



HOME AND GARDEN



Get estimates and warranties before deciding on a carpet installer

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strongest, most stain-resistant and least expensive to manufacture. But it has some disadvantages.

It is difficult to clean once stained and can generate a lot of static electricity. To reduce static, often other synthetic fibres are combined with the nylon. Wool carpets are probably the oldest and the finest of all carpets. That's why they're also the most expensive. Many retailers no longer carry wool carpeting, or provide it only on a special-order basis.

Carpets can be installed over any good flooring except other carpeting. Leaving an old carpet and using it as padding under a new one is not recommended.

Old carpets always have dirt embedded in the backing, which can work itself up into the new carpeting. Urethane foam padding has generally replaced the old hair-jute pad and rubber waffle padding. It's easier and cheaper to use for both do-it-yourselfers and professionals. In addition, it's also lighter, longer-lasting and comes in various thicknesses.

Before choosing

Before making any flooring decisions, think about the traffic patterns, the size of your family and the wear and tear expected. There's no point installing light, plush carpeting in an area that will be heavily soiled.

If you are installing the floor yourself, be sure to measure each

room carefully. A flooring store representative can help you estimate the amount you'll need and offer advice.

If you are having a floor professionally installed, ensure the retailer sends an estimator to your home ahead of time to take accurate measurements and check the condition of the sub-floor.

Get estimates from various retailers and ensure the product you select has some form of guarantee. New floors are expected to last a long time and you should get the most for your money.

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Advertorial



(L-R) On hand for the grand re-opening of Sheridan Nurseries Limited in Unionville were Karl Stensson, senior vice president, Joe O'Hearn, Unionville store manager, Joe Virgilio, Markham Town Councillor, Scott Bailie, assistant manager and Wm. Stensson, president.

Unionville's Sheridan Nurseries re-opens

The past few years have brought terrific growth and increased interest in gardening. It is now ranked as one of the top personal hobbies, and with the aging population predictions are that this trend will continue.

To meet the increased demands of the gardening public, Sheridan Nurseries has just completed extensive renovations at their Unionville location.

The original store was built in 1967 for Canada's centennial year. After extensive renovations to the store and property, this location now has a 10,000 square foot indoor greenhouse, extensive

patio furniture gallery and a complete line of garden accessories.

The new outdoor covered shopping area is 3,500 square feet and provides an ideal shopping environment for annuals and perennials. You will also find thousands of hardy nursery stock plants with more than 500 different varieties on over five acres.

The grand re-opening celebrations were held on May 30 with special events included a caricature artist, face painting clowns for the children, live music and much more. There was also a barbecue with donations that were accepted on behalf of the local food bank.

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