

Craig Hofer

Class of 1988—Horticulture Program



Craig graduated 1988 from Norwalk High school and the Horticulture program at EHOVE.

After high school Craig attended Ohio State University ATI in Wooster. He worked in Nursery and construction jobs before he started working at his wife's family business Loris Printing in 1994. Craig started in the pressroom and worked his way through the business until he and his wife bought the business in 2006.

Craig served as the President of the Sandusky Band Parents; he also served on the Sandusky Levy campaigns and the City of Sandusky Tree Committee.

Craig said that prior to coming to EHOVE he was coasting in high school and needed to do something or get left behind. He talked to an EHOVE teacher and that changed everything. From day 1 at EHOVE he said he did a complete 180. EHOVE gave him the motivation and confidence to excel at whatever he wanted to do. Looking back at Craig's 1988 yearbook, he was asked "What do you see yourself doing in ten years?" His response back then was "Owning my own business".

Craig and his wife Debby live in Sandusky and have two daughters.



"Craig has worked hard to get where he is. He is the kind of guy who doesn't just show up for work; he's always here doing his job and then some. He sets out to do something and he does it."

Larry Holkenborg, Owner of Holkenborg Nursery