

Horticulture Committee

Twenty-one representatives of the horticultural and scientific fields make up the horticulture committee which is advising the Jardin botanique de Montréal on the technical presentation of Les Floralties internationales de Montréal 1980. It is chaired by Pierre Bourque, chief horticulturist of the Jardin botanique.

The other members are Maurice Beauchamp, secretary of the committee and chief arboriculturist of the Jardin botanique; Jean-Marc Bélanger, executive director of the REA administrative secretariat, Ministère de l'Agriculture du Québec; Floralties Commissioner-General André Boily; André Bouchard, curator of the Jardin botanique; Fernand Bourbeau, president of the Fédération Interdisciplinaire de l'Horticulture Ornemental (FIHOQ), Québec; John Bradshaw, Toronto gardening columnist; Ernest Papademetriou-Brown, former president of Flowers Canada; André Champagne, director of Montréal parks; Dr. Yves Desmarais, director of sports and recreation in Montréal; Art C. Drysdale, Toronto gardening journalist; J.J. Jasmin, director of the Saint-Jean research station of Agriculture Canada; Georges Liby, president of Paysage Québec; Wilfrid Meloche, professor of horticulture at the Institut de technologie agricole at Saint-Hyacinthe;

René Paquet, advisor on horticulture, Ministère de l'Agriculture du Québec; Jacques Paquin, member of the board of directors of Botanix Inc.; Bernard Riopel, representative of W.H. Perron Ltée; Paul Pouliot, Montréal gardening columnist; Dr. Marc Trudel, director of the department of phytology, Université Laval, Québec; Suzanne Godin-Thibert, in charge of animation with the school community and specialized groups; and Agnès Ratelle, agronomist.

Six of the horticulture committee members also serve on the Organizing Committee. They are Messrs. Boily, Bourbeau, Bourque, Brown, Paquet, and Paquin.