

#### 70 Years Advocating for Jungle Terrace Neighborhood!

1st Quarter 2025

www.Jungle-Terrace.org

#### Meeting Monday, January 20, 2025

Walter Fuller Center-7891 26th Av N ~ 7 pm

JT Elections + Annual Reports

Boyd Hill Nature Center Speaker

**ALERT:** Jungle Lake Event by SOUL, <u>Volunteers needed</u>.

January 4 ~ 9am ~ Meet west end of lake by Dog Park.



"Mighty Miracles Martial Arts Program" Demonstrates to Music



Dr. Ed gifts \$500 from Jungle Terrace.

#### 2025 Nominations for JTCA Officers & Board

President ~ John Hoke

Presidential Assistant + Board ~ Dr. Ed Carlson

Vice President ~ John Sweeny

Secretary ~ Mark Siler

Treasurer ~ Jill Silverstein

Board Member ~ Lauren Sanders

Board Member ~ John Prokop

Board Member ~ Matt Gross

## \$375,000 to PARC by State Rep. Linda Chaney



Dr. Ed back right red, with lightning bolt.

#### **CAREFEST 2024**



Tyler, Dr. Ed, Scott after **CAREFEST Cleanup** of Volunteers Garden and Swim Time Boy areas.



2 overfull Truckloads of brush removed to feature the only Red Cedars in the park. Nicely mowed by David and Lothario. FWI in distance.



Lee Metzger, Retired 2007 Parks and Leisure Services Director Played Pickleball with Dr. Ed, son Matt, grandson Noah.



NEW City Councilman Corey Givens, Jr., District 7

## 3<sup>rd</sup> HARVEST of Floating Wetland Island in Jungle Lake

RESULTS of 2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest Removals

- ~ 1,680 pounds BIOMASS/Vegetation
- ~ 7.06 pounds NITROGEN
- ~ .79 pounds PHOSPHOROUS

Please donate: 2025 Harvesting Contract ~ \$2,585.50





#### **Hurricane Damage Restored by John Hoke**





WEEDOOs in Jungle Lake Clearing Wildly Overgrown Invasive Grass First, Invasive Grass treated to kill the roots. Then removed.



# Jungle Lake Banks Cleared 2 WEEDOOs and 4 Shoreline Crew

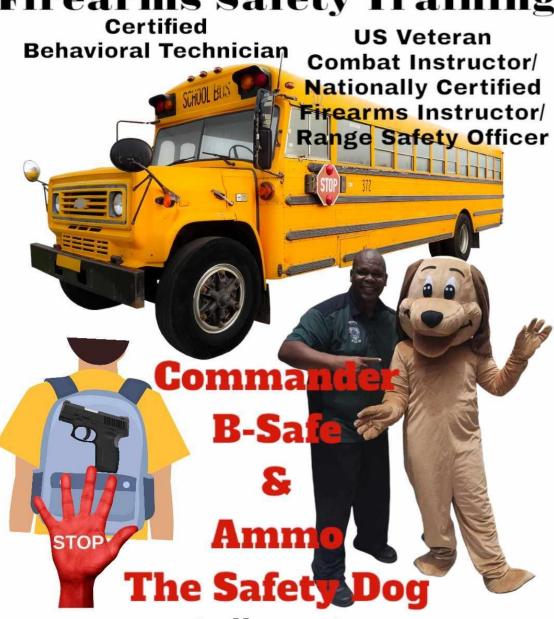




# Educating Kids On Guns



## Getting To The Heart Of The Matter! Schools & Communities Firearms Safety Training



Call us at (727)222-9732 & (727)222-9738

Grandmaster Bryant Harrell & Grandmaster Leotte Harrell along with Master Chris Keane are seasoned martial arts teachers. They are also nationally certified firearms instructors and weapons, range safety coaches.

With the unfortunate crisis of school shootings, violence and accidents in our communities and around the country, the Harrell's use the approach of education, especially in low income and at risk communities. Also getting parents involved with the training and safety.

Here they are with Fists of Faith Firearms Training Mascot Ammo The Safety Dog! Teaching Mighty Miracles on firearms safety situational awareness, active shooter drills and conflict resolution, all as a part of the E. K.G. Educating Kids on Guns Program, with "Ammo" The Safety Dog is created by Bryant and Leotte Harrell.

Grandmaster Bryant Harrell, AKA Commander B-Safe, is also a military vet, and military combat instructor.





## "Will To Live" Demonstrated by Trees!

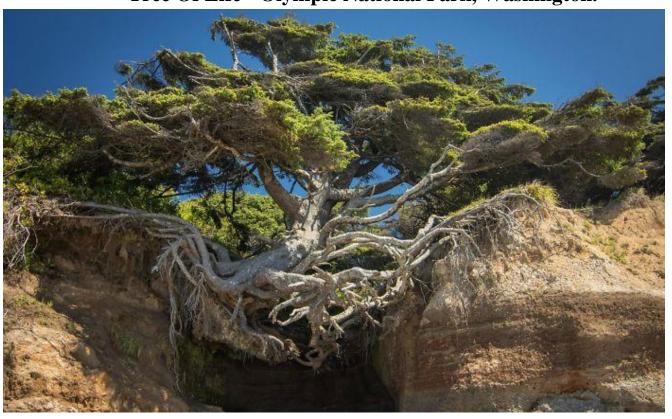
A Place Of Enchantment.



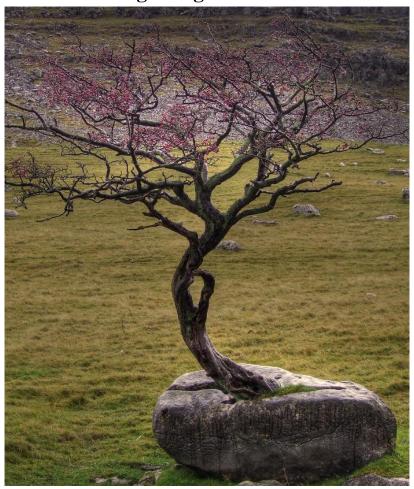
This Tree Fell Over And Cloned Four More Trees!



**Tree Of Life - Olympic National Park, Washington.** 



An amazing tree grows out of a rock!



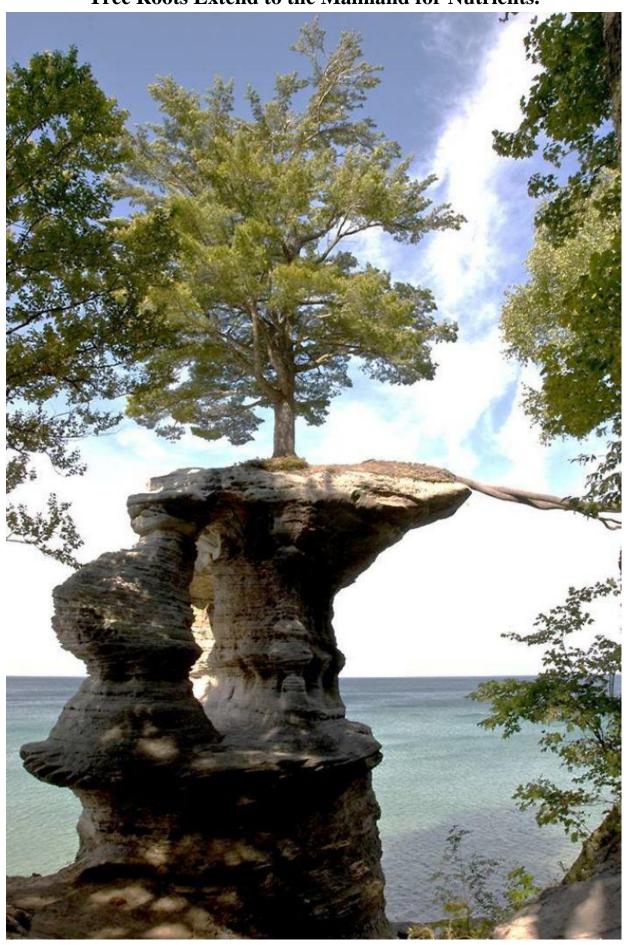
This Tree Refuses To Die.

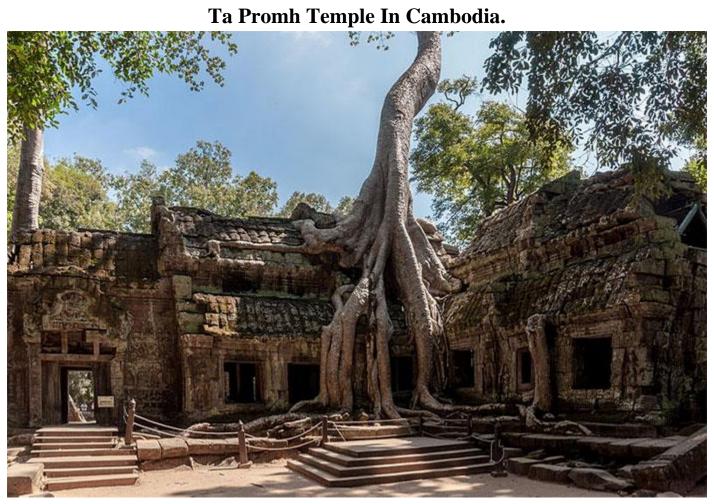


Life Finds a Way!



Tree Roots Extend to the Mainland for Nutrients.





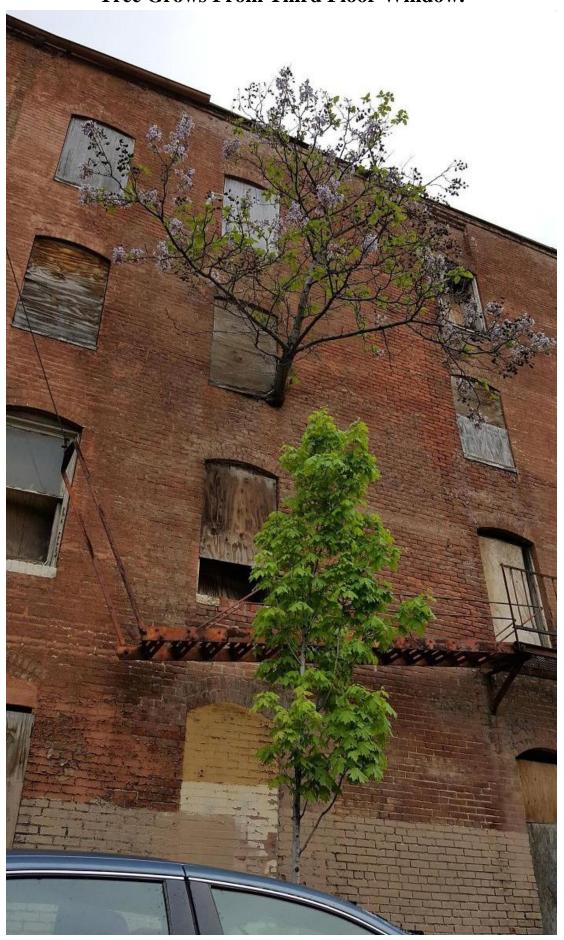
Someone Hung Skates On A Small Tree. It Grew Around Them!



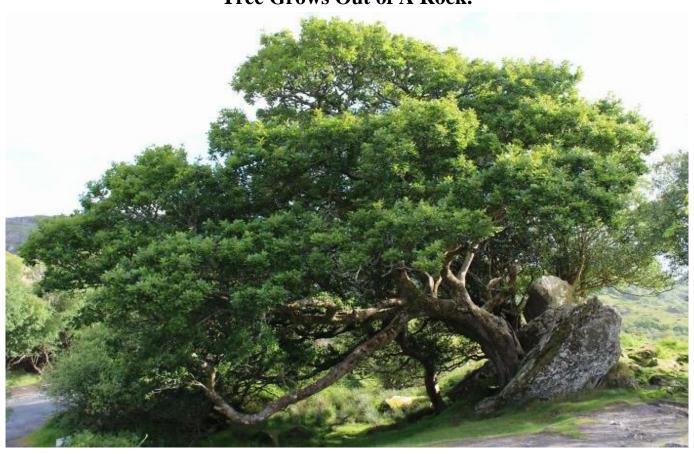
This Tree Grew Out of the Stump of a Dead Tree – Then The Stump Rotted Away.



**Tree Grows From Third Floor Window.** 



Tree Grows Out of A Rock.



A Wooden Chair Sprouts Leaves.



This Tree Refused To Accept Winter.



**Tree Is Eating A Fence.** 



This Tree Grew Through a Fence.



Trees Find A Way.



These are awesome photos. Showing when one is determined to persevere to survive, one can... despite impediments in the way.

Nature telling us what we can accomplish as well ...

when we are determined.

Amazing!



