



## A BEAUTIFUL AND FUN WAY TO SPEND YOUR WEEKEND!

Do not miss the North Vancouver Community Arts Council's two-day self-guided, spring tour of the beautiful North Shore. The tour includes **16** outstanding gardens, some of which are previous award winners. The artwork of **30** artists on the tour will demonstrate the wonderful talent in our midst. The artists and gardeners will all be on-site to answer any of your questions. Musicians will perform for a two-hour period on a staggered schedule at each of the gardens. The tour will occur **rain or shine!** Tour costs will be by donation at the garden sites. Please wear proper footwear and enter each garden property at your own risk! Please leave your pets at home. Enter your name at each garden for a chance to win fabulous gate prizes. **ENJOY!**

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Art in the Garden Tour is presented by:



The North Vancouver Community Arts Council is a non-profit, charitable organization devoted to the development of the arts in all media. We support amateur and professional artists and other cultural organizations. With unique partnerships, we bridge cultures and strengthen communities through the arts.

We also play a major role in:

- Assisting residents wishing to access information
- Empowering youth to access creative opportunities
- Enabling artists by providing guidance and project and programme opportunities
- Working to develop cultural facilities, artists and the community
- Advocating for arts and culture by providing representation to all levels of government
- Managing and programming community cultural facilities
- Creating and coordinating free community cultural festivals and events
- Providing educational art opportunities to all ages and skill set

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# Art in the Garden Tour



**SATURDAY, MAY 31ST  
SUNDAY, JUNE 1ST  
12 NOON TO 5 PM**

THE NORTH VANCOUVER COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL

## ARTISTS AND GARDENERS

### 1) GARDENER ELAINE SENFT

798 Friar Crescent, North Vancouver

The unique space of a passionate gardener and rose specialist. It features 400 roses and a broad array of other climbers and flowering perennials. It has evolved over 40 years and has eclectic bones and interesting history.

#### Artist Enda Bardell

A watercolour artist who aims to create a sense of tranquility and serenity through her landscape images of local scenes.

#### Artist James Elton

Landscapes, seascapes and still lifes are part of the diverse subjects that this seasoned oil painter enjoys portraying in his artwork.

### 2) GARDENER CHRISTINE CHEVELDAVE

998 Seymour Blvd., North Vancouver

This lovely lush retreat backs onto the Seymour River and offers a diverse mix of perennials, shrubs and trees including coral bark maple, Saratoga ginkgo, Himalayan birch, Katsura tree and a leather leaf Viburnum.

#### Artist Ana Pedrero

This talented photographic artist uses a monochromatic backdrop to capture flowers past their prime as fragile, naturally-formed sculpture that are a statement of pure jolts of colour.

### 3) GARDENER THE PARK FAMILY

1286 Cloverley Street, North Vancouver

This beautiful garden demonstrates a real flair for design through the use of stone, rocks and other natural elements such as split cedar lattice and a dry river bed. A very contemplative and tranquil space.

#### Artist Reyhaneh Bakhtiari

An accomplished oil painter and art teacher, who loves nature, delicately demonstrates her excellent skill with a professional hand.

#### Artist Fariba Ghaffari

Building on her Iranian culture, this artist enjoys painting with oil, water and acrylic particularly on ceramic depicting traditional images that remind her of where she was born.

### 4) GARDENER MARGOT BEAUCHAMP

822 East 15th Street, North Vancouver

Chock full of plants this garden includes many climbers, perennials and flowering shrubs. A small city lot that has

been converted to a tranquil organic garden using the lasagna garden method.

#### Artist Margot Beauchamp

Margot's work spans many years and includes figurative, landscape and personal imagery in an expressionist style. Her strength lies in her appreciation and ability to use colour through various mediums including oil paint, watercolour and collage.

### 5) GARDENER KASPER HOUSE

325 West 19th Street, North Vancouver (w/c accessible)

A residence for the Cascadia Society that works with developmentally challenged individuals, this very interesting organic garden features a perennial border and blueberries, currants, apple trees and a willow plantation with woven edging and small mosaics interspersed.

#### Artist Alastair Heseltine

A sculptor working with materials related to the environment, his specialty is woven willow. He has worked with Cascadia to teach the skill and has integrated some of his creations into their environment.

#### Artist John Winkler

An experienced clay artist who strives to make pots that respond in the kiln to subtle differences in atmosphere with a sometimes cosmic response. John also works as an art teacher and special needs co-worker with the companions at Cascadia. Candles, cards, pottery and woven articles made by the companions of Cascadia will be on display as well.

### 6) GARDENER CHRISTINE MULLINS

390 E. Kings Rd., North Vancouver

This beautiful heritage property has a tranquil semi woodland garden which features lots of rhodos, roses, wood anemones and daphnes as well as a number of old established trees, some with heritage designation including a magnificent black walnut.

#### Artist Beryl Hickinbottom

A seasoned weaver, she translates her excellent skill and deep love of colour into beautifully made one-of-a-kind woven garments and accessories.

#### Artist Linda Waverley

Meticulously detailed watercolour on paper of beautiful botanical imagery, demonstrate an understanding of composition and values by this talented artist.

### 7) GARDENER LAWRENCE WICK

175 E. Windsor Road, North Vancouver

An amazing oasis features a large mix of exotic and tropical plants and trees including banana, large palms and a beautiful monkey puzzle tree and is tended by an international specialist and bonsai artist.

#### Artist Artie George

An accomplished local First Nations artist whose native woodcarvings in a broad array of sizes and images have given him an international reputation.

#### Artist Richard de la Mare

A North Shore First Nations artist whose beautiful hand carved gold and sterling silver jewelry featuring BC designs have made his work sought after worldwide.

### 8) GARDENER STELLA JO DEAN

461 E. Windsor Road, North Vancouver (w/c accessible)

An expansive traditional perennial garden surrounding a beautiful heritage home has been the passion of this gardener for many years and is home to a huge selection of plants. A paradise for birds, bees and butterflies.

#### Artist Gordon Davis

Bold, bright colour is the trademark of this artist's acrylic pleine aire landscapes and flowers which verge on expressionism. His theme is always "Colour Reigns".

#### Artist George Taylor

A creative artist that uses his vivid imagination, and his sense of humour to create very unique garden sculptures using wood and recycled metal/mixed media.

### 9) GARDENER UPPER LONSDALE GARDEN CLUB & AL PRICE

Christie House Arts & Heritage Centre (w/c accessible) 267 W. Queens Road, North Vancouver (enter off District Hall parking lot – wshrm. available)

A beautiful community space with a very rich array of donated perennials under the umbrella of heritage rhodos, hydrangea, hawthorn, pear and fir trees nurtured by a group of dedicated and knowledgeable volunteer gardeners.

#### Artist Karen Evans

A passionate professionally trained photographer who believes that photography is "the Language of Light!" Using several methods, her subjects range from dreamy romantic to crisp and clean.





## GARDEN TOUR MAP AND LEGEND



= gardeners and artists



= participating sponsors

## MUSICIANS

SATURDAY, MAY 31ST

12:30–2:30 pm

Rene Hugo Sanchez – Peruvian guitar – at Garden #1

Mark James Fortin – singer, songwriter acoustic soul – at Garden #8

Peggy Rose & George Bamford – traditional & contemporary folk – at Garden #16

1:00–3:00 pm

Pancho & Sal – Latino voices & guitar – at Garden #2

Blue Island Trio – interpretive jazz – at Garden #7

Colette Gariepy – harpist, contemporary – at Garden #15

1:30–3:30 pm

Rose Ranger – vocals & guitar – at Garden #6

Dan Zbytovsky & Megan Regehr – classical guitar & vocals – at Garden #14

Larry Volen Trio – lounge jazz – at Garden #12

2:00–4:00 pm

Kim Lorene – acoustic guitar & voice – at Garden #4

Moon Circus – jazz with folk influences – at Garden #9

Lily Come Down – roots, blues, Celtic – at Garden #11

Karen Fowlie – alternative country/rock – at Garden #13

2:30–4:30 pm

Lorna Fortin & the Cascadia Bell Choir – at Garden #5

Lora Bird – guitar & vocals – at Garden #10

Holly Burke – flute & guitar – at Garden #3

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### Artist Lori McPhee

This 2D acrylic artist likes to work very closely with interior designers to enhance the aesthetic charisma of any given space. Her artwork is contemporary and decorative.

### Artist Shirley Winter

A strong interest in the colour in light or shade is the main focus of this 2D artist's work. Working mainly in acrylics her subjects are varied from still lifes and landscapes to portraits.

### 10) GARDENER GUILTY NOVIN

617 Silverdale Pl., North Vancouver

A garden with a view that features lots of stone work, two large rock gardens and tons of interesting and beautiful plants including many azaleas, lilies, hostas and a Dutch pipe vine.

### Artist Guilty Novin

While using a unique mixed media technique, this accomplished artist's large dramatic paintings exude a mythical feel to her rich incredibly sensual imagery.

### Artist Therese Joseph

Strong, bold, colour and texture define the abstracted imagery of this artist's interesting paintings. A truly creative individual whose artwork and the teaching of art define a way of life for her.

### 11) GARDENER NEVA BAXTER

479 Saville Crescent, North Vancouver

A lush perennial garden with a large variety of interesting trees and plants including a Japanese Snowbell, Black Pine and Irish Yew, dozens of roses, clematis and other climbers, which provide a beautiful environment.

### Artist Neva Baxter

Large bold acrylic paintings featuring an intimate detailed view of flowers are the passion of this seasoned painter. Her love of nature is beautifully demonstrated in all her images.

### 12) GARDENER ANITA MORSE

5570 Woodpecker Place, North Vancouver (w/c accessible)

At the base of Grouse Mountain, this shade garden has a woodland area with tall conifers and large rocks adjacent to a lovely pond in the back. Lots of azaleas, rhodos, hostas and ferns make this a tranquil retreat.

### Artist Anita Morse

An artist who loves to paint in acrylics, she expresses herself mainly through landscapes done in a loose realism that leans towards impressionism.

### Artist Jean Vanderley

A very experienced clay artist specializing in beautiful functional and raku pottery, she loves to work in particular with celery green or bright dark blue glazes.

### 13) GARDENER SYLVIA ALDRICH

4573 Woodgreen Court, West Vancouver

This lovely view property has creatively incorporated the natural stone and rocks of the mountainside into the design of this beautiful space. The back features a pond and woodland area that climbs up to a deck that provides a stunning view overlooking the inlet

### Artist Liz de Beer

A clay artist, who is strongly influenced by her African roots, demonstrates her passion for the medium and love of the process, using large strong simple forms and unique creative surfaces.

### Artist Louise Nicholson

This accomplished and talented painter using mainly acrylics is impressionist in her style, as she works to capture the mood of a person, place or situation.

### 14) GARDENER LOIS AND PETER WOOLLEY

2660 Queens Ave., West Vancouver

This large expansive perennial garden flows down the bank at the front and carries down new stone stairs and rockery beds at the back to a beautiful pond and arbour all tended by a dedicated and skilled gardener.

### Artist Andrea Sirois

A skilled photographic artist whose specialty is stunning fine art botanical prints. Using macro equipment she magnifies the fine details of the beautiful landscapes of the West Coast.

### Artist Adriana Zuniga

A painter whose work incorporates colour, strength and subtlety of line with a contemporary approach. Flowers are a constant fountain of inspiration in her life and are a major subject of her work.

### 15) GARDENER RUDI PINKOWSKI

2898 Bellevue Avenue, West Vancouver

A stunning Mediterranean waterfront garden thrives in a micro climate that terraces down to the water's edge. Many varieties of exotic palms, bamboo, rhodos and other unique and unusual plants are nurtured by an extremely knowledgeable gardener.

### Artist Gigi Hoeller

Bright and bold up-close paintings and pastels of images of Mother Nature's finest speaks volumes of her love and passion for the stunning beauty in flowers.

### Artist Matthew Freed

This accomplished clay artist specializes in hand crafted functional pottery. He is always experimenting with glazes and different shapes which defines his work as unique and beautiful.

### 16) GARDENER ELEANORA WEBER UPHAM

2322 Marine Dr., West Vancouver

A lush and intimate space that maximizes the impact of individual unique plants. Designed utilizing tons of texture it is beautiful throughout the year with a continual flush of colour during the growing season.

### Artist Eleanora Weber Upham

A painter who has a passion for intense colour and is continually exploring new techniques. Using mainly watercolours and acrylics she is currently incorporating abstraction into her florals and landscapes.

### Artist Vern

### Montgomery

Using acrylics, Vern paints rich, often humorous, local scenes and celebrations with bold colour in a caricature style that captures the heart and makes you smile.

## WEST VANCOUVER

