



# 2010 Garden Awards

CHFT will present the Green Thumb Awards at the Co-operative Housing Awards night this fall. The Green Thumb Awards recognize outstanding gardens in co-op common areas. Gardens make our co-ops beautiful and bring joy to co-op members and their neighbours. Sometimes, these gardens even provide fruit, vegetables and herbs for members.

This is how your co-op can enter the garden contest. First, let us know if your co-op is interested in participating by filling out the application and sending it back by **June 18, 2010**.

Then send us photos of your co-op garden or gardens on a CD. The photos must be in jpg format. Please make sure the photos have been copied onto the CD before you send it in.

Please write on your CD which garden award category you are entering. The deadline for photo CDs is **July 26, 2010**. Co-ops whose gardens are chosen as finalists will be visited by the gardening judge later in the summer.

The **Green Thumb Awards** will recognize the following gardens —

Gardens of Distinction

Best New Entry

Best Rooftop Garden

Best Vegetable Garden

Combined Garden

Best Outdoor Garden

Co-operative Housing Federation of Toronto



**Co-op name** \_\_\_\_\_

**address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact person** \_\_\_\_\_

**address** \_\_\_\_\_

**phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Describe your co-op's common area garden**

**type** (flower, vegetable,)  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**location** (front/back of the building? rooftop? courtyard?)  
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Please return this application form by **June 18, 2010** to Maria La Vida, Co-operative Housing Federation of Toronto 658 Danforth Avenue, Suite 306 Toronto, Ontario M4J 5B9  
Fax 416 465-8337.

A CD with pictures of your garden or gardens must be sent to CHFT by **July 26, 2010**.



## Co-operative Housing Federation of Toronto Inc.

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Co-operative Housing Federation of Toronto

**Fax #** 416-465-8337

**From** \_\_\_\_\_

**Co-op** \_\_\_\_\_

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The Co-operative Housing Awards Night will take place this fall. CHFT's annual Awards Night is a time to

- celebrate the achievements of our co-op communities
- congratulate ourselves on another year of hard work, and
- look forward to a new year of accomplishments.

The nomination deadline for all of these awards is **Friday, June 18, 2010.**

### **Living in Diversity**

This award will honour member co-ops who are working to support and promote diversity within their communities.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

### **Housing Co-operative Achievement of the Year**

This award is to acknowledge the outstanding achievements of CHFT member co-ops from June 2009 to June 2010.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

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### **Best Co-op Newsletter**

Newsletters can be an important form of communication in co-ops. This award will be given to the co-op whose newsletter is most readable, informative and entertaining .

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

### **Best Co-op Web Site**

Many co-ops now have their own web site. Voting for this award will take place on-line and will account for 50% of the score. Nominated websites will be voted on by a panel of judges to determine the other 50% of the score.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

### **Long-term Contribution**

This award recognizes housing co-ops that have combined good management with support for social justice over a number of years. The average age of co-ops who have won this award in past years has been 15 years or older.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

### **Youth Award**

This award recognizes a person, committee or a member co-op who has made a contribution towards supporting and mentoring youth in their community.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please check here if your co-op would like a nomination form.

You're invited to our



## Open House



Please join us on **WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23RD** and find out how to become a member of our co-op community. We'll also be showing some of our newly renovated town homes that are available for rent.

Doors open at 6:30pm  
Presentation starts at 7:00pm

Open House walk through



and refreshments will be served following  
the presentation.

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Dear Co-op Members,

The G20 Integrated Security Unit has provided some further updates that I wanted to bring to your attention.

### **G20 Security Perimeter Change**

The Integrated Security Unit (ISU) has made a change to the location of the security fence at its south west corner. It will now be wrapping around the Rogers Centre, closing Rees St. from Bremner to Lake Shore Blvd. 81 Navy Wharf Court and all other CityPlace buildings will remain **outside** of the fence.

You can view and download the revised map here:

<http://www.g8-g20isu.ca/g20/resources/10-06-11-map.pdf>

### **G20 Traffic Plan Update**

The ISU has posted more detail for traffic closures to and from Lester B. Pearson airport. If you plan to go to the airport or travel on the 400 series highways on the weekend of the Summit (June 26 and 27) you should consult their website:

<http://www.g8-g20isu.ca/g20/news-nouvelles/10-06-11-eng.htm>

A revised commuter map is available here:

<http://www.g8-g20isu.ca/g20/resources/10-06-14-traffic-eng.pdf>

Please Post:

Special invitation

CELEBRATION  
FOOD

FUN  
INFORMATION  
NEIGHBORS NETWORKING

To: ALL HOUSING CO-OPERATIVES  
- MEMBERS AND STAFF

We are inviting you and your families to participate with members and staff of **HUGH GARNER COOP** at **550 Ontario Street** in our special greenroof and party room

To share in our: **LGBT Pride Late Breakfast Feast**

9:30 am to 11:30 noon

Sunday June 27. 2009

On our Famous Greenroof or inside party room:  
Buzzer 286

We will have a great variety of breakfast foods and drinks

And - you may add to that by bringing a favorite breakfast food item to share

*Our guest entertainer will be -- Michelle Duberry*

We would appreciate a call confirming your plans to join with us, or to get further info.

**Phone Jack @ 416-944 2574 - for The Hugh Garner Diversity Committee**