

How do you tell the world that you love PEACE?



PEACE POLE PROJECT

The Warrenton Garden Club invites you to participate in their Peace Pole Project.

"Let's plant Peace Poles in Warrenton and make a lasting impression for PEACE"

Partners:

Hometown Warrenton, Inc.
Wheeler True Value Hardware
Artistic Endeavors

PEACE POLES

RULES & INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. ALL designs must be pre-approved by The Warrenton Garden Club before any work is done. Fill out the entry form, and draw out your design on the columned sheet provided. You may contact one of the team members listed below to help you with your design, if necessary. The main theme of the project is promoting PEACE, especially in this community, so please create designs in keeping with this theme (for each season)*. These poles are not meant for advertising purposes...only inspirational purposes.
- 2. Submit entry to one of the following team members:

Cindy Rivers (Depot Welcome Center, 46 S. Norwood St, 706-465-9604)

Maureen Smith (Artistic Endeavors, 469 Main St, 706-962-0105)

Jane Edmunds (Warrenton Garden Club, 307 Main St, 706-465-1147)

Brandi Shivers (Wheeler True Value, 153 Legion Dr., 706-465-2235)

Turnaround time for approval is 1-3 business days.

- 3. **ALL** Peace Pole Kits (post, solar-lighted cap, rebar) must be purchased at Wheeler True Value Hardware. Wheeler's is a partner in this project and will have the posts prepped and ready to paint, seal, and install. Cost per kit: \$20 (paints are not included)
- 4. **+ARTWORK** You may paint a background or leave the natural wood as your background. The second step is to draw your design. Then, paint! Peace Pole Paint Kits are available at Artistic Endeavors. These may be used for your design. For background paints, Wheeler's can also mix what you need. Once your design is completed, allow the pole to dry completely. A light coat of varnish should then be applied...two coats would be best, waiting plenty of time between coats to dry completely. Before drawing your design on your pole, place the cap on top and mark around the pole so that you know where your design should start. Reserve a spot on one side for the name plate.
- 5. **BEFORE INSTALLING** Site must be pre-approved and instructions for installation must be followed exactly. One of the team members can arrange to be onsite to ensure that installation is completed properly.

6. INSTALLATION

- 1. Use post hole diggers to make a 1 foot deep hole at a <u>pre-approved site ONLY</u>, making sure it is clear of pipes, lines, and sprinkler systems.
- 2. Drive the blue side of the rebar into the ground (2' depth)
- 3. Slide post over the rebar to fit. Tap down post. Be sure post is vertically straight...use level, if available. Fill in hole around post and tamp dirt down firmly. The post should be about a foot depth in the ground
- 4. Add post cap by gently placing it on top of the post. Secured it per instructions on light.
- 5. Tap name plate into place 1" below the cap using the hardware provided.
- 7. *MAINTENANCE You may repaint your post for each season (up to 4 times a year), but a new design must be pre-approved before any work can be done. We encourage participants to create new designs at least every year to keep interest going in the poles. You may also opt to purchase and paint a new pole. Keep your site looking neat by ridding it of weeds, trash, and debris.

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NAME OF BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION/CLUB
CONTACT PERSON
PHONE NUMBER
EMAIL ADDRESS
Please answer the following questions. Thank you.
1. Would you like to have assistance in your Peace Pole design? Yes No I don't know
2. What do you feel is your business'/organization's/club's role in this community?
3. Why do you want to participate in this project?

Paint area=5 feet (height) by 3.5 inches (width), four sides