

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

2011 LONDON SPRING HOME & GARDEN



Friday April 8th to Sunday April 10th - WESTERN FAIR GROUNDS

Get Great Ideas - Make Plans - Receive Expert Advice

- The **LONDON SPRING HOME and GARDEN SHOW** celebrates its **35th** year as Southwestern Ontario's premier and largest Home, Garden, Landscaping & Lifestyle event. It's **the BIG SHOW showcasing everything for your home** including **THE GREEN THUMB MARKETPLACE** - a whole building devoted to gardening and outdoor living.
- If you are looking for ideas or planning any project around your home this year, this is **the Show for you!** Everything you need to renovate, redecorate and remodel your home - over 340 quality exhibitors displaying thousands of products and services, many at **special Show prices.**

2011 SHOW FEATURES

- **THE DESIGN CENTRE** – A showcase of the latest interior and outdoor trends including kitchens, décor, paint and renovations.
- **THE DREAM GARAGE** – The ultimate getaway for the vehicle enthusiast – the latest in cabinetry, flooring, storage, accessories and fun by FT Garage.
- **BACK TO THE FUTURE** – presented by London Audio – Are your home electronics stuck in the 80s? See how far we have come in 30 years in television, audio and home automation. When it comes to technology, there's no looking back!
- **THE 'NEW' LANDSCAPE & OUTDOOR LIVING BUILDING** – 15,000 sq. ft. devoted to the best in landscape and outdoor lifestyle living.
- **DRY STONE WALLING** – an ongoing demonstration of this ancient art of building without mortar – an exciting 'new' look in today's landscape design.
- **THE BACKYARD OUTDOOR OASIS** – a feature display including a hot tub with waterfall, patio, a deck with a retractable roof over an outdoor kitchen, surrounded by natural stone.
- **KID ZONE CHILDREN'S BACKYARD** – A great children's playground in your own backyard showing how play structures can be integrated into your landscape design.
- **GRILLING SCHOOL and OUTDOOR ENTERTAINING** – a Northern Retreat Outdoor Patio Landscape designed by Leaf Landscape featuring grilling experts from Porky's offering tips and samples.
- **RONA 'Doing It Right'** – bring your questions to the Rona 'HELP DESK' at their display in the Landscape & Outdoor Living Building.
- **Exhibitors are putting their GREEN FOOT FORWARD.** Exhibitors who have green products and services that are eco-friendly for in and around your home and garden will be identified with **GREEN FOOT FORWARD** signage and **GREEN PRODUCT** Show cards.
- **THE GREEN THUMB MARKETPLACE** - An entire building devoted to gardening, outdoor living and decorating with **great shopping & Show specials!**
- **THE LONDON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY Spring Flower Show.** A display and competition of houseplants, fresh cut flowers and design arrangements. Bring your gardening questions to the **London Middlesex Master Gardeners.**
- Visit displays from the London Orchid Society and the Garden Club of London.

**LOTS OF IDEAS, ADVICE & ENTERTAINMENT on
THE IDEA STAGE and THE GARDENING STAGE**

- On the **IDEA STAGE** – Enjoy culinary delights from **North Moore Catering** Friday April 8th at 4pm & 7pm and **Idlewyld Inn** Saturday and Sunday at 1:30pm. See **JONATHAN & DREW SCOTT of W Network's hit television show Property Brothers** on Saturday April 9th at 3pm & 6pm presented by Rona. Meet Jonathan & Drew at the Rona display in the Landscape & Outdoor Living Building after the 3pm show. Bring your design and colour questions to **Janine May, Colour & Design Consultant from Para Paints**, presented by Color Company and Para Paints. Janine is on stage Saturday April 9th at 12noon and 4:30pm, Sunday April 10th at 12noon and 3pm. Bring your samples and get a mini consult from Janine in the Color Company booth Saturday & Sunday
- The **GARDENING STAGE** in the NEW **Landscape & Outdoor Living Building** – daily clinics and great advice on colour in your garden, pruning, growing roses & dahlias, tomatoes, interior planting, ponds, tree planting, landscape success, Eco Yard tips, plus Ugly Bugs.
- **FABULOUS LUCKY DRAW PRIZES** - Visitors have a chance to win thousands of dollars in prizes for their home – including a **solid surface custom countertop**, a **complete patio furnishings package**, a **3-piece appliance group** and a **spa with garden furniture**.
- **Whatever you need to enhance your home and garden, inside and out, top to bottom...you'll find 1000's of ideas, products and expert advice at the 2011 LONDON SPRING HOME & GARDEN SHOW!**
- This is the **GREAT BIG SHOW** - Southwestern Ontario's **LARGEST** Home, Garden, Landscaping & Lifestyle Show utilizing all Buildings and covering over 150,000 sq. ft. - You won't be disappointed! It's more than just a Home Show!
- **Show hours:**

Friday	April 8th	12:00 pm to	9:00 pm
Saturday	April 9th	10:00 am to	8:00 pm
Sunday	April 10th	11:00 am to	5:00 pm
- **Regular Admission:** \$10.00 **Seniors (65 plus):** \$8.00
Children under 12 free when accompanied by an adult
- Over **4000 FREE PARKING** spaces

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