

Show Rules and Regulations

1. This accredited show is being held and judged under the rules and regulations of the American Iris Society (AIS). These rules and regulations may not be violated. Judges' decisions will be final.
2. All entries **MUST** be staged between 10:00 am and 11:30 am. Late and unnamed entries will be accepted for display purposes only.
3. Exhibition privileges are open to all, including judges. Judges may not judge their own entries however they may judge entries of immediate family members.
4. Only specifically authorized personnel will be allowed in the show area during judging.
5. This is a cultivar show. All entries must have been grown and entered in person by the exhibitor whose name appears on the entry tag with the correct cultivar name and placed in the appropriate section. Members of a family may exhibit from the same garden.
 - Cultivars are to be arranged alphabetically in each section.
 - Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per cultivar; otherwise the number of entries by an exhibitor is not restricted.
 - Containers are furnished by the Society except where noted.
 - The Show Committee will aid the exhibitors to correctly identify the appropriate section.
 - Seedlings must be entered under seedling name or number and in the name of the originator.
 - Novices are those individuals who have never participated in an AIS sanctioned iris show.
 - Youth (under 19 years of age) may enter the Youth Division **or** the Adult Division **but not both** in the same show.
 - For Tall Bearded specimens, the stem length shall not exceed 25 cm (10") from the top of the container to where the first branch originates on the stem. It may be less if the stem is not of sufficient length.
6. Judging will begin at approximately 11:30 am. The show is open to the public from 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm. Exhibitors may not remove entries prior to 3:30 pm. Unclaimed entries may be sold for the benefit of the Ontario Iris Society.
7. The Show Committee will exercise all possible care, but cannot be responsible for loss or damage to exhibits.
8. Sections or groups for bulbous irises and collections are eligible to receive award stickers and section certificates. Award stickers are included in the tally for Silver and Bronze Medal Certificates although these entries **are not eligible for the 'Best Specimen of Show' award.**

Show Schedule

DIVISION I – HORTICULTURE

- SECTION A.** Tall Bearded Iris
- SECTION B.** Miniature Dwarf Bearded (MDB)
- SECTION C.** Standard Dwarf Bearded (SDB)
- SECTION D.** Intermediate Bearded (IB)
- SECTION E.** Border Bearded (BB)
- SECTION F.** Miniature Tall Bearded (MTB)
- SECTION G.** Siberian (SIB)
- SECTION H.** Spuria (SPU)
- SECTION I.** Louisiana (LA)
- SECTION J.** Any other Beardless
- SECTION K.** Any iris of Canadian origin
- SECTION L.** Historic Iris (Introduced in 1987 or earlier. Indicate year.)
- SECTION M.** Bulbous Irises (not eligible for Best Specimen of Show)
- SECTION N.** Collections (not eligible for Best Specimen of Show)
 - Class 1.** 3 stalks/one variety
 - Class 2.** 3 stalks/all different

DIVISION II – SEEDLINGS

- SECTION A.** Tall Bearded
- SECTION B.** Other Bearded
- SECTION C.** Other Iris

DIVISION III – NOVICE

- SECTION A.** Tall Bearded
- SECTION B.** Other Bearded
- SECTION C.** Other Iris

DIVISION IV - YOUTH

- SECTION A. Bearded Iris**
- SECTION B. Beardless Iris**

Exhibitors complete a point credit sheet during the Show and have it approved by the Show Chair. **Each point is worth \$0.30.** The accumulated points may be redeemed at the August 2017 Auction/Sale.

Major Trophy Awards:	10 pts	Other Awards:	1st place	5 pts
Court of Honour:	10 pts		2nd place	3 pts
(Best from each section)			3rd place	2 pts