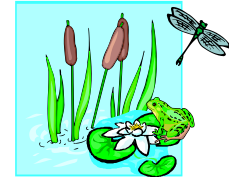




North Suburban Pond & Garden Walk

July 25 – 26, 2015

Hours: 10 AM to 6 PM
(except where noted)



Welcome to the 2015 North Suburban Pond & Garden Walk; a self-guided walk open to the public. You can visit the yards in any order you want, just note which yards are open one day only. If you have visited our yards before, we look forward to seeing you, your family and friends 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

Three ponds: a turtle, koi, and goldfish pond; a frog pond; and a water feature pond. You can get a close up of some of the turtles. Garden style: A little wild, a little controlled, a little whimsy, a little contrived. "Gump" the tortoise manipulates a lot of what happens in our yard, hence there's a lot of gardening in pots. If you've been to this yard before, come again to see how much "Gump" has grown. **No parking in driveway. Park on the shoulder of Greenwood - best on west side, or on side streets 1/4 block north or south.**

2. 604 Greenwood Road, Glenview

Jack

Sit down, relax, and have a drink at the Tiki Bar, as the koi swim by in the beautiful pond that surrounds you.

3. 3404 Meadow Lane, Glenview

Delores & Dave

A beautiful mature 39 year-old garden with a 4000-gallon pond. Come and meet "Cowfish," a 20 year-old koi, among others. **Sunday viewing only**

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 Japanese pagodas, a gnome garden and whimsical folk art. Come "ponder" with us!

5. 2748 Norwood Terrace, Niles

Bob & Marsha

A 20 year-old pond with as natural look as I could make it. Pond 1 is a filter pond, pond 2 has fish. **Use our driveway or the street - DO NOT BLOCK neighbors' driveways.**



6. 8127 N. Oketo, Niles

Athena

The theme of the garden is "Birds Gone Wild." This garden has examples of native, vegetables, herbs, shade, and woodland gardens. It features a Pergola and grapevine arbor. There is whimsical folk art throughout the garden. **Sunday viewing only, 10 AM - 5 PM Park on the street, not in the driveway.**

7. 7110 W. Greenleaf Street, Niles

Myrna & Lorry

When a gardener and artist work together you get an amazing garden, full of perennials and everyday junk turned into creative garden art. **Saturday viewing only**

8. 734 Windsor Road, Glenview

Dolph & Kitty

North garden at front of drive- pollinator's garden. South garden in center of lot- rain garden, deep rooted plants, with additional hummingbird and butterfly nectar plants - all native plants.

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.

9. 838 Leyden Lane, Wilmette

Patti & Sheldon

A naturalistic garden with perennials, mostly native, and annuals. There is a veggie garden, pond with 2 waterfalls, and several sitting areas. **Saturday viewing only Park on the west side of the street.**

See next page for more yards and map. Print more flyers from the website.

Note: Bathrooms are not available at houses.

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10. 1375 Rosemary Lane, Northbrook
Beautiful Japanese maples and beeches.

Ed & Cathy

11. 1149 White Mountain Drive, Northbrook

Since being included in the 2012 Northbrook Historical Society Garden Walk, our garden has matured to include over 160 varieties of perennial plants including grasses, berries, herbs, and shrubs, with 11 trees providing plenty of shade in the afternoon. The "farm" provides fresh vegetables, while planters filled with annuals welcome guests at the front door. Sitting areas welcome visitors to stop, rest, and enjoy the views.

Donna & Terry

12. 1436 Little Moose Lane, Northbrook
Random jungle.

Sunday viewing only

Ron



13. 3123 Brandess Drive, Glenview

ALL NEW!!! Large koi pond, gardens, and garden house with a Northwoods feel.

Saturday viewing only

Mark & Julie

14. 305 N. Catino Court, Mount Prospect

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.

Saturday viewing only

Wayne & Kathy

15. 2020 E. Rosehill Drive, Arlington Heights

A 1300-gallon pond, built 21 years ago, with a waterfall and an island fountain. This pond is home for 30 fish: fancy goldfish, koi, large butterfly koi, leopard and bullfrogs. We also have a bog garden and fountains. While you're here, check out the sun conure parrot and ask about the Mikis. On the day of this walk, Lake Arlington, which is behind our yard, will be having the Chicagoland International Dragon Boat races and festival. Restrooms and refreshments will be available there.

Saturday viewing only, but open late til 9 PM for night lights viewing

Ken & Sandy

16. 3025 Huntington, Arlington Heights

One small 1200- gallon pond that is a veggie filter for the large 19,000-gallon pond. Many waterfalls and filter shed. Flowers everywhere!

Saturday viewing only

Doug & Katherine

Meadow Lane



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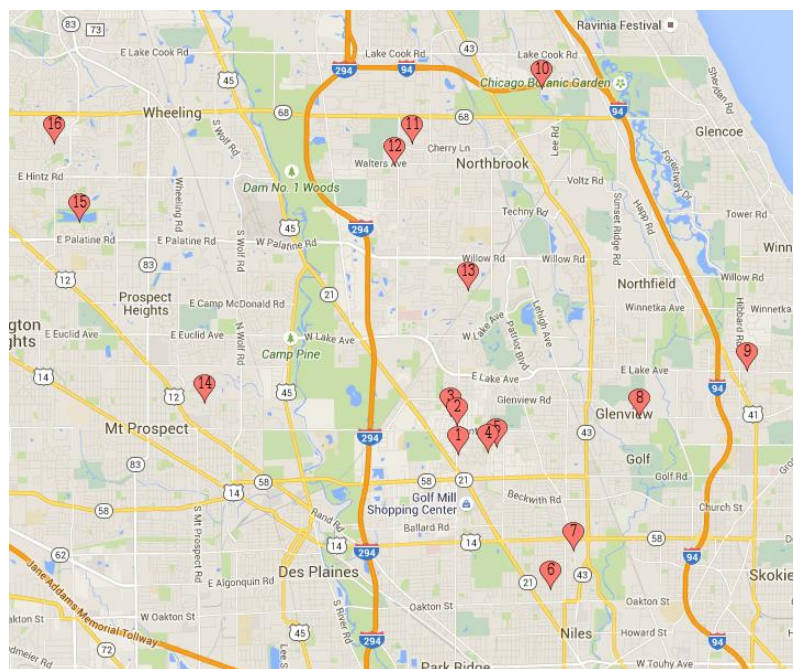
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