



**District 9 of the
Ontario Horticultural Association
Spring Annual Meeting**

April 5th, 2025

Hosted by the Fort Erie Horticultural Society
At St. Paul's Anglican Church
32 Idylewylde Street
Fort Erie, ON L2A 2L1



Theme "Spring Renewal"

Doors will open at 8:30 am
Registration starts at 8:30 am
Flower show entry placement closes at 9:45 am
Judging to start 10 am
Meeting to start at 10 am

Tickets will be \$20. (in person)

Coffee, tea, drinks, goodies and lunch will be provided.

This is the District's Annual Meeting so there will be a business portion of the meeting that we will need to cover.

Morning Speaker will be *Adam Sneek* of The Mill. His topic will be
"Spring Flowers"

Afternoon Speaker will be *Adam Koziol* from Earthgen. His topic will
be **"Native trees and Air Pruning"**

**Each District 9 Society is responsible for bringing in prize valued over
\$20**

Penny Sale Tickets (\$10)



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Flower Show

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1. All classes are open to all District Nine members.
2. Entries are to be in place by 9:45 am, ready for Judging at 10 am.
3. Entries must remain in place until the close of the meeting.
4. **Design Division**
 - A. Plant Material for design classes 1-5 maybe from any source.
 - B. Accessories permitted
 - C. Only one entry per class per exhibitor
5. **Horticultural Division**
 - A. Classes 6-12 must have been grown by exhibitor
 - B. Classes 6-7 are allowed two entries per exhibitor, must be different cultivars.
 - C. Classes 8-9 must have been in the possession of the exhibitor for 3 Months
 - D. Class 12 is allowed one entry per exhibitor.
6. Wild Collected plants of endangered species are strictly forbidden. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to make sure none of these plants are on exhibit.
7. A class may be subdivided at the discretion of the Flower Show Committee.
8. The Show Committee will take all reasonable precautions to ensure the safety of the exhibits and containers, but the District 9 and Host Society cannot be held responsible for loss, theft or breakage.
9. **Judging will be in accordance with The Ontario Judging and Exhibiting Standards for Horticulture and Floral Design 2019**
10. Photography Division:
 - A. Class 13 - entry must be colour prints, matted size of 5 inches x 7 inches (outside measurement)
 - B. Name, address, and society of the exhibitor is to be attached on the bottom right corner on the back of the entry. (This will assure judge will view the photo they way you wish your entry to be viewed)

The decision of the Judges is Final.

Prize List

Design	Horticulture	Photography
First \$4.00	First \$2.50	First \$4.00
Second \$3.50	Second \$2.00	Second \$3.50
Third \$3.00	Third \$1.50	Third \$3.00

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Additional Door Prize Tickets





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Design Division

- Class 1** *Spring Blossoms* - a small design from 5 1/2 inches x 10 inches (13.9 cm by 25.4 cm) and must not exceed 10 inches (25.4 cm) in any direction, including container or base.
- Class 2** *Peace Bridge* - a line design
- Class 3** *Peace Talks* - a table arrangements suitable for a dining room table. To be viewed from all sides. Accessories permitted.
- Class 4** *Niagara River* - a water viewing design.
- Class 5** *Old Fort Erie* - Arrangement in a tea cup.

Horticulture Division (containers supplied by the entrant)

- Class 6** *Tulip* - one bloom, any cultivar, may be cut from forced tulip.
- Class 7** *Narcissus* - one stem, may be cut from forced bulbs
- Class 8** *House Plant grown for foliage* - pot size not to exceed 8 inches in any direction.
- Class 9** *House Plant grown for Flowers* - pot size not to exceed 8 inches in any direction.
- Class 10** *Bulb in Water* - one bloom from one forced bulb in clear vase.
- Class 11** *Spring Flowering Branch* - one branch not to exceed 24 inches in length.
- Class 12** *Home Grown* - 6 cell pack or 4 inch pot of seedlings grown from seed, or cuttings, named and showing date planted.

Photography Division

Two entries are allowed per entrant and must have been taken by entrant.

- Class 14** *"First Up"* - The first flower(s) up in the Spring.

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