

Your Georgina-Brock Garden Club Newsletter

March 2024



Sharing the Beauty

Dear Gardeners;

March weather never disappoints! It changes daily and keeps us guessing; no wonder weather is one of our favourite topics of conversation. We all hold fast to the promise of sunshine, warmth and longer days.

March is an important month for gardeners as thoughts turn to the growing season ahead. Many of us are starting seeds indoors.



Organizing the Chaos of Nature

Paul LaPorte, owner of Ephemeral Ark Native Plant Nursery, will explore the impact of European settlement on Ontario's ecology in the 19th century and the perception that controlling nature is progress.

*Come Early for our
Welcome to Spring
Dessert Party*



**Monday, April 8
7:00 pm
Pefferlaw Lions Hall
38 Pete's Lane**

Everyone Welcome



Garden Ontario
KEEPING ONTARIO BEAUTIFUL

Our garden club's first meeting of the year last week brought out a record number of attendees and about a dozen brand new members. Word is spreading that our club is a friendly place to connect with gardeners and garden know-how.

Seedy Saturday is March 23! It is a fun and free event; an enthusiastic way to celebrate the beginning of spring and a glorious start to the gardening season. When you attend, remember to bring some seeds to contribute to the Seed Swap table (if you have some to share).

I am very proud of our club's involvement with Seedy Saturday. Thank you to the many volunteers who have offered help to make this event successful - volunteers are the lifeblood of our club and so greatly appreciated.

Happy gardening,

Denise, President GBGC
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SEEDY SATURDAY MARCH 23 2024



Pefferlaw Lions Hall
38 Pete's Lane, Pefferlaw - Doors Open 9 to 2
Get ready for the garden season!

Presentations

- 9:15 Shea & Natalie-Green & Bloom Farm
Seed Starting/Best Practices
- 10:15 John & Nicole-Glen Road Organics
Full Soil Foodweb & Compost
- 10:30 Children's Story Time with the
Georgina Public Library
- 11:15 Discussion Panel/Q&A

Vendors

Check out all the vendors!



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Free
admission



Co-Hosts: Beaverton, Cannington & Georgina-Brock Horticultural Clubs



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What's Happening:

Saturday, March 23, Seedy Saturday, Pefferlaw Lions Hall, 9-2 pm, co-hosted by Georgina-Brock, Cannington & Beaverton Garden Clubs

Monday, March 25, Cannington Horticultural Society, *Plant Propagation 101* with Dan Galea, Cannington Baptist Church, 7:30 pm

Monday, April 8, Georgina-Brock Garden Club, *Organizing the Chaos of Nature* with Paul LaPorte, Pefferlaw Lions Hall, Welcome to Spring Dessert Party, 7:00 pm

Monday, April 22, Earth Day

Thursday, April 25, Beaverton Garden Club, *Spring Flower Arrangement Design Workshop* with Mike Gibbs, Pre-registration required, St Paul's Anglican Church

Saturday, April 27, District 17 AGM hosted by the Oshawa Garden Club

Monday, April 29, Cannington Garden Club, *Indigenously Infused Gardens* with Robyn Ivory Pierson & John McIntosh, Cannington Baptist Church 7:30 pm

If you have any suggestions for upcoming newsletters just contact kathiecb3@gmail.com



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