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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Sunday, June 9, 2024 10 AM - 5 PM

The Old Orchard Neighborhoods Association is excited to welcome the return of the neighborhood Garden Tour to be held on Sunday, June 9, 2024 from 10 AM - 5 PM. The tour will feature seven unique gardens exhibiting different design styles, plant selections, and beautiful outdoor spaces.

As one of the city's unique and historic neighborhoods, Old Orchard continues to be a haven for trees and gardens since its transformation from apple and pear orchards in the 1920s. The neighborhood features many unique homes and an abundance of large, old-growth trees creating a beautiful tree canopy. "We look forward to sharing a unique selection of beautiful garden spaces. Visitors will be amazed by the hidden gems behind Old Orchard homes," said Brent Lohmann, committee organizer. "We have experienced a significant increase in the number of attendees, confirming the growing interest in gardening. Nearly 700 people attended last year's tour," he added.

Event tickets are \$10 per person and can be purchased starting May 1 at oldorchardgardens.org. Tickets may also be purchased the day of the tour at SIP Coffee (3160 Markway Road) and at the ticket tent located at Darlington and Barrington. Proceeds from the tour will fund beautification initiatives of the Old Orchard Neighborhoods Association. This is a self-guided event, with each garden host available to answer questions. The event is held rain or shine.

The Old Orchard Neighborhoods Association (OONA) is comprised of people who live in, and love, the Old Orchard and Indian Hills neighborhoods. The organization promotes a safe and vibrant community by engaging with residents, the city and entities that impact the area. OONA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.

(Event logo and garden photos may be downloaded online.)

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