



Park Notes

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2015 Tree Sale

Order Deadline: April 17

Pick-up: May 2

The first snow of the season has arrived and the temperatures have already hovered near zero degrees. A great way to stay warm is to wrap your hands around a hot mug of coffee or tea and dream of spring and summer gardens.

Once again, the Friends have some great trees and shrubs for you to choose from through our Annual Tree Sale. As always, the plants are grown right here in town at Bailey's Nursery.

The large trees are: River Birch, Blue Beech, and Northern Pin Oak.

The small to mid-size trees are: Redbud, "Royal Raindrops" Crabapple, "Sweet Sixteen" Apple, and "Regent" Serviceberry.

The evergreen is: "Fat Albert" Blue Spruce.

The shrubs are: "Quick Fire" Hydrangea, "James Macfarlane" Lilac, "Snowbelle" Mockorange, and "High Voltage" Yellow Rose.

The vine is: Mandarin Honeysuckle.

Here's how the Tree Sale works:

Check the website after the first of the year for detailed information on each of the trees and shrubs.

Place your order online through the website using a credit card or print an order form and mail it and a check to the address on the form.

No matter if the order is online or printed, be sure to choose a pick-up location, either St. Paul or Maplewood. Each order is delivered to the location indicated at the time the order is placed. On May 2, go to the site you chose when placing the order.

The tree sale is our only fundraiser. We couldn't do the important work of promoting, protecting, and preserving parks, trails, and open space without your generous support. We keep our prices reasonable to encourage the planting of trees and shrubs in our community.

To donate to a park, simply indicate that on the order form or give through our website, www.FriendsoftheParks.org.

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