



Fuller Park Community
Development's



Eden Place Nature Center

Regional Equity 08
New Orleans, Louisiana

Michael & Amelia Howard



Programming

- ➔ Festivals
- ➔ Nature Education
- ➔ Storybook Theater
- ➔ Garden Adoption Program

Festivals

- Earth Day
- Jazz Fest
- Gospel Fest
- Family Fun Fest
- October Fall Festival
- Kooky Spooky Trails





Mr. Howard welcoming students

And going over the rules



Troy taking kids on a
Hayride



All of these girls know the right
answer for a free popcorn!



Taking turns going
in the bounce house

Native American Studies
with DuSable



Nature Education

Hendricks Academy
Backyard Bio Blitz





The boys finding something interesting in the prairie

The girls taking data



Catching cool
insects



Discovering new things





Mr. Howard is holding a Praying Mantis insect at Eden Place, discovered by Hendricks students.

Storybook Theater

- Students read classics in the classroom.
- Review under The Mighty Oak at Eden Place.
- Students interact with actual characters from story!





Garden Adoption Program

- ❁ Free scheduled, self-guided field trips to work on your 25' long plot at Eden Place.
- ❁ The use of your plot as an outdoor classroom for science, art or other subject matter per consultation with Eden Place staff.
- ❁ Your students or art department can create and install a plaque or sign in your plot stating your school name and students involved, i.e. *"This garden plot is cared for with love by Hedrick's Academy students"*
- ❁ The obvious benefits of children being outside and experiencing nature first hand, and more...



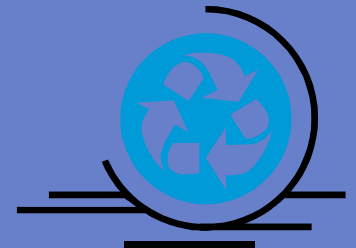
STREETS & SANITATION

Al Sanchez, Commissioner

City of Chicago's

Department of Streets & Sanitation

Home Composting & Recycling Program





Awards & Recognitions

- ☀ **Neighborhood Hero Award, Bank Of America**

08/2007

- ☀ **Feature Organization on PBS Special;
Edens Lost and Found**

<http://www.edenslostandfound.org>

- ☀ **Hidden Jewel Award, Jewel Osco, a div. of Albertson's**
12/2005

- ☀ **Garden Crusader Award, Gardeners Supply**
10/2005

- ☀ **Community Greening Award, Friends of The Park**
09/2004

- ☀ **Jefferson Award Nominee, NBC5 & Harris Bank**
01/2004

- ☀ **Conservation and Landscaping Award, EPA & Chicago Wilderness**
03/2003