

## Local Nurseries

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In the past twenty years, as interest in gardening has grown in the Ottawa area, we have been fortunate to have a blossoming (forgive the pun) of local nurseries to serve the growing customer base. Here is a short list of those in our vicinity. It's far from comprehensive – it's difficult to keep up with new ones opening up and old ones branching out in new directions. Many of them provide discounts for horticultural society members, but you must produce your current membership card and ask about this prior to purchasing.

Nursery	Location	Contact	Focus	Other
Brantim Farm Country Gardens	Hamilton Side Road, Almonte	613 256-4940 <a href="http://www.brantim.com/main.html">http://www.brantim.com/main.html</a>	Container gardening	No discounts: free workshops
Galetta Nurseries	Galetta	613 623-6175 <a href="http://www.galettanurseries.com">Galetta Nursery</a>	Perennials, hardy roses	Workshops, newsletters
Gardens North	5984 Third Line Rd. N., North Gower	613-489-0065 <a href="http://gardensnorth.com/site/">http://gardensnorth.com/site/</a>	Seeds	Show gardens
The Herb Garden	Old Almonte Road, Almonte	613 256-0228 <a href="http://www.herbgarden.on.ca/">http://www.herbgarden.on.ca/</a>	Herbs for garden and kitchen.	Show gardens, food, workshops
Kiwi Gardens	Harper Road, Perth	613 267-7384 <a href="http://www.kiwigardens.ca/">http://www.kiwigardens.ca/</a>	Perennials for E. Ontario, shade plants, grasses.	Show gardens, shows
Make It Green	Flewellyn Rd. at Eagleson, Kanata	613 599-3419 <a href="http://www.makeitgreen.ca/index.htm">http://www.makeitgreen.ca/index.htm</a>	Full service garden centre:	10% discount, Tues, Wed, Thurs Spring sale
Old Field Garden	2935 Porter Rd, Oxford Station	613 258-7945 <a href="http://www.oldfieldgarden.on.ca/">http://www.oldfieldgarden.on.ca/</a>	Wildflowers, natural gardens	Show gardens, workshops
Peter Knippel Nursery Inc	4590, Bank St., Ottawa	613 822-0383 <a href="http://www.knippelnursery.com/">http://www.knippelnursery.com/</a>	Full service garden centre	Free seminars
Reilly's Country Gardens	2238, Diamondview Rd, Kinburn	613 832-2965 <a href="http://rcgardens.ca/index.html">http://rcgardens.ca/index.html</a>	Perennials, peonies, grasses, water gardening	Workshops, newsletters
Richmond Nursery	Eagleson & Richmond Rds, Richmond	613838-2282 <a href="http://www.richmondnursery.com">http://www.richmondnursery.com</a>	Full service garden centre	Online discussion forum
Rideau Nursery	6986, McCordick Rd., North Gower	613 489-0396 <a href="http://www.rideaunursery.com/">http://www.rideaunursery.com/</a>	Perennials, cut flowers	Show gardens

Rideau Woodland Ramble	Merrickville	613 258 3797 <a href="http://www.rideauwoodlandramble.com">http://www.rideauwoodlandramble.com</a>	Conifers, hostas, grasses, shrubs	10% discount Show gardens
Ritchie Feed & Seed	2079, Carp Road, Stittsville	613 836-6880 <a href="http://www.ritchiefeed.com/">http://www.ritchiefeed.com/</a>	Full service garden centre	Free gardening seminars
Whitehouse Perennials	594 Rae Rd. Almonte	613 256-3406 <a href="http://www.whitehouseperennials.com/">http://www.whitehouseperennials.com/</a>	Perennials for E. Ontario, day lilies.	10% discount Show gardens