

A HARBORSIDE PARADE STOREFRONT DECORATING CONTEST
SPONSORED BY THE FREELAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

How DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?

Monday, May 5 thru Friday, May 9, 2008
Judging at Noon on May 9th

The Freeland Chamber of Commerce invites all Freeland businesses to join the fun and take part in our Second Annual Storefront Decorating Contest to support the M-Bar-C and The Forgotten Children's Fund, a nonprofit organization that provides a ranch experience for children who are physically, emotionally, mentally or financially disadvantaged.

Besides our great prizes, **Ace Hardware is going to help you create the most fantastic entry ever! They will give Storefront Contest participants a 15% discount on bedding plants and a 10% discount on anything else (i.e., soil, planters, etc.). This offer is good starting May 1st through May 8th.** You just take in your stamped entry form and show it to the cashier when you get ready to check out. This discount is good, one time only.

Prizes

\$100 for "Best in Show"
\$50 for "Most Unique"
\$25 for "Craziest"

Contest Rules:

1. \$25 Fee per entry—(Max 3 per business)
2. Decorations **must have** a floral or gardening theme and can be floral pots or window boxes, even wheelbarrows will work! Originality is the name of the game!
3. Floral arrangements must be in place (in front of your business), by noon on Friday, May 9th.
4. Floral arrangements should remain in place (at least) until 5 PM Monday, May 9th, so the business area is attractive to everyone that comes to see our parade on Saturday, May 10th.
5. Have Fun! If you don't have fun, you WILL be disqualified!

Winners will be announced May 10th at Harborside Parade in Freeland.

Storefront Decorating Contest Entry Form

Business Name/Contact Person: _____

Location of Floral Arrangement: _____

Arrangement Name: _____

Daytime Phone: _____

**Please return this form and your \$25 entry fee by May 5th to Chamber of Commerce.*

Questions? Contact the Chamber of Commerce at 360-331-1980.
Additional entry forms can be picked up at Chamber of Commerce: 1640 Main Street—Freeland.