



**THE GARDENERS  
OF  
GREATER CLEVELAND**  
*FOUNDED IN 1932*



## **Community Garden Projects in the City of Cleveland**

- Planted a daffodil bed at the Cleveland Art Museum with unique bulbs provided by our member and nationally recognized hybridizer, Wells Kiernan.
- Replanted the entrance flower beds and those around the dining hall at Blossom Music Center.
- Built a raised herb bed at the Carter Cabin in the Cleveland Flats and planted it with herbs that we had researched as appropriate to the gardens of early Cleveland settlers of that era.
- In cooperation with the Cleveland Zoo, built a replica of the Cuyahoga “Crooked River” for presentation at the Cleveland Home and Garden Show as part of their Wolf Exhibit.
- In cooperation with Lake View Cemetery, built a replica of their “Daffodil Hill” for display at the Cleveland Home and Garden Show.
- In conjunction with the Railroad Gardeners of Cleveland, constructed a 200 square foot railroad garden display for the Cleveland Botanical Garden Christmas Display.
- Provided gardening assistance for the maintenance of the gardens at Cleveland’s Ronald McDonald House.
- Provided gardening assistance for planting the Cultural Gardens along Martin Luther King Drive.
- Provided helpers for the White Elephant fund raiser of the Cleveland Botanical Garden.
- Provided docents for the “Happy Program” at the Rockefeller Park Greenhouse for the education of grade school children in our horticultural environment for seven years.
- Provided docents for the Hershey Garden at the Cleveland Botanical Garden
- Built a railroad garden display for the first Cleveland Botanical Garden May Flower Show in addition to selling plant material suitable for “Shade Gardening.”
- Built display material used in three Cleveland Botanical Garden May Flower Shows.
- Provided gardening assistance for the maintenance of the Iris Garden at the Rockefeller Park Greenhouse. The garden was developed and planted by nationally recognized Iris hybridizers Tony and Dorothy Willott.
- Manned a booth at the Cleveland I-X Center Home & Garden Show for many years.
- Provided gardening assistance for the maintenance of the gardens at the “Yellow House” of the Cleveland Botanical Garden on East 65<sup>th</sup> Street and Chester Avenue.



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- Established a scholarship program in 2003 which annually awards two or more scholarships to students interested in pursuing horticulture as a career.
- Provided garden design and maintenance help for the renovation of the East Cleveland Cemetery on East 116<sup>th</sup> Street.
- Obtained funding, contributors of materials, and provided the manpower to create the transitional Housing “Serenity Garden” on West 25<sup>th</sup> Street.
- 2009 - Raised money, developed a design with residents and installed a therapeutic garden for Joseph's Home, a homeless shelter for men.
- 2010 - Raised money, developed a design with clients and staff and installed a safe courtyard garden behind Pilgrim Church for homeless families in the Interfaith Hospitality Program.
- 2012 - Raised money, developed a design with residents and installed a courtyard garden for AIDS Taskforce clients residing at Carey East.
- 2013 - Assisted Campus District with drought tolerant median plantings on East 30th Street
- 2014, 2015 & 2016 - Raised money, developed a design with patients and planted the raised beds for the VA Hospital's Spinal Cord Injury Unit
- 2015 - Raised money, developed a design with residents and installed a raised bed garden for AIDS Taskforce clients and their families residing at Carey West
- 2016 - Some club members met with the VA Blind Unit regarding seed starting.
- 2017 - and of course we plan on helping Malachi House this spring to develop a visually pleasing tree lawn garden for their hospice patients.