

Giving Tree Program

The Bloomingdale Park District and the Bloomingdale Parks Foundation are proud to announce the Giving Tree Program. This program offers individuals, organizations and/or community businesses three different options:

\$250

Support the Park District's mission of environmental stewardship by making a donation to fund plantings and enhanced landscaping throughout the District. All donations are recorded with an engraved leaf on the Giving Tree Display located in the lobby of the Johnston Recreation Center.

\$500

Identify an existing tree for tribute. With this option, a marker is placed near the tree, and an accompanying engraved leaf is placed on the Giving Tree Display.

\$750

A 2.5-to- 3.5-inch-diameter tree will be planted in the spring or fall. Donors may choose the park where the tree is to be planted; however, it is at the Park District's discretion as to the site location of each planning. Trees may be purchased anytime throughout the year; however, planting only takes places in the spring and fall.

All trees are guaranteed for the first year after purchase. In the event your tree dies, a new tree, same size and variety as originally planted, will be planted by the Park District.



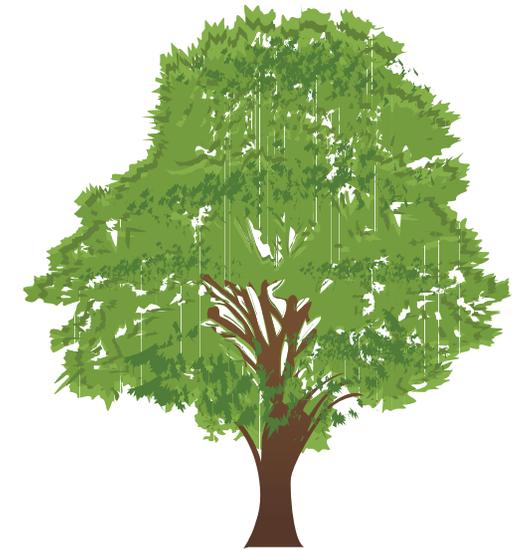
Engraved leaf on the Giving Tree Display.



Giving Tree Display in the Johnston Recreation Center.



Marker and engraved leaf by tree.



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Beautifying
the community's
parks.



Trees Available:

Shade Trees

\$750.00 per tree

Burr Oak: This inspiring tree has a massive trunk and a broad crown of short branches. Its corky ridge bark makes an impressive display. Matures over 80 feet.

Pin Oak: This stately tree has a distinctive branch habit. Scarlet autumn foliage stays on tree over winter, giving it a special character. Matures over 70 feet.

Black Walnut: A highly valued tree with stout horizontal branching and dark green foliage. A slow grower, but worth the wait. Matures over 60 feet.

Ginkgo: Exotic open growing tree that is one of the oldest tree species known in the world. The unique fan-shaped leaves turn a brilliant yellow in the fall. Matures over 70 feet.

Tuliptree: The unusual leaf shape, bright green leaf color and tulip-shaped flowers in June make this a magnificent tree. Matures over 70 feet.

Evergreens

\$750.00 per tree

Eastern White Pine: A symmetrical pyramid of soft needles in both appearance and to the touch makes this tree an easy plant to identify. Matures over 70 feet.

Douglas Fir: An open, spiral pyramidal with bluish-green foliage. Very ornamental and makes an excellent specimen trees. Matures over 70 feet.

Canadian Hemlock: This unusual evergreen has a dense, broad, conical shape. Its soft, fine texture and graceful appearance make it an ideal plant. Matures over 70 feet.

Dawn Redwood (Depending on availability): Similar to Bald Cypress, this deciduous conifer has a dense pyramidal shape. Bright green foliage turns orange/brown in the fall. Matures over 70 feet.



ORDER FORM Giving Tree Program

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

This is: Gift Purchase

In Memory of Purchase

Name of individual to be engraved on leaf
(please print):

Please check the tree you wish to purchase:

- Ginkgo Tree Douglas Fir
 Burr Oak Canadian Hemlock
 Pin Oak Eastern White Pine
 Tuliptree Dawn Redwood
 Black Walnut (Depending on Availability)

Please check the park you wish to have the tree planted in:

- Circle Park Springfield Park
 Indian Lakes Park Stratford Park
 Lakeview Park Sunnyside Park
 Leslie Park Tompkins Park
 Seasons 4 Park Westlake Park
 Old Town Park Erie Park

Total amount due: _____

Check Enclosed
(Please make check payable to **Bloomington Park District** and staple to this form.)

Visa, MasterCard or Discover (Circle one)

Card #: _____

Exp. Date: _____

Cardholder's Name: _____

Please mail order form with payment to:
Bloomington Park District - Giving Tree
Attention: Joe Potts
172 S. Circle Ave
Bloomington, IL 60108