



AUGUST 2011 MGC COMMUNITY PRIDE AWARD WINNERS

Residence

The Milton Garden Club's Community Pride Award was presented to Derel and Rachel McDonald. Their 5342 Munson Hwy. home in Milton is lovely. Although the grounds look professionally done the McDonald's designed the landscaping themselves.

The McDonald's new home sits on the same lot where Rachel's Aunt and Uncle Powell lived for 50 years. Derel and Rachel themselves lived in the shotgun house for three years while planning their present home.

The McDonalds tend their yard themselves and it looks wonderful even in this hot weather. Their grandson who lives next door helps by mowing the huge back yard.

The city of Milton is enhanced by properties such as this one. The Garden Club is proud to honor Derel and Rachel McDonald this month.

Business

Also receiving an award is the administration building of Milton's First Baptist Church. Seven years ago the newly built First Baptist Church was the recipient of the Community Pride Award. The church building continues to keep the landscaping to the same high standards as when it was first installed. Similarly when the administration building was completed a couple of years ago the grounds were landscaped in the same fashion. Ellis Hare who maintains the grounds can take credit for its upkeep. The plantings wrap around three sides of the building and coordinate with the church's grounds next door.

When talking to First Baptist's secretary Beverly Bassett, we learned that her grandparents, Archie and Bessy Smith received the Garden Club's award last month...small world!

If you would like to nominate a business or home in the Milton /Bagdad/ Pace area, please call us with your nomination at 626-2003.

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