

Indiana IDIS Newsletter



NEWS



President's message

Greetings Gardening Friends,

Thanks to Laurel, Greg, and Lezlie for the last minute program in June after our speaker had to cancel. It was an educational trip into garden judging of daylilies. AHS is looking for more garden judges and they would be glad to have you join the trainings.

This month we will welcome **Jody Nolin** from rural northwest Ohio, presenting "**Species Iris For Everyone: An overview of easy to grow iris species to add the unique to your garden**". Jody is the former president of the American iris Society (AIS) and is currently AIS Affiliate Chair and Regional Judges Chair. She grows around 400 well-mulched beardless and species iris as well as a smattering of tall bearded and median bearded iris. She is particularly interested in integrating iris into perennial beds. She will be talking about species irises and what they can add to your garden display.

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Next month brings us the annual plant sale which will be at Dammann's Garden Center. As you work in your garden this summer, what plants might you donate to our sale? It would be helpful to have an idea of what you might bring as Peggy has volunteered to post the list on our Facebook page as well as the Central Indiana Garden Exchange. This will give visitors a preview of what will be available. Please send your iris and daylily list of donated sale plants to Peggy Harger-Allen <dpmallen52@gmail.com>

The Nominating Committee will be presenting the board slate at our July meeting with the vote to be held during the August meeting. Nominations may also be made from the floor at our meeting; however, those nominees must be present at the meeting to accept the nomination.

As you are working in the garden this summer and have extra plants, bring them along to the July meeting to share with others in the free exchange.

Thanks for your support of IDIS,

Rod Maust, president

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2026 IDIS Schedule of Events

(All meetings 6:30 P. M. at Clermont Lions Club), 3201 N Tansel Rd
Clermont, Indiana 46234 , unless otherwise noted.)

Tuesday, July 7, 2026

Program: "Beardless Iris", (Jody Nolin, Rushsylvania, OH)

Time: 6:30pm ET

Place: Clermont Lions Club, 3201 Tansel Rd, Clermont, IN

July 17-19, 2026

American Daylily Society Region 2 Summer meeting, Madison, WI

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

Program: "Endless Spring: Extending Your Daffodil Season", (Lisa Kuduk, Winchester, KY)

Time: 6:30pm ET

Place: Clermont Lions Club, 3201 Tansel Rd, Clermont, IN

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Saturday, August 8, 2026

Annual Daylily/Iris Plant Sale

Set-up: 8am

Member buying: 9:45am

Public buying: 10am-3pm

Place: Dammann's Garden Center, 4914 Rockville Rd, Indianapolis, IN

Saturday, September 5, 2026

Installation of Officers, Plant Exchange, & NCAP Daylily Auction
(Members and guests only)

Set-up: 11:00am

Lunch: 11:45am

Auction: 12:30pm

Place: Zupan homestead, Avon, IN

Saturday, September 19, 2026

American Iris Society Region 6 Fall meeting, Avilla, IN