

Here Come the Flower Pots


Okay, being that it's February, it's hard to imagine that we'll ever see flowers again, but Mother Nature always seems to pull through and once again we find ourselves in bloom.

In the past, the Fort St. John Community Arts Council has contracted a member group of the Arts Council or a coordinator to assist with the project. However, this year it will be shared amongst three member groups in a move that will no doubt lighten the load of the project while promoting partnership and interaction between fellow member groups.

The Flower Pot Project is a Communities In Bloom initiative shared by the City of Fort St. John and the Fort St. John Community Arts Council. Communities In Bloom is an international program that recognizes city beautification efforts.

Each year these flower pots provide colour and beauty to 100th Street and at the regional airport in Fort St. John. The flower pots are painted by local artists, and the City places the planters in the downtown core. After two years of decorating the streets, a flower pot is auctioned off to the community raising funds for the Arts Council.

We look forward to another season of beautiful pots and lovely flowers. And if you're artistically inclined, consider painting a flower pot yourself! You can call the ArtsPost for details on painting pots.

A decorative planter box with a brown top and white body. The top edge features a row of white scrollwork. The front face is decorated with a large, intricate brown and white mandala design. The planter is filled with a variety of flowers, including yellow daisies, red gerberas, and blue flowers. A white sign with blue text is placed inside the planter. The planter sits on a paved surface with yellow parking lines.

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2008 Coordinator Niki Hedges gets a hand mounting a sponsorship plaque



