COMMEMORATIVE DONATION PROGRAM

Trees native to Southern Ontario

The trees numbered 1-12 are native or indigenous to Southern Ontario. They are all an integral part of the natural environment that has evolved in this region over thousands of years.

When you plant a commemorative tree, you are contributing to the conservation of the diverse plant and animal communities that have coexisted with these trees for millennia.

The seeds from these trees will continue to make their way into our natural areas, parks and ravines as they have in the past. Alien tree species can become aggressive and displace indigenous plants. They can disturb the balance that exists between all the diverse plants that comprise the natural landscape.

Choosing a native tree is especially important if you live near parkland or a ravine.

Note: The planting season for each tree is specified with an S (spring) and F (fall)

Please Note:
Tree No. 3 (Freeman Maple) is a hybrid.
Tree No. 12 (Skyline Honey Locust) is a cultivar of the Honey Locust.