



RIDEAU CANAL GARDEN TOURS

Calling All Gardeners!

The Rideau Canal Festival offers gardening enthusiasts a unique and rare opportunity to tour the beautiful gardens along the Rideau Canal. These gardens are famous for the beautiful tulip displays in the spring, but the display of annuals over the summer is also quite spectacular.

Join your hosts **Gérald Lajeunesse**, Chief Landscape Architect, **Dorota Grudniewicz**, Landscape Architect and Floral Designer, **Mark Burleton**, Horticulturalist and Manager of the Official Residences Grounds and Greenhouses for the National Capital Commission and members of the **Ottawa Botanical Garden Society** as they weave the story of the floral displays along the Rideau Canal, the structure and strategy of the modern day displays, and the vision for the future.

Tour participants will receive a coupon to redeem for tulip bulbs courtesy of the National Capital Commission and a coupon from The Urban Terrace.

Date: Friday, July 31 to Monday, August 3, 2009
Time: 10:00 am
Duration: 1 hour, 15 minutes
Location: Meet at Dows Lake Pavilion

PLEASE NOTE: THE TOUR IS FREE!