



Sapling Planting with Trees Atlanta Project Details

**TREES
ATLANTA**

Date:	Saturday, March 20, 2021
Event:	Sapling planting in partnership with Trees Atlanta in area of Ponce de Leon Avenue and East Lake Rd.
Where to Meet:	Episcopal Church of the Epiphany, 2089 Ponce de Leon Avenue NE, Atlanta GA 30307 (church phone: 404-373-8338)
Directions:	See map on next page.
Notice:	<p>As SGH is committed to protecting the health and safety of our volunteers at all events, we will be following CDC guidelines regarding the coronavirus pandemic.</p> <p>>If you have, or recently have had, a fever or any other symptoms of COVID-19, please do not sign-up and do seek appropriate medical help.</p> <p>>All volunteers are required to wear face coverings.</p> <p>>We will maintain a 6-foot social distancing except for family units.</p> <p>>Group size will be limited to 10 SGH volunteers plus the project leader so please sign up early.</p>
Schedule:	<p>9:00 a.m. – SGH volunteers arrive and report to Donna Shearer. You'll be organized into small teams for planting 20 hemlock saplings receive planting instructions, and have a planting demo. Other volunteers will be working in separate teams to plant other kinds of trees and shrubs.</p> <p>9:30 a.m. – Hemlock Helpers will receive your equipment and supplies, be directed to your planting site, and begin planting trees.</p> <p>Noon – All teams will come together for a group picnic. After lunch we'll resume planting if not already finished.</p> <p>By 3:30 p.m. (or sooner if finished) – We'll stop work, clean up, and then head for home, or feel free to explore this beautiful part of Atlanta.</p>
Terrain:	The terrain at the project site is relatively flat to moderately rolling. We'll make sure everyone is assigned to a work site where you can be safe and comfortable.
What to Wear:	Dress for the weather and the activity, including long pants and long sleeves, sturdy footwear with socks, work gloves, and rain gear in case of light rain.
What to Bring:	<p>Pack a sack lunch, personal water bottle and a camera if you like. Also bring work gloves and a pointed shovel and/or mattock if you have them. Be sure your tools are marked with your name of initials.</p> <p>We'll provide some snacks and extra bottled water. If you have any serious allergies (like bee stings), bring whatever you need to manage.</p>
Don't Bring	This is an environmentally friendly, pack-it-in pack-it-out event, so please don't bring any glass or styrofoam items. Also, as much as we love dogs, please don't bring them this time.
Registration:	Participants must sign up in advance by contacting Donna at 706-429-8010 or donna@savegeorgiashemlocks.org . If you have questions or a change of plans, please call or email before the project start time..



