



I hope that you and yours had a magical holiday season and that this upcoming year is full of wonder and good health and happiness! ☺ Kim Sturge

## Our Next Meeting:

(Don't forget to renew your membership! Only \$25.00!)

January 5<sup>th</sup> 2016 at 7:00pm



Guest Speaker:

*Charlotte*

*Vorstermans*

Master Gardener

Topic:

## *Asian Gardens and their Design Influence*

Asian gardens incorporate open spaces, water features and minimal but dramatic plantings such as: bonsai, hibiscus, peace lilies, bamboo and Japanese maples. Serene pathways meander to special areas of calm decorated with Asian influenced statues and lanterns. Everything is designed to enhance peace and serenity.



Check out our website at:

[www.barriegardenclub.com](http://www.barriegardenclub.com)

## President's Message

Happy New Year to everyone and I hope that you all had a very Happy Holiday Season!

We have an exciting year coming up:

- Great speakers every month at our Open Meetings (check out our website)
- Speakers for our Annual Spring Seminar, Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> 2016 are:
  - Frankie Flowers
  - Carson Arthur (seen regularly on Cityline)
  - Lexi Dearborn
- Plant Sale - Saturday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at Golden Meadows Park
- Spring Projects

I hope to see everyone in January.

Just a reminder, our membership year runs from January to December, **so please remember to renew your memberships. You can bring \$25 in cash or cheque to the January Meeting.**

We will also be recruiting volunteers so if you have some extra time let us know!

See you soon,

*Joanne Rachfalowski*

Barrie Garden Club President

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