

**APRIL 18-19** 

## SUN COUNTRY IRIS SOCIETY Presents

the 17th Annual Iris Show 1986

CHRIS-TOWN'S SILVER JUBILEE

Presented in cooperation with
The AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY

in the Center Court of

CHRIS-TOWN MALL Phoenix, Az.

Friday April 18th and Saturday April 19th

The cover design was drawn by Jim Day

#### 1986 SHOW COMMITTEE

Chairman	Gary Miller
Schedule	Bobbie Shepard
Secretary of Awards.	Charlene Errigo
Staging	Jim Day
Properties	Larry Johnsen
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Horticulture	Floyd Wickenkamp
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Judges	Ardi Kary
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Artistic Concepts	Edna Try
Clean Up	All Members

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87 National Convention...Bobbie Shepard

This is an American Iris Society approved show, conducted according to American Iris Society regulations and judged by accredited judges.

For information concering membership and other activities in the Sun Country Iris Society and the American Iris Society call 841-1231.





We of the SUN COUNTRY IRIS SOCIETY extend a warm welcome to all who enter. We are paying tribute to Chris-town on their 25th Anniversary year.

Chris-town Mall has been very cooperative and supportive of the many shows that we have put on in their beautiful mall. It is only fitting that we dedicate this show in honor of their anniversary.

Much appreciation and thanks is also given to the show committee and exhibitors and each of the Sun Country members for all their efforts and hard work that has put this show together.

Membership in the SUN COUNTRY IRIS SOCIETY and the AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY is open to all persons interested in growing and learning more about iris, regardless of skill or experience. We sponsor an annual iris show and will host the National AIS Iris Convention in 1987, "Fiesta Phoenix". Join us!

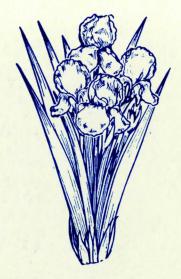
Our meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of each month, 7 P.M. at the Valley Garden Center, 1809 N. 15th Ave., Phoenix. For further information call 841-1231.

Your Show Chairperson,

Gary Miller

#### GENERAL RULES

- Exhibition privileges are open to all persons.
- Entries will be accepted from 6:30 A.M. until 9:30 A.M. on Friday, April 18th.
- Single-specimen entries are to be staged by cultivar, then grouped in color ranges. Each named variety constitutes a separate class for judging.
- 4. Horticulture exhibits must have been grown by the exhibitor.
- Exhibits placed on the show bench will be judged as groomed by the exhibitor.
- An exhibitor way enter no wore than one specimen of the same named variety.
- 7. Exhibits must be correctly named and labeled. Iris not named or properly identified will not be judged. Entry numbers will appear on TAG-STUB only, not on upper portion of the tag. Tagstub information will be used in determining the Horticulture Sweepstakes winner; therefore, name of the cultivar and identity of the exhibitor must be shown on the stub. Tags and entry tabulation forms may be obtained in advance from Charlene Errigo (993-7498) or Bobbie Shepard (841-1231).
- 8. Youth See special rules under Division III.
- Judging will be by American Iris Society rules, with decisions of judges final; any award may be withheld at the judges discretion.
- No persons are allowed in exhibit area during judging except the judges, show chairwan, clerks, and designated student judges.
- 11. Judging is to begin at 10:30 A.M., Friday, April 18th.
- Sun Country Iris Society assumes no responsibility for loss or damage, but will do all possible to safeguard exhibits.
- 13. Faded stalks may be groomed or removed by the show committee or by the exhibitor any time after the judging is finished.
- 14. Containers will be furnished, except for the artistic classes.
- Trophies and awards will be presented Saturday, April 19th at a potluck dinner to be held at Shepard Iris Garden, 3342 W.Orangewood Phone 841-1231.
- 16. Between 5 and 5:30 on Saturday exhibitors will remove ribbons from their entries. Artistic entries will also be removed during this period. After 5:30 exhibitors may remove any horticulture entries that they wish to retain.



#### DIVISION 1

#### HORTICULTURE

Section A. TALL BEARDED

Section B. ARILS

Group a - Aril-Meds

Group b - Arilbreds

Group c - Pure Arils

Section C. MEDIANS

Group a - Standard dwarf bearded

Group b - Border bearded

Group c - Intermediate bearded

Group d - Miniature tall bearded

Section D. SPURIAS

(It is recommended that spurias not exceed 48" cut height.)

Section E. LOUISIANAS

Section F. SIBERIANS

Section G. BULBOUS

Dutch, English, Spanish, & others (Not eligible for Queen of Show)

Section H. RELATED GENERA
(Not eligible for Queen of Show)

Section I. MISCELLANEOUS
Any iris not named above.

#### Section J. SEEDLINGS

An unintroduced iris of any section or kind, to be designated by name or number & entered in hybridizer's name.

Group a - Seedlings hybridized & exhibited by an Arizona hybridizer.

Class 1 - Tall Bearded

Class 2 - Arilbred

Class 3 - Pure Arils

Class 4 - Medians

Group a - Border Bearded

Group b - Intermediate

Group c - Standard Dwarf

Class 5 - Louisianas

Class 6 - Spuria

Group b - Seedlings hybridized by other than the exhibitor.

Group c - Christown seedling - The winner of this group will be registered as "CHRIS-TOWN'S JUBILEE"

#### Section K. COLLECTIONS

These classes must consist of named varities. One entry per exhibitor per class. Any three stalks constitute a collection. Variety names must be listed on the entry tag.

Group a - Aril or Aril-bred

Group b - Plicata tall bearded

Group c - Tall bearded - any three stalks of any one color class.

Group d - Louisianas

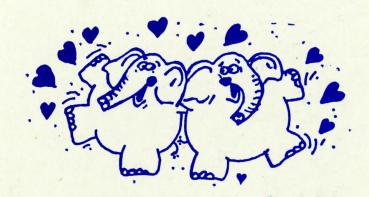
Group e - Spurias

Group f - Medians









### RULES FOR ARTISTIC DESIGN

- 1. Exhibitors are limited to one entry per class.
- 2. No artificial plant material may be used.
- Dried or treated natural plant material is acceptable, but fresh material must predominate.
- Plant material need not have been grown by exhibitor, unless class so designates.
- The use of interpretive accessories is permitted but required only if specifically designated for a class.
- One or more iris must be used in each arrangement and must be the dominating feature of a design.
- 7. Except where specified, iris of any kind may be used.
- Though not required, exhibitors may identify iris used in their arrangements, either on entry tag or on a separate card.
- 9. Exhibitor's name should appear on underside of their container.
- 10. Exhibitor should keep arrangement fresh.
- 11. No background boards may be used except in specified classes.
- 12. Sun Country Iris Society assumes no responsibility for loss or damage but will do all possible to safeguard exhibits.
- Class #1 is limited to 8 exhibitors, by reservation only.
   For reservations call LOUISE DAY, 942-4922.

#### DIVISION II

#### ARTISTIC DESIGN

#### CLASS 1 - "HAPPY 25TH ANNIVERSARY CHRIS-TOWN"

BY RESERVATION - 8 Entries only. Navajo white backboards, 32" high, 24" wide and two 12" wings, will be furnished. Call LOUISE DAY, 942-4922 for reservations.

A tall arrangement using white iris and silver accents.

CLASS 2 - "CONGRATULATIONS"

Table arrangement for an Anniversary party.

CLASS 3 - "CELEBRATION"

Arrangers choice; Name your own celebration.

CLASS 4 - "A GIFT"

A small gift arrangement to take to a friend who is celebrating a special occasion.

CLASS 5 - "FIREWORKS DISPLAY"

A wild arrangement with many colors and a lot of imagination.



#### DIVISION III

#### YOUTH

Youth is defined as 18 years and under. Entries will be judged in two age groups: Class Ya - Under 12 years Class Yb - 12 through 18

SECTION A - HORTICULTURE

Group 1 - Tall Bearded Group 2 - Any other

SECTION B - ARTISTIC

Class 1 - "PARTY TIME"

A fun time is had by all at your choice of parties.





#### AWARDS

#### RIBBONS \*\*\*\*

All ribbons & rosettes are American Iris Society awards. First, second, third place, and honorable mention ribbons will be awarded in each class as merited.

American Iris Society rosettes will be awarded for each of the following categories:

QUEEN OF SHOW
SWEEPSTAKES - Horticulture & Artistic Divisions
BEST HORTICULTURE SPECIMEN - in Sections
BEST ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENT
BEST SEEDLING OF SHOW
BEST SPECIMEN - Youth Division
BEST ARTISTIC ARRANGEMENT - Youth Division

#### MEDALS \*\*\*\*

The SILVER MEDAL of the American Iris Society will be given to the person winning the highest number of First Place ribbons in Horticulture Division.

The BRONZE MEDAL of the American Iris Society will be given to the person winning the second highest number of First Place ribbons in the Horticulture Division.

#### SECTION CERTIFICATES \*\*\*\*

To be awarded if American Iris Society requirements are met: a minimum of five classes per section, three exhibitors per section.

#### SMALL GARDEN AWARD \*\*\*\*

To be eligible, exhibitor must grow fewer than 100 varieties of iris and be pre-registered with the Secretary of Awards. A \$25 gift certificate for winner's choice of iris will be donated by the SHEPARD IRIS GARDEN, 3342 W. Orangewood, Phoenix, to the exhibitor winning the most blue ribbons.

#### COLLECTION CLASSES \*\*\*\*\*

A rhizome of recent introduction will be awarded for the best collection in each class. Rhizomes awarded will be of the type exhibited in each winning entry.

#### SPECIAL YOUTH AWARDS \*\*\*\*

A \$25 gift certificate will be awarded for the youth winning the Horticulture sweepstakes providing there are three or more exhibitors. This award is provided by Gary Miller.

A \$25 gift certificate will be awarded for the youth winning the Artistic sweepstakes providing there are three or more exhibitors. This award is provided by Ardi Kary.

#### SPECIAL CHRIS-TOWN AWARDS \*\*\*\*

CHRIS-TOWN will award two \$25 gift certificates good for any store in the mall. One certificate will be awarded to the person winning the Artistic Class 1. The second certificate will be given to the person winning the Horticulture Section J seedling class, Group c for the iris to be named "CHRIS-TOWN'S JUBILEE".

#### TROPHIES \*\*\*\*

- 1. Queen Of The Show
- 2. Best Tall Bearded Iris
- 3. Best Median Iris
- 4. Best Arilbred Iris
- Best Spuria Iris Will be awarded the BETTY WICKENKAMP MEMORIAL TROPHY.
- 6 Best Louisiana Iris Will be awarded the BARBARA DEREMIAH MEMORIAL TROPHY.
- 7. Best seedling exhibited by an ARIZONA Hybridizer
- 8. Best artistic arrangement of show
- 9. Sweepstake winner Horticulture Division
- 10. Sweepstake winner- Artistic Division
- 11. Sweepstake winner- Youth Division
- 12. Best Youth Artistic arrangement
- 13. Small garden award
- 14. The FOSTER TRY Perpetual Memorial Trophy will be awarded the BEST BLACK TALL BEARDED IRIS.



