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Landscaping * Lawn Care * Nursery Garden Centre * Floral & Interior Décor Shoppe

Gourmet Gift Baskets

Yum Yum! Who wouldn't enjoy receiving "Happy Holiday Wishes:", "Congratulations", or "Happy Birthday" messages in the form of a spectacular, custom, gourmet gift basket from Linton's Floral Shoppe? Specialty drinks, unusual cheeses, gourmet crackers, delicious cookies and fresh fruits, as well as decadent, hand-dipped chocolates can all be presented and delivered in an artistic manner that will show how much you truly care!

One of our most popular designs in our wide selection is our uniquely themed gift baskets. Each basket will be artistically created and presented exactly to your wishes. You might wish to create a junk-food lovers basket, or maybe a coffee basket. The candy basket is a favorite with our customers, but there's always cheese and crackers, too. Another option would be to incorporate specific interests into the custom designed basket that will certainly convey your individualized message. Linton's wide selection of unusual gifts is bound to please both the recipient as well as you, the gift giver!

We are well-prepared, not only to serve individual clients, but also to assist in corporate gift giving as well! Our gorgeous gourmet baskets are the perfect choice for the holiday season, or just to say "thanks for being our customer." We offer world-wide delivery for as little as one can order and we are equally well-equipped to deliver hundreds of gift baskets for our corporate clients as well.

Put your "thank you" in the hands of our skilled team of designers at Linton's Enchanted Gardens and they will remember your wonderful gift!

Discover the Unexpected

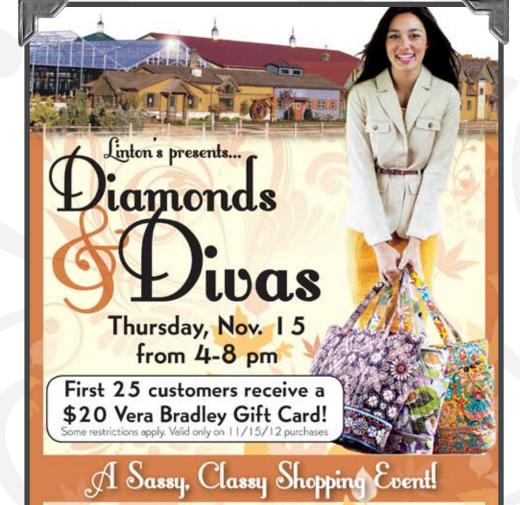
The holiday season is right around the corner and our team of designers and decorators is prepared to WOW you! This winter, expect to see our largest showing ever with over 100 themed and decorated trees. We have shopped the world over and brought back some amazingly beautiful collections of holiday decor to share with you. Expect to discover hand-made ornaments not available elsewhere and custom wreaths and arrangements as unique as you, or let our team of designers create one to your specifications. Linton's Enchanted Gardens has become a destination.

Feeling overwhelmed? Let Linton's Enchanted Gardens decorate your home or office.

Poinsettia

Caring for your Poinsettias is easy! As soon as this plant arrives home, be sure to wait to unwrap it indoors and NOT outside.

Place it in an area that will receive bright, indirect light away from heat vents. Avoid hot or cold drafts. Keep the soil moist to slightly dry at all times. The easiest method is to water with ice cubes, just one cube per inch of pot diameter. So, a 6" wide pot would receive just six ice cubes every few days. Poinsettias are available at Linton's Enchanted Gardens starting at \$4.99.



Door Prizes! Preview the Winter Line

from your favorites:

Russian Radiance

& Elly Preston Jewelry

Naked Bee Lotions

• Riverton Wraps & Fashion Accessories

and treats Save 25%-50%

Sample Linton's

gourmet foods

On select Vera Bradley

select jewelry

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Mon.-Fri. 8-7 • Sat. & Sun. 8-6

Excellence

In an ongoing effort to increase our ADA accessibility, Linton's Enchanted Gardens now has a wheel chair available for the use of our guests. It is located just



Linton's Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 - 7:00 • Saturday & Sunday 8:00 - 6:00

WINTER SEMINARS

Saturday mornings are a great time to come to Linton's Enchanted Gardens for FREE seminars. Each seminar begins at 10 a.m. and is free of charge. Please call our office for reservations so we may have a chair just for you! You may also email your reservation to jen@lintons.com We would love for you to come!

In November we will be presenting:

11/19 Welcoming Winter Porch & Door Decor

11/24 Creating Themed Christmas Trees for Your Home

December's Schedule Includes:

12/1 Outdoor Winter Florals and Unique Vessels to Contain Them

12/8 Festive Christmas Tablescapes: Deck Your Halls

12/15 Pin That for Christmas. Using Pinterest to make your home look great!

KIND WORDS FROM OUR CUSTOMERS

"Thank you for the roses. It helped a lot of people! We went to HealthWin Nursing Home to give the residents flowers. They were so happy."

Jessica Lala's Vacation Bible School class from Christ the King Lutheran Church

We were proud to partner with Christ the King to brighten the day of the residents at HealthWin. Thank you for delivering the roses!





VERA BRADLEY

Vera Bradley's 2012 winter pattern will be released on November 2! Dogwood and English Rose extend the winning ways of the Vera Bradley designers. Be sure you come in to see these beautiful bags and accessories.

Ribbons is the name of the 2013 pattern for the Vera Bradley Breast Cancer Foundation. Totes in the pattern will be sold in conjunction with the raffle for the Quilt Garden Quilt in 2013. We look forward to seeing the beautiful work we have come to expect from quilter, Diana Bennet.

Holiday Decorating Services

Do you get overwhelmed thinking about putting up all your exterior and interior fall and Christmas decorations? Why not let Linton's take care of that for you? We have experienced design teams who will come to your home, hang your Christmas lights and even put up your tree! Call Mark Linton for more information! P.S. – we will even come back after the holidays and take it down for you, too!

Hassle Free Trees

Linton's Enchanted Gardens is proud to announce the introduction of our new collection of Permanent Christmas Trees for 2012.

Our new collection of trees looks so realistic they're guaranteed to fool Santa himself! These trees imitate nature in their form, style and grace, combining the beauty of a fresh cut Christmas tree with the convenience of silk that lasts. We have many sizes and styles available with table-top trees starting at just \$4.99!



KIND WORDS FROM A CUSTOMER

Suggestions? Please continue with finton's great innovative designs, amiable employees and excellent service. Mark and his team spent extra time and effort to help my grandson be a part of choosing and planting his (memorial) tree for his grandfather. Our family is grateful.

It was a pleasure working with everyone at Linton's Enchanted Gardens and I look forward to working with them in the future.

Donna Humms

CHRISTMAS CARD RECYCLING

This winter we are again partnering with ADEC in Bristol. We will be collecting Christmas Card fronts that will be recycled into new cards by the ADEC residents. This is not only a great way to recycle your old Christmas cards, but to help a local organization turn the old cards into new cards that may be sold to help support their programs. Linton's will be collecting the card fronts at our customer service counter during the months of January and February. Please help us to help the residents at ADEC.

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This quick and elegant hors d'oeuvre will make your holiday party easy and beautiful.

1 small round Brie

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jar Robert Rothschild Farm Hot Pepper Raspberry Preserves Pecans or other mixed nuts, chopped

Preheat oven to 375 degrees F. Slice off the top of the round of brie, and place in a cookie sheet or small ceramic dish. Cook for 7-10 minutes, or until soft. While hot, pour Hot Pepper Raspberry Preserves (available at Linton's) generously on top and sprinkle with chopped pecans or nut mixture. Serve with thin crackers or apple slices.

If you are curious about this recipe, be sure you come to our Diamonds & Divas event on Thursday, November 15. Shayne, with Robert Rothschild, will have this, and more, for you to sample. We think you will fall in love with the Robert Rothschild brand of food items!

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MR. SMARTY PLANTS

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Dear Mr. Smarty Plants, It's late Fall! What can I do for my garden and plants before it snows? Signed - Not quite ready

Dear NQR, There is plenty to do before the garden rests. Empty and clean containers, drain hoses, oil/paint your tools. Store pesticides and fertilizers in a dry, well-ventilated location. Water and turn your compost pile one last time.

Prune plants and remove diseased leaves off shrubs and perennials. Dig up and discard annuals. Remove weeds and debris, but keep a small areas of fallen leaves in a protected corner for beneficial insects to overwinter. Cut back perennials, leaving stems with attractive seed heads for winter interest. Don't cut back Ornamental Grasses until spring as their foliage protects the growing crown from the cold. Mulch perennials and low shrubs when the ground freezes.

Until the ground freezes you can still add shrubs and trees that will give you interest in the winter months. Andorra and Grey Own Junipers change colors, Yellow and Red Twig Dogwoods add interest with their bark.

After you put your garden to rest, sit down with a cup of hot cider and enjoy the rest of autumn.

- Mr. Smarty







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Red Carpet Open House

You are cordially invited to
Linton's Enchanted Gardens Red Carpet Open House
Monday & Wednesday • November 5th & 7th, 2012
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm

By invitation only • Adults only, please

Save 50-75%
Off Select Holiday Décor!

All Christmas Ornaments Will Be On Sale,
Buy 2 Get, 3rd Free!

Select Jewelry 50% Off!

We are rolling out the red carpet for you, our valued customer!
Sample Indiana wines and delicious hor d'oeuvres while you browse our
50,000 square feet of spectacular seasonal displays, including 100 themed trees,
home decor and fresh or silk floral arrangements!

Our staff is excited to present an amazing selection of holiday and interior decor in an atmosphere that welcomes and intrigues the most discriminating of visitors... YOU!

Join us as we welcome the joy of the holiday season!

Happy Holidays from the Linton's Staff





