BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE ANNOUNCES FIFTH ANNUAL SUMMER GARDEN CONTESTS

Did you know that Middlesex used to be called "Flower Town USA"?

The Middlesex Borough Beautification Committee would like to carry on our tradition of growing beautiful gardens by conducting contests for residents that grow outstanding summer flower or vegetable gardens. You may nominate your own garden or that of another Middlesex resident.

Applications for flower gardens and vegetable gardens must be received by **June 30, 2009**. Judges will view the gardens the weekends of July 11th and August 8th. This year we received prizes from the following sponsors:

- America's Florist
- Biondi's
- Hoski's
- Lincoln Flower Market

Certificates and prizes will be awarded at a borough council meeting in late September.

Flower gardens will be judged on the best use of color, the most creative use of flowers, variety of flowers, and most creative use of space. Vegetable gardens will be judged on variety, aesthetics, and size of produce.

Submit the application below to Borough Hall, 1200 Mountain Avenue, in order to be eligible for the judging. More applications are available at borough hall, the library, the recreation center, on the Middlesex Borough website (www.middlesexboro.com), or at one of the sponsors listed above.

APPLICATION FOR SUMMER GARDEN CONTESTS

Name _____

Address_____

Phone Number _____

SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO BORO HALL BY JUNE 30th.

Type of Garden: _____ FLOWER
_____ VEGETABLE

Location of garden: _____
Example: front/back/side of house

Please check which date you would prefer your garden to be judged. ____July 11 OR
____ Aug. 8