

# Order Form

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Plaque to read: (Please circle "Memory" or "Honor")  
**In Memory / Honor Of:**

\_\_\_\_\_

## PLEASE SELECT GIFT OPTION:

\_\_\_\_\_ **Tree Sponsor**                      **\$425.00**

Tree Selected: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Bench Sponsor**                      **\$950.00**

Preferred Village Park: \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount Enclosed**                      \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to and mail to:

**Village of Bellevue Leisure Services**  
**c/o Tree & Bench Sponsor**

2828 Allouez Avenue  
Bellevue, WI 54311

## What is the Tree and Bench Program?

Through the Memorial Tree and Bench Program anyone can provide a unique dedication to honor a friend, relative, or member of an organization by placing a tree or bench in one of Bellevue's Parks.

This dedication provides a lasting memory and enhances the meaning of a tree or bench to the others. The gift is also a valuable contribution to our park system to be used and enjoyed by all.

For More Information Contact:

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*"We don't stop playing because we grow old; we grow old because we stop playing." ~ George Bernard Shaw*



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# TREE & BENCH Sponsor Program

**Friends of Bellevue Parks**  
2828 Allouez Avenue  
Bellevue, WI 54311

# Tree Sponsor

The cost of a memorial tree is \$425. This price includes the tree, plaque on recognition board, regular maintenance including fertilizing, pruning and mulching. The trees are 2 – 2 ½ inches in diameter, balled and burlapped. Trees will be planted at the appropriate time of the year to ensure optimal growth (typically May & October as weather permits) The six tree species available for this program are shown below.

**Freeman Maple** - A naturally occurring hybrid between a Silver Maple and a Red Maple. Its brilliant orange-red color in the fall is similar to a Red Maple. It has the ability to grow in almost all soils as does a Silver Maple. A fully mature Freeman Maple has a height of 40-60'.

**Sugar Maple** – The Wisconsin State Tree. One of the hardest and long lived of all the maples. Noted for extraordinary fall colors of gold, orange, and scarlet. A fully mature Sugar Maple reaches a height of 50-75'.

**Bur Oak** – A very tough, durable oak tree once established. Very tolerant of high alkaline soils. Most have interesting corky bark on young branches. A fully mature Bur Oak reaches a height of 60-80'.

**Swamp White Oak** – Large lowland tree. One of the easiest oaks to transplant. Prefers slightly acidic soils. A Swamp White Oak can reach a height of 65-75'.

**Kentucky Coffeetree** – An ugly duckling in youth, maturing into a graceful swan. Its bluish-green compound leaves give a lacy appearance in summer. The flaking bark and bold branching add winter interest. Female trees produce 5-10" long, thick brown leathery pods which provide winter interest. A fully mature Kentucky Coffeetree can reach a height of 50-60'.

**American Linden** – A stately, native, lowland tree with dense foliage. Spreading, low-hung branches. Sweet Smelling, pale-yellow flowers come alive in June. The American Linden can reach a height of 65-75'.

# Bench Sponsor



The cost of a memorial bench is \$950. The price includes a six foot bench with a back, plaque, and installation on a concrete pad. Benches will be installed in the Early Summer or Fall.

The Bench shown above is an example of what the bench would look like.



Freeman Maple



Sugar Maple



Bur Oak



Swamp White Oak



Kentucky Coffee



American Linden