

### Category description and criteria:

Please review before completing entry form. *All categories will be judged on design, variety, colour, unique features, and maintenance.*

1. **Residential Property**
2. **Institutional Property**
3. **Apartment Buildings**
4. **Commercial/Business Property**
5. **Flower Gardens**
6. **Window Boxes, Planters & Hanging Baskets**

### **8. Irene Rogers Pocket Gardens**

This special category is for those properties that have narrow strips of earth or concrete between houses and City sidewalks. The late Irene Rogers saw the potential of those small spaces, which she referred to as “pocket gardens”, and knew that planting these tiny plots could have an impact on beautifying the City.

### **9. Senior’s Gardens**

This category can include a flower garden in your front yard, backyard or a lovely flower garden in a pretty pot on your front step. No I.D required.

### **10. Childrens Garden Ages pre-school - 13**

In this category we are looking for gardens done solely by children who will be able to give an explanation of their planting, weeding, and watering!

### **11. Daycare – Gardens by the children.**

### **12. Schools (elementary) – Gardens by children**

### **13. Waste Watch**

In this category entries will be judged on the most innovative way to conceal the black and green Waste Watch containers.

### **14. Adopt A Barrel**

### **15. Adopt A Corner**

### **16. Property line Fencing**

#### **Mayor’s Award**

This award will be presented to the owner of one city residential property in recognition of the overall improvement to their home and grounds.

### Rules

1. The property must be located within the city limits and all improvements must be in compliance with City Bylaws.
2. Judges may redirect entries to a more appropriate category.
3. No members of the organizing committee, or of their immediate family are eligible to enter.
4. Public nominations are welcome but nominators are asked to include their own names.
5. No artificial flowers are permitted.
6. Judges reserve the right **not** to award a prize in any category.
7. The decision of the judges is final.
8. Only work done since last year’s program will be considered except where noted.

Awards will be presented at the Communities In Bloom awards evening in late July. Citizens are encouraged to nominate a neighbour whom they consider is worthy of an award in any of the categories.

**Entry Deadline**  
**Friday, July 10, 2009**

### **Judging**

Our Volunteer judges will be judging all entries/properties from July 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>. *We regret that appointments cannot be scheduled to meet with owners.*



### **Miracle-Gro Residential Garden Contest**

Entries may qualify for a national contest sponsored by *Miracle Gro*. Judges will determine eligibility and submit entries accordingly under categories **Container Garden** and **In-Ground Garden**. For further information contact City Hall – 566-5548.

There must be **no professional involvement**.  
Winners agree to have name and photo published.

## Entry Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Address for Judging:

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please check categories to be entered:**

- Residential Property
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- Commercial/Business Property
- Flower Gardens
- Window Boxes, Planters & Hanging Baskets
- Irene Rogers Pocket Garden
- Senior's Gardens
- Childrens Gardens
- Daycare Gardens
- School (Elementary) Gardens
- Waste Watch Containers
- Adopt a Barrel
- Adopt a Corner
- Property line Fencing

**Mail by 10 July 2009 to:**

Make Charlottetown Bloom  
P.O. Box 98  
Charlottetown, PE C1A 7K2

Entry Form is also available at City Hall or online at [www.city.charlottetown.pe.ca](http://www.city.charlottetown.pe.ca)

**For additional information please contact  
City Hall (902) 566-5548.**

# Make Charlottetown Bloom



## 2009

Charlottetown is very proud of its beauty and wants to maintain it. In Association with *Communities In Bloom*, now in its 14<sup>th</sup> year, the City wishes to continue to reward those who maintain buildings and landscapes in the Island's Capital.

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- Seniors Garden
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