

Volunteers Needed

Habitat Restoration/Maintenance Work Party Meet along path at Southeast Corner of the Lake

Saturday, March 29, 2014, 9:00 to 12:00:

Come help get rid of blackberry and maybe some English Ivy from habitat area on Green Lake Shoreline. Give the wild roses a chance to grow!

Friends of Green Lake is sponsoring a work party at the habitat restoration area on the southeast corner of the lake. This area was originally cleared and planted with native plants in 2010. Plantings are well established but it is time again to get rid of blackberry and other invasive plants to give the native plants a better chance.

The work area is along the shoreline across from the intersection of Kenwood Place North and E. Green Lake Way North. This is about ¼ mile north of the small craft center. Parking is available in parking lots around the Small Craft Center, and on the street adjacent to the work area. The Friends of Green Lake Banner will be hanging to mark the work area along the path.

If time and energy allow, we will move south into the adjacent area where there is more blackberry and English Ivy.

The park department will provide us with a collection of tools and gloves for our use. If you have a favorite tool and your own gloves for attacking blackberry and ivy, please bring them along.

Be sure to dress for possible wet weather, and long sleeves to protect against blackberry thorns. Please no open toed shoes.

Contact Friends of Green Lake at friendso@friendsofgreenlake.org or Garet Munger (garetpeter@comcast.net), if you have questions, and especially to indicate you wish to join in.

Hope to see you on March 29!!!