

Ardsley Pollinator Pathway Agenda 2024-02-06

Tuesday, February 6 at 8:30 pm via Zoom

Agenda:

- General updates:
 - We received a grant for \$1,000 from BRSS for the new Greenburgh pollinator gardens at Hart's Brook, plus a nice additional surprise.
 - The Enterprise has stopped publication - hopefully only temporarily

Creating Habitat:

- Update on Invasive Vine Removal held at Macy Park, January 27, 2024
- New Event: Invasive Vine Removal at South County Trailway, Saturday, March 16, noon - 2 pm
- Ardsley Community Garden Update: Ruchi and Linda
- Hart's Brook new pollinator gardens update
- Greenburgh Library tree and shrub sapling giveaway - update
- Milkweed seedling and oak potted seedling giveaway at Spring Gardening Festival - update
- Native Plug sale/ giveaways at festival - status
- Update on native plug pre-order for March
- Potential pollinator garden at Macy Park

Education/Awareness

- Social Media postings needed:
 - Easy Native Shrubs for Your Yard, Thursday, February 8, 7:30 Zoom
- Prior event update:
 - Great feedback on Going Wild with Hedgerows, Meadows and Native Plants
 - Easy Native Trees for Your Yard
- Content for a program for the free tree/shrub giveaway event
- Spring Gardening Festival
 - Share final agenda
 - Help needed on the day - quantification of volunteers needed
 - Kid's activities - Dina
 - Shopping list needs to be finalized shortly -get your items in by February 18
 - Publicity
 - Plug sale and plug give-away

- Carol will be presenting a session on how pollinator gardens can address and help us adapt to climate change at the Green Home event at Woodland's Temple on March 20.
- Kathy and potentially Jen will be volunteers to guide people on planting natives and pollinator gardens at the Lyndhurst weekend garden event in June

Partnerships - new:

- Carol will be renewing the relationship with Woodlands Temple as part of their Green Home event.
- Eugina Swart, Curator of Historic Landscapes at Lyndhurst. She is interested in adding native plants in the gardens. Carol will meet with her in March.

Policy

- Updates on policy work and next steps

Other topics/updates

- Update on Village activities that impact/influence Ardsley PP: Steve

Next meeting, Tuesday, March 5 at 8:30 pm via Zoom

Topic: Ardsley Pollinator Pathway Core and Veggie Team Meetings

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