

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

9:30AM TO 11AM
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TREE ID HIKE AT THE LOUISVILLE NATURE CENTER
LOUISVILLE NATURE CENTER | 3745 ILLINOIS AVE., LOUISVILLE, 40213
Join us for a guided hike through Beargrass Creek State Nature Preserve to learn about the plants that make up our forest. \$10.

10AM TO 12PM
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2025 LOUISVILLE EARTH WALK
SHAWNEE PARK PAVILION | LOUISVILLE, 40211
Join the 9th Annual Earth Walk at Shawnee Park—a free, family-friendly, non-competitive walk celebrating clean water, air, and soil for all neighborhoods. Free, but registration is required.

10AM TO 12PM
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EARTH WALK TREE ID BINGO WITH LOUISVILLE GROWS
SHAWNEE PARK PAVILION | LOUISVILLE, 40211
Fill up your bingo card as you look for trees on the Earth Walk route for a prize! Walk is free, but registration is required.

10AM TO 12PM
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VOLUNTEER TREE PLANTING WITH TREESLOUISVILLE
SHELBY ACADEMY & PRESTON PARK | 735 ZIEGLER ST., 40217
Plant some of the first trees of the season at our next JCPS project! All levels of experience welcome – training provided. Register on Tree Week website.

10AM TO 12PM
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HOW TO KEEP TREES HAPPY & HEALTHY
CREASEY MAHAN NATURE PRESERVE | 12501 HARMONY LANDING RD, GOSHEN, KY 40026
Join Frank Doades for tips on planting, pruning, and protecting trees so they flourish for years. Free, but RSVP is required!

10AM TO 11AM
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TREE WALK THROUGH SENECA GARDENS ARBORETUM
MEET AT THE CORNER OF DELL RD. AND VALLETTA RD., 40205
Join city arborist Mike Hayman for a guided walk through the Seneca Gardens Arboretum to explore its diverse species, history, and natural beauty.

10:30AM TO 12:30PM
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SPEED READING BOOK CLUB
SPEED ART MUSEUM | 2035 S. 3RD ST., 40208
Discuss *The Serviceberry* by Robin Wall Kimmerer, then tour the new Speed Art Park to explore sculptures set among native trees. Free with admission.

11AM TO 12PM
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HIGHLANDS NEIGHBORHOOD WALK TO SEE REALLY BIG TREES
MEET AT THE DANIEL BOONE STATUE WHERE EASTERN PKWY MEETS CHEROKEE PARK, 40205
Take a two-mile guided walk through the Highlands to see some of the city's largest trees. The route follows paved paths and sidewalks.

1PM TO 3PM
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SAW IT HERE FIRST! WITH JARED AND SHELBY
LOUISVILLE TOOL LIBRARY | 1227 LOGAN ST., 40204
Join us for a beginner-friendly intro to saws with the goal of creating a bird house. \$10.

1PM TO 2PM
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FALL TREE PRUNING WALK AT YEW DELL
YEW DELL BOTANICAL GARDENS | 6220 OLD LAGRANGE RD., CRESTWOOD, KY 40014
Join the garden team to learn what to prune in autumn and the techniques they use for success. Included with admission.

2PM TO 8PM
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FOREST ADVENTURE CAMPOUT BY WILDERNESS LOUISVILLE
JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FOREST AT HORINE PROGRAM FIELD
12304 HOLSCLOW HILL RD., FAIRDALE 40118
A wide variety of activities showcasing all the forest has to offer! Free and open to the public. Campout has a fee and is optional.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19TH

9AM TO 11AM
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SUNDAY TREE TOUR AT YEW DELL
YEW DELL BOTANICAL GARDENS | 6220 OLD LAGRANGE RD., CRESTWOOD, KY 40014
Enjoy a guided tour of Yew Dell's Arboretum and discover the stories behind trees, pollinators, and more. Included with admission. Meet at the Red Barn Visitor's Center.

THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

TREE SALE AT THE PLANT KINGDOM
1000 E. MARKET ST., 40206
30% to 75% off all deciduous trees!

TREE SALE AT HESS' LANDSCAPING NURSERY
1136 LOGAN ST., 40204
15% off all deciduous trees!

CHECK THE SITE
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TREE-THEMED STORY TIMES AT THE LIBRARY
BRANCHES VARY | CHECK THE TREE WEEK WEBSITE
Celebrate trees through stories & creativity.

ALL WEEK LONG
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GREEN HEART LOUISVILLE'S BRANCHES OF BEAUTY: A TREE PHOTO GALLERY
Share your favorite Louisville tree—whether a mighty oak, blooming cherry, or newly planted pine. Submit your photo online, tell us why it's special, and help celebrate the beauty and importance of trees in our lives.

11AM TO 3PM
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TREE-MENDOUS SCIENCE - OCTOBER 12-19
KENTUCKY SCIENCE CENTER | 727 W. MAIN ST. 40202
During Tree Week, enjoy tree-tastic themed activities in our MakerPlace, as well as pop-up Blue Carts in the galleries.

SELF-GUIDED ACTIVITIES

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE BELKNAP CAMPUS TREE TOUR
BEGIN AT NORTH INFORMATION CENTER | 1999 S. 1ST ST. 40208
UofL's 309-acre park-like Belknap campus has over 2500 trees representing 130+ species, many of which are native to our bioregion. Take a self-guided 2-mile walking tour of interesting and historical trees on the campus. Visit the Tree Week website to find the digital interactive map.

EVENT KEY

● KID-FRIENDLY ● PAID EVENT ● VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!
● REGISTRATION REQUIRED ● WALK/RIDE AND TALK

PRESENTED BY TREESLOUISVILLE

TREE WEEK

—LOUISVILLE—

OCTOBER 10-19, 2025

Celebrate the power of trees and their impact on our community!

Throughout the week, organizations, businesses, and neighbors across Louisville and the surrounding counties will host events for all ages and interests.

From family activities and guided hikes to volunteer opportunities and outdoor adventures, you'll find dozens of ways to connect with nature and each other.

FOR THE FULL LIST OF EVENTS AND THE MOST UP-TO-DATE DETAILS, VISIT:
[TREESLOUISVILLE.ORG/TREE-WEEK-HOME-PAGE](https://treesloouisville.org/tree-week-home-page)

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TREE WEEK WEBSITE



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10TH

9AM
TO
12PM



INVASIVE PLANT MANAGEMENT VOLUNTEER EVENT WITH THE OLMSTED CONSERVANCY AND DERBY CITY Cisma

IROQUOIS PARK | 2120 RUNDILL RD., 40214
Work alongside conservation experts to remove bush honeysuckle and other invasives, making way for a more resilient urban forest.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11TH

7:30AM
TO
6PM



KENTUCKY TREE CLIMBING CHAMPIONSHIPS

SHELBY PARK | 600 E OAK ST., 40213
Watch elite arborists race the clock in thrilling tree-climbing challenges! ***10am-2pm – opportunity for kids to climb trees!**
BONUS ACTIVITY: LEAF MAN WITH LOUISVILLE GROWS
Collect natural materials to make a collaborative art project during KYTCC

9AM
TO
12PM

TREE ADOPTION HOSTED BY TREESLOUISVILLE

LOUISVILLE VEGAN JERKY | 1311 S. SHELBY ST., 40217
350 3-gallon trees available on a first come, first served basis.
Carolina Silverbell, Paw Paw, Southern Magnolia Brackens Beauty, Blackgum, American Persimmon, American Sycamore, Swamp White Oak

9AM
TO
10AM



JOE CREASON PARKRUN

JOE CREASON PARK | 1297 TREVILIAN WAY, 40213
A free, family friendly run through the park. Dogs and strollers welcome. Free, but registration is required.

9:30AM
TO
10:30AM



URBAN TREE WALK

THE PLANT KINGDOM | 1000 E MARKET ST, 40204
Celebrate Tree Week with The Plant Kingdom and explore how the right trees—and the right care—can transform our neighborhoods.

10AM
TO
12PM



MAKE & TAKE DEMO: LEAF GELLI PRINTS

PRESTON ARTS CENTER | 8101 WARWICK AVE., 40222
Make your own leaf print to take home! Registration required.

10AM
TO
12:30PM



WALK & WRITE WITH THE KENTUCKY POET LAUREATE

PNC ACHIEVEMENT CENTER @ THE PARKLANDS | 1411 BECKLEY CREEK PKWY., 40245
Join Kentucky Poet Laureate Kathleen Driskell for a guided walk on the Black Willow Trail, followed by a creative writing session inspired by nature. Free for Parklands Members; \$10 for non-members.

1PM
TO
2PM



FALL PRUNING PLANT WALK AT YEW DELL

YEW DELL BOTANICAL GARDENS | 6220 OLD LAGRANGE RD., CRESTWOOD, KY 40014
Join the garden team to learn what to prune in autumn and the techniques they use for success. Included with admission.

8PM
TO
11PM



KARA-OAK-TREE AT NORAEBAR

NORAEBAR | 717 E. MARKET, 40202
Celebrate Tree Week at NoraeBar with discounted \$1 tree-themed karaoke songs, TreesLouisville swag, and a curated playlist of nature hits.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12TH

9AM
TO
11AM



BIRDWATCHING IN SHAWNEE PARK

SHAWNEE PARK PLAYGROUND | LOUISVILLE, 40211
Celebrate World Migratory Bird Day with Jake Ackley of TreesLouisville on a guided birding walk – binoculars and ID books available for beginners.

9AM
TO
11AM



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5PM
TO
8PM



TRAIL TREK IN JEFFERSON MEMORIAL HOSTED BY RED RIVER GORGE SHUTTLE

JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FOREST | MEET UP AT CLIMB NULU, 1000 E. MARKET, 40206
Join a trail running meetup or guided hike in Jefferson Memorial Forest, with food, drinks, and a shuttle ride included.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13TH

5PM
TO
6PM



WALK WITH A (TREE) DOC!

OLMSTED SOUTHERN PARKWAY | MEET AT 3845 SOUTHERN PKWY, 40214
Learn how to tell if a tree is healthy—or at risk—while gaining practical knowledge about street trees, defects, and proper care on this guided walk.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

6PM
TO
7PM



SMALL TREES FOR SMALL GARDENS WITH LISA BARTLETT

WHITEHALL HISTORIC HOME | 3110 LEXINGTON RD, 40206
Find out how to transform small spaces with the right trees—adding charm, habitat, and variety to your landscape.

10AM
TO
12PM



CLEAN-UP AND GREEN-UP IN BON AIR HOSTED BY TREESLOUISVILLE

MEET AT: 2724 SHEILA DR., 40220
Join TreesLouisville for a neighborhood cleanup and mulching project to give local trees the care they need to thrive.

4PM
TO
5PM



TEEN TUESDAY AT THE LIBRARY

SHAWNEE PUBLIC LIBRARY | 3912 W BROADWAY, LOUISVILLE, 40211
You're invited to Tree-Mendous Teen Tuesday! Create an Autumn art masterpiece, using leaves, twigs, pinecones, and other colorful fall elements.

6PM
TO
7PM



TREE WALK WITH PARKS & REC, THE SOMEBODY SOCIETY, AND YPAL

CENTRAL PARK | 1340 S 4TH ST., 40208
Join an Urban Forestry on-staff arborist for a tree walk to learn about the surrounding trees.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH

5PM
TO
7PM



TREE WALK WITH LOUISVILLE PARKS & REC AND THE ST. X SCIENCE DEPT.

GEORGE ROGERS CLARK PARK | 1024 THRUSTON AVE. 40217
Learn how to recognize the trees that shape our parks on this guided walk.

6PM
TO
8PM



TREE ID BIKE RIDE WITH THEOUTSIDERS CYCLING CLUB & TREESLOUISVILLE

RIDE BEGINS AT TRELLIS BREWING | 827 LOGAN ST., 40204
Join us for a community ride through Cherokee & Seneca Parks to learn about local trees.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16TH

11AM
TO
2PM

FREE TREE GIVEAWAY HOSTED BY LOUISVILLE METRO URBAN FORESTRY

JOE CREASON PARK | 1297 TREVILIAN WAY, 40213
We are giving away 500 trees to celebrate Tree Week! Available species include: tulip poplar, bur oak, chinkapin oak, redbud, and spice bush.

6PM
TO
8PM



JAZZ UNDER THE TREES WITH LOU PARKS & REC

JOE CREASON PARK | 1297 TREVILIAN WAY, 40213
Enjoy a free evening of jazz standards, original pieces, and fall favorites performed by the Bellarmine University Jazz Faculty Quartet. Bring a blanket, invite friends, and relax under the trees.

6PM
TO
7:30PM



CITIZEN FORESTER TRAINING WITH LOUISVILLE GROWS

PART 1: VIRTUAL, PART 2: 10/18 @ 518 N 26TH ST
Learn how to restore and maintain our urban forest by becoming a Louisville Grows volunteer through this free two-part training

6:30PM
TO
7:30PM



FAMILY ART NIGHT AT THE LIBRARY

IROQUOIS PUBLIC LIBRARY | 601 W. WOODLAWN, 40215
Enjoy making tree art with your family!

7PM
TO
9PM



NERD NITE BLUEGRASS: TREE EDITION

TRELLIS BREWING | 827 LOGAN ST., LOUISVILLE, 40204
Enjoy an evening with fellow tree enthusiasts as three speakers share insights on canopies, native species, and the beauty of our urban forest. Suggested \$10 donation.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17TH

5PM
TO
8PM



BEER GARDEN & TREE TOUR IN SHELBY PARK

OLMSTED PARKS CONSERVANCY | 600 E. OAK ST., 40204
Enjoy an evening of craft beer, great food, and community fun in Shelby Park, capped off with a "Sip and Stroll" tree tour at 6:30pm.