Plant a tree, leave a legacy. That was the thinking behind the tree purchased and planted by the Norfolk High School Honor Society Tuesday afternoon.

Member Chase Hutchison explained that the organization had extra funds at the end of the school year so members decided to plant a tree to remind them of their senior year. The group selected a Prairie Fire Flowering Crab which was planted just to the north of the parking lot by the playground at Skyview Park.

Terry Hochstein and Dr. G. Tom Surber, members of the City of Norfolk Tree Advisory Board, were on hand to supervise the planting as was Pat Mrsny, City of Norfolk Park Superintendent.

Surber commended the group for choosing to improve the city parks with the funds they had raised and encouraged them to watch the tree grow as they returned to Norfolk through their college years.

A plaque designating the tree as donated by the students will be installed in the next week.

Those interested in donating a tree to plant in a city park can call 402-844-2034 or email dbecker@ci.norfolk.ne.us.