

# Woodcrest Villa Nature Trail & Arboretum

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March 2025 Newsletter

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**Woodcrest Villa Arboretum is Dedicated To Those Recognized with Trees**

## The Woodcrest Villa Arboretum Honor Roll

Canada Red Cherry – <i>Prunus virginiana</i> ‘Shubert’ .....	Audrey Ackerman-Frey
Brandywine Red Maple – <i>Acer rubrum</i> ‘Brandywine’ .....	Jeffrey K. Alexander
Dawn Redwood – <i>Metasequoia glyptostroboides</i> .....	Eugene Bare
Northern Red Oak – <i>Quercus rubra</i> .....	Carl R. Beck
Blue Atlas Cedar – <i>Cedrus atlantica glauca</i> .....	Robert B. Belser, DDS
Evergreen Magnolia – <i>Magnolia grandiflora</i> .....	Florence & Victor Benner
Littleleaf Linden – <i>Tilia cordata</i> ‘Greenspire’.....	Phillip Bomberger
Okame Cherry – <i>Prunus X</i> ‘Okame’ .....	J. Wilmer “Willie” Bowman
Yellowwood – <i>Cladrastis kentukea</i> .....	James A. “Jim” Brown
Red Maple – <i>Acer rubrum</i> ‘Sun Valley’ .....	Gerald W. Burkhardt
Ginkgo -Ginkgo Biloba ‘Princeton Sentry’.....	James Richard Dohren
Eastern Redbud – <i>Cercis Canadensis</i> “Forest Pansy” .....	Arlene & Henry Ebersole
Scarlet Oak – <i>Quercus coccinea</i> .....	Departed Emich & Lewicki Family Members
Sweetbay Magnolia – <i>Magnolia virginiana</i> .....	Lucy Eyster
Apple Serviceberry – <i>Amelanchier x Grandiflora</i> .....	Lloyd S. Frey
Hawthorn ‘Winter King’- <i>Crataegus viridis</i> .....	Enos L. Groff
Black Gum – <i>Nyssa Sylvatica</i> .....	Lew Kauffman
Crabapple – <i>Malus</i> ‘Royal Raindrops’ .....	Gerald R Lawrence
Red Maple – <i>Acer rubrum</i> ‘October Glory’ .....	Larry G. Loughner
Cherokee Princess Dogwood – <i>Cornus florida</i> .....	Philip Arthur Lynch
Japanese Flowering Cherry – <i>Prunus serrulata</i> ‘Kanzan’ .....	Constance McMullin
Swamp White Oak – <i>Quercus bicolor</i> .....	Ken Rankin
Kousa Dogwood – <i>Cornus kousa</i> .....	Beth Rogers
Red Maple – <i>Acer rubrum</i> ‘October Glory’ .....	Ronald O. Schaar
Tulip Poplar – <i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i> .....	Ralph Schillinger
Princeton Elm – <i>Ulmus americana</i> ‘Princeton’ .....	The Frances Seiple Family
Swamp White Oak – <i>Quercus alba</i> .....	Dorothy B. Seitz
Weeping Cherry – <i>Prunus subhirtella</i> ‘Double Pink’ .....	Lt. Col. Charles Southwood
Sugar Maple – <i>Acer saccharum</i> ‘Green Mountain’ .....	Ronald V. Straley
Serviceberry – ‘Autumn Brilliance’ .....	Esther Yon-Sook Suh
London Planetree – <i>Platinus X acerifolia</i> ‘Exclamation’ .....	Lorie Hartman Sullivan
Franklin Tree - <i>Franklinia alatamaha</i> .....	David R. Terry
Flowering Crabapple – <i>Malus</i> ‘Prairiefire’.....	WCV & MHC Healthcare Heroes
River Birch – <i>Betula nivea</i> .....	Dr. Alexander Zimmerman



When the Memory and Honor Trees in Woodcrest Villa Arboretum filled all available space in the original arboretum in 2022, a bridge was built across the rip-rap channel. The bridge connects the original arboretum to the arboretum expansion area. This bridge was dedicated to the memory of Dr. Samuel A. Rice on December 26, 2024.



## Honor & Memory Benches Available

Now, both the original arboretum and the expansion area are filled with honor and memory trees. A new opportunity to honor or remember a loved one is with a bench, either a campus bench or an arboretum/nature trail bench. Each bench includes a plaque where you can place your message. For more information contact Steve Henning at [acer103@earthlink.net](mailto:acer103@earthlink.net) or call 7116.

### IN MEMOR OR HONOR OF SOMEONE

Message Here (up to 55 characters & spaces per line)  
...remembrance, dedication, sponsorship, inspiration...

## Thanks for Donations

Thanks to those who donated for the Trail Crew to buy supplies for the Nature Trail & Arboretum such as saw blades for trimming, mulch for the trail, and service for the tractor.

Make donations out to:

**Tandem Living**

with the note:

**WCV Nature Trail & Arboretum**

Send all donations to:

David Suh, Treasurer  
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