

To DG Mike Kerek
From: PDG Eileen Brenner
Cabinet Meeting
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Re: Sensory Garden

The garden is resting right now but Spring is around the corner. In a couple of months, will be meeting with the master gardener, staff from The Ohio State School for the Blind and hopefully some Lions interested in keeping the garden alive and well.

An update on pavers, there are now 9 pavers left to be engraved in honor or in memory of a Lion. The cost of this legacy is only \$350.

Please contact me if you would like to purchase a paver or a row of bricks. I will make arrangements to get the engraving done. Payments, however, should be sent to Lion Jeff Brantner, The Ohio Lions Foundation, 1720 Zollinger Rd, Columbus, OH 43221

Other donations to cover cost of weed control products, new plants and animal control (lot of deer) can also be sent to Lion Jeff.

Once Spring arrives, we will need volunteers to help plant, pull weeds and other maintenance that needs to be done. Due to security of the school, please contact me to make arrangements for your visitation.

I know some of you are not familiar with the Sensory Garden located at the Ohio State School for the Blind in Columbus. Many Lions were involved in moving plants, pavers and bricks from Amereraflora to the Ohio State School for the Blind. The site was chosen to give blind students a garden to enjoy where they could use their senses of hearing, smell and touch.

This site is now located between the original building and the new building. (A permanent location).

If you would like more information about the Garden and its history, please contact me at 614-395-8591 or eileenb2010@yahoo.com.

