2001 NATIONAL AWARDS

On September 22, Greater Saint John, New Brunswick hosted the 2001 Communities in Bloom National Awards Ceremony honoring municipalities from each province and territory across Canada. This year marks the seventh edition of Communities in Bloom, a nation wide competition to elevate civic pride. A successful program since 1995, Communities in Bloom recognizes community participation in beautification, heritage and environmental awareness.

National Award Winners

1 to 1,000 population	Blyth, Ontario
1,001 to 3,000 population	Millet, Alberta
3,001 to 5,000 population	Grand Bay-Westfield, New Brunswick
5,001 to 10,000 population	Qualicum Beach, British Columbia
10,001 to 20,000 population	Williams Lake, British Columbia
20,001 to 50,000 population	Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island
50,001 to 100,000 population	Waterloo, Ontario
100,001 to 300,000 population	Barrie, Ontario
Over 300,000 population	Winnipeg, Manitoba

Canadian Classic

Birtle and Minnedosa, Manitoba won the second edition of the Canadian Classic, a category in which past winners were twinned with municipalities who had never participated.

International Challenge

Guelph, Ontario and Zlin, Czech Republic (in the large city category) along with Viking, Alberta and Audley, England (in the small municipality category) won the International Challenge. In this category, past winners of Communities in Bloom are twinned with past winners of european contests.

International Exchange

The municipalities of Higashikagura and Kawaguchiko from Japan were twinned with Stony Plain, Alberta and Brandon, Manitoba to exchange information and learn from each other.

America in Bloom

The canadian municipalities of Greater Saint John, New Brunswick; Oshawa, Ontario; Stratford, Connecticut and Medicine Hat, Alberta mentored the american municipalities of Portland, Maine; Monroe County, New York; Stratford, Connecticut and Coeur d'Alene, Idaho to establish America in Bloom, a program that will involve municipalities from the United States as of 2002.

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ÉDITION NATIONALE 2001 NATIONAL EDITION

Over 300 000 - et plus

Edmonton, Alberta
Laval, Québec
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Halifax, Nova Scotia
Montréal, Québec

100 001 - 300 000

Abbotsford, British Columbia
Barrie, Ontario
Coquitlam, British Columbia
Richmond Hill, Ontario
Saskatoon, Saskatchewan
Greater Sudbury, Ontario

50 001 - 100 000

Maple Ridge, British Columbia
Waterloo, Ontario
Kamloops, British Columbia
Metro Moncton, New-Brunswick
Lethbridge, Alberta

20 001 - 50 000

Whitehorse, Yukon
Grande Prairie, Alberta
St-Thomas, Ontario
Corner Brook, Newfoundland
Penticton, British Columbia
Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan
Outremont, Québec
Mount Pearl, Newfoundland
Sherwood Park, Alberta
Woodstock, Ontario
Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island

10 001 - 20 000

Williams Lake, British Columbia
Wetaskiwin, Alberta
Greater Napanee, Ontario
Grand-Mere, Québec
Fort St-John, British Columbia
Leduc, Alberta
Huntsville, Ontario
Summerside, Prince Edward Island
Pitt Meadows, British Columbia
Midland, Ontario
Shawinigan Sud, Québec

5 001 - 10 000

Qualicum Beach, British Columbia
Arnprior, Ontario
Marystown, Newfoundland
Innisfail, Alberta
Kincardine, Ontario
Steinbach, Manitoba
Stratford, Prince Edward Island

3 001 - 5 000

Hay River, NorthWest Territory
Vermilion, Alberta
St-Etienne-des-Grés, Québec
Creston, British Columbia
Neepawa, Manitoba
St-Boniface, Québec
Westlock, Alberta
Brighton, Ontario
Grand Bay-Westfield, New-Brunswick

1 001 - 3000

Fort Smith, NorthWest Territory
Sundre, Alberta
Unity, Saskatchewan
Beausejour, Manitoba
Watson Lake, Yukon
Gibbons, Alberta
Souris, Manitoba
Cardinal, Ontario
Millet, Alberta
Picture Butte, Alberta
Carman, Manitoba
Burin, Newfoundland

1 - 1 000

Big Valley, Alberta
Wolsely, Saskatchewan
Ste-Sophie-de-Lévrard, Québec
Brigus, Newfoundland
Mundare, Alberta
Hamiota, Manitoba
Maitland, Nova Scotia
Robert's Arm, Newfoundland
Rycroft, Alberta
Blyth, Ontario
Grand Bruit, Newfoundland

Classique canadienne - Canadian Classic

Forestburg, Alberta - Donalda, Alberta
Birtle, Manitoba - Minnedosa, Manitoba
Golden, British Columbia - Revelstoke, British Columbia

America in Bloom

Oshawa, Ontario - Monroe County, New York
Medicine Hat, Alberta - Cœur d'Alene, Idaho
Greater Saint John, New-Brunswick - Portland, Maine
Stratford, Ontario - Stratford, Connecticut

Défi international - International Challenge

Boissevain, Manitoba - Warringstown, Northern Ireland
Viking, Alberta - Audley, England
Guelph, Ontario - Zlin, Czech Republic
Westmount, Québec - St Helier, Jersey Islands, England
Mont-Tremblant, Québec - Chatel France
Rosemere, Québec - St Ives, England

Échange international - International Exchange

Higashikagura, Japan - Stony Plain, Alberta
Kawaguchiko, Japan - Brandon, Manitoba
Kelowna, British Columbia
St-Adolphe d'Howard, Québec
Virden, Manitoba