

## JUDGES HANDBOOK REVISION COMMITTEE

Betty Roberts, Chairman

AIS Fall Board Meeting, November 2014

I began to put together our committee as early as April after President Morris gave me a list of members who were already on the committee. Those individuals indicated the sections in which they were interested. Since then I have written to Section Presidents asking for their help in assigning committee members. This is still an initial priority. Also, it would be of tremendous help if the Section Presidents would designate a chapter chairman. (Keith Keppel agreed to act as a consultant.) To date I have heard nothing from the following section presidents and would very much like to have SOME input from them.

1. Tall Bearded Iris Society
2. Society for Siberian Irises
3. Society for Pacific Coast Native Irises
4. Historic Iris Preservation Society
5. Society for Louisiana Irises

Members were reluctant to work during the bloom/show season. Then came shipping and planting season, so our work has been virtually at a standstill. I would like for work to begin again in earnest as soon as possible. Yes, the holiday season is ahead, but surely we can hope to get much done in the remaining months of 2014 and in the new year when most of us are spending a good many hours indoors. Our target date for publication was late 2015, but that may have to be extended. Too, we were in agreement about having both a printed copy and an electronic copy of the Handbook.

### SECTION A - JUDGES AND JUDGES TRAINING □

Chapter 1- Accreditation of Judges - Judy Keisling □

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Chapter 3 - American Iris Society Awards HANDBOOK REVISION

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Chapter 3 - American Iris Society Awards and Honors - Gerry Snyder

## SECTION C - THE IRIS SHOW

Chapters 4 and 5 -

## SECTION D - JUDGING THE IRIS CLASSES - THE BEARDED IRISES

Chapter 6 - Tall Bearded Irises - Paul Black AND??

Chapter 7 - Border Bearded Irises – Paul Black, Elm Jensen, Riley Probst

Chapter 8 - Intermediate Bearded Irises – Paul Black, Elm Jensen, Riley Probst

Chapter 9 - Miniature Tall Bearded Irises – Paul Black, Elm Jensen, Riley Probst

Chapter 10 - Standard Dwarf Bearded Irises – Paul Black, Elm Jensen, Riley Probst

Chapter 11 - Miniature Dwarf Bearded Irises – Paul Black, Elm Jensen, Riley Probst

Chapter 12 - Aril and Arilbred Irises – Bob Pries, Dana Brown??, Al Elliott, Tom Waters

Chapter 13 - Novelty Bearded Irises - Bonnie Nichols

Chapter 14 - Reblooming or Remontant Irises - Riley Probst, Dana Brown??

Chapter 15 - Space Age Irises – Bonnie Nichols

## THE BEARDLESS IRISES

Chapter 16 - Japanese Irises - Chad Harris

Chapter 17 - Louisiana Irises –

Chapter 18 - Pacific Coast Irises –

Chapter 19 - Siberian Irises -

Chapter 20 - Species Irises - Patrick Spence

Chapter 21 – Spuria Irises – Chair - Andi Rivarola, Jim Hedgecock, Dave Niswonger

## EXHIBITION JUDGING OTHER CLASSES □

Chapter 22 - Selecting the Best Specimen of the Show - Steve Kelly AND ??

Chapter 23 - Bulbous Irises - □

Chapter 24 - Collection Classes - □

Chapter 25 - English Boxes - Al Elliott □

Chapter 26 - Historic Irises - □

Chapter 27 - The Artistic Division - Betty Roberts

□ a new chapter - Container Plant Judging – Bob Pries

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