



BRANCHING OUT

A Cypress Lawn Newsletter

Welcome to this inaugural issue of “Branching Out” – Cypress Lawn Arboretum’s new quarterly newsletter!



Dearest friends, neighbors, and tree-lovers near and far –

Since our origin as a cemetery back in 1892, Cypress Lawn has been a place to celebrate life, a historic and horticultural landmark that is a vital part of the living legacy of the [San Francisco Bay Area](#).

Our founder, [Hamden Holmes Noble](#), believed strongly in the power of trees to define the landscape, and his vision to grow a place worth knowing and cherishing has impacted a lasting arboricultural heritage that is thriving to this day.

Here in 2020, at the now internationally accredited [Cypress Lawn Arboretum](#), we carry forward Noble’s spirit with our first annual [Arboretum Day](#) on November 18th. We hope you will be able to join us for this virtual event, detailed below in one of the blogs included in our inaugural issue of the quarterly “Branching Out” newsletter.

In the seasons to come, “Branching Out” will serve as a platform for sharing upcoming events and activities at the [Arboretum](#), educational (and celebratory!) content about the diversity of trees in our living collection, and much more. Just like the seedlings we plant in the earth on [Arboretum Day](#), “Branching Out” is only beginning to establish roots and will grow and evolve into tomorrow.

The future of [Cypress Lawn Arboretum](#) is very much alive and striving, and we sincerely hope that you will join us – and follow along – as we begin the next chapter of Noble’s living legacy.

Your humble Arboretum Director,

[Josh Gevertz](#)

HAPPENING THIS SEASON

November 18, 11 a.m. PT: [Live “Arboretum Q&A” event on Facebook](#)

November 18, 12 p.m. PT: [COVID-19 Pandemic Memorial Tree Planting on Facebook](#)

Coming up in December: [Specimen Cork Oak Care with Christopher Campbell Tree Design](#)

Coming up in December: [Release of COVID-19 Pandemic Memorial Tree Planting short documentary film](#)

DANCING ON THE BRINK OF THE WORLD – MEMORIAL



The Monterey cypress, our namesake species here at the [Cypress Lawn Arboretum](#), has taken root, truly across the planet, as a tree of particular memorial wonder. In my travels around the world, I have found these gentle giants shading headstones in lands as far as the United Kingdom and New Zealand.

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CYPRESS LAWN ARBORETUM DAY 2020 – NOVEMBER 18TH



It is my honor to extend to you a cordial virtual invitation to the first annual Arboretum Day here at Cypress Lawn on November 18, 2020. As a celebration of life befitting the lasting legacy of our [Memorial Park](#), where [trees](#) have been cherished since [our founding in 1892](#), Arboretum Day will honor [our history](#), embrace the present moment, and begin to grow the foundational roots of [our future](#).

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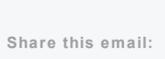
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