



Sadie's Special Fairy Tree



In the Spring of 2013, Sadie decided that she would like to have a place to honor the fairies. There is an old hawthorn tree on the land - which is believed by many to be "the tree of the fairies". Sadie volunteered to lead the creation of a "Fairy Garden" and decided that it should be around the hawthorn tree.

By the summer, she had lots of ideas for the garden. She wanted to have a section that honoured the fairies, the gnomes and the mermaids. She had a vision of transforming the area into a magical place where children could walk down a secret path and discover the tree unexpectedly. There, they would choose whether to interact with the fairies, the gnomes or the mermaids.

Sadie came to spend a weekend later that summer to start working on the area. Frank, Jackie and Sadie went to the fairy tree and did a ceremony to ask for permission to

cut a trail through the brush so that children could access the tree by a secret path. The three of them worked for most of the day to clear the trail leading to the fairy tree.





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Sadie returned home and spent the next month making little gifts for the children who would come to visit the tree.

She also gathered materials and supplies to create special areas that would introduce other children to the fairies, gnomes and mermaids.



Fairy Palace



Queen of the Mermaids



Gnome Forest



The first one to visit the fairy tree was Sadie's grandmother. Sadie welcomed her to the area, invited her to walk along the trail and lead her to the special tree. There Sadie explained to her about the gnomes, fairies and mermaids.



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In October of 2013, PSOH hosted its first "Fall Fair". Sadie prepared the area and invited children to come and learn about the fairies, gnomes and mermaids. The children were led to the secret area and were told stories about the fairies, gnomes and mermaids. All of them left with special gifts.

The Fairy Tree continues to be a place where children can go to talk to the fairies and honour the medicine that they bring to the land.

