# Arbor Week 2021 April 4-10









## **The Purpose of Arbor Week**

Tualatin recognizes the first full week in April as **Arbor Week** to celebrate the many contributions that trees make to our lives and community.

The benefits of trees:

**Public Health & Social Benefits** 

- Clean air
- Noise reduction
- Reduce crime
- Traffic calming

#### **Environmental Benefits**

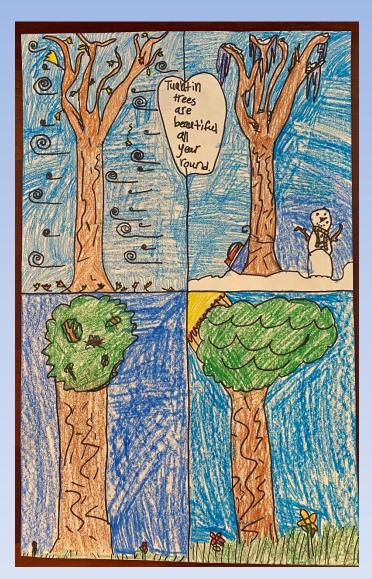
- Climate change
- Energy conservation
- Water filtration
- Wildlife habitat

#### **Economic Benefits**

- Increase home value
- Attract businesses



# Kids' Poster Contest: "Tualatin Trees are



"Trees are Beautiful All Year Round"
Darcy P.
Grades K-5



"

"Trees are Pretty" Cassidy W. Grades 6-8

## **Tualatin Trees Photo Contest**



"A Quiet Moment"

First Place – Angela Bingham

Location – Tualatin High School

### **Tualatin Trees Photo Contest**



"Tualatin in Bloom"
Second Place – Royce Waxenfelter
Location – Makah Court



"A Place to Call Home"

Third Place – Michelle Corse

Location – Brown's Ferry Park

# **Winter Storm Damage 2021**

#### STREET TREES

- 144 Street trees will likely need replacement
- 89 Street trees fell/cut down due to damage
- 591 addresses that have limbs hanging







## **Tree City USA**

The Tree City USA certification is awarded by the National Arbor Day Foundation to recognize communities that have proven their commitment to an effective, ongoing community forestry program.

Tree City USA Standards Include: Tree Board, Tree Care Ordinance, Community Forestry Program with Budget, and Arbor Week Observance and Proclamation.

The City of Tualatin is Recognized as a **Tree City USA** for the 34<sup>th</sup> consecutive Year!







