



MAY 2011 MGC COMMUNITY PRIDE AWARD WINNERS

Residence

If you love roses, you have to see Harold and Adele Leggette's 6533 Outer Dr. home in Milton. There are more than 170 different kinds of rose bushes, all named and almost no two alike. Each bush is completely healthy with no sign of black spot. The fact that there is never any evidence of disease confounds some rose experts who have visited this garden.

Harold and Adele are often sought out for their expert advice. Harold gives programs to rose societies, and they were asked to enter roses in the Pensacola Rose Show this Memorial Day.

Amazingly, Mr. and Mrs. Leggette discovered their passion for growing roses only 4 years ago. They pursue this hobby together. Harold patiently researches the Internet for the latest information. He has perfected grafting and other important skills.

Adele delights local nursing home residents by bringing them bouquets of roses every week.

The Leggette's roses steal the show, but this yard has lots of other flowers as well. There is no room for lawn in this landscape.

The garden certainly has the "wow" factor, and you are invited. The Leggettes enjoy having Milton residents stop by and take a look. Breathe in the amazing fragrance of their roses. The Leggetts only ask you to not cut any roses. They say, "Sniff, but do not snip."

One of Harold's favorite roses is called Paradise, but Adele says, "I like them *all!*"

Business

The Milton Garden Club also presented an award to Dr. Terrezza's Optometrist office at 5593 Stewart St. Dr. Terrezza has been serving Milton's residents since 1975. The last landscaping renovation was completed in 1986 and the Terrezza team was ready for a change. They landscaped the front of the business this spring with a new look. Most prominent are the clean, smooth, tan rocks that are surrounded by ornamental grass, a chaste tree, iris, Indian hawthorn and dwarf gardenias. The small shrubs will quickly fill out to a lush mature size.

Michael Irby installed the plants that were selected.

The Milton Garden Club is pleased to honor both the Leggettes and the office of Dr. Terrezza.

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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