

North Suburban Pond & Garden Walk

July 26 – 27, 2014

Hours: 10 AM to 5 PM

(except where noted)



Welcome to the 2014 North Suburban Pond & Garden Walk; a self-guided walk open to the public. If you have visited before we look forward to seeing you and your friends and family again.

The walk is free, but in lieu of a fee we will be taking donations at any of the locations for two wonderful nature-loving charities: Pollinator Partnership, and Wetlands Initiative, both rated very high by Charity Navigator.

E-mail us via the website and let us know how you enjoyed the walk and send your favorite pictures too. Have fun!

1. 235 Greenwood Road, Glenview

Esther & Ken

Garden style: Controlled wild with a touch of whimsy, but mostly manipulated by "Gump" the tortoise. If you're wondering why, stop in and ask. If you've been to this yard before, come again to see how much "Gump" has grown.

Three ponds: a turtle, koi, and goldfish pond; a frog pond; and a water feature pond. These ponds sit amidst a blend of wildflowers, perennials, groundcovers, vines, and grasses; with a splash of annuals and a few vegetables and herbs.

Take a load off your feet and relax for a few minutes under the cozy arbor Ken made.

Park on the shoulder of Greenwood - best on west side, or on side streets 1/4 block north or south. No parking in driveway.

2. 604 Greenwood Road, Glenview

Jack

Hidden on a busy street, the only sound you hear is that of the waterfalls. Stop in to see more surprises.

3. 606 Greenwood Road, Glenview

Scott & Mel

Relaxed garden style - long on veggies, short on labor. The pond is a relaxing spot to decompress.

4. 8201 Norma Court, Niles

Vicki & Bert

We invite you to visit our beautiful backyard oasis. Our pond is home to some friendly comets and koi, always ready to be hand fed! Our retreat also includes a gnome garden and whimsical statuary guaranteed to make you smile.

5. 8127 N. Oketo, Niles

Athena

The theme of the garden is "Birds Gone Wild." This garden has a raised vegetable bed, herbs, shade gardens, a woodland garden, a native garden, and more. There is whimsical folk art throughout the garden.

Both, Saturday and Sunday 10 AM - 3 PM only

6. 734 Windsor Road, Glenview

Dolph & Kitty

Native gardens designated as:

A certified Monarch Waystation by Monarch Watch (manarchwatch.org)

A certified Bird and Butterfly Sanctuary by The Illinois Audubon Society (illinoisaudubon.org)

A pollinator-friendly garden by the Xerces Society (xerces.org)

Gardens can be viewed from the street; do not walk around on the lot.

7. 1660 Ridgelee Road, Highland Park

Caroline & John

Come take a stroll through our private and serene $\frac{1}{2}$ acre yard filled with surprises. Experiences include the 130' wall of logs, many birdhouses, the pond, and the secluded "Love Shack." The veggie garden is complemented by a variety of shade and sun gardens.

Ridgelee is a small road off of Barberrry. Park in driveway. If driveway is full, park on Barberrry.

8. 1149 White Mountain Drive, Northbrook

Donna & Terry

Something for everyone - tranquil shade areas for relaxing on the garden bench, bright sunny areas for fun in the sun, and a fenced "farm" area for those delicious veggies. The garden is filled with a plethora of berries, with a trellis with grapes growing along with the clematis and morning glories. The garden is enjoyed by all who walk past to check out the ever-changing view, with about 100 different perennials, as each takes its turn blooming, while the annuals in flower pots make a welcoming, showy display all summer long.

9. 305 N. Catino Court, Mount Prospect

Wayne & Kathy

My 2000-gallon pond is home to 24 koi (10 are babies born last year). I removed a concrete patio outside my kitchen in order to see the waterfall and stream from my kitchen table.

See next page for more yards and map. [Print more flyers from the website.](#)



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3222 Glenview Road
Glenview, IL 60025

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These yards are open either Saturday OR Sunday

10. 1436 Little Moose Lane, Northbrook

Expanding flowerbed - Shrinking grass

Open for Saturday viewing only

Ron

11. 341 Columbia Ave, Des Plaines

A cottage garden

Open Saturday 9-12 only

Paula

12. 134 S. Cumberland Parkway, Des Plaines

A recycled garden. This beautiful yard was created with plants salvaged from properties to be demolished.

Open Saturday 9-10 AM only.

Frank

3A. 3404 Meadow Lane, Glenview

Mature 38 year-old garden. 4000-gallon pond. Come and meet "Cowfish," a 20 year-old koi, among others.

Sunday viewing only.

Delores & Dave

13. 3123 Brandess Drive, Glenview

Full sun pond in natural looking setting with nice annuals. A garden house with a northwoods look.

Sunday viewing only 9 A.M. - 5 P.M. Do not park in driveway.

Mark & Julie

14. 838 Leyden Lane, Wilmette

Semi-formal front yard. Natural backyard with a pond that has 2 waterfalls, some goldfish and frogs. Veggie garden in the back of the yard and a couple sitting areas to take it all in.

Sunday viewing only. Park on the west side of the street.

Patti & Sheldon

15. 2020 E. Rosehill Drive, Arlington Heights

A 1300-gallon pond with a waterfall and an island fountain. This pond is home for fancy goldfish, koi, large butterfly koi, tadpoles, frogs, and occasionally some ducks. We also have a bog garden, and fountains in the front and back yard. While you're here, ask about our Mikis. Stop by at night to see the garden and pond lighting. (Lake Arlington park house, nearby, has public restrooms and refreshments.)

Sunday viewing only, but open late til 9:30 P.M.

Ken & Sandy

16. 2722 S. Craig Drive, Des Plaines

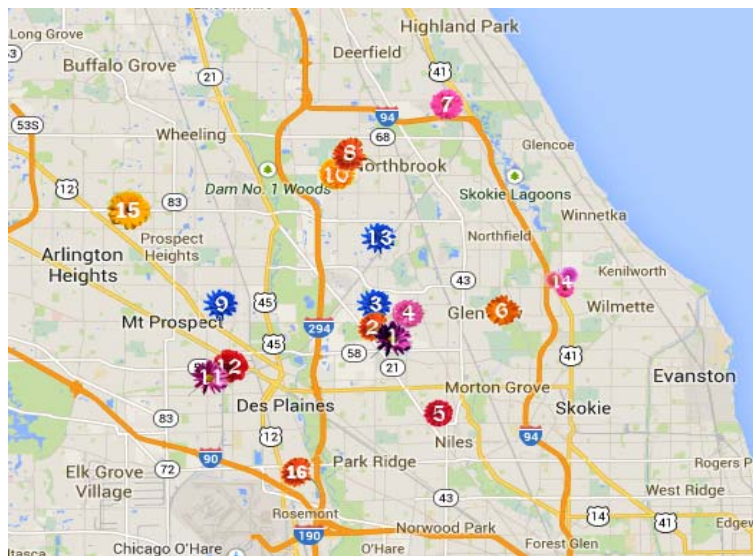
Welcome to "Pyr Over My Pond" and see a beautiful established 10,000-gallon koi pond. Underground plumbing to filtration in the shed. Bridge over pond and several seating areas. Koi guardians look forward to showing you around!

Sunday viewing only

Elizabeth & Kerry



Note: Bathrooms are not available at houses.



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