

## 2023 Events

Spring Seed exchanges

Sat May 27 Plant Sale

Summer Trips, Garden Strolls

Sun July 2 Stratford Garden Tour  
Visit eight private gardens

Fall Stratford Fall Fair  
Seed Collection

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## 2023 Program

IN PERSON (with ZOOM option)

First Monday of month (Except Jan and Sept)  
Army Navy Hall 151 Lorne Ave. E. N5A 6S4  
Doors open at 6 PM

- 6: 30 pm Interactive Garden Chat followed by a brief business meeting.
- 7:30 pm Featured Speaker  
PROGRAM SUBJECT TO CHANGE
- Enjoy Plant Exchanges, Swap Table, Networking Opportunities, Door Prizes, Special Offers
- Refreshments available - Army Navy bar
- All are welcome. FREE.

## 2023 Speakers

Mon January 9 - (2<sup>nd</sup> Monday) ZOOM ONLY  
CHAT: Our Gardens by garden volunteers

SPEAKER: Herbs - grow, harvest, use  
Nancy Lee-Colibaba, Brantford Master Gardener

Mon February 6  
CHAT: Favorite Seed Varieties  
Members Panel

SPEAKER: Houseplants to Consider  
Jim Mabee, Judge, OHA District 10

Mon March 6  
CHAT: Gardening on a "New Build" Lot  
Mike Matthews and Kathy Robertson

SPEAKER: Uncommon Vegetables,  
Common Pests  
Prof Amy Turnbull, Fanshawe College, London

Mon April 3  
CHAT: New Perennials  
Brenda Sutherland, Earthbound Gardens

SPEAKER: Integrated Pest Management  
John Close, Earthbound Gardens, Red Bay

Mon May 1  
CHAT: Freeze, Dehydrate Your Produce  
Dianne Wheler, Stratford Master Gardener

SPEAKER: Cook What You Grow  
Chef Murray Zehr, Author, Ayr

Mon Sept 11 (second Monday)  
CHAT: Butterflies & Moths & Host Plants  
Lorraine Kuepfer, Stratford Master Gardener

SPEAKER: Garden Myths, Legends, Folklore  
Cheryl Losch, London Master Gardener

Mon October 2  
CHAT: Overwintering Tender Plants

SPEAKER: Fall Perennials  
Heinke Thiessen, Master Gardener, Mississauga

Mon November 6,  
CHAT / DEMO: Seasonal Planter

SPEAKER: Container Perennial Trials  
Rodger Tschanz, University of Guelph

Monday December 4 Annual General Meeting  
SOCIAL  
SPEAKER: Big Ideas for Small Gardens  
Paul Gellatly, Author, "The Tattooed Gardener"

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## Keep in Contact

Email: [sdhs1878@outlook.com](mailto:sdhs1878@outlook.com)

Website: [gardenstratford.org](http://gardenstratford.org)

Visit the Garden Stratford [Facebook](#) page  
(A public site for everyone)

Visit the private Facebook page- members only  
(plant exchanges and swap shop)  
email [sdhs1878@outlook.com](mailto:sdhs1878@outlook.com) to join.

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### **Volunteer with us!**

Enjoy sharing gardening skills, information, plants and experiences. Meet new people and have fun! - Email [sdhs1878@outlook.com](mailto:sdhs1878@outlook.com)

### **Stratford Public Gardens we maintain:**

- Centre Street
- Churchill Circle
- Iris Garden
- Library Garden \*NEW\*
- Pergola at Lake Victoria
- Queensland
- Bonnie Richardson Memorial Garden
- Catherine East Memorial Garden
- Containers at United Way & Library

Visit [stratfordgardens.com](http://stratfordgardens.com) for maps and information on Stratford public gardens

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### **Options to Purchase Memberships**

Still a bargain at \$15.00 (per Calendar year)

[sdhsmember@gardenstratford.org](mailto:sdhsmember@gardenstratford.org)

By e transfer to: [sdhsmember@wightman.ca](mailto:sdhsmember@wightman.ca)

Please include your phone number and email.

Buy memberships at any meeting or at  
**FLOWERS ON YORK ( now at 291 Lorne ) and  
STRATFORD BLOOMS**

Send a cheque by mail to Stratford and District  
Horticultural Society P.O. Box 25081,  
RPO Huron Street Stratford, ON N5A 0B4

### **Member Discounts**

Present your 2023 membership card to receive discounts on regular priced products across Ontario and locally at:

#### **Cozyn's Garden Gallery**

680 Huron St. 519 393 3666  
10% off

#### **Flowers on York**

291 Lorne Ave. 519 273 7777  
10% off

#### **Garden in Harrington**

336813- 3rd line, Embro, 519 859 2428  
10% off bulbs

#### **Klomp's Home & Garden**

3994 Perth Line 20, 519 271 3090  
10% off

#### **Klomp's Landscaping/Tree Farm**

2693 Rd 119 St Mary's, 519 284 0254  
15% off bulk soil, mulch, large trees

#### **Sebringville Garden Centre**

RR5,137 Huron Rd. 519 393 6131  
10% off plant material

#### **Stratford Blooms**

52 Albert St. 519 814 5000  
10% off loose flowers/greens

#### **Tri-County Brick Company**

320 Home St. 519 273 5151  
10% on landscape materials



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**Our Vision  
Gardening for Life!**

**Celebrate our 145<sup>th</sup> year  
2023**

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