



NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE
HORTICULTURAL
SOCIETY

Let's Grow Together

GARDENER'S GARDEN TOUR GUIDE

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 2026
9:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

Begin your tour at any garden
Tour runs rain or shine
No pets please, except for
certified service animals

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This year's garden tour showcases a diverse array of gardens found in the charming villages and rural landscapes of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Connect with the passionate homeowners and engage in insightful discussions about their innovative ideas, triumphs, and lessons learned along the way. Explore and savour the beauty of eight exquisite gardens at your own pace.

Proceeds from the Garden Tour help support horticulture scholarships for students at Niagara College Canada and Niagara Parks - School of Horticulture.

-  Special parking instructions
-  On-site parking available
-  Street parking only
-  Park & Stroll
-  Refreshments for sale
-  Washrooms available
-  Point of interest

Scan to locate
Public Washroom
Availability & Hours



Niagara-on-the-Lake is located on the traditional territory of the Hatiwendaronk, Haudenosaunee, Anishinaabe, including the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties.

We are grateful for the opportunity to meet here and we thank all the generations of people who have taken care of this land for thousands of years.

GARDEN STOPS

1

A Living Canvas of Colour and Friendship

18 Firelane 13 Rd, Niagara-on-the-Lake



Step into Rose Bartel's garden, where colour and sunlight replace paint and brush. Inspired by Gertrude Jekyll's vision of harmonious borders, it blends soft pinks, purples and creams with scarlet poppies, layered foliage and textured plantings that shift beautifully through the seasons.



Gardens 2 & 3 are situated within comfortable walking distance.



Free parking is available along Niagara Blvd up to Lansdowne Ave. Parking is also permitted on Lansdowne Ave; however, parking is not allowed on Niagara Blvd beyond the Lansdowne Ave intersection. Follow 'No Parking' signs.

2

Innisfree - A Garden By Design

344 Niagara Blvd, Niagara-on-the-Lake

Elizabeth's elegant garden transfers the expressions of her life's work of interior design and luxury furnishing to her outdoor living spaces.

With 180 degree views of Lake Ontario, her garden takes a quiet approach to enjoying the ever-changing vistas of this great lake.

3

Finding Her Joy in the Garden

243 Niagara Blvd, Niagara-on-the-Lake

Lenore's thoughtfully-designed garden reflects trust, humour and intuition, shaped without formal training. She finds joy watching it grow from her kitchen window, embracing light, shade and life outdoors after years inside.

4

Growing with the Flow in Heather's Garden

269 Butler St, Niagara-on-the-Lake



In five years this garden transformed from open lawn to tranquil retreat. A soaring Tulip Tree, winding paths, exposed roots promise, and a gentle river invite calm, harmony and reflection.

5

Celebrating the Art of Nature Niagara Pumphouse Arts Centre

247 Ricardo St, Niagara-on-the-Lake



Experience bonsai artistry from the Niagara Bonsai Society's outdoor exhibit, with expert insights and tips on this horticultural art form.

The Niagara Pumphouse Arts Centre serves as the tour's information stop where visitors can also enjoy nature-inspired exhibits and refreshments available for purchase.

6

Stilhaven - A Celebration of Tranquility and Textures

524 King St, Niagara-on-the-Lake



Stilhaven blends cottage charm with tranquil elegance, featuring soft spring hues, Japanese-inspired touches, vibrant borders of blooms and a graceful dry riverbed that brings beauty and balance to the landscape.

7

The Romantic Modernist's Dilemma: Balancing Beauty and the Sublime

Ronald Boaks Fine Art

1823 Niagara Stone Rd, Niagara-on-the-Lake



Since 1976, Ronald Boaks has explored beauty and balance through sculpture, photography, painting, collages and assemblages - creating expressive works that invite viewers to experience colour, texture and composition, and delight in the present moment.

Lovely gardens surround the gallery and home on the property.



Parking available at Joseph's Winery at 1811 Niagara Stone Road.

NO PARKING on Niagara Stone Road allowed.



Gardens 8 & 9 are situated within comfortable walking distance.



Ample street parking can be found near participating gardens

8

Honouring Her Roots

122 Paxton Ln, St Davids

Karen's garden honours her roots with treasured family plants, meaningful accents, beloved pets and magnificent fruit trees reminiscent of childhood memories—lovingly planted and tended to create a deeply personal, nostalgic retreat.

9

Seeing His Way Home

4 David Lowrey Ct, St Davids

Despite losing his vision, John vividly recalls his St. Davids garden's colourful beauty—ornamental pear and cherry trees, mature hydrangeas, yews and vibrant lilies creating a rich, memorable landscape filled with personal pride.

10

All You Need is Love

15 Red Haven Dr, St Davids



Hanna and Andy transformed their St. Davids property into a vibrant retreat filled with colourful blooms, fruit trees and warmth—reflecting the love, joy and care poured into every corner of the garden.

Tickets

\$25 (+ Eventbrite fee)
until July 10th

Last-Minute Tickets : \$35
(+ Eventbrite fee) online purchases or cash sales at gardens on July 11th

Kids under 12 enter free



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Our heartfelt appreciation goes to the garden owners who generously opened their gardens to the tour and imparted knowledge.

A big **thank you** to the many volunteers who contributed their time and enthusiasm to make this tour possible.

Calling all Niagara-on-the-Lake avid gardeners!

Do you have a show-stopping garden you designed and/or maintain? Does your outdoor space boast of unique feature? Love sharing your plant knowledge and inspiring others? This is your chance to be part of the **2027 Gardener's Garden Tour**.

We're now seeking passionate gardeners to open their stunning outdoor oases for the next tour. For more information, contact the garden tour committee at info@nothortsociety.com

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-  9 4 David Lowrey Ct
-  10 15 Red Haven Dr

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