



THE INTERNATIONAL PLOWING MATCH
AND RURAL EXPO (IPM) IS COMING TO
DUFFERIN **SEPTEMBER 19-23, 2023!**

THIS EVENT IS HELD ANNUALLY IN
ONTARIO AND IS NORTH AMERICA'S
LARGEST OUTDOOR AGRICULTURAL AND
RURAL EXPO AND **ATTRACTS MORE**
THAN 80,000 VISITORS OVER
THE 5 DAY EVENT.

THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE
OUR RICH ABUNDANCE OF
AGRICULTURAL FARMLAND AND QUAIN
TOWNS AND VILLAGES WITHIN
DUFFERIN COUNTY.

THE 2023 IPM BEAUTIFICATION
COMPETITION IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO
VISUALLY DEMONSTRATE YOUR
COMMUNITY SPIRIT AND TO MAKE THE
SURROUNDING AREAS MORE APPEALING
TO OUR VISITORS.

THE CONTEST ENGAGES THE
COMMUNITIES WITHIN DUFFERIN BY
CREATING OUTDOOR VISUAL DISPLAYS
THAT INCORPORATE THE THEME
(BREATHE IN DUFFERIN- ONTARIO'S
HEARTLAND), FLOWERS (HYDRANGEA
AND FALL MUMS) AND COLOURS
(CREAM, BLUE, RUST) OF THE 2023
INTERNATIONAL PLOWING MATCH AND
RURAL EXPO.

GET INVOLVED AND BE CREATIVE.
PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED IN EACH OF
THE MAIN CATEGORIES OF URBAN,
RURAL AND BUSINESS (INCLUDES
STORES, CHURCHES) AND BARN QUILTS.
THE MORE DISPLAYS THE GREATER THE IMPACT!



BREATHE IN DUFFERIN



ONTARIO'S HEARTLAND



BEAUTIFICATION COMPETITION

GET INVOLVED AND BE CREATIVE!

WWW.PLOWINGMATCH.ORG/IPM2023



ENTRY FORM

NAME:

EMAIL:

PHONE:

ADDRESS:

CATEGORIES

PLEASE ONLY ONE CATEGORY ENTRY PER FORM.
THANK YOU!

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URBAN

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BUSINESS

(INCLUDES CHURCHES AND STORES)

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RURAL

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BARN QUILT**

**NO ENTRY FEE, OPEN TO ALL
WITHIN DUFFERIN COUNTY**

**A BARN QUILT IS MADE OF WOOD, SIGN BOARD OR AN ALUMINUM COMPOSITE PANEL AND PAINTED. THE DESIGN IS TYPICALLY MADE TO LOOK LIKE A QUILT BLOCK, BUT COULD BE A UNIQUE DESIGN. MOST BARN QUILTS ARE MADE WITH A SIMPLE GEOMETRIC DESIGN. THE SIMPLICITY OF THE DESIGN AND THE VIBRANT COLOURS MAKE IT EASY TO SEE FROM A DISTANCE. SIZES CAN BE 2'X2' OR 3'X3' OR 4'X4'

VOTING: BEST USE OF



FLOWERS:

HYDRANGEAS & FALL MUMS

/25

IPM 2023 COLOURS:

BLUE, RUST & CREAM

/25

IPM 2023 THEME:

BREATHE IN DUFFERIN-
ONTARIO'S HEARTLAND

/25

OVERALL APPEAL & IMPACT

/25

TOTAL

/100



To ENTER:

TAKE A PHOTO 8"X10" (HIGH RESOLUTION .JPG)
OF YOUR DISPLAY, COMPLETE AND SUBMIT THE ENTRY FORM
ELECTRONICALLY TO: IPM2023BEAUTIFICATION@GMAIL.COM

RULES:

SUBMISSIONS MUST:

- INCLUDE A PHOTO 8"X10" (HIGH RESOLUTION .JPG)
- ENTRIES CAN BE FRONT DOOR OR END OF LANEWAYS

PRIZES:

A TOTAL OF 2,500 IS UP FOR GRABS! 1ST, 2ND & 3RD WILL BE
AWARDED FOR EACH CATEGORY AS FOLLOWS.

1ST PRIZE- \$300

2ND PRIZE- \$200

3RD PRIZE- \$100

ENTRY DEADLINE: AUG 28TH 2023