

Edgewater Glen Association 2022 Fall Newsletter

Fall Plant Swap – Saturday September 17th

Fall is a great time to divide or transplant irises, peonies, and many other plants that enjoy cooler temps and rainier weather. On Saturday, September 17th we'll hold our Fall Plant Swap from 10am till noon in the backyard of 1420 W Glenlake (6100N), weather permitting. Rain date is Sunday Sept. 18th, same time & place.

Share plants and gardening paraphernalia and meet your gardening neighbors. Even if you don't have anything to share, we usually have plenty of leftovers that need a home. For more info contact Kim Kaulas at kaulas@rcn.com or 773-368-3949.

Annual Fall Meeting Public Meeting – October 10th

The annual Fall Public Meeting is back! It will be held at St Gertrude's public hall, 1401 Granville Ave on October 10th from 6:30 pm to 8 pm. This year we will be hosting outgoing Alderman Harry Osterman, and we will also be giving you updates on how to learn more about the different candidates for the election of his replacement.

Looking back: Best Garden Walk Ever!

We had another record-breaking crowd, with more than 260 garden lovers attending our EGA Garden Walk this past July. The gardens of East Edgewater Glen were stunning, and we again drew many visitors from other north side neighborhoods.

On Sunday July 9th, 2023 we'll be celebrating our 50th Annual Edgewater Glen Garden Walk featuring the gardens of West Edgewater Glen in the 1400 & 1500 blocks. We are planning something special, so keep an eye out for updates as the date approaches.

Looking back: Wildly Successful Yard Sale!

The Annual Yard Sale also broke records. We had well over 100 sellers, and a truly epic turnout. Let's do it again next year!

Protecting and Growing Healthy Trees is Our Priority

This summer saw some heavy cutting and brutal storms. Here's how you can care for your tree or request a new one.

Water your existing parkway tree: Set a hose on a low volume next to the trunk. After about an hour move the hose about a third of the way around the trunk for another hour soak. Repeat once more by moving it another third. If water is migrating onto the street or sidewalk, the water pressure is too high.

Request a parkway tree from ECC – these requests are coordinated with the city, but they receive funding beyond what the city provides. <http://www.sustainedgewater.org/tree-request.html>



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Join or Renew Membership in the Edgewater Glen Association:

Dues are **\$10.00 per year** for individuals and families. For businesses and institutions, dues are \$25.00.

Checks can be made out and mailed to: Edgewater Glen Association, 1535 W Hood Ave, Chicago, IL 60660. You can also renew or **sign-up online** at www.edgeglen.com.

Register By Check (complete this form)	
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About the EGA

The mission of the Edgewater Glen Association is to create a viable urban community, united by geography and vested interests, committed to the betterment of the area and its people, organized to confront the problems of urban life and carry out activities that nurture a community spirit. Learn more at our website www.edgeglen.com.

Follow EGA Online

Sign-up for timely emails about neighborhood events by going to www.edgeglen.com and selecting 'Get Email Updates' in the navigation bar.

Get the latest information on EGA Events and Activities via our **Facebook page**. Search for "Edgewater Glen Association" in Facebook's search bar and then click follow.

Our **Facebook Group is called "EGA Neighbors"**. This group is intended to be a space for neighbors to communicate about what is going on in and around our neighborhood and build positive connections between neighbors on all our blocks. If you would like to join in the discussions over there, search for "EGA Neighbors" in Facebook's search bar, and then request to join the group.

2022-2023 Board Members

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