



From Spring through Fall there will always be something to catch your eye and brighten your day.

Our gardens feature old favorite perennials such as peonies, yarrow, phlox and beebalm. We have daylilies, roses and hosta. You will see annuals such as impatiens, begonias, petunias, salvia, vinca and our crowd pleasing lisianthus.



We'd love to have your help caring for our Wauwatosa treasure.

If you have questions or comments about the gardens, if you would like to be a volunteer, or if you would like to make a donation to support the gardens, please use the attached form.



Stroll through our gardens, but please, leave your pets at home.

Wauwatosa Historical Society  
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Kneeland-Walker House  
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[www.wauwatosahistoricalsociety.org](http://www.wauwatosahistoricalsociety.org)

Office Hours  
Monday through Thursday  
9:00 am to 3:00 pm

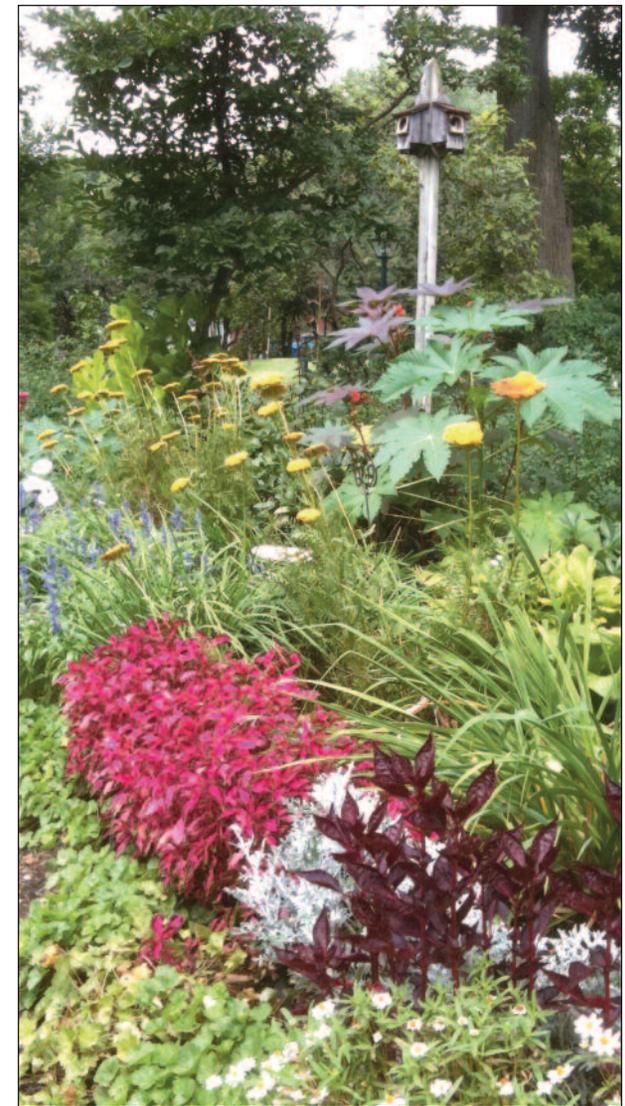


The public is welcome to stroll through the gardens whenever a private event is not in session.

For more information on rentals, events or picture taking sessions, call 414-774-8672.



The Kneeland-Walker Gardens are a project garden of UW Extension and South East Wisconsin Master Gardeners.



**THE GARDENS  
OF  
THE WAUWATOSA  
HISTORICAL  
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KNEELAND-WALKER  
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## THE KNEELAND WALKER HOUSE

The Wauwatosa Historical Society's headquarters are in the historic Kneeland-Walker House is located at 7406 Hillcrest Drive, near the heart of the old Village of Wauwatosa.

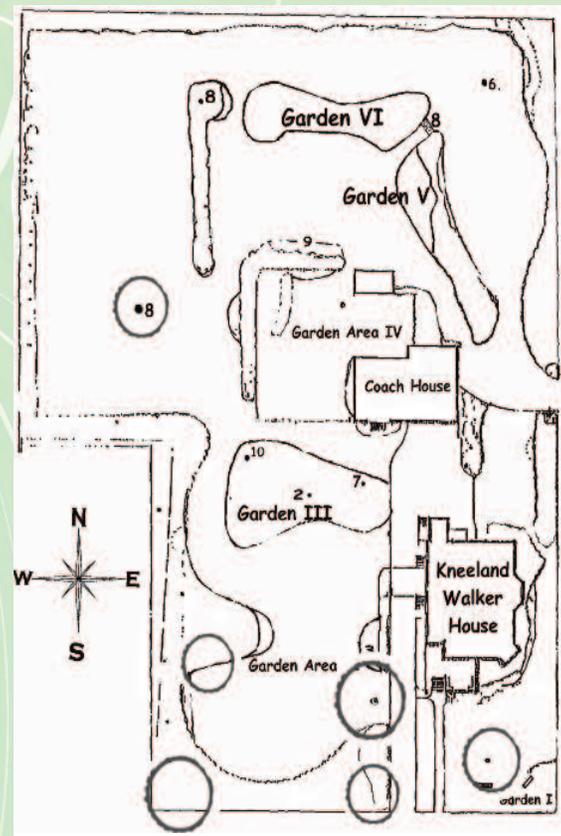


The home, a gracious blend of late Queen Anne and Shingle Style, was built by Norman and Carrie Kneeland in 1890. In 1917 it was purchased by the Emery Walker family. The non-profit Wauwatosa Historical Society purchased the home from the Walker estate in 1987, and began refurbishing the house in the fashion of 1900.

The 1 ½ acre grounds are tended completely by volunteers, including some SE WI Master Gardeners. The garden chairmen are WHS and SEWMG members, Carolyn Dressler and Ken Loeffel.

The Wauwatosa Historical Society has not attempted to replicate a 1900 garden, but rather has maintained the intent and flavor of a Midwestern Victorian garden. The use of a variety of textures and large masses of color obtained through mass plantings of annuals, that augment the perennials, produces the profusion so popular at the turn of the 20th century.

We always need help and it is satisfying work in beautiful surroundings. You can make arrangements to work alone, with others, or at your convenience.



## MASTER GARDENERS

Master Gardener volunteers from Southeast Wisconsin and community volunteers care for these gardens. If you would like to help please contact us.



The Kneeland-Walker Gardens are maintained wholly by volunteers, and supported through the dues and gifts of Wauwatosa Historical Society members and friends. These efforts are greatly appreciated. The gardens could not exist without their support.

Please consider contributing to this effort:

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip + 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to volunteer in the gardens.

I would like to donate to the gardens.  
Total amt. enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Ck. #: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like information about joining the Wauwatosa Historical Society.

I would like information on becoming a Master Gardener Volunteer.

Mail this completed form to:

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