

Woodland Garden

Ted Ensley Garden

Located inside the Ted Ensley Gardens just North of the Garden House.

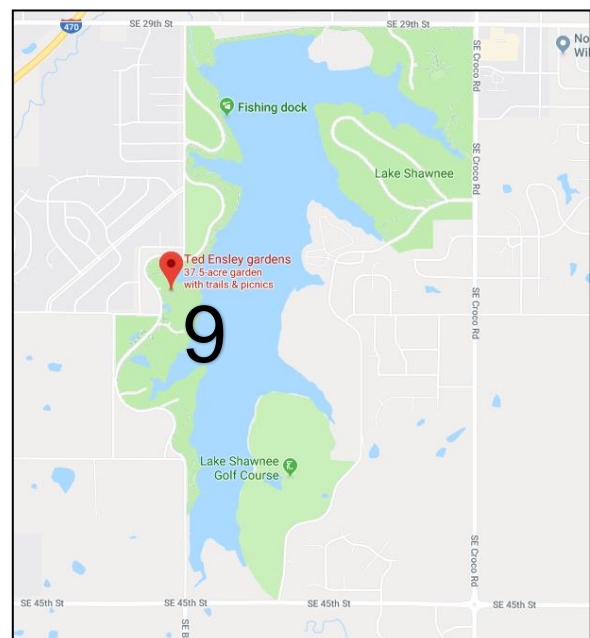
Garden Overview

As you enjoy the beautiful Ted Ensley Gardens don't miss stopping by the Woodland Garden. Tucked between the dry river bed and lake, the Woodland Garden is a shady oasis on a hot day. There you will encounter numerous shade and woodland plants growing under the treed canopy. A serene landscape with ferns, hostas and hydrangeas line the walking path to a shaded stone bench. As you sit, the colorful foliage of Painters Palette draws the eye to the north.

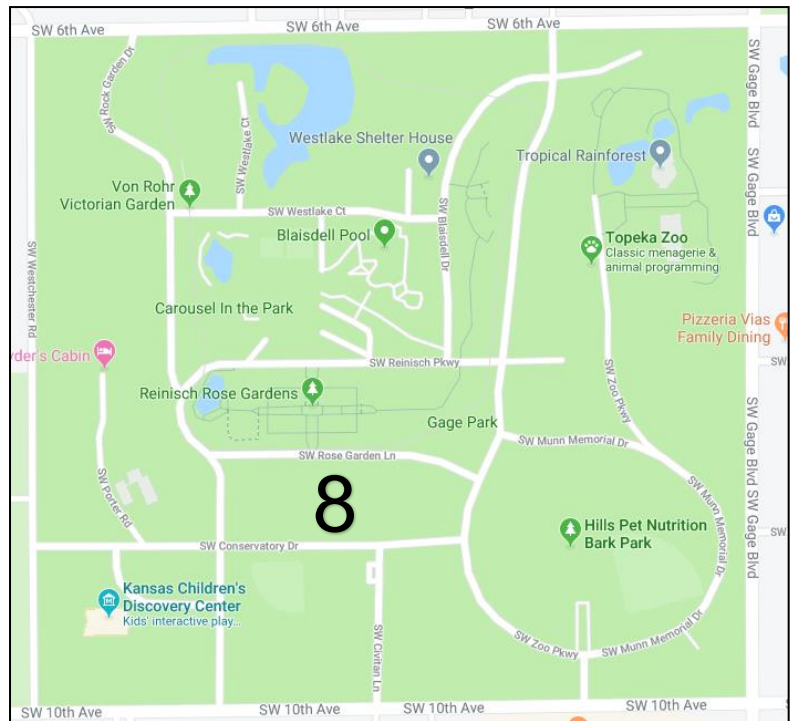
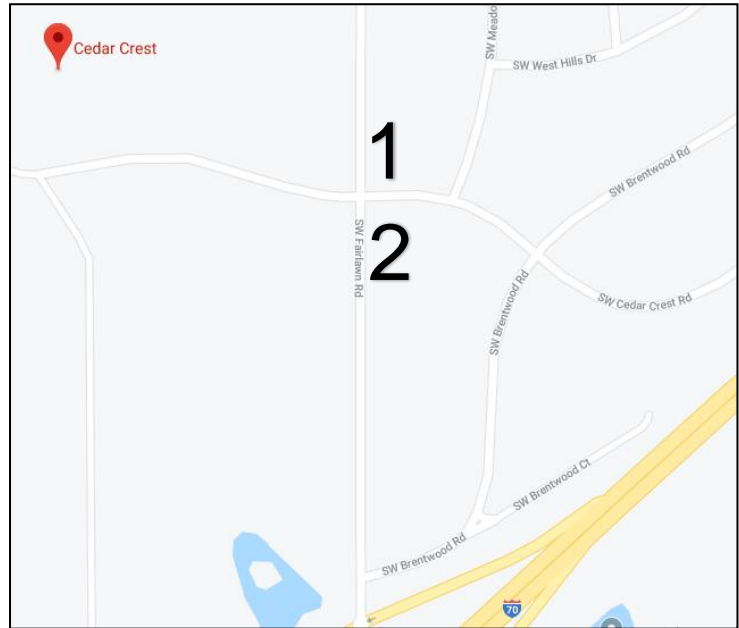
Do not miss the spectacular display of the wahoo tree in the fall as you continue to the seated arbor overlooking Lake Shawnee. From this vantage point, you can view our secret garden - a sunny spot where we have tucked away our latest Monarch Waystation. The Woodland Garden was established in 2003 by the Shawnee County Extension Master Gardeners. These volunteers plan, plant and maintain the garden for the enjoyment and education of the public. The Woodland Garden is located on the west of Lake Shawnee, just north of the Garden House.

Feature Plants

- **All Gold Japanese Forest Grass** (*Hakonechloa macra* 'All Gold') A small grass with bright yellow foliage and a great shape.
- **Candy Apples Coral Bells** (*Heuchera x hybrid*) High impact colors and extremely heat tolerant.
- **Painter's Palette** (*Persicaria virginiana*) Leaves are variegated with cream and green, with an unusual V-shaped chocolate-brown marking. Very aggressive growth.



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