



the 2004 Canadian Gardening index

MAGAZINE

issues

M: February/March 2004
A: April 2004
MAY: May 2004
J: June 2004
S: Summer 2004
SEPT: September 2004
O/N: October/November 2004
W: Winter 2005

A

Acadian flag made of flowers (Atlantic) J124
 Adopt-a-worm (B.C.) J20
 African sculpture W29
 African violets W62
 Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens S46
 Annual pot-fillers MAY162
 Annuals, top 10 for 2004 MAY124
 Antiqued copper tub W29
 Apple blossom festival (Atlantic) MAY132
 Artichokes J108

ARMCHAIR GARDENER

Designing Borders by Noel Kingsbury M18
Effortless Gardening (video) with Miriam Levenson A22
Encyclopedia of Roses: The Definitive A-Z Guide by Charles & Brigid Quest-Ritson J24
Encyclopedia of Water Garden Plants by Greg and Sue Speichert S24
Firefly Dictionary of Plant Names: Common & Botanical, The by Harold Bagust MAY24
Gardening on Pavement, Tables, and Hard Surfaces by George Schenk SEPT16
Hardy Palms and Palm-Like Plants by Martyn Graham M18
Illustrated Guide to Maples, An by Antoine le Hardy de Beaulieu O/N14
Jewel Box Garden, The by Thomas Hobbs W18
Organic Home Garden by Patrick Lima MAY27
Palms Won't Grow Here and Other Myths by David Francko M18
Primula by John Richards A20
Pulmonarias and the Borage Family by Masha Bennett SEPT18
Roses: A Celebration ed. by Wayne Winterowd J22
Roses in Modern Gardens by Sally Court J22
Urban Gardener Indoors, The by Sonia Day O/N16
Water Garden Encyclopedia, The by

Philip Swindells S24
Water in the Garden by James Allison S25
Woodland Garden: Planting in Harmony with Nature, The by Roy Forster and Alex Downie W18

Books mentioned in Winter Gift Guide but not reviewed:

A Place in the Rain edited by Michael Lascelle W32
Best Rose Guide: A Comprehensive Selection by Roger Phillips and Martyn Rix W32
Best Trees and Shrubs for the Prairies by Hugh Skinner and Sara Williams W32
Hydrangeas for American Gardens by Michael Dir W32
Indoor Plant Gardening for Canada by Laura Peters W32
Meadows by Christopher Lloyd W32
There is a Season: A Memoir in a Garden by Patrick Lane W32
What Grows Where in Canadian Gardens editor-in-chief Trevor Cole W32

WEBSITES

Accessible Gardening A34
 Dirt Gardener's New Roses Pictorial J27
 Gardens for Every Body A34
 Gardening in Raised Beds and Containers A34
 Help Me Find Roses J27
 Organic websites MAY27
 Seedy Saturdays M18
 World Federation of Rose Societies J27

B

Bamboo M102
 Bee balm SEPT46
 Bellflower A94
 Bionic gardening glove MAY46
 Bird baths, alternative uses S36
 Bird feeding W46
 Bird studies MAY45

BOTANICAL BRIEFS

Iris variegata M33
 Plants brought back from Crusades J42
 Botanical Latin, why it's important to use (Q&A) A24

Botanically derived beauty products W29
 Botanically inspired pillows W29
 Bringing plants inside for the winter SEPT29
 Bringing the outside in O/N33
 Bulbs, forcing O/N58

BY DESIGN

"Design Aid" M24
 "Gardening on the Wild Side" O/N20
 "Joys of Geometry, The" W24
 "Measure for Measure" MAY34
 "Making the Grade" J34
 "Perfect Balance, A" S30
 "Praise of Evergreens, In" A28
 "Shape of Things to Come, The" SEPT22

C

Calgary Home and Garden Show (Prairies) M90
Camassia J50
 Cannas M55
 Carrots O/N76
 Caterpillar transformation A37
 Ceramic burners W29
 Chemical control of bugs, diminish use of (Prairies) J124
 Chrysanthemums O/N28
 Cloches A38
 Codling moth (B.C.) M90
 Compact furniture S68
 Coneflowers SEPT84
 Conifers (Que.) O/N90
 Container displays A58
 Cooling ties S38
 Crabapples MAY86
 Cranesbills J96
 Crocosmias S56
 Currants and gooseberries MAY114

D

Daisy sweater W29
 Dance fly mating MAY45
 Dividing irises SEPT30
 Dogwood as a barrier A36

DOWN TO EARTH

"Defending My Turf" A30
 "Easy Does It" SEPT24
 "Passe and Proud" S32
 "Pouncing on Peonies" MAY38

"Power Hungry" O/N22
 "Too Hot to Handle" M26
 "Troubled Tater" W24
 "Waste Not Want Not" J36

E, F

Earth blender A38
 Earthready Jiffy pots J40
 Earwigs in roses (Q&A) J29
 Edging J42
Epimedium MAY104
 Establishing local growers (Atlantic) A122
 Exercising before gardening prevents osteoporosis A40
 Fall colour to your garden, adding (Ont.) O/N90
 Fall garden tips (Atlantic) J20

FIRST PERSON

"Identity Crisis" SEPT80

Fibrous-rooted plant, definition J20

Flea market treasures SEPT34

FLORA AND FAUNA

Bird feeding W46

Flora Babies J41

Floral wall art W29

Flowery Dishes W29

FOOD/GROWING

Artichokes J108

Carrots O/N76

Currants and gooseberries MAY114

Onions W78

Peas A98

Plums SEPT72

Spinach M72

Tomatoes S78

Forget-me-nots MAY52

Fragrant foliage O/N70

Fresh bags J41

FROM A GARDENER (Editorial)

"Brotherly Love" W8

"Fresh Start, A" O/N6

"Glum & Glummer" S12

"Love's Labour Lost" A8

"Twilight Time" MAY12

"Under Construction" M8

"Up, Up and Away" SEPT8

"Wacky & Tacky" J12

Frost date, last (Que.) MAY132

G

Garden beds, renovate O/N40

Garden bench W29

Garden collectibles SEPT68

GARDEN GEAR

Compact furniture S68

Loppers A48

West Nile know-how MAY56

Wheelbarrows J54

Garden Hands O/N27

Garden hod W29
 Garden journal W29
 Garden stakes, decorative W29
 Gardening gloves W29

GARDENS

Atlantic

"Art of Gardening, The" three gardens from Mahone Bay, N.S., Whitcombe/Bardon/Logan, artists as gardeners M60

"Island Romance" Warren Grove, P.E.I., Aikens, pastels, English-country look J100

"Victory Lap" St-Simon, N.B., Hebert, 2002 Gardens of the Year winner MAY78

British Columbia

"Calling, The" Vancouver Island, Rowberry, garden "spoke" to owner, lots of heathers O/N62

"Island Idylls" three gardens from Salt Spring Island, Henderson/Langley/Lake MAY94

"Northern Exposure" Atlin, Clark, Zone 1b garden J90

"Timeless Beauty" Vancouver, Varner, 1912 Arts and Crafts house; garden focus heritage and native plants J72

Ontario

"Balancing Act" Sudbury, Lennox and Caswell, growing family and gardening A72

"Home and Native Land" Ottawa, Kratina, inner-city oasis with lots of veggies MAY108

"Family Plot" Aurora, Walsh and Kovacs, how to landscape a barren, suburban property W52

"Jungle Fever" Mississauga, Horan, tropics transform wasteland M46

"Prince of Serendip, The" Simcoe, John Walker, gardener welcomes elements of chance SEPT50

"Scenic Route" Hamilton, Mowat, small but beautiful garden S74

"Up on the Roof" Toronto, co-op building/401 Richmond Ltd., rooftop gardening S60

Prairies

"Best of Both Worlds, The" Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Keen, Zone 2 garden SEPT62

"Uphill Battles" Alberta, four couples take on slope gardening A86

"Well Seasoned" Edmonton, Alberta, Batsch, garden that looks good throughout the year W66

Quebec

"Beds & Borders" St-Hyacinthe, Lussier, motel owner with nice garden O/N52

Garry oak decline (B.C.) J124
 Geotropic flowers (sensitive to gravity) M32
 Government House gardens, restoring (B.C.) SEPT88

GRASS MENAGERIE

Eastern chipmuck, goldfinch, green frog O/N48

Mole salamander, wood frog, pearl crescent butterfly, American peleciniid M42

Spring peeper, garter snake, American robin, Northern walking stick, black and yellow garden spider MAY72

Grasshopper infestations (Q&A) MAY29

Grave marker in garden (Mailbox) W16

Green Garden Visit MAY45

GreenJeans SEPT29

Griffin, Gus MAY70

Gro-Mat M32

GROUNDBREAKERS

Griffin, Gus MAY70

Jalbert, Brad J66

Reader, William O/N88

GROWING

African violets W62

Bellflowers A94

Bulbs, forcing O/N58

Cannas M55

Coneflowers SEPT84

Crabapples MAY86

Cranesbills J96

Crocasmias S56

Epimedium MAY104

Fragrant foliage O/N70

Magnolias A78

Roses, companion plants for J86

Roses, new kinds of J80

Shrubs, four-season W73

Shrubs in borders SEPT56

Silver foliage plants J116

Speedwell S86

Standards M66

GUERRILLA GARDENER

Laternus, Joe A108

H

Ho-Mi digger W29

HORT & SOUL

Tuddenham, Barry MAY64

HORTUS TRIVIALIS

Dance fly mating MAY45

Geotropic flowers (sensitive to gravity) M32

Plants that stop producing scent after fertilization S37

Purple carrots SEPT28

Salad made of 537 ingredients J41

Hose water, lead in MAY46

HOW-TO

Exercising before gardening prevents osteoporosis A40
Organize a garden tour M34
Picket-fence mirror SEPT39
Hurricanes and plants (Atlantic) SEPT88

I, J, K

IDEAS

Container displays A58
Garden collectibles SEPT68

IN MY GARDEN

Stephen Westcott-Gratton O/N84
Intersectional peonies (Que.) S94
Irises, how to divide SEPT30
Jade plant, blooming (Q&A) W20
Jalbert, Brad J66
Kalancho 'Big Momma', Friendship plant (Que.) M90
Krylon plastic paint MAY44

L, M

Laternus, Joe A108

LAZY GARDENER

"Carpet of Shame" A26
"Lady in Waiting" SEPT20
"Space-Aid" J30
Leblanc, Walter (tuberous begonias) A66
Long-lasting garden bouquets J146
Loppers A48
Lumpy soil (Q&A) S26
MAGNIFICENT OBSESSION
Tuberous begonias (Walter Leblanc) A66
Tree peonies (John Tai) J62
Magnolias A78
Mantel decor W44
Master Gardener course in rural Manitoba (Prairies) SEPT88
Memorial tree O/N26

N, O

Napa stoneware pots W29
Narcissi secrete toxic substance A36
Niagara-on-the-Lake house tour W39
Nikka Yuko Japanese Garden SEPT40
No Ant plant SEPT29
Okanagan fires, soil problems due to (B.C.) A122
Onions W78
Orchids (gift guide) W29
Organize a garden tour M34
Outdoor games table W29

P, Q

Park services in Toronto, reduction of (Ont.) S94
Pasque flowers A44
Patio chair covers J40
Peas A98
Peat bogs, preserving (Que.) J124

Perennials, new for 2004 M80
Picket-fence mirror SEPT39
Pincher, Alta (Prairies) S94
Planters, lightweight S37
PlantKlip S37
PLANT PICKS
Annual pot-fillers MAY162
Bamboo M102
Best earliest perennials W98
Long-lasting garden bouquets J146
See-through trees for small spaces S114
Showy, drought-resistant perennials SEPT98
Shrubs, best for fall fruit O/N106
Sweet peas A146

PLANT PROFILES

Bee balm SEPT46
Camassia J50
Chrysanthemums O/N28
Forget-me-nots MAY52
Pasque flowers A44
Snapdragons S40
Witch hazel W34
Plant thugs MAY66
Plants that stop producing scent after fertilization S37
Plums SEPT72
Potted ponds S50
Powdery mildew (Q&A) S26
Preparing planters O/N27

PROJECTS

Mantel decor W44
Potted ponds S50
Raised bed MAY48
Small shed J44
Versailles planter M38
Pruning in spring A62
Psyllopsis discrepans (Prairies) O/N90
Public gardens for children (Ont.) A122
Purple carrots SEPT28

Q&A

Botanical Latin, why it's important to use A24
Earwigs in roses J29
Grasshopper infestations MAY29
Jade plant, blooming W20
Powdery Mildew S26
Rabbits in the garden MAY29
Road salt, harm lawns W20
Rose of Sharon leaf drop SEPT18
Sand cherry wood dieback MAY29
Soil: why lumpy? S26
Vines (trumpet and bittersweet vine) not blooming SEPT18
Whiteflies on Virginia creeper O/N16
Winterize pond plants O/N16
Zones: how do plants get rated? A24
'Queen Purple' hollyhock M33

R

Rabbits in the garden (Q&A) MAY29
Raised bed, build a MAY48
Reader, William O/N 88
Recall of camellias (B.C.) S94

RECIPES

Artichoke & chicken paella J112
Artichoke dips J114
Baby spinach salad M78
Blackcurrant & orange frozen yogurt MAY120
Carrot, date and nut cake O/N83
Carrot fettucine & scallops O/N80
Chive and ricotta gnocchi W84
French onion tart W82
Gooseberry & elderflower gin fizz MAY122
Green pea soup with mint & curry A104
Grilled beefsteaks S84
Moroccan carrot salad O/N98
Noodle salad with snow peas A106
Phyllo pizza square S84
Plum clafoutis SEPT78
Savoury redcurrant & raspberry sauce MAY122
Sugar snap pea & shrimp cocktail A106
Summer antipasto artichokes in wine sauce J112
Tomato soup with spinach M78
Tuscan bread salad S84
Two-onion soup W84
Two-plum chutney SEPT78
White bean dip M78
Wine-poached plums SEPT78

RESPONSIBLE GARDENING

Guerrilla gardening A114
Restoring Public Gardens in Halifax (Atlantic) M90
Road salt, harm lawns W20
Rock garden in N.B. (Atlantic) S94
Rooter pot system MAY46
Rose of Sharon leaf drop (Q&A) SEPT18
Roses, companion plants for J86
Roses, new kinds of J80
Rototilling at night A37
Royal Botanical Garden, revamping (Ont.) MAY132
Rubber boots, Splashy W29

S

Salad made of 537 ingredients J41
Sand cherry, wood dieback (Q&A) MAY31
SAVVY GARDENER
"Cling to Spring" MAY32
"Give & Take" M22
"Layered Loveliness" O/N18
"Money Well Spent" S28
See-through trees for small spaces S114
Showy, drought-resistant perennials SEPT98

Shrubs, best for fall fruit O/N106
 Shrubs, four-season W73
 Shrubs in borders SEPT56
 Signs of spring (Ont.) M90
 Silver foliage plants J116
 Six Nations peoples, preserving botanical legacy of (Ont.) J124
 Small shed, how to make a J44
 Snapdragons S40

SNAPSHOTS

Adam, Judith MAY20
 Callis, Dan M14
 Clark, Kevin J18
 Cole, Trevor A14
 Cox, Tracy MAY20
 Dudar, Carol S18
 Filipski, Gerald A14
 Flanigan, Lorraine SEPT14
 Forrester, Tina O/N12
 Fox, Beckie M14
 Hall, Carol S18
 Hodgson, Larry W14
 Holdsworth, Patricia SEPT14
 Hunter, Lorraine J18
 Jackson, Bernard S. W14
 Jeftovic, Cindy M14
 Kovacs, Jacqueline W14
 Macdonald, Virginia O/N12
 Maximum Bob MAY20
 Sloan-McIntosh, Kathleen SEPT14
 Spence, Lynn O/N12
 Vey, Kathy A14
 Vowles, Andrew S18
 Yip, Roger J18
 Soap Shed S36
 SoilSponge S38
 Sour cherries (Prairies) A122
 Speedwell S86
 Spinach M72
 Standards M66
 Sunken garden, saving (B.C.) M132
 Sweet peas A146

T

Tallgrass, disappearing (Ont.) SEPT88
 Tar spot O/N27

TECHNIQUES

Dividing irises SEPT30
 Garden beds, renovate O/N40
 Plant thugs MAY66
 Pruning in spring A62
 Tomatoes S78

TRANSCANADA

Signs of spring (Ont.); *Kalancho* 'Big Momma', friendship plant (Que.); restoring Public Gardens in Halifax (Atlantic); codling moth (B.C.); Calgary Home and Garden Show (Prairies) M90
 Establishing local growers (Atlantic);

willow barriers (Que.); public gardens for children (Ont.); sour cherries (Prairies); soil problems due to Okanagan fires (B.C.) A122
 Last frost date (Que.); revamping Royal Botanical Gardens (Ont.); counting wild flowers in bloom (Prairies); saving Prince Rupert's sunken garden (B.C.); apple blossom festival (Atlantic) MAY132
 Preserving botanical legacy of Six Nations people (Ont.); preserving peat bogs (Que.); Acadian flag made of flowers (Atlantic); Garry oak decline (B.C.); decrease use of chemical control of bugs (Prairies) J124
 Intersectional peonies (Que.); reduction of park services in Toronto (Ont.); gardeners in Pincher AB (Prairies); recall of camellias (B.C.); rock garden in NB (Atlantic) S94
 Wildflowers (Que.); plants and hurricanes (Atlantic); restoring Government House gardens (B.C.); Master Gardener course in rural MB (Prairies); disappearing tallgrass (Ont.) SEPT88
 Adding fall colour to your garden (Ont); conifers (Que.); fall garden tips (Atlantic); adopt-a-worm (B.C.); *Psyllopsis discrepans* (Prairies) O/N90
 Columnists describe their 2004 gardening season W89
 Tree peonies (John Tai) J62
 Tuddenham, Barry MAY64
 Tuberous begonias (Walter Leblanc) A66

U, V, W

Vases O/N26
 Versailles planter, make a M38
VILLAGE GREEN (see "H" for Hortus Trivialis)
 Bionic gardening glove MAY46
 Bird baths, alternative uses S36
 Bird studies MAY45
 Bringing plants inside for the winter SEPT29
 Caterpillar transformation A37
 Cloches A38
 Cooling ties S38
 Dogwood as a barrier A36
 Earth blender A38
 Earthready jiffy plants J40
 Edging J42
 Flora babies J41
 Fresh bags J41
 Garden Hands O/N27
 Green garden visit MAY45
 GreenJeans SEPT29
 Gro-Mat M32

Hose water, lead in MAY46
 Krylon plastic paint MAY44
 Memorial tree O/N26
 Narcissi secrete toxic substance A36
 No Ant plant SEPT29
 Patio chair covers J40
 Planters, lightweight S37
 PlantKlip S37
 'Queenly Purple' hollyhock M33
 Preparing planters O/N27
 Rooter pot system MAY46
 Rototilling at night A37
 Soap Shed S36
 SoilSponge S38
 Tar spot O/N27
 Vases O/N26
 Weatherproof outdoor lamps SEPT28
 Wire art MAY 44
 Wonder Soil M33

VILLAGE GREEN GIFT GUIDE

African sculpture W29
 Antiqued copper tub W29
 Botanically derived beauty products W29
 Botanically inspired pillows W29
 Ceramic burners W29
 Daisy sweater W29
 Floral wall art W29
 Flowery Dishes W29
 Garden bench W29
 Garden hod W29
 Garden journal W29
 Garden stakes, decorative W29
 Gardening gloves W29
 Ho-Mi Digger W29
 Napa stonewear pots W29
 Orchid W29
 Outdoor games table W29
 Splashy rubber boots W29
 Vines (trumpet and bittersweet vine) not blooming (Q&A) SEPT18
 Wintergreens, use to decorate home (Niagara-on-the-Lake house tour) W38
 West Nile know-how MAY56
 Wheelbarrows J54
 Whiteflies on Virginia creeper (Q&A) O/N16
 Wildflowers (Que.) SEPT88
 Wildflowers, counting in bloom (Prairies) MAY132
 Willow barriers (Que.) A122
 Winterize pond plants (Q&A) O/N16
 Wire art MAY44
 Witch hazel W34
 Wonder Soil M33

WORTH A VISIT

Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens S46
 Nikka Yuko Japanese Garden SEPT40

X, Y & Z

Zones: how do plants get rated? (Q&A) A24