

JULY– County Garden Show



HOPE YOU HAD A
 CHANCE TO COME TO
 THE COUNTY GARDEN
 SHOW IN JUNE!

Here are some of our
 members and friends
 enjoying the Victorian
 Tea.

The Flower Show

Was the one of the best with more entries than ever! We had approximately 20 youth members enter this year which made the show very exciting. Special thanks to Sherrie Brown from 4H for organizing these young people.

The judging was wonderfully done by Penny Stewart with help from Lenore Kennedy and Joe Kitchen.

Thanks to Walter McGee for organizing the flower show, working on the brochure and all your work to make this such a great success.

Victorian Tea

We served tea and sandwich plate to approximately 145 guests. We served a variety of sandwiches and desserts along with tea served from silver tea pots – and beautiful shortbread cookies supplied by Sprucewood Cookies.

We hope everyone enjoyed!
 Thank you to my great team: Arline, Angela, Connie, Theresa, Mary, Lenore, Phil, Emma and Jennifer – could not have done it without you!

The Vendors

A special thanks to all the wonderful vendors that took part this year. We had some great garden centres, crafts, art, and cookies. I only heard good comments about the great variety offered this year. A very special thanks to Anne Reeves who is responsible for organizing, and finding all these great vendors for the show. Anne and Howard also did the set up for the show and so much more. Thanks!



SUMMER PICNIC

SUNDAY JULY 21

**11437 LOYALIST PARKWAY
 FROM NOON to 5:00 p.m.**

at the home of
Bert & Mary Jenkins

Pot Luck Picnic

*bring your own dishes/cutlery
 soft drinks will be provided*



Anne Reeves – doing one of her Vendor commercials!



There were many amazing arrangements presented in the flower show.

The Speaker

Special thanks to Paul Zammit who gave a very informative talk regarding container gardening. Thanks to Kim Katanik-Kuris who organized the speaker. Everyone who heard Paul was really pleased with his presentation!

Sponsors of the Show

A special thanks to all our sponsors who gave us a great variety of prizes for the show!

- Canadian Tire
- County Farm Store
- Norman Farms
- The Bean Counter Café
- Flowers by Marvin
- County Fireplace Shop
- Stirling Festival Theatre
- Bursta Baskets
- Lockyers
- Sobeys

MEMBERSHIP

Our membership consists of local gardeners from beginners to accredited Master Gardeners. We all have one thing in common and that is our love of gardening. We are 100 members strong and growing, one of the oldest horticultural groups in Ontario.

How to become a Member! Becoming a member is as easy as dropping in for a visit at one of our meetings. Our membership table is always set up. Come as a visitor and see for yourself what we have to offer. Then just stop by the membership table to get your membership card.

Membership Fee \$15.00/year per person or \$25 for a family.

Benefits

- Monthly meetings with guest speakers
- Access to our gardening library
- Direct access to Master Gardeners to answer your gardening questions
- Socializing with like-minded people
- Special events and off-site tours
- Coffee, tea and snacks at each meeting
- Nursery and Greenhouse Garden
- Discounts



Members of the Board

Board Members are listed on our website at

www.pechorticulture.org

Green Trust

Marianne Malachowski
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Master Gardener Group

Kathleen Bazkur
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REMINDER

MASTER GARDENERS ARE GIVING GARDENING ADVICE AT CANADIAN TIRE ON THE WEEKENDS – ASK A MASTER GARDENER! GOOD JOB!!

Mary and Bert Jenkins – thanks for the photos and for taking responsibility for the water station. Thanks.

What's Happening

August 19 -Bath Gardening Club
Tour of Montreal Botanical Gardens

Information:

bathgardeningclub@gmail.com

August 1 -Women's Institute Art and Craft Sale
at the Picton Fairgrounds

July 25 – August 10th Eastern Ontario
Clic Photography Show

@ Books & Company

Shannon Langridge won the Prince Edward
County Horticultural Bursary Award of \$500 –
She was also one of the 4H Members who took
part in the County Garden Show!

Congratulations to Shannon!

Special thanks to all the board members and society members who helped to make this event a success. Too many to mention. Thanks to Gayla Campney and her troupe of helpers manning and for organizing the volunteers at the entrance. We had approximately 500 people come to the show. Thanks to Liz Bowers and Elizabeth Cowan and Gwen Reilly for helping to organize the sale of raffle tickets and the manning of the ticket table.

Monica: Special thanks to Monica for wearing a sandwich board announcing the Show. Monica brought in quite a few people to the show by handing out flyers on Main Street! You did an awesome job!

To all the members who brought goodies for the tea. I am so grateful. Thanks!

*Thanks also to Mayor Peter Mertens for opening our event!
We are looking forward to an even better show next year*

SEPTEMBER GENERAL MEETING – WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25TH

Please come to the general meeting in September – the speaker is TERRY SPRAGUE – nearby and natural is the topic. The mini show is the Annual Rose Show. Have your roses in early for judging.