



Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 7:00 pm

Speaker: Cathy Hooper "Veggies in the Edible Landscape"

Cathy Hooper is certified as an Organic Master Gardener and Permaculture Designer. Cathy is interested in teaching others to grow food so that we can all contribute to a sustainable food system. She also recognizes that edible plants can be incorporated beautifully into a landscape design or individual garden. Cathy has recently taught a series of workshops to install an edible garden for children's programs at Camp Kawartha's environment centre, near Trent University. In the past she has been a CSA and market gardener and is currently homesteading with her family on five acres in Warsaw. Cathy provides consultations, mentoring and workshops to create edible landscapes to interested members of the community as well.



President's Message

As we begin a new year, I'm so glad that we can do so TOGETHER. Everyone who volunteers of their time and energy strengthens the entire Society. Let's endeavour to have a lot of fun while we're doing it! We have a great line-up of speakers for 2019, and I'm really looking forward to our incredible Garden Show at the new venue in April. Make it a great start to a great year.

❖ MJ Pilgrim

Review of the Weather Cancellation Procedure

If we decide to cancel our Wednesday night Society meeting, an e-mail will be sent out to all members by noon of the meeting day. Also, a notice will be sent to the local radio stations Oldies 96.7, Fresh 100.5, and Country 105. Cancellation is rare, but it is good to be prepared!



LUGAMUG: Don't forget to bring your coffee mug and wear your **Name Tag** to our meeting. **Web:** peterboroughhort.com

Newsletter Submissions: ptbohortsoc@gmail.com **Mail:** P.O. Box 1372 Peterborough, ON K9J 7H6

facebook: Peterborough Horticultural Society & The Peterborough Garden Show **twitter:** @PtboHortSoc & @PtboGardenShow

Hospitality

Our December Christmas Meeting was again a success, with donations from all of our wonderful members. On behalf of our board members, Anita and myself, we say Thank you, Thank you for your generosity. We delivered 108 pairs of men's socks, 9 hats, 9 pairs of gloves and 3 scarves to Brock Mission along with 2 trays of goodies from our treat table. Then, Pat Lounsbury delivered 50 hats for women and children, 46 pairs of mittens, 15 scarves, and 26 pairs of socks to Crossroads Shelter for Women. We also delivered 257 lbs. of non-perishable food to Kawartha Food Share. Every year we are surpassing the previous year's totals!! We are truly a giving group.

❖ **Annie English and Anita Clifford**

OHA Winter Trillium Newsletter has been released!

Includes articles about:

- OHA Society activities
- OHA Website update
- OHA awards & grants
- 2019 Convention information (Also on website) in Windsor

www.gardenontario.org

Garden Show – Volunteer Sign-Up

It's that time again, our Garden Show wouldn't be the success it is without our awesome volunteers! **Coming Soon - On-Line SignUp** - more information to follow at our January meeting. I'll also have sign-up sheets available at the meeting.

Call or email me with any questions:

❖ **Donna O'Brien** Ph 705-748-0026 donnared2001@yahoo.com

PHS Meeting Info

Guests are always welcome at PHS meetings for a nominal \$2 charge.

Memberships

Memberships: \$20.00 Individual, \$25 Family, \$2 guest

A new year of learning and growing awaits! Have you renewed your membership for the coming year of great speakers? Please come see Laura or Susan at the welcome desk.

No need to fill out a form if your contact information is unchanged. For those paying cash, it is helpful to bring the funds in an unsealed envelope with your name on it. Save trees and reuse an old envelope. Remember to wear your name tag, it helps us all get to know each other and we already have 2019 tags available, just waiting for your renewal. And just to inspire you, and add a little fun, we will be offering a free membership at the Fun Table for this month! Looking forward to seeing you all this month.

❖ **Laura Jack and Susan Gomez-Duran**

Website: www.PeterboroughGardenShow.com

This site is your gateway to all things Garden Show. Use it and love it. Show dates: April 26-28, 2019.

Here you will find dates, times, place, people and events.

We have dynamic speakers, and incredible workshops in our gorgeous new venue (Fleming College Trades & Technology Centre). If you take city bus #7 Fleming College, ask the driver to let you off right in front of the show. How great is that?



Please consider volunteering. With just 2 shifts, you get to come to the show for the whole weekend. You don't have to join a committee or attend meetings. There are lots of tasks you can even do in a couple of hours at home, before the show. But when show time comes, get your preferred shifts by signing up early.

Remember why we do this. It is our way of giving back to our community, and we do it so well & have fun while we do.

We are a terrific group and we do terrific things. Make sure to join in!

❖ **Caileen Viscoff**, 2019 Chair, Peterborough Garden Show

Perennial Plant of the Year 2019 **Stachys monieri 'Hummelo'**

❖ **Credit to perennialplant.org**

A cousin to the familiar Lamb's-Ears, but not at all similar. This is a clump-forming perennial, forming a low mound of crisp green foliage. In early summer the upright spikes of bright-purple flowers appear, which attract bees to the nectar. Removing faded flowers will encourage more buds to form for weeks on end. An interesting and unusual perennial for near the front of the border, or in containers. Plants may be clipped back hard immediately after blooming, to tidy up the clumps for the rest of the season.



Easily divided in early spring. Prefers a sunny location and is hardy to zone 4.

Upcoming Events

Save the Date – Saturday March 2: Peterborough & Area Master Gardeners are hosting the 4th Annual “Day in the Garden” at Activity Haven. “Everyone Welcome!” See peterboroughmastergardeners.com for more information and to register -- \$40 includes a catered lunch.



SOOS Orchid Show and Plant Sale – February 9 & 10: Southern Ontario Orchid Society – 11am to 5pm both days at the Toronto Botanical Gardens. More info: www.soos.ca.

Canada Blooms – March 8-17: Enercare Centre, Toronto. canadablooms.com

Peterborough Garden Show – April 26, 27, 28: Fleming College Trades and Technology Centre, Peterborough.

Seedy Sunday – March 10:

Peterborough’s 14th annual seed swap and sale, 12noon – 5pm. Emmanuel East United Church (formerly George St. United). Free admission.



SEEDY SUNDAY

Sunday March 10th 12-5pm
534 George St N

Peterborough’s 14th Annual
Heirloom Seed Sale & Swap

#PtboSeedySunday
www.urbantomato.ca/learn

OHA District 4 AGM – Saturday April 6: 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - hosted by Colborne/Cramahe.



**“Every gardener knows that under the cloak of winter lies a miracle....
A seed waiting to sprout, a bulb opening to the light, a bud straining to
unfurl. And the anticipation nurtures our dream.”**

~Barbara Winkler

Peterborough & Area Master Gardeners

A Day for Gardeners



Saturday, March 2, 2019 \$40

9:45am – 3:00pm Activity Haven, Peterborough
Featuring 6 speakers and a delicious lunch...

**** REGISTER NOW ****

peterboroughmastergardeners.com

register@peterboroughmastergardeners.com



PETERBOROUGH HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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Membership 2019

****NEW**** Returning members can renew quickly at the Membership Desk and do not have to fill out this form unless an address change is required.

<input type="checkbox"/> New Membership	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal with address change	Date Paid: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Single @ \$20	<input type="checkbox"/> Family @ \$25	Payment: Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque <input type="checkbox"/>
		Nametag: Given <input type="checkbox"/> or Needed <input type="checkbox"/>

- ☐ Please indicate if you wish to have your yearbook (and nametag) mailed to you.
If so, please include **\$5** to cover cost of postage.
- ☐ In accordance with the anti-spam law, please check your consent for the receipt of emails for PHS related information to the email listed or on file. Please add **ptbohortsoc@gmail.com** to your safe list.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email: _____

Please list the names & email addresses of members who are included in the Family Membership.

NAME	EMAIL ADDRESS
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Please make cheques payable to: **Peterborough Horticultural Society.** Do not send cash in the mail.