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Dear HFI Members and Friends,

Look What We Did in a Day!

Trail Garden Weeding Day Puts HFI's Best Feet Forward

It takes a team, all right.

First, **Bill Dykstra** approached **Terry Tree Service** for 15 yards of premium mulch, and not only did they donate it, but they delivered it, too! Thanks to Terry Tree for their generous donation of their wonderful product and service with a smile. If you ever need tree work done, please call Terry Tree and give them your business (436-2900, or www.terrytree.com).

Then 12 hardworking folks of all ages started weeding at 9 am on Saturday, August 2. By 2:30 pm, the overgrown Trail Garden had been cleared of weeds, planted with donated deer-proof flowering ornamentals, and mulched. The volunteers were undaunted by the yards upon yards of weeds they pulled, and the only thing that shut them down was the lightning and hail storm that blew in around 2:30 pm!

What a difference a day made. Now the garden is a beautiful and welcoming entrance for our public trail.

The Foundation extends its heartfelt thanks to all the volunteers who spent nearly 60 hours of labor cleaning up our garden: **Trail Garden Club Chairperson Dot Clause; Paul and Kyle Davis; Bill Dykstra; Chris, Brianna, and Erin Fay; Karen Lankeshofer; Henrietta Garden Club Vice President George Miller; Hans Schwarz; Bill Shattuck; Ann Stevens; and Elizabeth Thomson.** It was well worth the effort!



Here's what we were up against.



Trail Garden Chairperson Dot Clause



Weeding, weeding, weeding...



George Miller from the Henrietta Garden Club and HFI Secretary Liz Thomson



Chris Fay and George Miller



Brianna and Erin Fay pitched in bigtime!



Karen Lankeshofer



Kyle Davis



Rain and hail arrived just when we were almost done.



All planted and mulched. What a beautiful garden!



Thank you Terry Tree Service!



What a smiling,

hardworking team!

HFI Putting Contest Needs You!

Volunteer to Help or Participate in the Tournament

Bill Dykstra and the gang at Executive South are looking for some volunteers to work at the **HFI Putting Contest** being held at the **Henrietta Chamber of Commerce's 22nd Scholarship Golf Tournament**. The tournament is being held on **Thursday, September 11, 2008 at Wildwood Country Club, 1201 West Rush Road in Rush, NY.**

All proceeds from the Putting Contest will go toward the purchase of Executive South Family Golf and Recreation Center.

Please contact **Bill** at **359-7071** or **info@henriettafoundation.org** if you can help register people to put, take their donation, record distances, and offer a helping hand any time between 10 am and 3:30 pm. Two-hour shifts are available.

OR, if you'd like to participate in the putting contest or the golf tournament yourself, contact Bill

or the Chamber of Commerce at 747-4459.

Executive South Seeks a General Manager:

The Foundation is seeking a General Manager for Executive South. Please contact Bill Dykstra at projectdirector@henriettafoundation.org for qualifications, job description, and more information about this paid, part-time position.

Next Meeting:

Our next meeting is Tuesday, August 12 at 7 pm at Executive South, 3850 East Henrietta Road. Don't forget, you don't have to be a member to come to our meetings. Everyone's invited.

Visit Our Website:

Our website, www.henriettafoundation.org, has been refreshed with new photos throughout. Check it often.

*Sincerely,
Ann Stevens*