

Upcoming events in 2024

NOTE: Check other State chapter web sites for information that was not available at the time this chart was created. Please note, some dates have changed since publication.

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DATES	2024 GOURD SOCIETY EVENTS	AGS Judged	Jim Story Award
Apr 19 – 20	Texas - North Texas Gourd Festival. Lake Granbury Conference Center, Granbury TX. Friday & Saturday 9-5. www.texasgourdsociety.org	No	No
Apr 26 – 27	South Carolina - The 2024 South Carolina Ghost Creek Gourd Farm, Laurens, SC. Fri, 1pm-5pm and Sat, 8am-5pm. www.southcarolinagourd.wixsite.com/scgourdsociety	No	No
June 13 – 15	Pennsylvania - PA Gourd Festival, Lebanon Valley Expo Center & Fairgrounds, Lebanon, PA www.pagourdsociety.org	Yes	Yes
June 29 – 30	Missouri - Show-Me Gourd Society Art Festival, Kenneth E Cowan Civic Center, Lebanon, MO www.showmegourdsociety.org	Yes	Yes
Sept 6 – 8	Nevada - Silver State Art Festival, Carson City, NV nevadagourdsociety.org	No	No
Sept 7 – 8	North Carolina - 2024 NC Gourd Arts & Crafts Festival, Holshouse Bldg on the NC State Fairgrounds www.ncgourdsociety.org	Yes	Yes
Sept 7 – 9	Iowa - Loess Hills Gourd Society’s Annual Gourd Show at the Clay County Fair, Spencer, Iowa. Entries are accepted on Fri 9/6, 4-8 PM and Sat 9/7, 8-10:30 AM. email gwmmm@Iowatelecom.net	Yes	No
Sept 19 – 22	Idaho - 2024 Idaho Gourd Festival at Franz Witte Garden Center, Nampa, ID; in conjunction with the American Gourd Society’s Annual Membership Meeting. idahogourdsociety.org	Yes	Yes
Sept 27 – 29	Pennsylvania - Fall Retreat, Cherry Ridge Campgrounds and Lodging, Honesdale, PA www.pagourdsociety.org	No	No
Oct 4 – 5	Texas - Lone Star Gourd Festival, *new location* Ranch Park, 1042 Event Center Dr., Dripping Springs, TX www.texasgourdsociety.org	Yes	No
Oct 4 – 6	Ohio - Ohio Gourd Society’s 2024 Gourd Show. Delaware Co. Fairgrounds, Delaware, OH www.ohiogourdsociety.com	Yes	Yes
Oct 18 – 19	Alabama - 2024 Alabama Gourd Show, Sparkman Civic Center, Hartselle, AL www.alabamagourdsociety.org	Yes	Yes
Oct 25 – 27	Georgia - 26th annual gourd festival’s theme will be “Year of the Dragon.” Kiwanis Fairgrounds, Griffin, GA	Yes	Yes
2024 Other Gourd Events			
April 26 – 28	California Gourd Society - Baskets and Gourds 2024 Elks Lodge #1298, Mill Creek Conference Center, Visalia, CA www.californiagourdsociety.com	No	No
June 5 – 9	North Carolina - The Gourd Gathering (formerly Gourd Gathering at Cherokee) Smoky Mountain Event Center, Waynesville, NC	Yes	No