August 2017 Helena Beautification Award Winner

August 1, 2017 - The Helena Beautification Board is excited to announce that the Helena Beautification Award for August has been awarded to 313 Lakewood Circle, Jennie and Brian Shannon.

Nineteen varieties of plants strategically placed throughout the landscape allow for continuous transitions of color and height. For the past two years, the Shannon Family have called 313 Lakewood Circle home, and a beautiful home it is. The Tudor style design is offset by a beautiful landscape.

As you approach the house, one of the first things that will catch your eye is the Sweet Potato vine that gracefully drapes over the retaining wall by the driveway. That wall is capped on the end with an impressive planter generously planted with seasonal annuals. Quickly, your eyes then move up to the front of the house where you'll find plantings of Petunia, Vinca and Zinnias all of which that make a bright color combination. The use of hanging baskets and containers throughout the landscape offers just the right touch of form and color in this garden. "Gardening is a family effort here. All of our children help; They weed, mow, plant and we grow together as a family." says Jennie. "My Mom is going to be so proud. She is an avid gardener and taught me so much about plants and gardening", Jennie said.

For more pictures and a full list of the plants planted at the Shannon Home visit www.helenabeautiful.com/award.html

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Each month, nominations will be accepted until the 25th with the winner being selected and notified at the first of the following month. The winner of each month will be able to proudly display a yard sign for the month, have their picture and house published on the Helena Beautification website, Helena Beautiful Facebook page and in the local press.

To nominate a home to receive the Helena Beautification Award on September 1, go to www.helenabeautiful.com/award.html and submit the address.

The Helena Beautification Board is an appointed board of the Helena City Council. The Board believes that people and places are profoundly connected and thriving communities are rooted in individual responsibility and action. They host a variety of opportunities for the community to come together and serve each year. Events are posted on the Helena Beautiful Facebook page and announced via Twitter at @TweetHomeHelena.













