

LEAF TRAIL SCAVENGER HUNT *Level 1 (easier) **Level 2 (harder)

15. AMUR MAPLE

* Can the Amur have multiple trunks?

** The Amur Maple is a popular choice for an ancient horticultural art form. What is that art form called?

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**Yes, the Amur Maple can have single or multiple trunks
**Bonsai



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Each tree on the **Leaf Trail** is marked with an informative sign that highlights facts about the tree and it's historical or cultural significance.

The **Leaf Trail Scavenger Hunt** focuses on six of these trees. Find and read about them to answer questions in this brochure.

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| 1. Little Leaf Linden* | <i>Tilia cordata</i> | 10. Japanese Flowering Cherry | <i>Prunus serrulata</i> |
| 2. Weeping Katsura | <i>Cercidiphyllum japonicum 'Pendula'</i> | 11. Japanese Tree Lilac | <i>Syringa reticulata</i> |
| 3. Korean Evodia* | <i>Evodia daniellii</i> | 12. Elderberry* | <i>Sambucus nigra</i> |
| 4. Maidenhair Tree* | <i>Ginkgo bilbo</i> | 13. Red Buckeye | <i>Aesculus pavia</i> |
| 5. Cucumber Magnolia | <i>Magnolia acuminata</i> | 14. Tri-color Beech | <i>Fagus sylvatica 'Rosemarginata'</i> |
| 6. Cork Tree | <i>Phellodendron amurense</i> | 15. Amur Maple* | <i>Acer ginnala</i> |
| 7. Snowdrift Crabapple | <i>Malus x 'Snowdrift'</i> | 16. Baldcypress* | <i>Taxodium distichum</i> |
| 8. Japanese Zelcova | <i>Zelcova serrata</i> | 17. Horse Chestnut | <i>Aesculus hippocastanum</i> |
| 9. London Plane Tree | <i>Platanus x acerifolia</i> | 18. White Pine | <i>Pinus strobus</i> |

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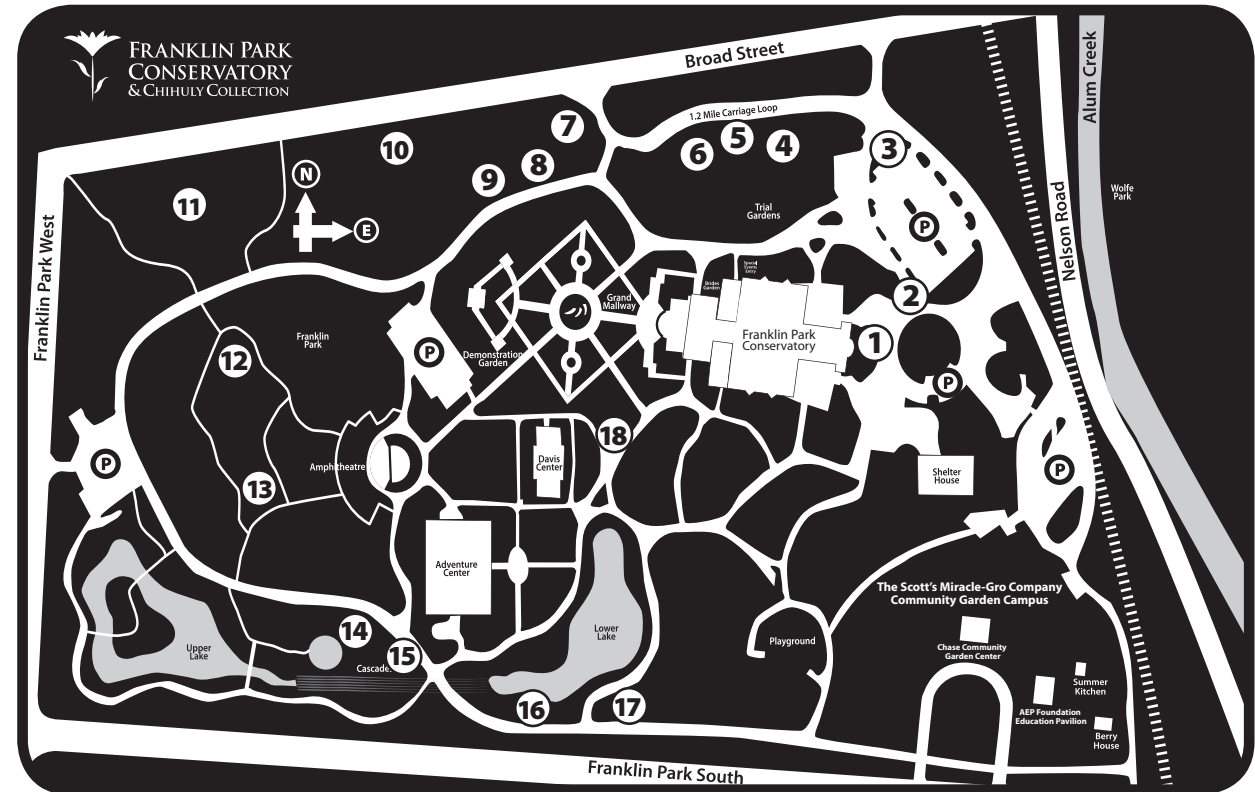
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16. BALDCYPRESS

* What can you build from a Baldcypress tree?

** What makes a Baldcypress tree an excellent source for lumber?

**Boats, bridges and docks
**The wood resists decay



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3. KOREAN EVODIA

* What insect makes this tree seem to hum in the summertime?

** How might other animals use this tree for survival?

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*** Bees
** Birds eat the seeds and make nests in this tree, squirrels, chipmunks, etc.*

1. LITTLE LEAF LINDEN

* What shape does this tree look like?

** Why is the wood from this tree used in basket making?

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*** A pyramid
** The wood is soft and easy to work with*

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4. MAIDENHAIR

* What animals have eaten the leaves of this tree millions of years ago?

** Trees give us many things, including medicines. What illnesses are treated with extracts from the Maidenhair tree?

*** Dinosaurs
** Alzheimer's Disease, circulation problems*

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12. ELDERBERRY

* Is the Elderberry considered a tree or a shrub?

** What types of things can you make with the berries of this tree?

*** A shrub
** Medicine, jams, jellies and wine*