Tree Dedicutors of The Dawes Arboretum

Tree dedicators are chosen by The Arboretum Board of Trustees “to honor individuals or groups of outstanding achievement in the stream of human history, or events of significance to The Dawes Arboretum.”

1. Dedicated to and by: Honorable James M. Cox [1870-1957]
   *Quercus macrocarpa*, bur oak (syn. mossycup oak)
   Date: June 10, 1927

2. Dedicated to and by: Brigadier General Charles G. Dawes [1865-1951]
   *Quercus bicolor*, swamp white oak
   Date: June 15, 1927

3. Dedicated to: Great American Game of Baseball
   Dedicated by: Byron Bancroft Johnson [1864-1931]
   *Acer saccharum*, sugar maple
   Date: June 22, 1927

4. Dedicated to: The Dead of the 324th Field Artillery, The 158th Field Artillery Brigade and The 83rd Division National Army
   Dedicated by: Major General T.Q. Ashburn [1874-1941]
   *Platanus x acerifolia* (syn. *P. x hybrida*), London planetree
   Date: August 7, 1927

5. Dedicated to and by: Major General James G. Harbord [1866-1947]
   *Juglans nigra*, black walnut
   Date: September 15, 1927

6. Dedicated to: Honorable J. Sterling Morton [1832-1902]
   Dedicated by: Joy Morton [1855-1934], Wirt Morton and Carl Morton
   *Cotinus obovatus*, American smoketree
   Date: November 5, 1927

7. Dedicated to: The Rainbow Division of the American Expeditionary Forces
   Dedicated by: General Charles P. Summerall [1867-1955]
   *Platanus x acerifolia* ‘Bloodgood’ (syn. *P. x hybrida* ‘Bloodgood’), Bloodgood London planetree
   Date: July 14, 1928

   *Acer saccharum*, sugar maple
   Date: November 15, 1928
Dedicated by: Honorable Beman G. Dawes [1870-1953]
*Pinus strobus*, eastern white pine
Date: June 5, 1929

Dedicated by: Bertie B. Dawes [1872-1958]
*Pinus strobus*, eastern white pine
Date: June 5, 1929

Dedicated to and by: Honorable Nicholas Longworth [1869-1931]
*Ginkgo biloba*, ginkgo
Date: July 6, 1929

Dedicated to and by: The Marietta College Ambulance Unit
*Betula alleghaniensis* (syn. *B. lutea*), yellow birch
Date: September 21, 1929

Dedication of: Pershing Avenue
Dedicated by: John J. Pershing [1860-1948]
*Ulmus americana* 'Valley Forge', Valley Forge American elm
Date: December 22, 1929

Dedicated to and by: Sir Josiah Charles Stamp, G.B.E., D.S. [1880-1941]
*Zelkova serrata* 'Green Vase', Green Vase® Japanese zelkova
Date: June 7, 1930

Dedicated to and by: Lady (Olive) Stamp [1878-1941]
*Zelkova serrata* 'Green Vase' Green Vase® Japanese zelkova
Date: June 7, 1930

Dedicated to and by: Daniel Willard [1861-1942]
*Quercus palustris*, pin oak
Date: June 7, 1930

Dedicated to and by: The 37th Division American Expeditionary Forces “Buckeye Division”
*Gleditsia triacanthos f. inermis* 'Draves', Street Keeper® thornless honey locust
Date: August 30, 1930

Dedicated to: The Army of Cumberland
Dedicated by: Major General John L. Clem [1851-1937]
*Nyssa sylvatica*, black tupelo (syn. blackgum, sourgum)
Date: September 19, 1930

Dedicated to and by: Honorable Charles Curtis [1860-1936]
*Acer saccharum*, sugar maple
Date: October 8, 1930

Dedicated to: William Mears Dawes [1771-1855] & Abigail Holden Dawes [1780-1856]
Dedicated by: Honorable W. Evin Huffman
*Crataegus crus-galli*, f. *inermis*, thornless cockspur hawthorn
Date: October 19, 1930

Dedicated to and by: Ralph T. O’Neil [1888-1940]
*Tilia* ‘Redmond’, Redmond linden
Date: November 23, 1930

Dedicated to: The United Spanish War Veterans
Dedicated by: Edward S. Matthias [1873-1953]
*Tsuga canadensis*, Canadian hemlock (syn. eastern hemlock)
Date: May 24, 1931
Dedicated to: The Grand Army of the Republic
Dedicated by: James E. Jewel [1847-1939]
Fagus sylvatica ‘Purpurea Tricolor’, tricolor purple European beech (syn. rosepink European beech)
Date: June 15, 1931

Dedicated to and by: Gene Tunney [1898-1978]
Quercus rubra, northern red oak
Date: June 24, 1931

Dedicated to: The Military Intelligence Division, American Expeditionary Forces, France
Dedicated by: Major General Dennis E. Nolan [1872-1953]
Ginkgo biloba ‘The President’, Presidential Gold® ginkgo
Date: November 17, 1931

Dedicated to: George Washington [1732-1799]
Dedicated by: Honorable George White [1872-1953]
Juglans nigra, black walnut
Date: February 22, 1932

Dedicated to and by: Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd [1888-1957]
Abies concolor, white fir
Date: March 29, 1932

Dedicated to and by: Students of The Licking Township Schools
Malus ‘Eleyi’, Eley crab apple
Date: May 26, 1932

Dedicated to and by: Senator Joseph T. Robinson [1872-1937]
Quercus alba, white oak
Date: October 28, 1932

Dedicated to and by: Wiley Post [1899-1935]
Thuja occidentalis, American arborvitae
Date: September 9, 1933

Dedicated to: Research and Education in Forestry
Dedicated by: Edmund Secrest
Ten Acres
Date: October 27, 1933

Dedicated to: The United Confederate Veterans
Dedicated by: General C.A. Desaussure
Cladrastis kentukea, American yellowwood
Date: October 13, 1934

Dedicated to: A Century of Progress International Exposition
Dedicated by: Rufus C. Dawes [1867-1940]
Pinus strobus ‘Fastigiata’, columnar eastern white pine
Date: November 4, 1934

Dedicated to and by: Honorable Owen D. Young [1874-1962]
Carya ovata, shagbark hickory
Date: June 2, 1935

Dedicated to: The Second Division, Regular, American Expeditionary Forces Verdun; Belleau Wood; Vaux; Chateau Thierry; Soissons; St. Mihiel; Blanc Mont; Meuse-Argonne; The Rhine
Dedicated by: Major General Logan Feland [1869-1936]
Platanus x acerifolia ‘Bloodgood’ (syn. P. x hybrida ‘Bloodgood’), Bloodgood London planetree
Date: June 11, 1935

Bertie B. Dawes • June 5, 1929
Dedicated to: The 96th Aero Squadron  
Dedicated by: Major D.H. Young [1894-1978]  
*Acer saccharum* 'Commemoration', Commemoration sugar maple  
Date: June 21, 1935

Dedicated to and by: Robert Tyre Jones, Jr. [1902-1971]  
*Ostrya virginiana*, American hop-hornbeam  
Dedication, September 9, 1935

Dedicated to: Orville Wright [1871-1948] & Wilbur Wright [1867-1912]  
Dedicated by: Orville Wright  
*Quercus alba*, white oak  
Date: October 16, 1935 (Re-dedicated by Amanda Wright Lane on December 1, 2017)

Dedicated to: Delta Upsilon Fraternity  
Dedicated by: Honorable Arthur M. Hyde [1877-1947]  
*Pinus mugo*, mugo pine (syn. Swiss mountain pine)  
Date: September 5, 1936

Dedicated to and by: Honorable James W. Wadsworth [1877-1952]  
*Quercus coccinea*, scarlet oak  
Date: June 15, 1937

Dedicated to: The Enlisted Men of the United States Army  
Dedicated by: Captain Samuel Woodfill [1883-1951]  
*Ulmus* 'Urban', Urban elm  
Date: August 14, 1937

Dedicated to and by: Admiral Hugh Rodman [1859-1940]  
*Magnolia acuminata*, cucumber-tree magnolia  
Date: May 12, 1938

Dedicated to: Our Comrades of all the Armed Forces of the United States of American who paid the supreme sacrifice under the stars and stripes on foreign soil or hostile waters in defense of and protection of our country.  
Dedicated by: Scott P. Squyres  
*Quercus alba*, white oak  
Date: August 21, 1938

Dedicated to and by: Robert H. Montgomery [1872-1953]  
*Zelkova serrata* [Green Vase], Green Vase® Japanese zelkova  
Date: September 30, 1938

Dedicated to: The Great American Game of Football  
*Abies concolor*, white fir  
Date: November 18, 1938

Dedicated to: The French American Friendship  
Dedicated by: His Excellency, Count René de Saint-Quentin [1883-1961]  
*Fagus sylvatica f. purpurea*, purple European beech  
Date: May 19, 1939

Dedicated to: The State of Ohio  
Dedicated by: Honorable John W. Bricker [1893-1986]  
*Aesculus glabra*, Ohio buckeye [known as the “Buckeye 17”]  
Date: June 13, 1939
Dedicated to and by: Fritz Kreisler [1875-1962]

Pinus nigra, Austrian pine
Date: October 11, 1939

Dedicated to: The Cavalry of the United States Army
Dedicated by: Major General Daniel Van Voorhis [1878-1956]
Ulmus carpinifolia ‘Christine Buisman’, Christine Buisman
smoothleaf elm
Date: November 13, 1939

Dedicated to: The 63rd Infantry Brigade, 32nd Division, American Expeditionary Forces
Platanus x acerifolia ‘Bloodgood’ (syn. P. x hybrida ‘Bloodgood’),
Bloodgood London planetree
Date: November 15, 1939

Dedicated to and by: Osa Johnson [1894-1953]
Liquidambar styraciflua, sweetgum
Date: November 1, 1940

Dedicated to: A Symbol of Faith in Ideals
Dedicated by: Lincoln Ellsworth [1880-1951]
Pinus ponderosa, ponderosa pine
Date: November 11, 1940

Tilia americana, American linden (syn. basswood)
Date: June 25, 1944

Dedicated to and by: Viscount Aloys van de Vyvere [1871-1961]
Quercus palustris, pin oak
Date: October 6, 1944

Dedicated to: The achievements of the men living and dead of the
36th Infantry Division & World War II
Dedicated by: Major General Fred L. Walker [1887-1969]
Magnolia acuminata, cucumber-tree magnolia
Date: July 28, 1945

Dedicated to: The officers and men of the United States Navy, the Marine Corps and the Coast Guard who served their country in
World War II
Dedicated by: Fleet Admiral Ernest J. King [1878-1956]
Plantanus x acerifolia ‘Bloodgood’ (syn. P. x hybrida ‘Bloodgood’), Bloodgood London planetree
Date: October 4, 1946

Dedicated to: The memory of the officers and men of the U.S. Army, U.S. Navy, U.S. Marine Corps, U.S. Coast Guard, and Allied Forces
Dedicated by: W.F. Halsey [1882-1959]
Liriodendron tulipifera, tulip-tree (syn. yellow-poplar)
Date: June 25, 1947

Dedicated to: The Early Birds
Dedicated by: Brigadier General Frank P. Lahm [1877-1963]
Quercus prinus (syn. Q. montana), chestnut oak (syn. basket oak)
Date: September 11, 1948

Dedicated to: The members of the Office of Strategic Services World War II
Dedicated by: Major General William J. Donovan [1883-1959]
Acer saccharinum ‘Silver Queen’, Silver Queen silver maple
Date: March 2, 1949
Dedicated to and by: Charles F. Kettering [1876-1958]
Zelkova serrata [Green Vase], Green Vase® Japanese zelkova
Date: June 1, 1949

Dedicated to: The Memory of Ten Progenitors of American Forestry
Dedicated by: Carl Alwin Schenck, PhD [1868-1955]
Quercus macrocarpa, bur oak (syn. mossycup oak)
Date: September 26, 1951

Dedicated to: The officers and men of the United States Navy and Coast Guard
Dedicated by: Admiral Alan G. Kirk [1888-1963]
Quercus lyrata, overcup oak
Date: June 7, 1953

Dedicated to: The Civic Leaders of Ohio
Dedicated by: Governor Frank J. Lausche [1895-1990]
Gymnocladus dioicus, Kentucky coffee-tree
Date: September 15, 1953

Dedicated to and by: Honorable C. William O’Neill [1916-1978]
Gleditsia triacanthos f. inermis ‘Suncole’, Sunburst® thornless honey locust
Date: September 8, 1958

Dedicated to: Martha Kinney Cooper [1874-1964] & Martha Kinney Cooper Ohioana Library
Dedicated by: Mrs. M. Y. Newcomb
Aesculus pavia, red buckeye
Date: May 18, 1963

Dedication of: The Japanese Garden
Dedicated to: The continued friendship of the two great countries, Japan and the United States
Dedicated by: His Excellency, Ryuji Takeuchi
Date: May 31, 1965 (Re-dedicated May 18, 1992)

Dedicated to: The Ohio Academy of Science
Dedicated by: Howard L. Bevis, S.J.D.
Quercus bicolor, swamp white oak
Date: April 23, 1966

Dedication of: The Beman Gates Dawes, Jr. Administration Building
Dedicated by: Beman Gates Dawes, Jr. [1895-1968]
Fagus sylvatica ‘Purpurea Tricolor’, tricolor purple European beech (syn. rosepink European Beech)
Date: June 11, 1966

Dedicated to and by: Colonel John H. Glenn, Jr. [1921-2016]
Liquidambar styraciflua, sweetgum
Date: May 29, 1968

Dedicated to and by: Ohio Congressional Medal of Honor Recipients
Platanus x acerifolia ‘Bloodgood’ (syn. P. x hybrida ‘Bloodgood’), Bloodgood London planetree
Date: August 24, 1968

Dedicated to: The 100th Birthday of Beman Gates Dawes [1870-1953]
Dedicated by: Kingsley A. Taft [1903-1970]
Quercus alba, white oak
Date: January 14, 1970
Dedicated to: The Profession of Horticulture
Dedicated by: Dr. Lewis C. Chadwick
Fagus sylvatica 'Asplenifolia', fernleaf European beech
Date: May 13, 1972

Dedicated to and by: C. Burr Dawes [1902-1996]
Quercus macrocarpa, bur oak (syn. mossycup oak)
Date: October 21, 1972

Dedicated to and by: Jesse Owens [1913-1980]
Zelkova serrata [Green Vase], Green Vase® Japanese zelkova
Date: February 27, 1973

Dedicated to: The bicentennial of the ride from Boston to Lexington of William Dawes [1745-1799] April 18-19, 1775
Dedicated by: William Lancelot Dawes [1903-1985]
Quercus bicolor, swamp white oak
Date: April 26, 1975

Dedicated to: 3rd Military Railway Service,
Dedicated by: Major General Paul F. Yount and General Frank S. Besson, Jr.
Quercus gambelii × Q. macrocarpa, hybrid oak
Date: May 24, 1975

Dedicated to and by: Henry Dawes [1906-1986]
Quercus rubra, red oak
Date: May 8, 1976

Dedicated to: The Babe Ruth Baseball League
Dedicated by: Don Edwards and the Newark Babe Ruth Team
Fraxinus quadrangulata, blue ash
Date: August 15, 1977

Dedicated to and by: Dr. Edward S. Thomas [1891-1982]
Franklinia alatamaha, franklinia (syn. Franklin-tree)
Date: April 1, 1979

Dedicated to: The Fiftieth Anniversary of the founding of The Dawes Arboretum
Dedicated by: The Trustees of The Dawes Arboretum
Quercus rubra, northern red oak
Date: June 16, 1979

Dedicated to and by: William B. Saxbe [1916-2010]
Acer saccharum, sugar maple
Date: November 6, 1979

Dedicated to and by: R. Buckminster Fuller [1895-1983]
Juglans nigra, black walnut
Date: February 26, 1980

Dedicated to: The Benefit of All Beings
Dedicated by: His Holiness The XVIIth Gyalwa Karmapa Rangiuig Rigpe Dorje [1924-1981]
Ginkgo biloba, ginkgo
Date: October 29, 1980

Dedicated to: The Brumback One-room School
Dedicated by: Members of the Former Brumback One-Room School Community
Quercus rubra, northern red oak
Date: May 17, 1981
Dedicated to: Johnny Appleseed [John Chapman 1774-1845]
Dedicated by: Trustees of the Johnny Appleseed Foundation and Chapman Family members
Malus, apple [undetermined variety] (tissue cultured from apple tree in Granville, Ohio)
Date: September 26, 1982

Dedicated to and by: Vietnam Veterans
Acer rubrum [Autumn Flame], Autumn Flame® red maple
Date: November 11, 1982

Dedicated to: Dorothy Rowe [1893-1962] & Stanley M. Rowe, Sr. [1890-1987]
Dedicated by: Stanley M. Rowe
Metasequoia glyptostroboides, dawn-redwood
Date: April 29, 1983

Dedicated to: All animals on the verge of extinction
Dedicated by: Jack Hanna [1947- ]
Franklinia alatamaha, franklinia (syn. Franklin-tree)
Date: October 15, 1989

Dedicated to and by: Volunteers of The Dawes Arboretum
Thuja occidentalis ‘Woodwardii’, Woodward American arborvitae
Date: October 14, 1990

Dedicated to and by: Korean War Veterans
Quercus macrocarpa, bur oak (syn. mossycup oak)
Date: July 4, 1991

Dedicated to and by: Persian Gulf War Veterans
Aesculus x carnea, red horse-chestnut
Date: July 4, 1991

Dedicated to: All people who touch trees
Dedicated by: Dr. Alex L. Shigo [1930-2006]
Acer rubrum, red maple
Date: June 16, 1992

Dedicated to: The Soldiers of the War of 1812
Dedicated by: Daughters of the War of 1812, Lucas Sullivant Chapter
Celtis occidentalis ‘Prairie Pride’, Prairie Pride common hackberry
Date: October 19, 1992

Dedicated to and by: American Defenders of Bataan and Corregidor
Acer rubrum ‘Bowhall’, Bowhall red maple
Date: July 4, 1994

Dedicated to and by: Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A.
Acer x freemanii ‘Celzam’, Celebration® Freeman maple
Date: July 7, 1996

Dedicated to and by: Tree City USA Communities of Ohio
Fraxinus pennsylvanica ‘Summit’, Summit green ash
Date: April 24, 1997

Dedicated to and by: Navy Dive Bombing Squadron 85 (VB-85)
Ginkgo biloba, ginkgo
Date: October 13, 1997
Dedicated to: The 75th Anniversary of the founding of The Dawes Arboretum on June 1, 1929
Dedicated by: Descendants of Arboretum co-founders Beman G. and Bertie B. Dawes and the Trustees of The Dawes Arboretum
Pinus strobus, eastern white pine
Date: May 22, 2004

Dedicated to and by: Governor Bob Taft [1942- ]
Quercus phellos, willow oak
Date: June 19, 2004

Dedicated to and by: Ed Hasselkus
Cercidiphyllum japonicum, katsura-tree
Date: August 7, 2004

Dedicated to and by: Harrison Flint
Cercidiphyllum japonicum, katsura-tree
Date: August 7, 2004

Dedicated to and by: Steven Still
Cercidiphyllum japonicum, katsura-tree
Date: April 9, 2005

Dedicated to and by: Governor Ted Strickland
Malus ionensis, Prairie Crab Apple tree
Date: December 8, 2010

Dedicated to and by: Allan M. Armitage
Magnolia grandiflora, southern magnolia
Date: September 14, 2012

Dedicated to and by: Rosalind Creasy
Amelanchier × grandiflora, apple serviceberry
Date: September 13, 2013

Dedicated to and by: Julie Zickefoose
Nyssa sylvatica, black tupelo
Date: October 11, 2014

Dedicated to and by: William G. Batchelder
Quercus alba, white oak
Date: September 19, 2015

Dedicated to and by: Clifford A. Rosenberger
Quercus alba, white oak
Date: August 29, 2016

Dedicated to and by: Archie Griffin
Aesculus glabra, Ohio buckeye
Date: June 2, 2017

Dedicated to: Everett D. and J. Gilbert Reese
Quercus macrocarpa, bur oak
Date: August 13, 2018

Dedicated to and by: Jack Nicklaus
Quercus rubra, northern red oak
Date: May 26, 2019