

Enhancing Green Spaces
in Communities



Mise en valeur des espaces
verts au sein des collectivités

The Judges are coming to the Village of Champion, Alberta

The Village of Champion is participating in the 2017 National Edition of Communities in Bloom in the **Canada 150** category.

The *Communities in Bloom* judges, Evelyn Alemanni from Elfin Forest, California, USA & Jim Baird from Rothesay, New Brunswick will be evaluating the Village of Champion on July 19-20-21. The village would like to remind all businesses and residents to tidy up their property before the judges arrive.

Communities in Bloom is a Canadian non-profit organization committed to fostering civic pride, environmental responsibility, beautification and to improving quality of life through community participation and a national challenge.

The National and International results will be announced in Ottawa/Gatineau, National Capital Region from September 13 to 16, 2017 during the Symposium and Awards Ceremonies with the theme of "Communities and Green Spaces ...Celebrating Canada's 150 Anniversary".

To support the educational aspect of its activities, the organization established the *Communities in Bloom Foundation*, a registered charity dedicated to funding, developing, and disseminating education and awareness on the value, improvement, importance and sustainable development of green spaces and natural environment in Canada.

*Within the context of climate change and environmental concerns,
all those involved in the Communities in Bloom program can be proud of their efforts
which provide real and meaningful environmental solutions and benefit all of society.*

His Excellency, the Right Honourable David Johnston, C.C., C.M.M., C.O.M., C.D. Governor General of Canada is the Patron of Communities in Bloom.

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