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November 8th, 7:30 p.m. Marcy Adzich, "Food Forests"



Urban Orchards is a growing movement throughout the world, where communities strive to address food security and improve pollinator ecology in dense urban environments. Many heritage fruit tree varieties have been lost due to the commercialization of fruit, and some innovative new varieties are being created which are disease resistant. Learn more about some great urban orchard projects, varieties of fruit trees you can plant in our bio-region and simple tips to care for your fruit trees. Throughout the talk Marcv will also include information about growing vegetables in your own backyard. From soil health to her favourite edibles.

Marcy Adzich is the Manager of GreenUP Ecology Park .Marcy holds a Masters Degree in Visual Arts and has been teaching in post secondary institutions and community education programs for over 15 years across Canada and the US. Marcy shares her skills and expertise as an experienced landscape designer, local food advocate, beekeeper and citizen arborist working to develop meaningful environmental programs and projects in the Peterborough community since 2011.

Photography competition:

Class 1 - On the job, Class 2 - Natures palette, Class 3 - Winds of change, Class 4 - Shimmering

Normally our Society has held a photography competition as part of the August Flower Show. When we planned this year's schedule we were unsure of whether we would have enough space at the Scout building to include photos. As a result, this year's photo competition is being held at our **November meeting**.

Rules for the entries are on page 40 of your yearbook. One exception to the rule would be the category "On the Job". A natural or horticultural element need not be included in that photo.

The exhibit will be judged by Linda Cardona, who spoke to us last February.

Even if you are not able to be at the November meeting, you could submit photos by giving them to someone who is coming, or by mailing them to *Pam Chellew, P.O.Box 133, Buckhorn, On KOL 1J0* in time for her to submit them for you.

Please submit your photos before 7:00 on Nov. 8th. We all enjoy looking at gardens through other's eyes!

Tuesday, Dec. 13th 6:30p.m. Christmas Potluck!

We'll be having our annual Christmas party and potluck dinner **Dec. 13th**, **6:30 p.m.** Christmas cheer is on its way! More information in next months' newsletter.

LAKEFIELD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



Lakefield Beautification Team

Thanks to all the terrific volunteers for their work on Friday Oct. 21 putting the Village gardens to bed. With so many helpers the work was done quickly and well. Many of these same members have helped to maintain the gardens all summer. Special thanks for this as well, and for Bev Thompson's leadership and guidance. The gardens looked especially spectacular this year despite the drought conditions!

Next year watch for a red and white theme to celebrate Canada's 150th birthday!

Garden Route Member Update www.gardenroute.ca



Avant-Garden Shop: <u>Customer appreciation event</u> will be held this year. Thurs. Nov. 24th from NOON to 8pm. Sign up for their newsletter or call Brenda (743-0068) with your email address to get your invitation! They'll have special snacks, draw prizes and **NO TAX**...fun fun fun!

Gardens Plus: Taking orders for next spring.

Griffins: Open until Christmas. Check out their beautiful winter planters, join up for a workshop. Full list on their website! Gardening isn't over yet!

Greenhouse on The River: Nov. 19th, Christmas open house 10AM - 4PM. Workshops available at The Greenhouse. They are also carrying a wide selection of greens and festive ornaments, everything you need to make your pots holiday ready. Check their website for more details.

Membership dues

As we begin another season, Kathy Macarthur, our membership secretary, will setting up her table at the back of the room once again. Feel free to pick up posters for upcoming meetings, pay your membership and see what other treats might be available. The membership application is once again attached to this newsletter. We have 8 speakers each year, a beautiful yearbook, monthly newsletters and posters, organized bus trips, insurance for many of our activites, a wonderful website, stunning gardens etc. etc.

Website-Facebook-YouTube

Check out our website and facebook pages! They are updated regularly. Often new information appears there before it hits our newsletter! And you don't have to have your own Facebook account to visit our Facebook page! Addresses/links in our masthead (page one)



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 An informative yearbook and monthly newsletter Access to horticulturalists who can offer expert and friendly advice A venue to show flowers and plants at professionally judged flower shows Access to a variety of plant materials and information at monthly meetings Christmas potluck/refreshments and lots of fun!
Mail your membership form and cheque to:
Membership secretary Lakefield Horticultural Society Box #1390 Lakefield, ON K0L 2H0
Or see Kathy MacArthur at the next meeting.
Visit our website at www.lakefieldhort.org
Note: On occasion we take photos at events and meetings. These may appear on our new website or in the newsletter. Please sign below to give consent to use your photo in this way. Your contact information will not be used on the website or in any publication (except the yearbook).
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Lakefield Horticultural Society Membership Application