

WEGERZYN GARDENS METROPARK • PARK MAP

GARDEN AREA FEATURES

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CHILDREN'S DISCOVERY GARDEN
The Children's Discovery Garden contains habitat areas and whimsically themed gardens for children and their adult companions to explore together. Visitors are encouraged to visit often to see the gardens grow and change. Highlights include a limestone grotto and waterfall, music maze, wetland, pond and sensory garden. Be sure to visit Skeeter's Garden, for a fun experience.
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GARDEN GREEN
This lush expanse of lawn with an allée of Shawnee Brave Bald Cypress trees is bordered by tall Yew (taxus) hedges. Flower beds and planted limestone walls provide seasonal color.
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NORTH & SOUTH PLAZAS
These elevated plazas offer excellent vistas of the garden complex and its stimulating seasonal color.
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ARBOR GARDEN
An assortment of hardy, disease-resistant roses is the backbone of beds with a mixture of annuals, perennials, shrubs and vines, all embraced by a traditional arbor of limestone and timber.
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VICTOR RIES MEMORIAL GARDEN
Located along the woodland edge, this perennial garden is dedicated to the founder of the Ohio Association of Garden Clubs.
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MEMORY GARDEN
Many interesting and beautiful species can be found in this perennial, woodland shade garden, built in recognition of members of the Garden Club Federation – Dayton & Vicinity, who have supported the development of Wegerzyn Gardens MetroPark.
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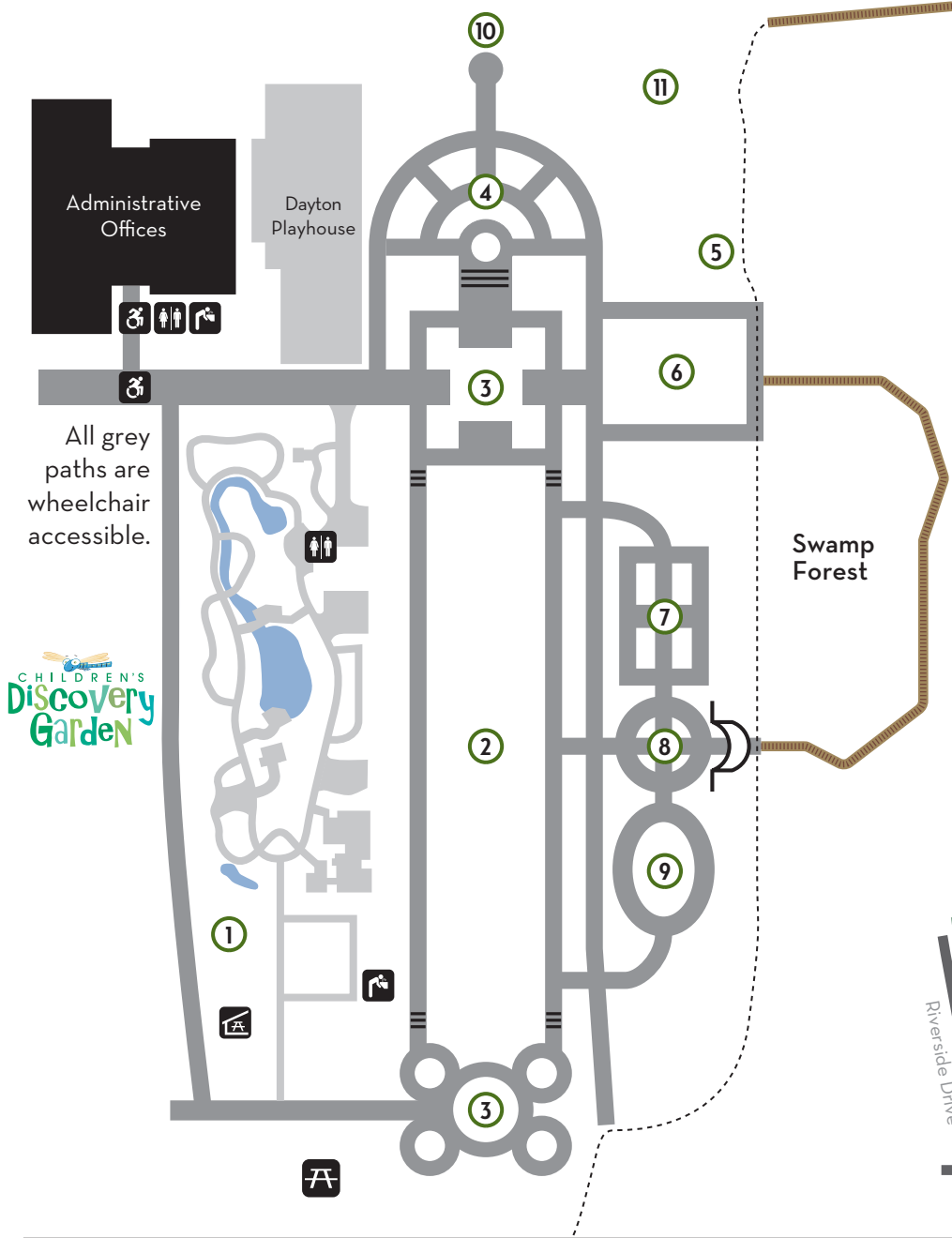
FEDERAL GARDEN
This garden features brick paths and parterres (beds that form a pattern) in a style reminiscent of the 18th and early 19th century American gardens. The garden is planted with historical and modern plants to evoke the period. Of special interest are the arches of European beech trained over the walks at both ends.
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ENGLISH GARDEN
The design and plantings in this space are suggestive of English gardening style, and they vary from year to year. The lovely wooden arch is the garden's focal point and is typical of classic English garden architecture.
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VICTORIAN GARDEN
This garden echoes the gardening style popular at the end of the 19th century when carpet gardens featured masses of plants set out in elaborate patterns. The focal point is a raised, pebble-walled bed in the shape of a star, modeled after one at the Dayton Soldier's Home in the late 1800s.
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ARBOR LAWN
This garden showcases foxtail lilies and a large, magnificent yellow-blooming magnolia in the spring; hardy mums in the fall; and a lush, serene landscape all summer long. Many unique specimen plants are featured in the view of this garden.
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WOODLAND GARDEN
This shade garden is comprised of spring bulbs, dozens of witch hazels, hostas, ferns and other shade-loving plants. Be sure to visit this garden as you stroll down the Marie Aull Trail.



LEGEND

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Park Entrance
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Parking
- Restrooms
- Picnic Area
- Reservable Shelter
- Paddling Launch
- Wheelchair Accessible
- Drinking Water
- Community Garden
- Fishing
- Park Feature
- Woods
- City of Dayton Parkland
- Water
- Stream
- Park Road
- Access Trail
- Paved Trail
- Boardwalk
- Stillwater River Trail
- Park Boundary
- Public Road

Scale: 1" = 450 ft.

