

HAVE YOU PRE-REGISTERED YET?

How are you coming on getting your exhibits ready for the big show? It's coming up quickly!! Be sure to pre-register - it will be much easier for you to get your gourds on the exhibit tables. If you walk in with exhibits, we have to take time to make tags. Pre-registered exhibits have tags already made out - all you do is walk in, pick up your packet of tags, and head for the tables. Have you sent in a volunteer form? We still need help setting up on Thursday and Friday morning, and helping out greeting guests at some of the booths. Don't forget we have just a Sunday meal together, and it is off-site. I'll have a map with your meal ticket to help you get there - it is really quite easy from the show.

Questions? Contact me at 765-674-8088 or e-mail: showchair@indianagourdsociety.org

Philip Moorhead, 2007 Show Chair

SHOW CO-CHAIR SAYS, "START PLANNING NOW!"

Once again its time to start planning for the upcoming gourd show, I remember the first gourd show I ever went to, I was amazed at the knowledge and friendliness of everyone associated with the show. I started out by volunteering on setting up the show. My involvement progressed into being vendor chair last year to show co-chair this year. Never be afraid to ask questions and pitch in to help. The show could never exist or be such a success relying on just a couple of people setting it up. It takes many volunteers: from setting up the show, to tearing it down at the end, and everything in-between.

I think the choices of classes we have will benefit everyone from the beginner to the advanced. With many different times available, you can sign up for the classes you can easily work into your schedule, and still be involved in all the other activities of the show. Don't forget about our auction, you can bid on everything from crafted gourds to knotted gourds and many other gourd-related items. Phil has put together another great show that should be one that we talk about for years to come. Please take the time to attend the show and take classes, look at the exhibits and get ideas for your own gourd art-work, and finally, patronize the vendors for a great gourdacious weekend.

Rich Rodriguez, 2007 Show Co-Chair

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