



American Iris Society HIGH COMMENDATION

2026 Awards

TB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 64

Winner: Anita Nevermore (Sdlg # UU-5-2) – (G. Steve Poole)

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
9	G. Steve Poole	Anita Nevermore (Sdlg # UU-5-2)	8
17	Hooker Nichols	69-8	2
18	Robert Skaggs	C12-15-1	2
18	Robert Skaggs	E11-0-7	2
18	Robert Skaggs	E11-J-1	2
18	Robert Skaggs	E11-N-1	2
18	Robert Skaggs	E11-U-7	2
18	Robert Skaggs	H14-T-9	2
18	Robert Skaggs	J16-12-1	2
3	Gary Slagle	GD011-110	2
3	Gary Slagle	GDH122-1	2
3	Gary Slagle	GDS22-1	2
8	George Bacon	GB 2017-06 H2	1
22	Mike Bale	2023-10c	1
6	Charles Bunnell	23-13-38	1
6	Charles Bunnell	24-18-1	1
23	Howard Dash	T CD-DA-2115	1
23	Howard Dash	T CV-JP-2005	1
23	Howard Dash	T HD-JPJ8-2403	1
23	Howard Dash	T OC-EM-2001	1
13	Thomas Johnson	TO201-A	1
13	Thomas Johnson	TP69-A	1
13	Thomas Johnson	TR98-A	1
4	Michael Lockatell	21325	1
13	Lynda Miller	1522C	1
22	Randall Moore	16-a3-a	1
22	Randall Moore	yp13-a5	1
18	Don Murphy	DM 13-02-09	1
17	Bonnie Nichols	BJ-72	1
17	Hooker Nichols	70-13	1

17	Hooker Nichols	E50	1
20	Elizabeth Rieniets	17e5-10-21R1Sp6	1
20	Elizabeth Rieniets	17TB5-10-21	1
13	Schreiners	l 132-a	1
3	Gary Slagle	GD011-3	1
3	Gary Slagle	GD011-5	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDH122-1	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDH-144	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDQ7-1	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDR32-1	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDR59-3	1
3	Gary Slagle	GDS88-7	1
3	Gary Slagle	What The Funk (Sdlg # GDM42-60)	1
22	Hugh Stout	VQ-51E	1
14	Terry Toney	ttdkvv7	1
14	Terry Toney	ttmddd16	1

BB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 2

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
18	Robert Skaggs	J16-9-5	2

IB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 2

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
20	Elizabeth Rieniets	48)21-84DH	1
18	Robert Skaggs	J16-9-9	1

MTB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 7

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
6	David Mauerman	20.316A	2
6	Charles Bunnell	19-39-28	1
6	Charles Bunnell	16-18-23	1
6	Charles Bunnell	23-29-5	1
6	Adam Cordes	M8-A	1
1	Stephanie Markham	Mystery Medley (Sdlg # 11-156A)	1

SDB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 6

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
22	Mike Bale	Cowgirl Sunset (Sdlg # 2022-14d)	1

13	Thomas Johnson	TP274A	1
13	Thomas Johnson	TQ309C	1
13	Thomas Johnson	TQ319A	1
1	Alan McWhirter	21-65G	1
3	Gary Slagle	Teddy Bear Picnic (Sdlg # GDD5-2)	1

AB HIGH COMMENDATION

Arilbred irises with at least 25% but less than 50% aril content

Total votes cast = 3

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
23	Howard Dash	A 12-FH-2106	1
23	Howard Dash	A FH-SD-2108	1
23	Howard Dash	A FH-SP-2110	1

SIB HIGH COMMENDATION

Total votes cast = 7

No winners

Region	Hybridizer	Seedling	Votes
1	Marty Schafer & Jan Sacks	S15-72-10	2
1	Dean Cole	DC-T10-22-49-2	1
1	Dean Cole	DC-T8-17-82-5	1
1	Marty Schafer & Jan Sacks	S14-61-13	1
1	Marty Schafer & Jan Sacks	S23-24-3	1
6	Brian Wendel	FOFDP2	1