Since Streetsville Horticultural Society is celebrating our 50th Anniversary this year we have decided on making an arbor at the Leslie Log House as our anniversary project.


The arbor we are proposing to install at the Leslie Log House will be approx. 48 " wide (opening) by 7 feet tall by 40 " deep (all measurements are approximate). The 4 corner posts will be sunk and cemented in the ground.

The appearance of the arbor will be in keeping with the style and era of the Log house and will be made out of natural materials, ie. cedar posts, branches, grape vine etc. We are proposing the arbor be placed at the end of the fence to the right of the front door if you are looking at the house face on. This site will be good for photos of eg.Bride and Groom etc. under the climbing rose covered arbor with the Log House in the background. The work will be done by volunteers.

How it will look out exactly will totally depend on the materials we gather. The 4 main posts are coming from a farm south of Erin. Some examples of how we think the arbor might look are:



We are not planning on starting this project until June as we have a very busy spring planned with potting up (April / May) for our Plant Sale which will be held May 28th at 8:30 a.m., cleaning up and planting the gardens at the Leslie Log House, etc.

Streetsville Horticultural Society volunteers garden at the Log House every Wednesday morning from May 24th thru to Thanksgiving. We have been doing this since the renovations for the Log House were completed in 2011. We contribute approximately 300 volunteer hours on this site every year so thus far have contributed $\sim 3,300$ hours beautifying this property for the public.

Thank you for consideration of this project.

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