

Hwy. 48 flower expert a real artist

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Horticulturalist Bruni Nielsen, whose flower box entry won second place at the Canadian National Exhibition, has the colourful arrangement on display in the Markham Fair's arts and crafts building.

Mrs. Nielsen has done the flower plantings and designed the banners for Stouffville's Main Street and the Stouffville Train Station the past two years.

Her entry at the CNE came up only one point shy of the winning arrangement from York Region. Mrs. Nielsen entered on behalf of the Stouffville Horticultural Society, after nurturing the plants for more than three months through very dry weather.

"I am aiming for first for next year," Mrs. Nielsen said, "because it is the 125th anniversary of the Ex."

Living on the Whitchurch-Stouffville/Markham border, the nursery owner and artist has been a member of the Stouffville Horticultural Society for the past six years. In the meantime, Bruni and her husband, Peder Nielsen, are getting pots and planters ready for

the fall season. Their nursery operation already has 2,000 small chrysanthemums and 3,000 pots of other plants ready for sale, including plants set on "mini-towers" designed by her husband. New this year are their hanging bags of colourful chrysanthemums.

She was recently commissioned to do a drawing of Roy Thomson Hall. The artist designed the banners for Markham after BIA members saw her banners along Stouffville's Main Street.

People often come to photograph or videotape her flower displays during the summer and fall at their nursery at 10666 Hwy. 48, just south of Stouffville Road.



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Bruni Nielsen, whose flower box entry won second place at the Canadian National Exhibition, has the arrangement on display at the Markham Fair. The fair ends Sunday.

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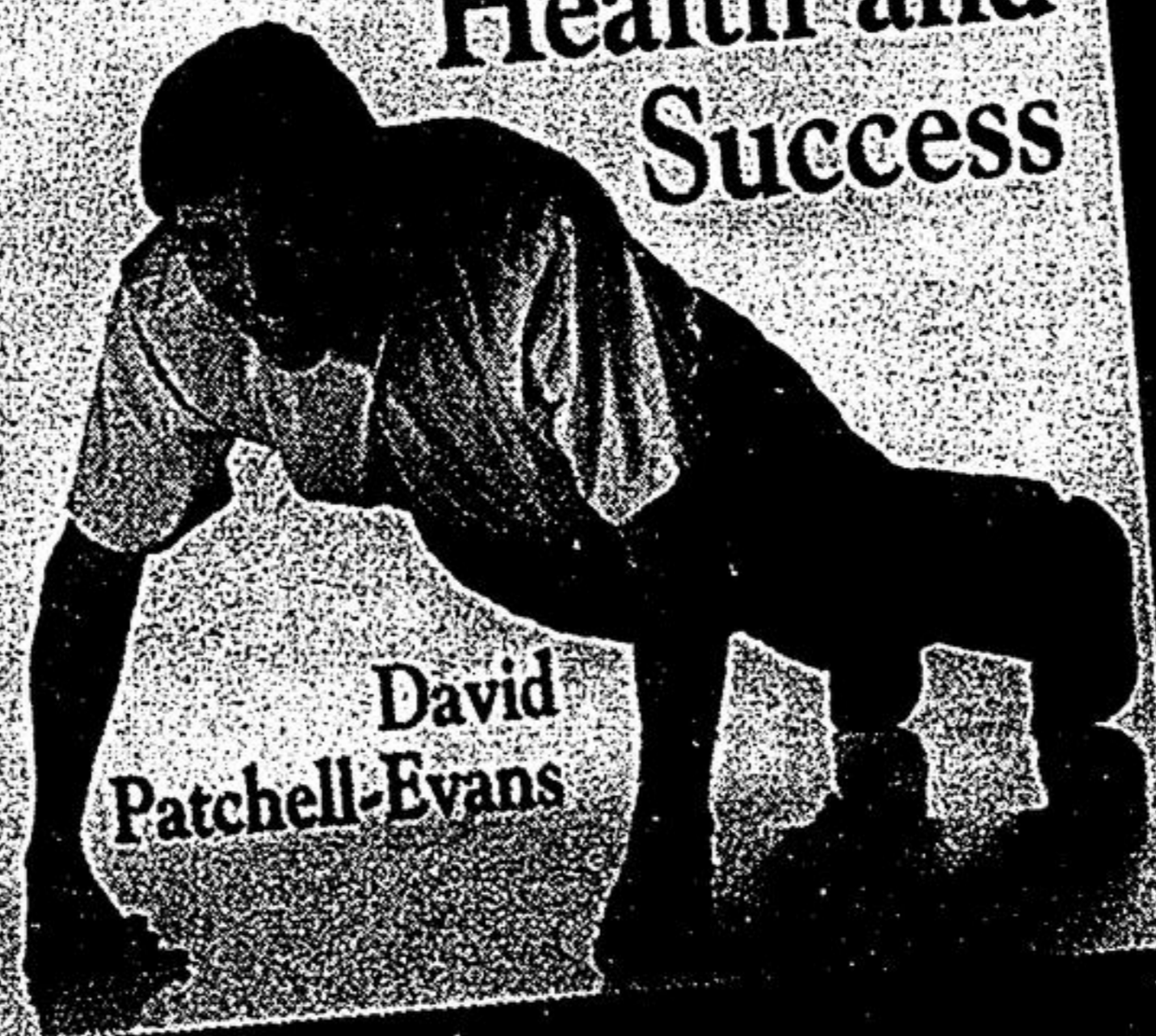
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