

Tree and shrub donation scheme



Information Sheet

- 1 Donations to cover the costs of planting trees and shrubs in the parks in Tunbridge Wells are always welcome.
- 2 The Donation List shows the tree and shrub species, sizes and cost. Subject to availability.
- 3 Peter Every, Parks and Sports Team Leader will be pleased to help you choose what type of tree or shrub to plant. Peter can be contacted during working hours on 01892 554459 and 07901 510971. The exact location of your donated tree/shrub will be agreed with you and your wishes will be taken into account whenever possible.
- 4 We will do everything we can to ensure your tree/shrub becomes successfully established in its new location, including watering and formative pruning as appropriate. This special care is usually necessary for the first seven years of a tree's life and the first three years of a shrub's life, and you will see from the list that donations are calculated to include the cost of planting and maintenance. After establishment, we will continue to carry out any necessary maintenance work at no additional cost. If your tree/shrub should become damaged or diseased within the first seven years we will replace it with one of the same species if possible.
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- 6 The Council keeps a Register of Donations which includes details of the donor's name, a short message and the location of the tree (no charge is made for register entries). The register is displayed on the Council's website (www.tunbridgewells.gov.uk).
- 7 For aesthetic and practical reasons, we regret that permission to install memorial plaques cannot be given.
- 8 Trees and shrubs will usually be planted between mid-November and mid-February.

For more information contact:

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Town Hall
Royal Tunbridge Wells
Kent TN1 1RS

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Email: parcs@tunbridgewells.gov.uk

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Donation form

1 I would like to make a donation to cover the cost of placing a tree in (please specify park)

2 My choice of tree is _____

3 My choice of shrub is _____

4 My preferred location in the park would be (please provide details) _____

5 Would you like your name to be included in the Register of Donations? Yes No

6 Would you also like a short message to be included in the Register of Donations? Yes No

7 Would you like to inter ashes with your memorial tree? Please note that ashes can only be poured and buried in front of the tree and cannot be interred in a casket. Yes No

If yes, please write your message below.

I understand the Council will check and confirm the details of my donation in writing before my tree/shrub is ordered from the supplier.

Signature _____

Name (please print) _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

e-mail _____

Please post to the return address below:

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Conifers	Common Name	Cost
Araucaria Araucana	Monkey Puzzle	£450.00
Cryptomaria Japonica Lobbii	Japanese Cedar	£300.00
Chameacyparis Obtusa Nana Gracilis	Hinoki Cypress	£150.00
Pinus Pinea	Stone Pine	£300.00
Pinus Bungeana	Lacebark Pine	£300.00
Deciduous & Evergreen Trees	Common Name	Cost
Acer Griseum	Paper-bark Maple	£250.00
Arbutus Menziesii	Strawberry Tree	£200.00
Carya Cordiformis or Carya Orata	Bitternut Hickory or Shagbark Hickory	£250.00
Castanea Sativa	Sweet Chesnut	£150.00
Eucryphia x Nymansensis Nymansay (3L)		£50.00
Malus Sargentiana	Sargent's Crabapple	£150.00
Prunus Sargentii	Sargent's Cherry	£150.00
Quercus Robur	English Oak	£150.00
Stuartia Sinensis		£100.00
Styrax Japonica	Japanese Snowbell	£100.00
Davidia Involucrata	Handkerchief Tree	£100.00
Nyssa Sinensis	Sweet Gum	£150.00
Quercus Rubra	Red Oak	£200.00
Shrubs	Common Name	Cost
Magnolia Heaven Scent	Pink Tulip Tree (because of flower shape)	£200.00
Magnolia Galaxy	Magnolia Galaxy	£200.00
Magnolia x Loebneri Merrill	Large fragrant white flowers in spring	£200.00
Magnolia Loebneri Leonard Messel	Dainty white/lilac flowers in Spring	£200.00
Cornus Kousa Chinensis	Chinese Dogwood	£250.00
Cornus Norman Madden	Dogwood Norman Hadden	£250.00
Cornus Stella Pink	Stella Pink Dogwood	£250.00
Cornus Controversa	Wedding Cake Tree	£250.00

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