

THE GREATER ROCHESTER IRIS SOCIETY
An Affiliate of the American Iris Society

Presents

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Sunday, June 2, 2019

1 pm to 5:30 pm

at

Marketplace Mall
1 Miracle Mile Dr.
(via Hylan Dr.)
Rochester, New York

No Entry Fee or Admission Charge
Open to the Public

General Rules

1. Anyone, including the show judges, may exhibit in the show. Artistic Designs are by reservation only.
2. This Accredited American Iris Society Show is organized according to the rules and regulations of the American Iris Society as set forth in the Handbook for Judges and Show Officials, 7th Edition, 2007 and subsequent rules and regulations approved by the American Iris Society Board of Directors. The official rules and regulations of the American Iris Society may not be violated.
3. Accredited judges of the American Iris Society will judge all entries in the Horticulture, Seedling and Design Divisions. Judges' decisions will be final. Any award may be withheld at the discretion of the judges.
4. Entries will be received between 8 AM and 10:30 AM on Sunday, June 2, 2019. Judging will commence at 10:45 AM on Sunday, June 2, 2019 and be completed by 1 PM when the show will be open to the public.
5. All entries must carry AIS Show Tags properly filled out. Unlabeled or mislabeled entries will be disqualified. Horticulture entry cards are to be prepared by the exhibitor.
6. The Show Committee, the American Iris Society, the Greater Rochester Iris Society and Marketplace Mall cannot be responsible for loss or damage to exhibits. All possible care will be exercised throughout the show to ensure exhibits are safe.
7. Entries will be removed at 5:30 PM on Sunday, June 2, 2019. Any entries not claimed by the Exhibitor at the conclusion of the show on Sunday will be disposed of by the Show Committee.

HORTICULTURE RULES

1. No unnamed cultivar may be exhibited except seedlings that may be entered in Division II. Only fresh, cut specimens are accepted.
2. Each iris must have been grown in the garden of and entered in person by the exhibitor whose name appears on the entry tag. Each entry of an exhibitor must be a different variety. There is no limit to the number of entries. Members of a family may exhibit from one garden.
3. This is a cultivar show, staged according to type and in alphabetical order within the various sections and groups. Each cultivar constitutes a separate group and must be correctly named.
4. Irises which have not been offered for sale may be entered in the SEEDLING Division by the originator.
5. An exhibitor may enter a seedling originated by another person but the hybridizer's name and the seedling name or number must appear on the entry card.
6. Exhibitors will groom, label and arrange their entries in the area provided and then turn them over to the Placement Committee. The Placement Committee will then place entries, and at this time all the flowers are show property of the Greater Rochester Iris Society. Entries will be placed in sections and judged by variety.
7. No pollen may be taken from any iris without the exhibitor's consent.
8. The Show Committee will furnish uniform containers. No other containers or embellishments are permitted.
9. Wedging material (packing peanuts) will be furnished by the Show Committee for bracing stalks at the neck of the furnished containers.
10. Unnamed stalks (not seedlings), potted exhibits or labeled iris grown by another person are not eligible for AIS ribbons and awards, but may be displayed on a table marked "FOR DISPLAY ONLY".
11. The Show Committee may divide, sub-divide, combine or create new groups as necessary.
12. Bulbous irises are eligible to receive award ribbons, section awards and section rosettes. Award ribbons are included in the tally for Silver and Bronze Medal/Certificates although these entries are not eligible for the "Best Specimen of Show" award.

HORTICULTURE AWARDS

First Place (blue), Second Place (red), Third Place (white), and as many Honorable Mention (pink) ribbons may be awarded as the panel of judges deems worthy. Each specimen can be awarded only one ribbon.

American Iris Society Section Rosette will be awarded to the exhibitor on the best First Place Iris in Sections A through J, if merited. Section rosettes require at least three exhibitors and at least five varieties/cultivars in the section.

American Iris Society Best Specimen of Show Rosette and Certificate will be awarded to exhibitor of the best iris receiving a blue ribbon except for Bulbous Iris, which are not eligible for Best Specimen of Show award.

American Iris Society Silver and Bronze Medals and Certificates will be awarded to the exhibitors winning the most blue ribbons and second highest number of blue ribbons.

American Iris Society Region 2 Magdalen Award. This award is given to the best Median Iris in an accredited Iris Show according to award guidelines are determined by Region 2.

American Iris Society Best Seedling of Show Rosette will be awarded to the best specimen in Division II. The best seedling of the show will automatically receive an Exhibition Certificate. Any other seedling receiving 5 or more votes from accredited AIS judges attending the show also receives an Exhibition Certificate.

Reference: the American Iris Society Handbook for Judges and Show Officials, 7th Edition, 2007, pages 246-247.

DIVISION I – HORTICULTURE

- SECTION A TALL BEARDED IRIS
 - Group 1 Names Beginning A-B
 - Group 2 Names Beginning C-D
 - Group 3 Names Beginning E-F
 - Group 4 Names Beginning G-I
 - Group 5 Names Beginning J-L
 - Group 6 Names Beginning M
 - Group 7 Names Beginning N-O
 - Group 8 Names Beginning P-Q
 - Group 9 Names Beginning R
 - Group 10 Names Beginning S
 - Group 11 Names Beginning T-V
 - Group 12 Names Beginning W-Z
- SECTION B MINIATURE DWARF BEARDED IRIS
- SECTION C STANDARD DWARF BEARDED IRIS
- SECTION D INTERMEDIATE BEARDED IRIS
- SECTION E BORDER BEARDED IRIS
- SECTION F MINIATURE TALL BEARDED IRIS
- SECTION G SIBERIAN IRIS
 - Group 13 Names Beginning A-F
 - Group 14 Names Beginning G-M
 - Group 15 Names Beginning N-R
 - Group 16 Names Beginning S-Z
- SECTION H SPECIES and HYBRIDS OF SPECIES
- SECTION I HISTORIC IRIS
 - Group 17 Historic Bearded Iris – Early/Old -
 Introduced in 1962 and before
 - Group 18 Historic Bearded Iris – Late/Modern
 Introduced 1963 – 1989
 - Group 19 Historic Beardless Iris – Early/Old
 Introduced in 1962 and before
 - Group 20 Historic Beardless Iris – Late/Modern
 Introduced 1963-1989
- SECTION J ANY IRIS NOT LISTED ABOVE

DIVISION II – SEEDLINGS

- SECTION K Group 21 Bearded Iris
- Group 22 Beardless Iris

DIVISION III – ARTISTIC DESIGN RULES

1. Entries will be received between 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM in Sunday, June 2, 2019. Judging will begin Sunday, June 2, 2019 at 10:45 AM and be completed by 1:00 PM.
2. An exhibitor may enter only one exhibit per class. Reservations and questions may be directed to Cara Hutchings by telephone at (585) 266-0302 or by email at thehutchings@mac.com. The deadline for reservations is Tuesday, May 28, 2019.
3. One or more iris bloom(s) must be used in each floral design and should be the dominant flower(s) in the design. Other plant material and components are permitted unless the schedule indicates otherwise. The use of iris foliage in the design is the choice of the designer.
4. Fresh plant material must dominate in the class and may not be treated in any matter.
5. Floral design must be made by the exhibitor; however the exhibitor need not have grown the plant material.
6. A 3 x 5 card should accompany each design indicating the iris cultivar name and all plant material used.
7. Treated dried plant material may be used.
8. Tables will be covered with a white underlay.
9. No artificial flowers, foliage, fruit or vegetables are permitted.
10. The use of any part(s) of plants on the New York State Conservation List is strictly prohibited.
11. THE USE OF THE AMERICAN FLAG OR ANY INTERNATIONAL FLAG IS PROHIBITED. The use of colors or bunting is permitted and encouraged if it helps interpret the theme.
12. All entries must be removed by the end of the show, after 5:30 PM on Sunday, June 2, 2019.
13. Scale of points for all designs is taken from the American Iris Society Handbook for Judges and Show Officials, 7th Edition, 2007

1	Conformance to Schedule Requirements	10
2.	Design Principles	35
	a. Balance	5
	b. Proportion	5
	c. Scale	5
	d. Rhythm	5
	e. Dominance	5
	f. Contrast	5
	g. Unity	5
3.	Color Harmony	20
4.	Artistic Expression / Elements of Design	20
5.	Distinction	<u>15</u>
		100

ARTISTIC DIVISION AWARDS

Ribbons will be awarded in each Class. First place (blue), 90 and above, Second place (red) 85 and above, Third place (white) 80 and above, Honorable Mention (pink) 75 and above.

The Purple Rosette of the American Iris Society and Certificate may be awarded to the Best Design of the Show (for the best use of iris).

DIVISION III - ARTISTIC DESIGNS

SECTION L

Class 1 "A COUNTRY LIFE FOR ME"

New York has wonderful natural beauty, along with beautiful rural areas.

Let's celebrate the countryside of New York.

A traditional style design staged in an allotted 30" by 30" section of table. Exhibitor may provide a table overlay. 4 entries

Class 2 "BRIGHT CITY LIGHTS"

New York also has some of the best cities in the U.S. A toast to urban New York!

A creative style design staged in an allotted 30" by 30" section of table. An accessory may accompany the design. Exhibitor may provide a table overlay. 4 entries

SHOW COMMITTEE

Greater Rochester Iris Society - Cara Hutchings, President

Show Committee 2019

Chairperson and Design Chairperson - Cara Hutchings (585) 266-0302

Assistant Show Chairperson - Wendy Roller - (585) 621-8985

Classification and Horticulture Placement - Wendy Roller

Properties, Staging and Dismantling - Neil Houghton and Nathan Hutchings

Publicity - Neil Houghton

Schedule, Awards and Judges - Cara Hutchings

Clerks - Cara Hutchings

Hospitality - Members of the Greater Rochester Iris Society

AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY Membership Information

Single Annual	\$30.00	Triennial	\$70.00	Life	\$1000.00
Dual Annual	\$35.00		\$85.00		\$1500.00

(same address)

Youth Annual (under age 19) Without Bulletin \$8.00 With Bulletin \$12.00

Make checks payable to: American Iris Society
(Dues may also be paid with Visa or MasterCard)

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