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# *Twyford Garden Ramble*

*Featuring 1997 "Rural Garden of the  
Year" and a selection of rural gardens  
never before opened for public viewing*

*Spring 1998*

*14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> November*

**9.00AM - 5.00PM**



## THE TWYFORD GARDEN RAMBLE

*Gardens you can achieve . . . to gardens you can dream about . . .*

On Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 of November 1998, Twyford School and community welcome you to visit and enjoy a beautiful and diverse array of rural gardens. As one of Hawke's Bay's most fertile orcharding areas, it is no surprise that Twyford has many hidden treasures in its collection of private gardens. We offer you a rare opportunity to enjoy this collection of gardens, many of which have never before been opened to the public.

### THE GARDENS

The Twyford Garden Ramble features fifteen rural gardens, including the outstanding property belonging to Frank and Dorothy Curd, last year's winners of the Hastings District Council Rural Garden of the Year Award. Other highlights will be Rakaunui, the home of Ru and Chan Collin, where the delightful old English garden is set amongst 100 year old oak trees. Flaxmere, the home of Margaret and Mike Donnelly will be open for viewing for the first time. A tree lined driveway to the property hides two intriguing and diverse gardens and the ruins of the original Flaxmere homestead. Applelands, owned by Christine and Peter Beaven, is a large country residence with an original water feature, which will be another important stop on your garden ramble, as will the



garden in progress at Te Awa Farm Winery. Enjoy a winery lunch in this interesting country garden, with its choice of peaceful vistas and plantings of native trees and shrubs.

### OTHER ENCHANTING GARDENS WHICH WILL BOTH DELIGHT AND INSPIRE YOU BELONG TO:

*Shirley and David Harrington – Ormond Road*

*Jenny and Michael Alcock – Ormond Road*

*Sue and John Hill – Ormond Road*

*Sue and John Mills – Percival Road*

*Jean and Ted Hill – Percival Road*

*Barbara and Robert Griffiths – Evans Road*

*Maree and Wayne Evans – Evans Road*

*Fiona and Rob Harper – Raupare Road*

*Wendy and John Evans – Twyford Road*

*Te Awa Farm Winery – State Highway 50*

*The Twyford Garden Ramble . . . a garden lover's delight!*

### REFRESHMENTS/SALES

Many of the gardens will offer plants and crafts for sale and some will also have tea, coffee and lunches available and music to entertain you. Te Awa Farm Winery, in addition to having its private garden open for viewing, is offering you the opportunity to relax among the vineyards and enjoy their wonderful winery lunches on Saturday and Sunday. Bookings Essential – **phone 879 7602** for reservations.





# *Twyford Garden Ramble*

*Proceeds from the Twyford Garden Ramble will go towards upgrading Twyford School swimming pool facilities.*

## **TICKETS**

Tickets only \$10.00 for the weekend.

Under 12 years olds – free

## **EARLY BIRD REGISTRATIONS**

Complimentary afternoon tea for registrations received on or before 30 September 1998.

## **TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:**

Thomson Suits, Hastings

Stewart Greer Motors, Napier and Hastings

Murray Wellwood Mower and Machinery Ltd,  
Havelock North

Mission View Garden Centre, Taradale

BP Service Station, Pandora

On Saturday 14 and Sunday 15 November at,  
Omahu Road, Donnelly's "Flaxmere" (No. 7) from 9am.

## **OR SEND A CHEQUE PAYABLE TO TWYFORD SCHOOL**

The Twyford Garden Ramble

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*The Garden Ramble will proceed  
regardless of weather.*



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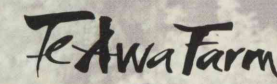
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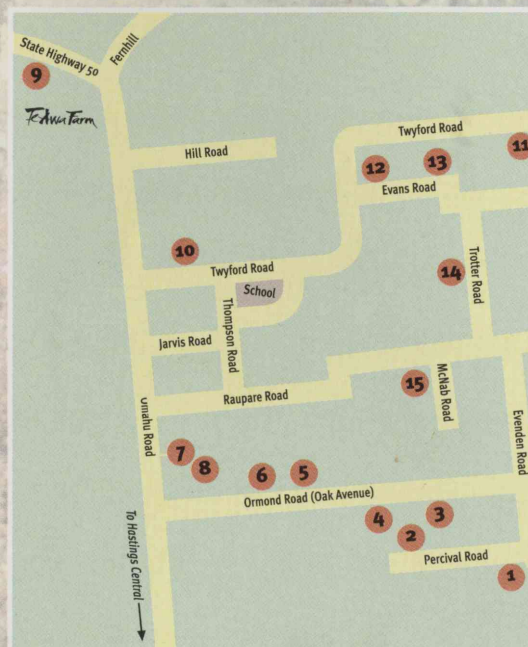
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### GARDENS

- 1 Sue & John Mills "Millcroft"
- 2 Jean & Ted Hill
- 3 Christine & Peter Beaven "Applelands"
- 4 Sue & John Hill
- 5 Shirley & David Harrington
- 6 Jenny & Michael Alcock "Alcocks"
- 7 Marg & Mike Donnelly "Flaxmere"
- 8 Donnelly's Cottage
- 9 Te Awa Farm Winery
- 10 Wendy & John Evans
- 11 Frank & Dorothy Curd
- 12 Barbara & Robert Griffiths
- 13 Marie & Wayne Evans
- 14 Chan & Ru Collin "Rakaunui"
- 15 Fiona & Rob Harper

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