

Peonies VII



"Quality means doing it right
when no one is looking."
~Henry Ford



"When your garden is
finished, I hope it will be more
beautiful than you
anticipated, require less care
than you had expected, and
have cost only a little more
than you had planned."
~Thomas Church, distinguished
Landscape Architect, 1955

January is a time to try something new ...

This time of year most of our landscapes are enjoyed primarily from the inside looking out. Outdoor lighting can make this view much more inspiring. Many advances in technology have simplified the installation of lights and their ability to be dimmed and colored to meet an owner's personal taste. Here at Jefferson Landscaping we have a brand new demonstration lighting kit that can be set up in your landscape. This allows you to visually understand the benefits of lighting. These benefits usually come in form of aesthetics, safety and extended time on a new patio or deck. There are a number of lighting products on the market. Many focus on the LED bulbs and their low-energy use. This is great but here in the northwest with our ample moisture levels we have seen numerous lights ruined by water getting inside the bulb housing. We install only quality products that have withstood our climate. Please feel free to contact us to learn more about the benefits of outdoor lighting in your landscape.



January Fun Facts....

More superstitions & silly myths...

New Year's always brings a myriad of ways to set up for a successful New year. From no sweeping, dusting or laundry because you might clean away your good luck. To avoiding any chicken dishes which may make for a year of financial woes. Many people ring bells and light off fireworks to drive any evil spirits away and some even hang a lemon in the doorway. Whatever your superstition, we wish you a very Happy New Year!

January Cabin Fever tips...

If you need a little help getting the kids outside or helping yourself avoid any chance of Seasonal Affective Disorder try these:

1. Build a winter bonfire and make s'mores.
2. Rent some snowshoes and go snowshoeing.
3. Find a new local trail to walk. They are not crowded this time of year.

What's Growing On...

News & Noteworthy

To those of you who have not heard Guy Feldman is our Construction Manager and Senior Designer. He is going into his 2nd year here at Jefferson and he has been a great addition to our company. Guy has been in the landscape industry since 1996 after graduating from WSU with a Bachelor of Science degree in Landscape Architecture. He is a Certified Sustainable Landscape Professional and has received numerous awards on projects throughout King County. He has also been a key part in a number of Flower and Garden Show display gardens. He has appeared on HGTV and will be highlighted in a future episode of Yard Crashers on the DIY network that was filmed recently. If you would like to meet with Guy to discuss any design or installation projects please feel free to call him at 425-698-7728 or email at guyfeldman@jeffersonlandscaping.com