**Riverfront Park**
Landmarks Blvd, Alton, IL 62002

Use the parking lot on the east side of the Liberty Bank Amphitheater and head towards the Marina. This tree has the best view as it sits among others like itself. It is on a path near a pavilion.

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**Jaycee Park**
63 Mater Dei Dr, Breese, IL 62230

Use the parking lot located off of Mater Dei Drive (also called Ellwood St., Co. Hwy 7, and Germantown Rd.) As you explore the park, make sure to head across the lake.

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**Frank Holten State Park**
4500 Pocket Road, East St Louis, IL 62205

From IL-157, take Lake Dr. west, cross under I-255, turn left at entrance between 58th St. and 57th St. At the fork stay right and park at the parking lot on the left. Trail entrance is to the north of the parking lot.

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**Steve Bryant Community Park**
4300 Culp Ln, Bethalto, IL 62010

Use the parking lot located off of Culp Lake on the east side of the park. From there head to the south side of the park to find the bell.

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**Jingle Hike Challenge Works**

There are bells and red bows with tags tied to a tree in 12 different parks in southwestern Illinois. Use this brochure to visit each park and find them at your own pace between Thanksgiving Day and New Year's Day. Each park map signifies level of difficulty based on trail characteristics (Easy, Moderate, or Difficult), accessibility, and if dogs are allowed. For each park visited, complete the following:

1. Once you find the tree, take a photo of yourself with its bells, bow, and tree tag.
2. Submit your photo by using your phone camera to scan the QR code found on the tree tag or on this brochure. You can also type in the link to access the entry form and upload.
   - On the online form at [https://arcg.is/1veu5b](https://arcg.is/1veu5b), select the park name, enter your first and last name, and submit your photo. (Please submit a separate entry per person in your group.)
   - BONUS ENTRY: Receive an extra entry if you can correctly name the tree species (example: red oak). Pro-tip: Read the tree tag for help.
   - For each bell submission, you will be entered into a drawing for a prize. Enter one submission per park.
   - Registered participants are eligible for prizes. Register at: [heartlandsconservancy.org/jingle-hike-challenge](http://heartlandsconservancy.org/jingle-hike-challenge)
   - If you find 6 or more of the bells and submit the photos, you will be entered to win the grand prize.

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**Prizes**

**1st Grand Prize**
$350 gift card for a two-night stay for up to 4 at Giant City Lodge

**Four Legged Hiker Prize**
Hiker’s Best Friend Gift basket

**Additional Prizes**
- HLC Native Plant 1-year subscription to Terrain Magazine
- 2 x $25 gift cards to Farm & Home Supply
- $50 gift card to Academy Sports & Outdoors
- $50 gift card to Cabela’s
- Explore the Great Outdoors Gift Basket
- $50 gift card to Bass Pro Shop
- 5 x 1-day passes for 2 to Climb So Ill

*Register and find SIX (6) or more of the bells to be entered to win the grand prize.
** Must include dog in at least one photo to qualify.

Find Jingle Hike Challenge Brochures at:
- Toollen’s Running Start (Shiloh) or HeartLandsConservancy.org

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**2023 Jingle Hike Challenge Prizes**

Registration details & prize listing can be found at [heartlandsconservancy.org/jingle-hike-challenge](http://heartlandsconservancy.org/jingle-hike-challenge).

Winners will be announced live on HeartLands Conservancy’s Facebook page in early January and notified at the email address used to register. Only registered participants are eligible for prizes.

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Drost Park
Myron Provence Parkway, Maryville, IL 62062
Turn on Schiber Ct, then Myron Provence Pkwy. Use parking lot on north side and head south from there. The tree overlooks the pond.
Submit your photo: https://arcg.is/1veu5b or scan the QR Code.

Submitted by:

Found it!

Joe Glik Park
710 E Lake Dr, Edwardsville, IL 62025
Enter the park by turning off of E Lake Dr. This tree is sitting pretty at a great lookout spot, where you can see the whole park.
Submit your photo: https://arcg.is/1veu5b or scan the QR Code.

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St. Ellen Mine Park Trail
St. Ellen Mine Park Walking Trail, Fairview Heights, IL 62208
Find the parking lot at the end of St. Ellen Mine Rd. Be sure to stay on the park trail not the bike trail.
Submit your photo: https://arcg.is/1veu5b or scan the QR Code.

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Drost Park
Myron Provence Parkway, Maryville, IL 62062
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Fults Hill Prairie Nature Preserve
509 State Rte 155 (Bluff Rd.), Prairie du Rocher, IL 62277
The park is immediately off of Bluff Rd (State Route 155). Make sure to watch for the signs. The trail is a 1.4 mile loop.
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Storment Hauss Nature Preserve
3326 Reed Rd, Prairie Du Rocher, IL 62277
Parking lot is located off of Reed Rd on the east side. The trail is a one mile long, self-guided interpretive loop.
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Found it!

Konarcik Park
5303 Konarcik Road, Waterloo, IL 62298
Find the park on Sauthoff Dr. at the end of Konarcik Rd. Head to the Tot Lot located in the park.
Submit your photo: https://arcg.is/1veu5b or scan the QR Code.

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Confluence Trail, Jerry Costello Lock & Dam
4800 Lock & Dam Rd, Modoc, IL 62261
Use the parking lot off of Levee Rd. near the camp ground. The tree is located near the amphitheater and fire ring.
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Little Prairie Nature Trail, Carlyle Lake
Spillway Recreation Area, Carlyle, IL 62231
Take Lake Rd/Sunrise Hill and turn at West Spillway public entrance to get to parking lot. There are 2 entrances to the trail - a wooded entrance and a prairie entrance. Enter through the wooded entrance.
Submit your photo: https://arcg.is/1veu5b or scan the QR Code.

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