

NEWSLETTER

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800-497-4682

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SKYHORSE STATION NEWS

'STAYCATION'

STAY AND VACATION AT HOME!!!



Check us out on the web
www.skyhorsestation.com

GARDENING TIPS:

Q: What is winter injury on plants?

Southeast Michigan has had a particularly harsh winter this year. Here are some things you can expect this spring:

A:
Plant tissue: damage to the cambium layer and buds, which is caused by prolonged freezing temperatures.

Evergreens: Winter desiccation on conifers and broad leaf evergreen leaves, which are dehydrated by winds and frozen root systems.

Salt injury: arising from exposure to de-icing products.

Frost: cracks in the stems of thin barked trees like Maples occurs when the sap freezes and expands then splits the bark.

Snow / ice loads: can cause limbs to break.

Animals: Damage caused by deer, and rabbit browsing and feeding.

Consultation & Design

Your outdoor living spaces should echo the architectural elements of the home and mirror the personality of the home owner. Why not let us redesign and remodel your backyard entertaining areas? Or renovate your front entry? Our goal is to create interest, function, elegance and a visual impact that builds prestige and a timeless impression for you and your neighborhood to enjoy in every season year after year. We can achieve these goals by employing creative artisans, skilled technicians and craftsmen. Call to schedule your consultation.

"The strength of our service is in our Team. I have confidence in everyone who sets foot on your project."

George Rich — Owner

Redesign and remodel your backyard for an elegant and functional 'grown-up' entertaining area...



Remember our past customer discounts and customer referral program... we look forward to working with you!

WHAT'S HOT IN BACKYARD LIVING?

- The sight and sounds of cascading **water-scapes** and **firepits** provide interest, beauty and soothing serenity.
- GREEN or SUSTAINABILITY: Judicious design and selection of hardscapes and plantscape materials can help preserve our natural resources, while reducing your utility costs.
- 'Edible gardening' being merged with colorful perennial and shrub beds.
- Novel use of arbors, pagodas, pergolas and statuary as a focal point in outdoor décor.
- Backyard 'Extreme Makeover' designed to create specific moods.



Skyhorse Station wins the bronze from the MGIA (Michigan Green Industry Association) in 2008 for the Environmental Improvement Award in the hardscapes category!!

As an award winning contractor, so you know you will be getting the absolutely best design materials, installation, and service with exceptional value.

Our construction crews have attended ICPI (Certified Paver Installers) and NCMA (Certified Retaining Wall Installers) courses this winter.

Spring tree sale!!!

Please visit us at the
Livingston County
Home Show!
March 27, 28 & 29th

SKYHORSE STATION
800-497-2682
From concept to completion with
confidence, integrity and a smile!