

Dakota

GARDEN EXPO



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Dakota Garden Expo is open Friday from 3:00 to 8:00 PM and on Saturday from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

Admission is \$5, or \$3 if you bring a non-perishable food item. The food

will be donated to the Great Plains Food Bank.

There is a Plant Check Area where you can leave your purchases and continue to shop. Curbside assistance at pick-up

time will be provided by Burleigh County 4-H. A free will donation will be accepted and used to support ongoing 4-H programs.

Prizes



Grand Prizes

Register at the door to win the following grand prizes:

- Snapper XD 82V Max* Electric Cordless Self-Propelled Walk Mower
- Signature Series Dual-Stage Snow Blower from Performance Equipment

The mower is powered by a Briggs & Stratton 82V Max* lithium-ion battery. Now you can look forward to your lawn chores with convenient features like a self-propelled drive system, push-button starting and intelligent loading sensing technology to make mowing easy.

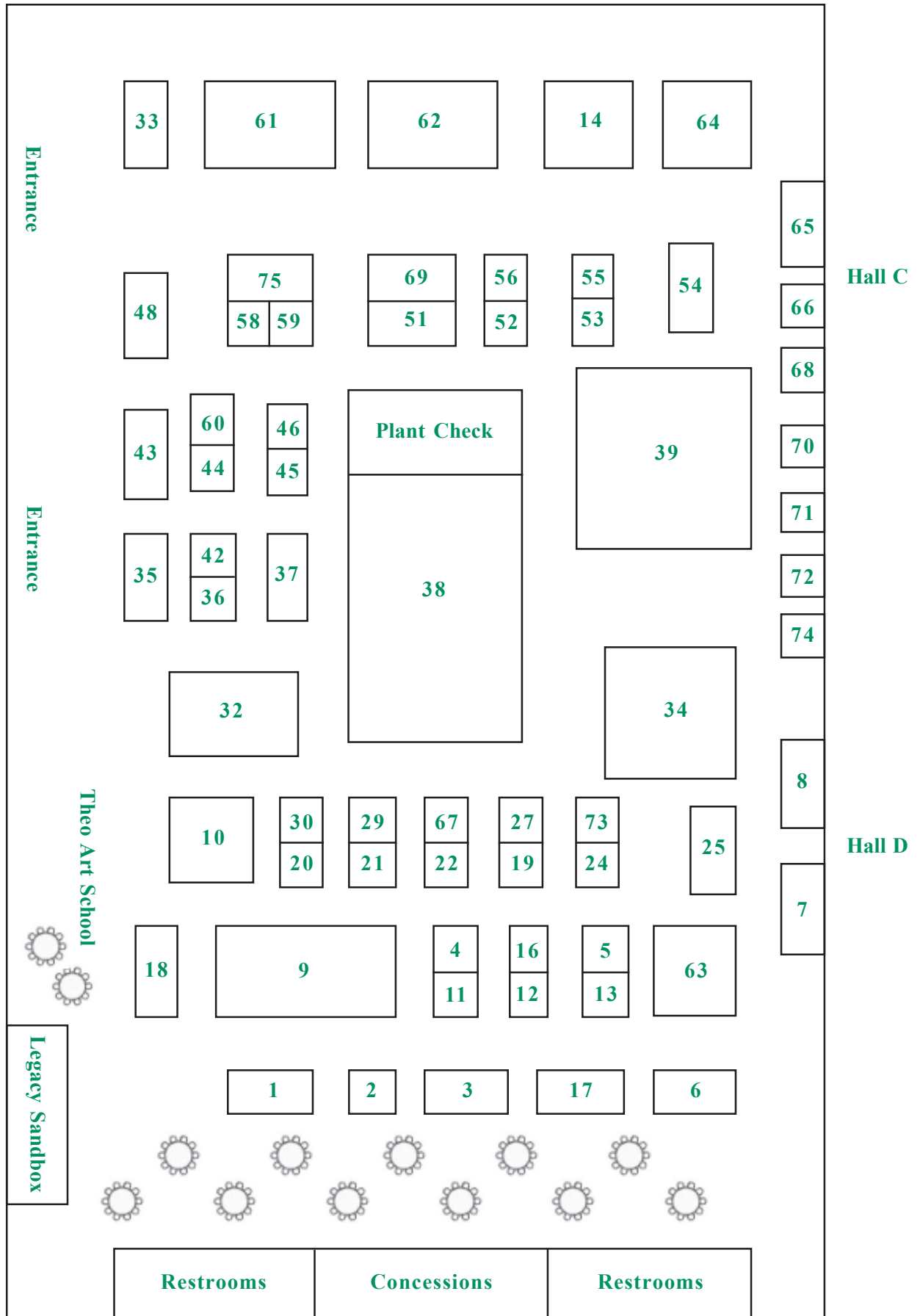
These machines provide heavy-duty performance that is built to tackle the big jobs. They feature Briggs &

Stratton Professional Series OHV engines, integrated channel handles and commercial-grade transmissions for all-day reliability and tried and true performance.

More Prizes

- Register at the door to win \$25 Plant Perfect gift cards. They will be awarded hourly.
- One hundred and fifty Colorado blue spruce seedlings and 500 seed packets are available each day on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Many vendors offer prizes you can register for at their booths.

Booth Layout



Vendors

Business	Booth	Business	Booth	Business	Booth
ABC Seamless	7	Hebron Brick & Block Supply	54	Redline Motorsports	73
Amber's Creations	53	HOTWORX	2	Ressler Siding	34
Anima Cucina	9	House of Color Inc.	46	RPM	29
Autmow of North Dakota	6	Ignite Dispensary	51	Scentsy	66
Baldwin Greenhouse	32	Kitchen Craft	72	Securian Financial Advisor	24
Bathfitter	1	Legacy Landscaping & Design	18	Signature Homestyle	4
Bis-Man Landscaping & Hauling	21	Lonetree Designs	14	Speedy Gonzalez Landscaping	30
Bismarck Marble & Granite	3	Mary Kay, Tammy Pope	67	Tastefully Simple	8
Blind Ambition	13	Midwest Deck	68	The Blind Guy	48
Bobcat of Mandan	39	Mild to Wild Motorsports	61	The Superior Sleep Experience	43
Castles	65	ND Dept of Argiculture	37	Theo Art School Next to Sand Box	
Caves	35	Nexus Path	11	TSI	22
Cutco Cuttery	44	Northern Plains Equipment	64	Two Brothers Custom Kennel	23
Dakota Gypsum Supply	12	Norwex	5	Uriar Turner Painting	74
Damsel in Defense	19	Outdoor Comfort Solutions	63	Vintner's Winery	27
Dutch Mill Florist	58	Owl Creek Organics	71	West River Equipment	16
Emu Magic Products	69	Pam Emmil - 5 Second Rule	17	Wrap & Pack Moving Co	70
Fettig Millwork + Windows	62	Performance Equipment, Inc	10	Yanish Custom Exteriors	33
Fitteam Global	56	Plant Perfect	38	Your Home Improvement	25
Harvest Catering & Events	55	Q Sciences	52	YOUvitalize	60
Heartland Pella	20	RB MFG	59		

Speakers

Kelsey Deckert

Kelsey serves as the NDSU Extension Horticulture Agent for Burleigh and Morton Counties. She serves the public in the education on lawns, gardens, and trees. Kelsey received a degree from NDSU in Agriculture Education.

Calla Edwards

Calla is the Agriculture Agent for NDSU Extension in McLean County. She grew up in the nursery and greenhouse business and received a degree in Horticulture Business at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Beth Hill

Beth Hill is the acting Outreach and Education Manager for the ND Forest Service. She offers guidance on tree planting and care to communities and residents in the state. She is a soil expert, graduate of NDSU, and a certified Master Gardener.

Vanessa Hoines

Vanessa is an Extension Agent in Morton County. Vanessa works to bring science based information to the citizens of Morton County and North Dakota in the areas of nutrition, health and wellness, financial literacy, family relationships, aging and community development.

Tom Kalb

Tom is an Extension Horticulturist for NDSU. He was raised on a farm in Minnesota where his family grew vegetables and managed an apple orchard. Tom is based in Bismarck and coordinates the ND Junior Master Gardener program and ND Home Garden Variety Trials.

Tyler Kralicek

Tyler is the Agriculture Agent for NDSU Extension in Burleigh County. He grew up on a farm and ranch north

of Dickinson. He learned innovative gardening practices and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture at Oregon State University.

Esther McGinnis

Esther is an NDSU Extension horticulturist, Director of the NDSU Extension Master Gardener Program, and Associate Professor within the Dept. of Plant Sciences. She and her graduate students evaluate ornamental and native plants for pollinator attraction, rain garden environments, and commercial flower production.

Marcy Pflieger

Marcy has been passionate in growing roses in her yard for over 25 years and will share her growing advice and tips on a wide variety of roses, hardy and non-hardy. She is a designer and consultant at Plant Perfect, Bismarck.

Seminars

Friday, April 16 (Room 106)

3:30 PM

The How and Why of Raised Bed Gardening

Tyler Kralicek, Agriculture Agent, NDSU

We will discuss how to start up a container garden for the location and materials needed. We will talk about the differences in container materials and need for drainage. We will finish up by constructing a simple bed.

4:30 PM

Growing Succulents

Kelsey Deckert, Hort. Agent, NDSU

Do you struggle with growing houseplants? Join me in learning how to be successful in growing succulents; a very low maintenance plant! Attendees will receive a free succulent to get started with succulent gardening!

5:30 PM

Setting Your Trees Up for Success

Beth Hill, Educator, ND Forest Service

Planting a new tree this year or wanting to make your existing trees look and do better? What do we do in this drought? We will go over the tips and tools of the trade for growing and maintaining happy trees in ND.

6:30 PM

Sun Safety and Skin Cancer

Vanessa Hoines, Extension Agent, NDSU

As avid gardeners we spend a great amount of time outside. Come learn tips to protect yourself from the sun. We will also discuss skin cancer, how common it is and the risk factors you may have related to skin cancer.

7:15 PM

Growing Tomatoes in North Dakota

Tom Kalb, Horticulturist, NDSU

Tomatoes are the most popular vegetable grown in gardens in ND. Tips will be provided on selecting varieties, fertilizing, mulching, trellising, pruning, watering, and protecting vines from pests.



Saturday, April 17 (Room 106)

10:00 AM

Enabling Gardening for All

Calla Edwards, Agriculture Agent, NDSU

Gardening is a passion for so many however due to injuries, arthritis and other medical conditions so many find themselves limited or unable to garden. Learn some tips to make gardening accessible to all.

11:00 AM

What the Bees Want

Esther McGinnis, Horticulturist, NDSU

We know that native wildflowers provide nectar and pollen for bees and other pollinators. What about common flowers available at your local garden center? This presentation will discuss pollinator preferences for aster, false indigo, bee balm and sedum species and cultivars.

12:00 PM

Ornamental Grasses for Tough Situations

Esther McGinnis, Horticulturist, NDSU

Ornamental grasses are beautiful in the landscape. This talk will help you select ornamental grasses for problem spots such as flooded areas, areas prone to drought, shade, and other tough spots in your landscape.

1:00 PM

Success in Growing Hardy and Non-Hardy Roses

Marcy Pflieger, Designer, Plant Perfect

Success begins with choosing the best varieties of roses that are known for their top performance and the best way to plant and care for them. Methods of winter protection for non-hardy roses will also be discussed.

2:00 PM

Let's Grow a Great Vegetable Garden!

Tom Kalb, Horticulturist, NDSU

We'll discuss building raised beds, selecting good varieties, improving your soil, fertilizing, watering, controlling pests, harvesting, and extending the harvest into fall.

It is important to understand that in-person activities pose an unknown level of risk due to COVID-19. Participation is voluntary. NDSU Extension will take all reasonable measures, but cannot, at any level, assure protection from exposure. Facial coverings are strongly recommended. Thank you for your understanding.