

Focus Newsletter

Delaware Soil and Water Conservation District's Annual Tree Sale is now open for orders! Tree quantities are limited, so orders are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. Order early to ensure you get your desired species. Since we do not offer online sales, our office will contact you if your selection is not available at the time we receive your order.

Tree Pick-Up

Orders can be picked up at our office April 11th-13th, 2023 from 8:00am-4:30 pm. Arrangements can be made for after hours pick-up if needed. Our tree selection is ordered from a Native Tree Nursery in Pennsylvania and shipped. Bare root seedlings are relatively small and orders are filled in Delaware SWCD tote bags; a large vehicle is not necessary for pick-up unless your order is above average size.

What are Bare Root Trees?

Bare root trees and shrubs mean that the plant has not been potted. Instead, they are dormant trees with no soil around its roots. Each species bare root are dipped in a preservative gel and placed in a plastic bag. Seedlings should be planted immediately into your yard or into a permanent container while still dormant for best chance of survival.

Ready to Order? [Click Here](#)

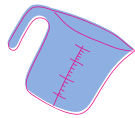




SHOVEL



Shovel and clear all snow before spreading salt. More salt does not mean more melting. Shovel more, salt less.



MEASURE

One 12 oz. mug full of salt is enough to cover a 20' driveway. Consider using a salt spreader to use just the right amount. One teaspoon of salt permanently pollutes 5 gallons of water.

AFTER



Salt doesn't just disappear after a snowstorm. If you see excess salt after, sweep it up! Melting snow picks up pollutants and carries them into our stormdrains.



REALISTIC

Road salt keeps our roads and sidewalks safe. If used properly, salt is safe to use. Just don't over salt.

TIME



The best time to lay salt is before snowfall even begins. Never apply salt when rain is in the forecast.

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Employee Highlight

Cody Beery has been with Delaware SWCD as a Resource Conservationist for five years. Some of Cody's duties include annual inspections, completing urban ditch repairs, as well as tree removal and agricultural ditch maintenance. Cody and his wife, Alicia, have 3 boys and operate a family farm in their spare time. He enjoys being outdoors and likes to hunt, fish, and farm.

Local businesses for larger trees

If bareroot seedlings are smaller than what you are looking for this year, check out some of these local businesses for other varieties and tree sizes!

Dannaher Landscaping & Nursery

12200 Vans Valley Rd Galena, OH 43021
info@dannaherlandscaping.com
740-965-3789

Groovy Plants Ranch

4140 County Road 15 Marengo, OH 43334
contact@groovyplantsranch.com
740-675-2681

Leaves for Wildlife

1655 N County Rd 605 Sunbury, OH 43074
leavesforwildlife8@gmail.com
614-881-5550

Miller's Country Gardens

2492 State Route 37 W Delaware, OH 43015
farmerdale@millerscountrygardens.com
740-363-5021

Natives in Harmony

4652 Township Road 179 Marengo, OH 43334
gale@nativesinharmony.com
419-688-9800

Oakland Nursery

Multiple Locations
25 Kilbourne Rd Delaware, OH 43015
740-548-6633

Riverside Native Trees

2295 River Rd Delaware, OH 43015
ekapraly@gmail.com
740-815-3230

Scioto Gardens

3351 State Route 37 W Delaware, OH 43015
folks@sciotogardens.com
740-363-8264

The Seed Center

7790 US Route 36 Ostrander, OH 43061
800-660-8789

2023 Delaware SWCD Board of Supervisors



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In the Press

- [Tips for handling leaves this fall](#)
- [Farm equipment returning to roadways](#)
- [Delaware SWCD Board welcomes new members](#)

Upcoming Events

February 21 - Monthly Board of Supervisor's Meeting, 6:30p.m.

March 14- 1/2 Homesteading - Seed Starting Class
Powell East Community Room, 6:30pm [Click Here to Register](#)

March 21 - Monthly Board of Supervisor's Meeting, 6:30p.m.

March 23 - 1/2 Homesteading - Seed Starting Class
Sunbury Community Library, 6:30pm [Click Here to Register](#)

April 18 - Monthly Board of Supervisor's Meeting, 6:30p.m.

May 28 - Preservation Parks Summer Kick-Off, Shale Hollow Park, 1-3p.m.
Check out the Soil Tunnel

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