

WWPNA Neighborhood & Garden Tour

Saturday 9/10/2022 10:00-4:00 Each stop will have information about the location available

1. 491 S Pennsylvania St

Eclectic Revival home built in 1904. The history of the home will be posted. The artist, Michael Reinsch, who did the mural on our garage will be here. Additionally, there will be a display about solar cooking. A good location to start your tour. Maps of the tour and the scavenger hunt will be available.

> The Master Gardeners will be here to answer your questions about native plants and water wise gardening.

>The Daughters of the American Revolution Colorado Chapter will be here, so come talk about history, family research, and our new community service partnership with the Denver Botanic Garden supporting Hildebrand Ranch at Chatfield Farm.

2. 403 S Pennsylvania St

This yard for this 1904 bungalow was redone in 2021 with water-wise plantings to provide essential shelter and nutrition for insects, birds, and wildlife (urbanrootsdesign.com)

3. 552 S Pennsylvania St

Victorian built in 1908. The first residents were women business owners! Modern addition was added to the back of the house in 2003 that added 1br/1bath. Solar panels, rain barrels and many environment-conscious automations have been added to the home. Come enjoy a magic trick and an espresso compliments of the current residents' kids.

4. 949 S Pennsylvania St

Victorian built in 1903

5. 983 S Pennsylvania St

Victorian built in 1905

6. 400 S Logan St

International Church of Cannabis. The church was built in 1904. Combines a colorful aesthetic with the historic architecture. (elevationists.org)

7. 553 S Sherman St

Victorian built in 1890

8. 408 S Lincoln

Victorian built in 1906

9. 554 S Broadway

Roxy on Broadway. A 1920s inspired restaurant and music venue. Built in 1939, this location has had a long association with the local music scene. (broadwayroxy.com)

10. 230 S Broadway

Quality Paws Natural Store, on the Broadway corridor since 2008. Built in 1919 this site has been home to a wide variety of businesses (www.qualitypaws.com)

11. 33 E Bayaud

The Ross-Broadway branch of the Denver Public Library is a unique example of Usonian architecture. Finished in 1951, the one-story steel-framed brick building is on the

National Register of Historic Places. Designed by architect Victor Hornbein, a Denver native who also designed the Denver Botanic Gardens Conservatory.
(www.denverlibrary.org/content/ross-broadway-branch-library)

12. 201 N Grant

Dating back to 1979, West Washington Park Community Garden (WWPCG) is a community garden dedicated to sustainable organic gardening, education, and community. Currently, the garden has over 100 gardeners growing on 75 plots.
(dug.org/garden/wwpcg)

13. 200 N Grant

Art Students League is housed in what used to be the Sherman School, designed by architect Henry Dozier and built in 1893. The school is an example of Richardsonian Romanesque architecture. Since 1987 the Art Students League has provided an inclusive art community where professional artists guide individuals of all abilities to reach their highest potential. (asld.org)

14. 536 E 1st Ave

Denver square built in 1901

15. 392 S Clarkson

One of 2 homes on the tour that have had their weed/grass front strips (between the sidewalk and the street) newly dug up and replaced with natives plants within the last 6 months by local volunteer group Oasis West Wash Park. (plantanoasis.org)

16. 589 S Emerson St

This yard is a mature natural landscape using native plants to create habitat.
(frontrangewildones.org and plantanoasis.org)

17. 590 S Emerson St

The other of the 2 homes whose front strip has been newly converted to native plants by volunteers with Oasis West Wash Park. Native plants are beautiful and low-maintenance; they sip water and butterflies, bees, and birds love them.
(plantanoasis.org)

18. 783 S Washington St

Duplex built in 1922

19. 722 S Pearl St

5 Star Salt Caves. A unique place to relax with its man-made cave built from over 13,000 lbs of glowing Himalayan Salt. This wellness center/spa opened in 2015 (replacing a Bicycle store that had been there for 25 years, in a 1960s building that used to house a dance studio, a dry cleaner, and even the famous Twist and Shout Record store). The Salt Cave will be available to view for a short time at the end of each hour. To see the Salt Cave, please arrive about 15 mins before each hour. (5starsaltcaves.com)

20. 1325 S Downing

This yard is a short grass prairie meadow, planted with what grew here before the settlers came. Info will be posted about what is growing and the native insects that now call this yard home.