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Gourd Happenings In Our Gourdgeous World

May 24, 2008 - Patch #1 Gourd Festival 9 AM to 3 PM

LaPorte County Fairgrounds 2581 W. SR 2, LaPorte, IN Gourd plants, dried gourd vendors, gourd arts and crafting supplies Gourd seeds and IGS Gourd Store, free demonstrations For additional info: contact Sid & Renee Meyers, 574-654-3474 or e-mail: srmeyers@galaxyinternet.net

June 6,7,8 2008 - Gourd Artist's Gathering, Cherokee, NC www.gourdgatheing.net

July 12 & 13 2008 - Georgia Gourd Society 6th Annual Gourd Show: Enchanted Gourd, Magic in the Garden at the Coweta County July 12-

Fairgrounds, Newnan, GA. For the full show details please see: www.georgiagourdsociety.com

August 03, 2008 - State Fair Setup 9:00 AM-3:00 PM

Setup is in the Horticulture Building. Mark your calendar and come down to the Fairgrounds and help set up the IGS booth for the run of the fair August 6th through August 17th. We are seeking volunteers both for demonstrating talents in their crafting and volunteers for helping with Seeds Sales, Ways & Means Sales, and in general discussing gourds with the public.

August -6 thru 17, 2008 **Indiana State Fair** Dried gourd and gourd art competition. Check Fair Site for forms. Gourd seeds and IGS Gourd Store, free demonstrations Volunteers needed to help staff the booth, or do demonstrations. For additional info: contact one of the IGS Fair co-chairs Jesse Glessner 765 348 0344, or Phil Moorhead 765 674 8088

Sept 19-20 - Mississippi Gourd Festival in Collinsville. Classes will be offered on Friday afternoon and all day Saturday. Vendor booths will be open for business on Saturday only. For more information, please see http:// gourdgracious.homestead.com/gourds.html

September 27th & 28th, 2008 46th Annual OHIO GOURD SHOW 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Gourd Workshops- Entertainment on September 26, 27 & 28 at the Darke County Fairgrounds Greenville, Ohio

October 20-21 2008 - Alabama Gourd Show http://www.alabamagourdsociety.org

Nov 1-2 - Virginia Gourd Festival - in Middletown VA. More details on website: americangourdsociety.org/virginia.html

November 8, 2008 IGS Fall Membership & Festival. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tippecanoe Co. Fairgrounds, 1401 Teal Road, Lafayette, IN Free admission, open to public. Vendors, IGS Gourd store, Gourd Seeds. Demonstrations, mini craft and dried gourd competition, music, kids booth. Auction. Membership meeting at 3pm. Midmorning snacks and lunch available. For additional info: Guy Shutt, 574-474-5091 or e-mail: glshutt@ffni.com