

Join the Amenia Garden Club for some fun Arbor Day/Earth Day Events!

## Friday, April 25

5:30 pm for Arbor Day the Garden Club has donated a native tree to the Town of Amenia to replace a dead dogwood at the start of the Rail Trail in Wassaic at 37 Furnace Bank Road. Noted local gardener, Maryanne Snow-Pitts, will be **planting the tree.** This event is cosponsored by the Amenia Conservation Advisory Council and the Amenia Town Enhancement Committee. Park in the Wassaic hamlet and walk to the entrance to the rail trail (next to Maxon Mills).

## Saturday, April 26

9 am to 12 pm, the Garden Club is joining with the Amenia Free Library and the Conservation Advisory Council to **celebrate Earth Day**. Meet at the Bank of Millbrook in Fountain Square (4958 Route 22) in Amenia or at Borden Park (37 Furnace Bank Road) in Wassaic across from Maxon Mills/Wassaic Project. Sign in at either location & grab some bags, then spread out from the centers of downtown Wassaic and Amenia to **clean up that litter!** 

2 pm at the Amenia Free Library, Sharon Audubon Center's resident Naturalist, Bethany Sheffer, will present **Backyard Birdscaping**: How to Support Birds Year-Round Using Native Plants. Find out how to feed birds throughout all four seasons, using native trees, shrubs, vines, and herbaceous plants! Local **environmental organizations** will be there to provide information about the valuable resources and services they provide to our community. There will also be a **plant sale** hosted by Litchfield & Greene.