

Canada Blooms

THE FLOWER AND GARDEN FESTIVAL

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Announcing the 2014 Garden Award Winners at Canada Blooms *Recognizing outstanding achievements in landscaping and gardening*

Toronto, Ont. - Feature Gardens are the highlight at the 18th edition of *Canada Blooms, the Flower and Garden Festival*, running March 14 to 23, 2014 at the Direct Energy Centre, Exhibition Place. Inspiring design and master craftsmanship in gardening and landscape construction and design were recognized at Canada Blooms 2014. The Judges Choice Award, Universal Access Award and Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Awards were announced at the Ceremony during 'Industry Night' on Thursday, March 20, 2014 at Canada Blooms. Awards were presented for creativity in garden design, best overall quality of workmanship, innovative elements, and many others.

Canada Blooms is pleased to recognize the winners:

2014 FEATURE GARDEN AWARD WINNERS

AWARD NAME	WINNER	BUILDER
The Sheridan Nurseries Award for Outstanding Garden, Small Size	Garden #7 – No title	J GARFIELD THOMPSON LANDSCAPE
The S.G. Ulbright Award for Outstanding Garden, Medium Size	Garden #17 - Traverse	VAUGHAN LANDSCAPING
The Gordon A. MacEachern Award for Outstanding Garden, Large Size	Garden #30 - REWilding	PARKLANE NURSERIES
Outstanding Interpretation of the Show Theme "Wild!" <i>Presented by Isuzu Commercial Truck of Canada</i>	Garden #31 – The Bateman Forest Trail	BIENENSTOCK NATURAL PLAYGROUNDS Presented by Canadian Wildlife Federation

Outstanding Representation of Sponsor Message <i>Presented by Hub Sinclair-Cockburn</i>	Garden #33A – Ofium Exercise	SHAWN GALLAUGHER LANDSCAPE DESIGN Presented by RE/MAX
The Garden Club of Toronto Award for Best Overall Use of Colour	Garden #6 – Come Alive Outside	LANDSCAPE ONTARIO HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION WITH THE SCOTT WENTWORTH LANDSCAPING GROUP
The W.E. Bridgeman Award for Best Overall Use of Hard Landscape Elements	Garden #35 – Wild Atlantic Way	LANDSCAPES BY LUCIN Presented by Tourism Ireland
The Humber Nurseries Award for Best Overall Use of Plant Material	Garden #30 - REWilding	PARKLANE NURSERIES
The Leslie L. Solty Memorial Award for Best Overall Creativity in Garden Design	Garden #32 – Wet, Wild and Canadian	GENOSCAPE Presented by Harrowsmith
The Landscape Ontario Award For Best Overall Quality of Workmanship	Garden #7 – No Title	J GARFIELD THOMPSON LANDSCAPE
Best Use of Bulbs <i>Presented by TradeWinds International Sales Co</i>	Garden #23 – Ontario's West Coast	TOWN OF GODERICH
Outstanding Outdoor Entertainment Area	Garden #37 – Dinosaur Preserve	EARTHSCAPE ONTARIO
Most Imaginative Garden Design <i>Presented by Tourism Ireland</i>	Garden #33B – Wild/Life	SHIBUI LANDSCAPING Presented by RE/MAX
Outstanding Use of Artistic Elements in a Garden	Garden #8F – The Wild Artist	GREEN MASTERS LANDSCAPING

Outstanding Educational Garden <i>(for students)</i>	Garden #29 – No Title	WINKELMOLEN NURSERY
Outstanding Use of Trees	Garden #31- The Bateman Forest Trail	BIENENSTOCK NATURAL PLAYGROUNDS Presented by Canadian Wildlife Federation
Outstanding Use of Interior Plants	Garden #30 - REWilding	PARKLANE NURSERIES
Outstanding Use of Annuals and/or Perennials	Garden #10 – Vibrant Urban Wilderness	CREATIVE GARDEN DESIGNS & HOLLANDER LANDSCAPING
The Perry Molema Award for Outstanding Use of Water <i>Presented by Aquascape Inc</i>	Garden #7 – No Title	J GARFIELD THOMPSON LANDSCAPE
Outstanding Use of Natural Stone <i>Presented by Beaver Valley Stone</i>	Garden #17 – Traverse	VAUGHAN LANDSCAPING
Outstanding Use of Structures	Garden #12 – Wild About Stone	NEAR NORTH HARDSCAPES
Outstanding Use of Pre-Cast Pavers <i>Presented by Permacon Group</i>	Garden #6 – Come Alive Outside	LANDSCAPE ONTARIO HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION WITH THE SCOTT WENTWORTH LANDSCAPING GROUP
Outstanding Use of Walkways	Garden #19 – Tuscan Retreat	ELITE ENVIRONMENTS
Outstanding Outdoor Living Space	Garden #13 – Taming The Wild	ROYAL STONE LANDSCAPING AND DESIGN & AQUASPA POOLS AND LANDSCAPE DESIGN

Outstanding Use of Innovative Elements in a Garden	Garden #39 – North of 60	FORESTELL
Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Award of Excellence	Garden #39 – North of 60	FORESTELL WITH SHIFT LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, MIKE BARKER, OALA, CSLA
Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Award of Excellence	Garden #7 – No Title	J GARFIELD THOMPSON LANDSCAPE, JAMES THOMPSON, OALA, CSLA
Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Award of Honour	Garden #6 – Come Alive Outside	LANDSCAPE ONTARIO HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION WITH SCOTT WENTWORTH, OALA, CSLA
Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Award of Honour	Garden #38 – 'Severance'	ECOMAN & CONSTANT VAN RUYMBEKE WITH VICTORIA TAYLOR, OALA, CSLA
Ontario Association of Landscape Architects Award of Honour	Garden 33B – 'wild/Life'	SHIBUI LANDSCAPING WITH REAL EGUCHI, OALA, CSLA
Universal Access Award Presented by City of Toronto	Garden #6 – Come Alive Outside	LANDSCAPE ONTARIO HORTICULTURAL TRADES ASSOCIATION WITH THE SCOTT WENTWORTH LANDSCAPING GROUP
Universal Access Honourable Mention Presented by City of Toronto	Garden #12 – Wild About Stone	NEAR NORTH HARDSCAPES
Universal Access Honourable Mention Presented by City of Toronto	Garden #10 – Vibrant Urban Wilderness	CREATIVE GARDEN DESIGNS & HOLLANDER LANDSCAPING
The Canada Blooms Judges' Choice Award for Best Overall Garden	Garden #30 – REWilding	PARKLANE NURSERIES