

OPEN GARDEN TOURS 2026

BRANDON, MB JULY 19
**DISCOVER BRANDON'S
HIDDEN GEMS**

WELCOME TO THE 2026 OPEN GARDEN TOURS!

**THIS PASSPORT IS YOUR FULL EVENT GUIDE.
IT LISTS ALL PARTICIPATING GARDENS, THEIR TOUR
TIMES AND MAPS TO THEIR LOCATIONS.**

**THE TOURS RUN:
SUNDAY JULY 19TH, 2026
10:00AM - 2:00PM
TOURS ARE FREE AND NO REGISTRATION IS
REQUIRED!**

**EACH PROPERTY IS UNIQUE AND WITH MANY
BREATHTAKING FEATURES THERE IS SURE TO BE
SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!**

**THE HOMEOWNERS/HOSTS ARE AVAILABLE TO
ANSWER QUESTIONS AND OFFER HELPFUL TIPS AND
TRICKS!**

**WE ARE HAPPY TO WELCOME NEW AND RETURNING
GARDENS AND HOPE YOU ARE ABLE TO APPRECIATE
THEM ALL!**



GARDEN TOUR ETIQUETTE

Please..

FOR THE SAFETY AND COMFORT OF ALL VISITORS, PETS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON THE TOURS.

- TO HELP PRESERVE THE BEAUTY OF THE GARDENS, PLEASE REMAIN ON DESIGNATED PATHWAYS AT ALL TIMES.
- TO PROTECT DELICATE PLANTS AND LANDSCAPING, PLEASE DO NOT STEP IN OR ON GARDEN BEDS.
- TO ENSURE EVERYONE CAN ENJOY THE GARDENS, PLEASE KEEP PATHWAYS CLEAR AND AVOID BLOCKING WALKWAYS.
- TO HELP OUR GARDENS CONTINUE TO THRIVE, PLEASE DO NOT TAKE SEEDS, CUTTINGS, FLOWERS, OR PLANTS WITHOUT PERMISSION.
- TO PRESERVE OUR PLANT IDENTIFICATION MARKERS, PLEASE DO NOT REMOVE OR RELOCATE SIGNS OR LABELS.
- TO MAINTAIN A PEACEFUL ATMOSPHERE FOR ALL GUESTS, PLEASE SILENCE YOUR CELL PHONE AND KEEP CONVERSATIONS AT A RESPECTFUL VOLUME.
- TO FOSTER A WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT, PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL OF THE HOST'S GARDEN AND APPRECIATE THAT EVERY GARDEN REFLECTS ITS OWNER'S UNIQUE VISION AND STYLE.
- BEFORE YOU LEAVE, PLEASE TAKE A MOMENT TO THANK YOUR HOSTS FOR SHARING THEIR GARDEN AND HOSPITALITY.

DON'T MISS THESE GARDEN ADDITIONS!

- **FREE PRIZE DRAWS**

* DRAWS TO BE DONE ON THE WEEK OF MONDAY JULY 20TH,
WINNERS WILL BE CONTACTED BY PHONE/EMAIL

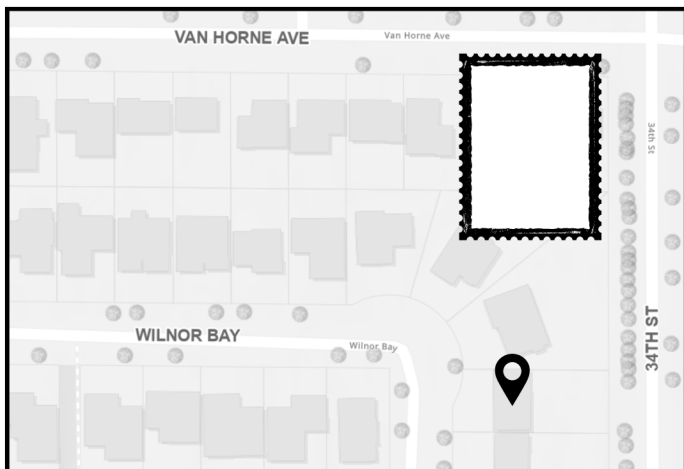
PRIZES
GENEROUSLY
SPONSORED BY:



- COMPLIMENTARY REFRESHMENTS
- ARTISTIC PERFORMANCES
- VISIT ALL OF OUR GARDENS TO
MAXIMIZE YOUR EXPERIENCE!
- COLLECT “STAMPS” AT EACH OF OUR
GARDEN LOCATIONS!

BOB AND JILL LEE

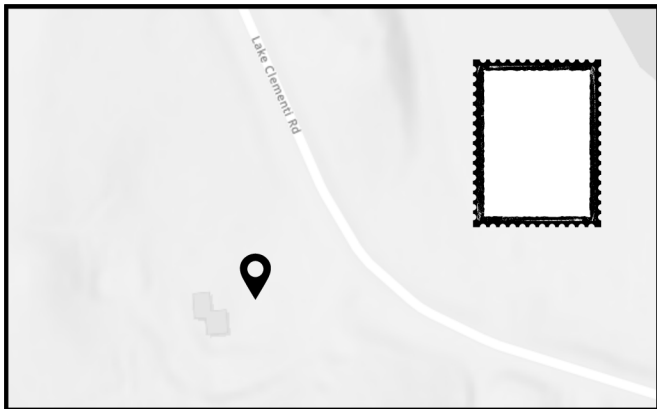
58 WILNOR BAY



A GORGEOUS BACKYARD SURROUNDED BY CREEPER VINES AND MANY GRASSES ALONG OUR DRIVEWAY IN THE FRONT YARD. MANY POTS / CONTAINERS TO ADD COLOUR AND INTEREST TO OUR LARGE DECK AND PATIO AREAS. I HAVE USED A COMBINATION OF TRADITIONAL CONTAINER PLANTS AND VARIED SUCCULENTS AND COLEUS TO ADD A MORE UNIQUE POT DISPLAY.

CATHY KOLOSKY & GORDON MCLACHLAN

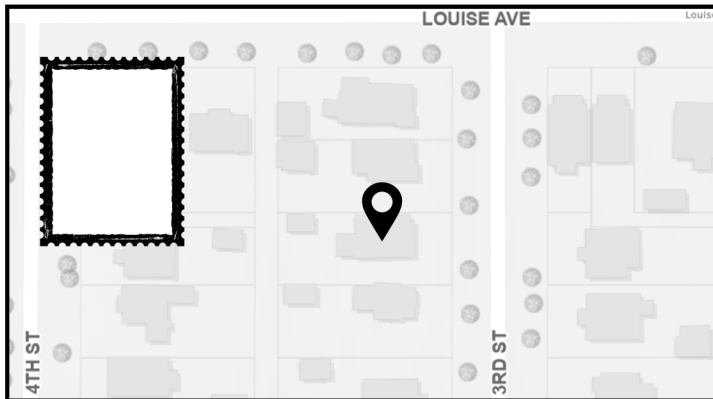
109112 LAKE CLEMENTI ROAD



A BEAUTIFULLY LANDSCAPED YARD WITH A 30' WATERFALL BUILT INTO A HILL WITH A JOINING POND FLOWING UNDER A BRIDGE. THERE IS ALSO A PUTTING GREEN ATTACHED TO THE WATERFALL. MEXICAN HUT WITH WINDOWS CONTAINING DIFFERENT SCENES IN EACH WINDOW. A SECOND POND AS YOU ENTER THE YARD WITH A LONG BRIDGE OVERLOOKING THE POND. UNDERNEATH THE BRIDGE IS A HUGE HOSTA AND FERN GARDEN. THERE IS AN OUTDOOR SAUNA, A HUGE GAZEBO, AND A TIKI BAR IN THE BACKYARD AREA. THERE ARE NUMEROUS FLOWER GARDENS AND APPROXIMATELY 30 POTS/HANGING BASKETS THROUGHOUT THE YARD. THERE IS ALSO A HUGE BUILT IN FIREPLACE BUILT UNDER A ROOF WITH A PERGOLA ON BOTH SIDES.

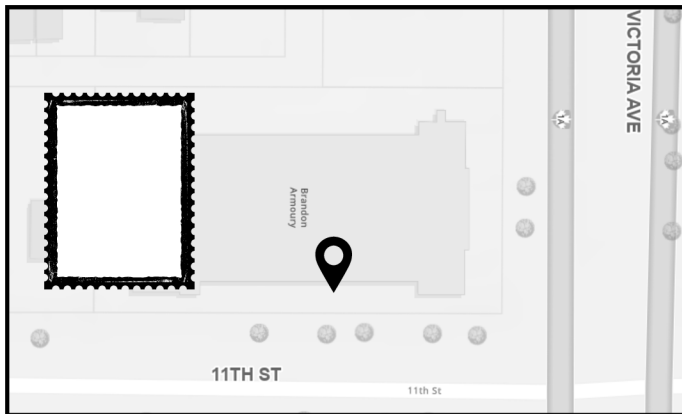
STEFFI LAZERTE & ALEX KOITER

416 3RD STREET



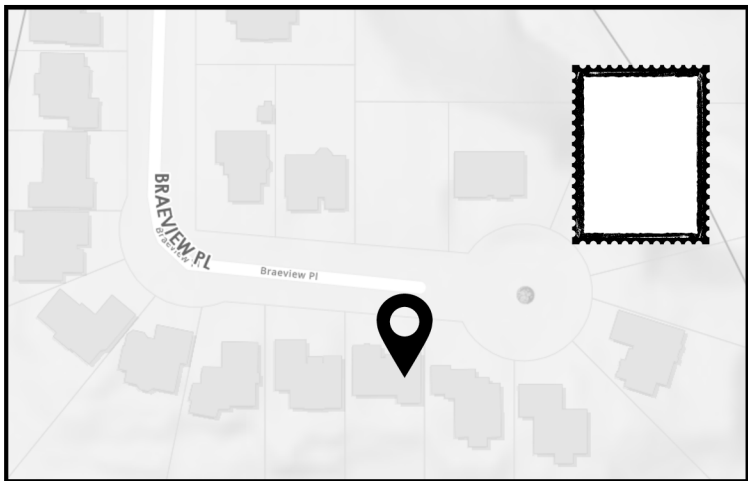
IN OUR FRONT YARD IS A POTAGER-STYLE VEGETABLE GARDEN FEATURING SIX RAISED BEDS WITH TALL A-FRAME TRELLISES FOR PUMPKINS AND CUCUMBERS AND BRIGHT RED BEAN POLES. OUR BACKYARD IS A YOUNG SHADED FOREST GARDEN FILLED WITH HOSTAS AND FERNS, AND DOTTED WITH EDIBLES (CHERRIES, RASPBERRIES AND HASKAP) AROUND THE EDGES. OUR BACK DECK IS SHADED BY GREEN PILLARS OF HOPS AND SPRAWLING WILD GRAPE. FINALLY, WE HAVE TWO SMALL SIDE GARDENS, THE TEA GARDEN FILLED WITH FLOWERS AND SURROUNDED BY BERRY BUSHES AND THE PATIO GARDEN COMPLETE WITH IT'S OWN POND-IN-A-POT, AND A SMALL GREENHOUSE TO SEPARATE THE TWO.

BRANDON ARMOURY MEMORIAL GARDEN 1116 VICTORIA AVENUE, BRANDON MB



WE FEEL OUR MEMORIAL GARDEN IS A SECRET SECLUDED SPOT AMID THE HURRY AND RUSH OF DOWN TOWN BRANDON. THE GARDEN WALLS LIST THE 509 BRANDON AND AREA MEN AND WOMEN WHO DIED FIGHTING FOR FREEDOM FROM THE BOER WAR UP TO PRESENT TIME. THE TINY GARDEN IS A SMALL, PEACEFUL OASIS WITH LARGE FLOWER POTS AND ROWS OF ZINNIAS AND PORTULACA OF MIXED COLOURS. THERE IS ALSO A ROW OF BURGUNDY PETUNIAS, TO REPRESENT THE COLOURS OF THE XII MANITOBA DRAGOONS WHICH ARE BURGUNDY AND SILVER. WE HOPE EVERYONE TAKES A MINUTE TO REMEMBER.

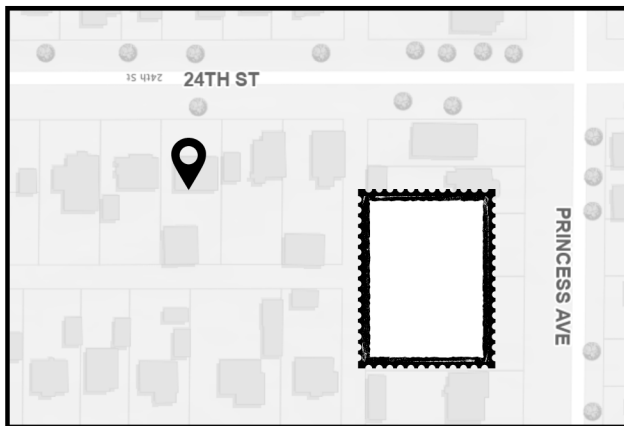
VITA MATIS & GARY LEDERHAUS 78 BRAEVIEW PLACE



ONE OF A KIND PARADISE, A HIDDEN OASIS
OVERLOOKING THE CITY. THIS TERRACED
GARDEN FEATURES A NEW EXPERIENCE ON
EVERY LEVEL. COME SEE THE UNIQUE
ECLECTIC DECOR AND BEAUTIFUL FOLIAGE
WHERE AMPLE PHOTO OPPORTUNITIES
PRESENT THEMSELVES!

DENNIS AND TAMARA DRUMMOND

235 24TH STREET

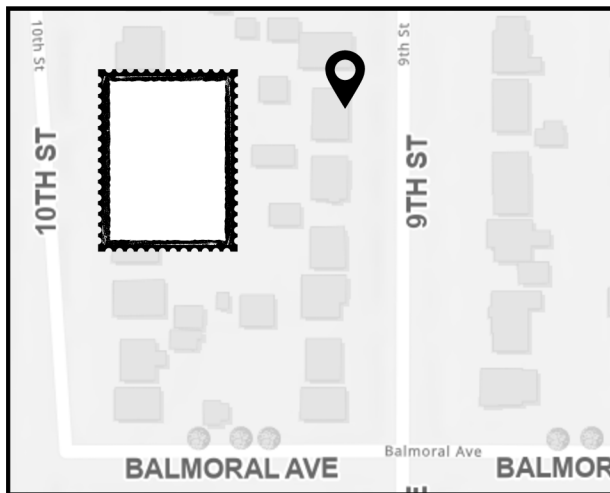


OUR FRONT GARDEN IS A WELCOMING, COLOURFUL SPACE THAT BRINGS JOY TO BOTH OUR FAMILY AND OUR NEIGHBOURHOOD. EACH YEAR, WE ENJOY TRYING NEW FLOWERS, COLOURS, AND IDEAS, MAKING THE GARDEN A PLACE THAT IS ALWAYS GROWING AND CHANGING. IT HAS ALSO BECOME A FAVOURITE SPOT FOR VISITING JACKRABBITS.

A SPECIAL FEATURE IS OUR HANDCRAFTED GNOME HOUSE, BUILT WITH NATURAL STONE AND CEDAR, WHICH LIGHTS UP AT NIGHT AND DRAWS MANY VISITORS.

LINDA AND DEL HUNTER

1732 9TH STREET



A COLOURFUL COUNTRY-STYLE GARDEN ESTABLISHED OVER 20 YEARS. A COLOURFUL MIX OF SUNNY AND SHADE PLANTS, ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS WITH A BEAUTIFUL POND FIXTURE, AND GAZEBO. THIS LOCATION INCLUDES A FRONT AND BACK GARDEN WITH A WALKING PATH THROUGH IT, SPEND A RELAXING TIME WANDERING THROUGH!

DALY HOUSE MUSEUM

122 18TH STREET



OUR BEAUTIFUL VICTORIAN GARDEN SHOWCASES A NUMBER OF DIFFERENT PLANTS AND FEATURES. THE ROSES ARE ONE OF OUR BEST ATTRACTIONS, AS WELL AS HANGING BASKETS PROVIDED BY THE CITY. THE GARDEN IS MAINTAINED BY THE WESTMAN GARDENER CLUB MEMBERS WHO CONTRIBUTE OVER 200 HOURS EACH YEAR TO MAKE THE GARDEN A BEAUTIFUL OASIS. OUR FOUNTAIN BOASTS NEW WATERPLANTS, SURE TO ATTRACT THE CUTEST AMPHIBIOUS GUESTS AROUND. WE ALSO HAVE SASKATOON BUSHES AS WELL AS STRAWBERRY PLANTS, AND A LOVELY HERB GARDEN TO SPICE UP THE VISIT.

***CALL THE MUSEUM AT 204-727-1722 FOR MORE
INFORMATION**

CORONATION PARK

2309 LOUISE AVENUE

SELF-GUIDED



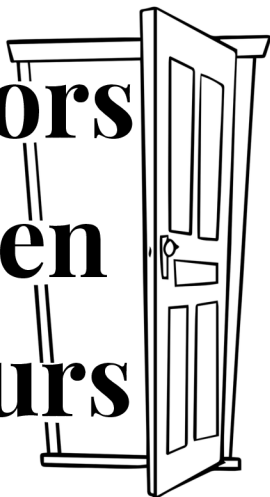
CORONATION PARK GARDEN IS A LABOR OF LOVE THAT HAS BEEN PLANTED AND CARED FOR BY VOLUNTEERS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD FOR OVER 20 YEARS. THE DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS ENJOY GETTING TOGETHER FOR WEEDING WEDNESDAYS TO LOOK AFTER THE FLOWERS. ADDED INTERESTS ARE THE BIRD HOUSES, GNOME HOUSE, AND UNIQUE ROCKS AMIDST THE COLORFUL DISPLAY OF ANNUALS AND PERENNIALS. CORONATION PARK IS IN ONE OF THE OLDEST PARKS IN BRANDON DATING BACK TO 1937. COME AND ENJOY OUR LITTLE PLACE OF TRANQUILITY.



SAVE THE DATE



Doors Open Tours



**AUGUST 15TH & 16TH
2026**

12:00PM-4:00PM

**THIS FREE SELF GUIDED TOUR
IS A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO
EXPERIENCE SOME OF BRANDON'S
BEAUTIFUL HISTORIC SITES.**

Scotts Miracle-Gro

BEST GARDEN 2026

Nominations Open Now!

FROM JULY-AUGUST 2026, WE ARE SEARCHING BRANDON
FOR PROPERTIES THAT HAVE BEEN BEAUTIFIED WITH
GARDENS, DECORATIONS, LANDSCAPES, ETC.
GARDENS/DISPLAYS OF ALL SIZES & VARIETIES ARE
ELIGIBLE TO WIN: EDIBLE, ORNAMENTAL, COMMERCIAL
AND RESIDENTIAL ARE ELIGIBLE TO WIN A SCOTTS
MIRACLE-GRO PRIZE!
NOMINATE YOURSELF, YOUR NEIGHBOUR, FRIENDS, OR
FAMILY BY SUBMITTING THEIR ADDRESS FOR US TO
CHECK OUT!

INFO NEEDED:

GARDEN ADDRESS

**PROPERTY OWNER OR GARDENERS NAME &
CONTACT INFO**

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE GARDEN

***WE DO NOT NEED ACCESS TO GARDEN, AND
CAN VIEW PROPERTIES FROM THE STREET.**

**TO NOMINATE SOMEONE,
USE THE QR CODE/LINK TO
FILL OUT OUR FORM!**



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QUESTIONS TO ASK THE GARDENERS!

- **WHO DESIGNED THE GARDEN, AND WHAT INSPIRED ITS CREATION?**
- **WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE AREA OF THE GARDEN, AND WHY?**
- **WHICH PLANT OR FEATURE ARE YOU MOST PROUD OF?**
- **WHAT HAS BEEN THE BIGGEST CHALLENGE IN CREATING OR MAINTAINING THE GARDEN?**
- **ARE THERE ANY HIDDEN GEMS OR DETAILS VISITORS OFTEN OVERLOOK?**
- **WHAT ARE YOUR BEST TIPS FOR GARDENERS LOOKING TO RECREATE SOMETHING SIMILAR AT HOME?**
- **WHICH PLANTS THRIVE BEST HERE, AND WHICH HAVE BEEN THE MOST DIFFICULT TO GROW?**
- **HOW HAS THE GARDEN EVOLVED OVER THE YEARS, AND WHAT ARE YOUR FUTURE PLANS?**
- **DO YOU HAVE A FAVORITE MEMORY OR STORY CONNECTED TO THIS GARDEN?**
- **IF YOU COULD BE ANY PLANT IN YOUR GARDEN, WHICH WOULD YOU BE AND WHY?**

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PROGRAMS BY
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SOCIAL MEDIA.**



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