

# RELEAF WASHINGTON

## *PLANT, PROMOTE, PROTECT*

### The Season



We are planning a tree Maintenance Day the Saturday after Thanksgiving (November 26, 2022)

from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. We will be mulching, weeding and checking the overall status of our trees. If you are interested in joining us (and maybe burning off some of that pie!) Please message us at [releafwashington@hotmail.com](mailto:releafwashington@hotmail.com). After all that hard work please join us at board member Susan Sizemore-Watson's property, **Lake Jehu**, for a fall social directly following our Maintenance Day.

Thank you all for your continuous financial support, we could not accomplish what we have done without you!

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## Welcome To Fall ReLeafers!

### We have some very exciting news to share!

Your ReLeafers have been hard at work planning our next planting season with an ambitious goal of over 100 trees. In support of this effort we are excited to receive funding from the city of Washington for the first time. We are so thankful for this major milestone as it will help us bring even more financial growth and opportunity to our programs over the years to come. Thank you city of Washington!

In addition, we have been awarded a grant for \$4,500 from the North Carolina Urban Forest Council (NCUFC) through their Legacy Tree Fund grant program. These funds will be going towards supporting Phase 2 of our ongoing tree planting project with the Washington Housing Authority. Many thanks to our board and NCUFC for contributing to our continuing efforts to Plant, Promote and Protect our precious trees in and around the city of Washington! For more information about this wonderful group you can go to their website, <https://www.ncufc.org/>.

Heather Moore Thienpont, President

Attila Nemezc, Vice President

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Susan Sizemore-Watson, Treasurer

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## ReLeaf Volunteer Opportunities

### Help Us Start a ReLeaf Nursery

**Do you have a favorite Native Tree or fruit tree in your yard that you would LOVE to share? Does it produce babies that you hate to pull out and throw away? Would you be willing to pot some of the baby trees or pot some cuttings to make new trees?**

**Native trees and tried and true fruit varieties for our area are the hardest for us to locate from our suppliers.**

**Some examples of trees that we would love to get our hands on: (this is not a comprehensive list, just a start)**

- **Sabal minor**
- **Bald Cypress**
- **American White Cedar**
- **Water Oak**
- **Red Oak**
- **Peach**
- **Paw Paw**
- **Persimmon**
- **Long Leaf Pine**
- **Sweet Bay Magnolia**
- **Red Bay**
- **Dogwood**
- **Red Bud**
- **Tulip Poplar**
- **Jane Magnolia**
- **Apple**
- **Pear**

## 2022 Quarterly Membership List

### Sequoia: \$500+

Attila Nemezc & Bennett Carpenter

### Live Oak: \$100 To \$499

Robin Arnold

Lynda E. Lane

Frank & Ginger Longino

Amy Lupton & Brenda Rogers

### Red Oak: \$50+

Susan Currie

John Currie

Sabin Leach, Jr.

Robin Rich

Bill & Jane McCotter

### Cypress: Under \$50

Jake & Mimi Jakubowski

### In Honor/Memory 2021-2022

- ❖ Kathleen Simpson on behalf of Washington High School Class of 1971
- ❖ Mack & Susan Simpson: In memory of Sally Ross Simpson Roseveare and Elizabeth Nash Butler
- ❖ ReLeaf Washington: In memory of Emory Morgan
- ❖ Edward Newburn: In memory of Thomas Sloan
- ❖ Bay Harbour Neighbours: In memory of Ronald Woolard
- ❖ H. Clay Carter: In memory of Mariah Gerow Lynch
- ❖ Dick & Becky Leach: In honor of John Sabin Leach, Jr.
- ❖ Sole Train Runners/Laurel Mackenzie: In memory of Jackson Griffin
- ❖ Beth & Chris Collier: In memory of Mariah Gerow Lynch
- ❖ Dr. Elizabeth & Russel Cook: In honor of Dr. Richard Young
- ❖ Delyle & Louise Evans: In honor of & in memory of LaRue M. Evans
- ❖ Mary Todd Mackenzie: In memory of Mariah Gerow Lynch
- ❖ Parker & Elizabeth Johnson: In honor of Becky and Dick Leach
- ❖ H. Clay Carter: In honor of Lou Carter and Mary Carter
- ❖ Sabin Leach: In memory of Richard Cox Leach
- ❖ Mary Todd Mackenzie: In memory of Cathy and Lee Cooper
- ❖ Susan S. Watson: In memory of Athy and Lee Cooper
- ❖ H. Clay Carter: In honor of Lauren and Brock Lynch
- ❖ Robin Arnold: In memory of Redding Lewis Cratch, Sr. and Verona Bailey Clark Cratch