



GLEN ELLYN
PARK DISTRICT

*Commemorative Tree
and Bench Program*

Give a gift that will last for generations.

Through our Commemorative Tree & Bench Program you can establish a memorial, while adding to the beauty of the parks. Purchasing a tree or bench is a perfect way to celebrate a special occasion or as a lasting memorial to a loved one.

All tree and bench gifts are publically recorded. The name of the person or event being commemorated will be engraved on a brass leaf and placed on the Commemorative Tree located at Spring Avenue Recreation Center.

Trees and benches may be purchased anytime throughout the year, but tree planting will take place in the spring or fall only. Park staff will help determine the location for the tree or bench.

Commemorative Bench

A commemorative bench is a great way to honor a loved one. People may donate a new bench or dedicate an existing bench. A brass plaque is optional with the purchase of a new bench.*

> Commemorative Plaques

The plaque that accompanies Commemorative Benches are custom made of brass and are 3" x 8". Plaques will be affixed to the item or mounted on a base nearby. Donors may specify wording, which is subject to space limitations and approval by the Park District.

*Location and bench style need to conform to the park plan for the specific park facility. If no plan exists, staff will assist with the style and location. The life expectancy of a bench is ten years. After ten years it would be at the donor's discretion to replace the bench should it become obsolete, unsafe, or in disrepair.

Commemorative Trees

Commemorative Trees are a living tribute to honor a person or special event. A new tree can be planted or an existing one can be dedicated. A tree tag is provided with the purchase of a new tree. Please select a tree from the list provided.*

> Shade Trees

- Ginkgo (male)
- Ohio Buckeye
- Hackberry
- American Beech
- Tulip Poplar
- Kentucky Coffee Tree
- Swamp White Oak
- Burr Oak
- Sweet Gum

> Ornamental Trees

- Serviceberry
- Japanese Tree Lilac
- Paperbark Maple
- Eastern Red Bud
- Blue Beech
- Hawthorn
- Flowering Crabapple

> Conifers

- Austrian Pine
- Eastern White Pine
- Douglas Fir
- Bald Cypress
- Norway Spruce
- Blue Spruce

*Tree donations continue throughout the lifetime of tree. In the event of damage or other issues, trees will be replaced for up to five years.

Donor Information

First & Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

**Please print the inscription you wish to have on the plaque or tree tag.
Inscriptions must be limited to three lines and a total of 35 characters:**

Name of Person(s) Being Recognized: _____

Type of Gift (Please Circle): Bench (\$2,500) Tree (\$600)

Total: _____

Type of Tree: _____

Desired Park Location: _____

Commemorative trees and benches cannot be accepted for Lake Ellyn Park.

Payment Type (Please Circle): VISA Mastercard Check

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ CID: _____

Signature of Cardholder: _____

Please Return Document To:

Glen Ellyn Park District
Attn: Superintendent of Parks
185 Spring Avenue
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137