Space Age

### **Section C. Beardless**

- Group 1. Japanese
- Group 2. Louisiana
- Group 3. Pacific Coast Iris
- Group 4. Siberian
- Group 5. Spuria

### **Section D. Historic Iris – pre 1994**

### **Section E. Miscellaneous**

- Group 1. Species
- Group 2. Interspecies Hybrids
- Group 3. Bulbous (eligible for all AIS awards except Best Specimen of Show)
- Group 4. Any iris not covered by other Sections or Groups
- Group 5. Display iris – not named and not to be judged

## **DIVISION II. Seedling – Not included in ribbon count for sweepstakes awards.**

### **Section F. Tall Bearded**

### **Section G. Bearded other than Tall**

### **Section H. Beardless**

## **DIVISION III. Youth**

### **Section I. Iris grown and entered by a youth**

## **DIVISION IV. Educational**

**Section J. An educational exhibit pertaining to iris. Not to be judged.**

## **DIVISION V. ENGLISH BOXES**

Five to Six blooms, all the same type (TB, IB, Siberian, etc.) without stalk, foliage or buds, each correctly identified by name. They can be mixed colors, or similar in color (e.g. all plicatas, all pink selfs, or very ruffled). Uniformity in size and placement is encouraged. English Boxes are not eligible for Best Specimen of Show.

## **DIVISION VI. COLLECTIONS**

Not eligible for Best Specimen of Show

Class 1 – Three of a kind (Example: 3 Dusky Challenger)

Class 2 – Three of a color (Example: 3 selfs or 3 plicatas)

Class 3 – Three of a type (Example – 3 different tall bearded)

## **DIVISION VII – SINGLE BLOSSOM ENTRY**

Display of a single flower without stalk, foliage, or the presence of buds. The entire emphasis is on the beauty of the single blossom. **Not eligible for Best of Show award. Not included in ribbon count for sweepstakes.** CBRIS will furnish the container(s).

## **DIVISION VIII – ARTISTIC DIVISION**

**Not included in ribbon count for sweepstakes.**

### **Section A. ‘Low Pressure System’**

No pressure here. As a beginner, show us what you can do!

Any type of arrangement may be made featuring the iris flower. Natural materials only

- ▶ Limited to Novice and Beginner – three or less blue ribbons
- ▶ Designer’s Choice

### **Section B. 'Blizzard Time'**

Many, many iris flowers. A traditional mass arrangement showing the abundance of the iris flower. Other flowers may be used in a limited regard. Natural material only.

▶ Open to all

### **Section C. 'Sunburst'**

Ikebana style - keep it simple and dramatic. The sun shines in many colors at times. Iris flowers and natural material only.

▶ Open to all

### **Section D. 'Stationary Front'**

Two connected arrangements - physically or abstractly. Iris flowers first, other flowers may be used in a limited regard. Natural material only.

▶ Open to all

### **Section E. 'Rainbows All Around'**

A rainbow of iris come after the rain. Show us your favorite iris colors. Other flowers may be used in a lesser amount. Any type of material and accessory is allowed except no artificial flower, plants, or leaves. Remember that the iris flower **MUST** be the focal point.

▶ Open to youth only— under 19 years of age

▶ Designer's Choice

## **HORTICULTURE RULES**

1. Entries are open to the public, including judges.
2. Entries will be received between 8am - 10:00 am on Sunday April 16, 2023. Judging will begin at 10:15 am.
3. This show will be tagged and judged in accordance with the rules & regulations of the American Iris Society which cannot be violated. Decisions of the judges are final.
4. Horticulture entries must have been grown and entered in person by the



exhibitor. All entries must be identified & labeled by name, variety and number. Seedlings are entered in the name of the hybridizer.

5. An exhibitor may make any number of entries but each entry must be a different variety. Entries will be judged by variety. Due care will be taken, however, CBRIS is not responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.
6. An exhibitor must register with the registrar. Exhibit labels & tube stand containers for horticultural specimens will be provided by CBRIS.
7. Only the judges, show chairman and clerks are allowed in the exhibit area during judging.
8. Youth exhibitors are those under age 19 years.
9. The show placement committee may remove, combine or create new sections or groups.
10. Faded stalks or blooms may be groomed or removed by the show committee any time after judging.
11. No pollen may be taken from any iris, except by the exhibitor or by a person having written permission from the exhibitor.
12. The show will be dismantled starting at **5:15 PM** on Sunday April 16, 2023. The show committee will dispose of all exhibits not claimed.
13. Awards to CBRIS members will be awarded at the June General Meeting. All others may collect their awards at 5:15 PM on Sunday April 16, 2023.

## **ARTISTIC DIVISION RULES**

1. Entries are open to the public. Not open to this show's artistic judges.
2. Entries will be received between 8am - 10:00 am on Sunday, April 16, 2023. Judging will begin at 10:15 am.
3. This show will be judged by two certified National Garden Club judges and a qualified AIS judge in accordance with the rules & regulations of the American Iris Society which cannot be violated. Decisions of the judges are final.

4. All designs must be the work of the exhibitor. The background may be made beforehand.
5. One or more iris bloom(s) must be used in each arrangement and must be the **dominant** flower(s) in the design. The iris need not have been grown by the exhibitor. Other flowers may be included, if allowed in that section.
6. Only natural (fresh, dried, painted or treated) plant material may be used. Artificial flowers and foliage are not permitted. Natural accessories (weathered wood, vines, branches, bamboo, stones, etc.) may be used in all sections. The exception is Section E, the Youth Category, in which any accessory (except artificial flowers or leaves) may be used.
7. The exhibitor may enter only one design in each section in which he or she is qualified.
8. Youth exhibitors are those under age 19 years.
9. A novice is a person who has won 3 or less blue ribbons for artistic.
10. You may fill out a provided 3x5 index card listing types of plants or iris name used in arrangement or explain your arrangement's story. Not required but helpful.
11. CBRIS is not responsible for missing vases, accessories, etc.
12. Displays may be picked up at show's dismantling time of **5:15 PM** on Sunday April 16, 2023. All exhibits not claimed at that time will be disposed of by the Show Committee.

## **HORTICULTURE AWARDS**

**Ribbons & Rosettes.** First, Second, Third & Honorable Mention ribbons will be awarded where merited. Small rosettes will be awarded for Best of Section where there are at least three exhibitors and at least five cultivars in the section. Large rosettes and certificates will be awarded to the Best Specimen of Show (Seedlings, Bulbous and English Boxes, Collections, Single Bloom Entry excepted), and Best Youth Specimen of Show. A large rosette will be awarded to Horticulture Sweepstakes. A large rosette and an Exhibition Certificate will be awarded for the Best Seedling. A small rosette will be awarded for Best English Box.

**Medals.** The AIS Silver Medal and certificate will be awarded to the person winning the highest number of first place ribbons. The AIS Bronze Medal and certificate will be awarded to the person winning the second highest number of First place ribbons. The AIS Youth Silver & Bronze Medals and certificates will be awarded provided that the AIS requirements are met. In the event of a tie for any medal, Second place, and, if necessary, Third place ribbons will be counted.

The tally is made from ribbons awarded in Division 1, Sections A, B, C, D, E (excluding Group 5), Division V, and Division VI. **Division VII Single Blossoms are not included in the tally.**

**Court of Honor** Revolving trophies (kept for one year) will be awarded to CBRIS members for the following categories:

1. Best Specimen of Show
2. Best Bearded Other Than Tall
3. Best Tall Bearded
4. Best Beardless
5. Best Seedling
6. Best Pacific Coast
7. Best Youth Iris
8. Best Spuria
9. Best Louisiana
10. Best Historic
11. Best Aril/Arilbred
12. People's Choice Awards

**Cash Awards.** Small cash awards will be presented to trophy winners.

Exhibition Certificates will be awarded to Seedlings according to AIS rules.

## **ARTISTIC AWARDS**

Blue ribbons – First Place

Red ribbons – Second Place

White ribbons – Third Place

Pink ribbons – Honorable Mention

AIS Large Rosette for Best Design - Youth

AIS Large Rosette for the Best Arrangement of the Show

AIS Large Rosette for the Artistic Design Sweepstakes (most Blue ribbons)

**Revolving trophies** will be awarded to Best Design of Show and Best Youth Design.

**The American Iris Society, [www.irises.org](http://www.irises.org)**

We invite you to join The American Iris Society, a 501© 3 non profit institution incorporated February 2, 1927, in Philadelphia, PA. AIS exists for the sole purpose of promoting the culture and improvement of the iris. Membership is open to all interested in learning more about irises. Annual dues: Single - \$30, Dual - \$35.

Dues should be sent to:

AIS Membership Secretary

PO Box 6

Huxley, IA 50124

*Notes*

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