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Volunteer Updates

Tidy streets and healthy lakes: neighborhood leaf cleanups



Little actions can have big impacts, especially if you get your neighbors on board! Whether the Japanese beetles are defoliating your trees early, or you're just excited for fall, it's not too early to think about neighborhood leaf clean ups.

Keeping the gutters clear of leaves protects downstream lakes and creeks, and makes your street look tidy. We can help you get started planning a neighborhood leaf clean up--contact Gael at gzembal@ninemilecreek.org for more information.

Upcoming Volunteer Events

Buckthorn Bust

Saturday, October 28, 2017: 9 AM - 12 PM

Nine Mile Creek Discovery Point ([12800 Gerard Drive, Eden Prairie](https://www.ninemilecreek.org/whats-happening/upcoming-events/buckthorn-bust/))



No experience needed! Come learn how to remove buckthorn, and help us clear a section of Discovery Point of this unwanted invasive. We will have some hand tools available, but bring yours as well. Safety equipment, morning snacks and lunch provided!

RSVP here:

www.ninemilecreek.org/whats-happening/upcoming-events/buckthorn-bust/

Featured Opportunities

Become a Master Water Steward!

If you've wanted a way to give back to your community, meet some fun people, and help our environment, this program is for you!

Master Water Stewards learn from top industry professionals and become a force for positive change in their communities.

Visit www.masterwaterstewards.org for more information, and to apply.



Attend an upcoming information session for more details.

Thursday, August 24th: 5:30-6:30

Depot Coffee House ([9451 Excelsior Blvd, Hopkins](https://www.ninemilecreek.org/whats-happening/upcoming-events/buckthorn-bust/))

Tuesday, September 19th: 5:30-6:30

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View more dates here: masterwaterstewards.org/info-sessions/

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