

Mt. Gretna Campmeeting Association

Leaf Collection Procedure

Purpose: To provide guidelines to the Membership for collection of leaves.

Procedure Detail:

- 1. Members are encouraged to leave leaves on the ground around the trees as much as possible. These leaves degrade to soil over time, providing much needed nutrients for the trees and groundcover to replace eroded soil.
- 2. Understanding that not all leaves can be left on the ground, the Mt. Gretna Campmeeting (MGCA) will provide the following leaf collection services:
 - a. The MGCA will collect loose leaf piles in the Spring from the second Monday in April until the Monday after Memorial Day and from the 3rd Monday in October until the end of the second weekend in December. Leaves will be collected from all driving streets every other week in rotation according to the published schedule. A current year's map and schedule will be posted on the Campmeeting website, published in the Newsletter, and available from the office upon request.NOTE: Leaf piles and leaf bags must contain leaves, pine needles and pine cones only, **no sticks or other debris**.
 - b. Members are always welcome and encouraged to take their leaves to the storage location behind the garages on the east side of 1st Street. These leaves do not need to be bagged. Members may also bag their leaves in paper bags or compostable bags for collection year-round. These bags will not be provided by the MGCA.

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