



1st Annual Benjamin Franklin Community Garden Fundraiser

Saturday, March 6, 2010
6:00-8:00

Cleats Club Seat Grille
3995 Jennings Road
Cleveland, OH

Tickets- \$20.00 includes wings, pizza, past, beer and well drinks

50/50 raffle, side board, raffle
For tickets call Jeff @ (216) 351-5092

**Putting
the
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A mini-symposium

March 9, 2010



**In
Urban
Watershed
Stewardship**

6:00 - 8:40 PM

6:00 to 6:30 PM	Registration, Refreshments & Networking
6:30 to 8:30 PM	Welcome, Presentations & Breakout Sessions
8:30 to 8:40 PM	Closing Remarks & Evaluation

Presenters:

The Use of Native Plants in Public and Private Landscapes — Joe Mestnik, Partner, Firefly Architecture
Joe's presentation will include an overview of the Reimagining Cleveland Grant Program, designed to create sustainable land reuses of vacant city-owned land bank lots, including the grant recently awarded to Brooklyn Centre Naturalists.

Big or Small: Backyard Habitats Are Everywhere — Terry Duncan, National Wildlife Federation Habitat Steward
A certified wildlife habitat can be found in an area as small as a patio, in urban as well as suburban settings. All you need is the right combination of food, shelter, water, and a place for wildlife to raise their young. Terry will share NWF ideas on how to build it so some of your favorite wild friends will visit.

Trickle Down Methods of Storm Water Management — John Rakauskas, Rakauskas Architecture
John will look at some permeable practices to keep stormwater on your property — measures that might earn a reduction in your user fee in the Stormwater Management Program recently introduced by the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District.

Big Or Small: How to Make a Rain Garden — Lisa Warner, Naturalist, City of Fairlawn
Lisa is passionate about community education and enthusiastic about rain gardens. Her presentation will cover the basics of how to create a rain garden in a residential setting.

Free and open to the public. Seating is limited.
To REGISTER or for more information:
- email bcnaturalists@gmail.com
- phone Gloria Ferris 216-351-0254

Reinberger Education Center
Cleveland Metroparks Zoo
3900 Wildlife Way, Cleveland 44109
(Next to the Zoo's Main Entrance)



2010 Neighborhood Safety Summit

**In Cooperation with Cleveland Police
Saturday, April 3, 2010
Brooklyn Heights U.C.C.
2005 W. Schaff Rd.**

9:00 a.m Registration/Breakfast

10:00 a.m.-12:30 Workshops- (choose 2)

***Police Procedures *Fire Arson *Narcotics *Juvenile Court System**

Gun Drop Off- No restrictions, No questions, leave your unwanted firearms

Information for the whole family! Reserve your seat today!

Call Barb at (216) 459-1000

Free Event

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