

What is FruitShare Barrie?



shared **3** ways:

Owner

Volunteers

Food Bank

Who is FruitShare Barrie?

Steering Committee



Addressing the Drought

Why this program now?

FruitShare preServeS trees



Why this program now?

Secure access to a healthy diet is a challenge.



Benefits of the Program

Enhanced
Community Well-being

Improved
Urban Ecology

Improved
Food Access

Increased
Physical Activity



A Growing Movement



Pilot Harvest Data

12 Trees harvested

23 Volunteers registered

700 lbs picked

844 lbs picked

400 lbs picked

100 lbs picked

50 lbs picked

25 lbs picked

12 lbs picked

6 lbs picked

3 lbs picked

1.5 lbs picked

0.75 lbs picked

0.375 lbs picked

0.1875 lbs picked

0.09375 lbs picked

0.046875 lbs picked

0.0234375 lbs picked

0.01171875 lbs picked

0.005859375 lbs picked

0.0029296875 lbs picked

0.00146484375 lbs picked

0.000732421875 lbs picked

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Home Volunteer Pickers Fruit Owners Share Fruit Help Partners About

Older Entries

Share Seeds - Spread the Love!

Find Under Food Charities Fruit Owners Community Health Members Food Volunteers In History E

Aug 26, 2013

The following is a message from Jeff Shauck. If you would like to help him with his mission, contact him at mskacoug@hotmail.com. Hello, I own a couple of properties and currently only have raspberries that I transplanted from my home/own farm. I planted them at the Fruit Place for everybody wanting to help themselves. [...]

Read more

Looking for a Charity?

Find Under Food Charities Health Volunteers In History E

Aug 24, 2013

Below is a message from Jan Stern, founder of Minnesota Food Share: "I love to have fruit as a Food Share Available Harvest Source - the challenge would be finding volunteers to keep the fruit fresh, or ensuring a coordinated partnership is made so that harvesters are able to regularly post what they've picked on. [...]



100 Mile BBQ at the Yonge Corporate Centre

Aug 19th, 2013 by Sara Shams



Pounds picked in 2013:
6,751!
from 203 trees
with 604 volunteering opportunities
and 1,265 volunteer hours
Picked so far: sweet cherries, sour cherries, mulberries, serviceberries, crabapples, raspberries, plums, apples, peaches, pears, dogwood cherries, grapes

CITY fruit

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South Seattle Urban Orchard Tour

May 4, 2013 @ 10:30 am - 12:00 pm

Where: Seattle Children's Play Garden
1100 1st Avenue South
Seattle WA 98144
USA

Cost: Free

Contact: Amanda Lee
amandalee@sfjrh.org
South Seattle Children's Hospital

Not for: Jane Jacobs

Organized by: Amanda Lee, Jane Jacobs

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Celebrate the life and work of Jane Jacobs by joining us on a walking tour of some of South Seattle's urban orchards. The tour will visit parcels of 10 trees at the Seattle Children's Play Garden and continue to four other sites where we will learn about the history of different orchards and what activities are going to happen. This is a free, public tour. The tour will end at Brother Gardens Park 1750 Brother Park St.

Categories: [Jane Jacobs Gardens](#) [Jane Jacobs South Seattle](#)

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On Tuesday July 23rd, Not Far From The Tree was invited to table at the Yonge Corporate Centre's tenant BBQ, where all ingredients used came from within 100 miles of Toronto. It was a great opportunity to get more people in the North York region to discover and learn about Not Far From The Tree's mission.

At the event, we served delicious sour cherry lemonade made with cherries that

Pounds picked in 2013:
12,512!
from 243 trees



Blossoming Ideas

To with Current City Projects

Outdoor Living Trust Act

"The goal of this act is to help us complete food plans. This act will help us to help the city and make it able to give support to reach a wide range of improvements"

Urban Food and Agriculture Charities
Food and Health Equity Trust

Seattle Community Food Society's Website



Ontario
Local Food Act



SimCoe
Food and Agriculture Charter
Food Hub Feasibility Study

Barrie
Community Food Security
WorkShop



"Municipalities are acting on complex food issues... Their efforts are not designed to feed the city, but rather to shift system dynamics to promote a wide range of improvements"



Lauren Baker - Coordinator Toronto Food Policy Council



Fit with Current City Projects

Community Garden Program

The City of Barrie's Community Garden Program is governed by the [Community Garden Policy](#). There are two locations: Sunnyside Park and Golden Meadow Park. All plots have now been rented. Please call 705-739-4207 if you would like to be placed on a waiting list.

Prior to renting a plot, gardeners are to read the policy and sign a [Community Garden Plot Rental Contract](#). The City of Barrie commences the registration of the garden plots and any alterations to the garden plan. The gardeners elect a garden coordinator to operate the day to day functions of the garden and liaise with the City. Gardeners are welcome to rent more than one plot after May 1st, subject to availability.

Single Plot	\$20 + HST (\$22.60) - 1.5 x 4.5m (3' x 15')
Parent Plots	\$40 + HST (\$42.20) - 3m x 4.5m (12' x 15')
Double Plot	\$60 + HST (\$63.60) - 4.5m x 4.5m (15' x 15')

Golden Meadow Park - 139 Hurst Drive NOW FULLY RENTED FOR 2015 (waiting list available)

Established in 2012 through financial support from Living Green - Environment Action Centre, this is an urban lot location, with parking and water service. There are 12 large garden plots and 6 smaller plots available for a total of 18 plots. Plots are 12' x 15'. Please refer to the [Community Garden Policy](#) for plot numbers. Gardeners are welcome to rent more than one plot after May 1st, subject to availability.

Sunnyside Park - Coulter Street curve - NOW FULLY RENTED FOR 2015 (waiting list available)

Established in 2012, this is a professional landscaped site of approximately 1.5 acres. There are 12 large garden plots and 6 smaller plots available for a total of 18 plots. Plots are 12' x 15'. Please refer to the [Community Garden Policy](#) for plot numbers. Gardeners are welcome to rent more than one plot after May 1st, subject to availability.

Who to Contact
Engineering Department
Phone: (705) 739-4207

Downloads

- Community Garden Policy
- Community Garden Guidelines
- Community Garden Rental Contract
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Urban Forestry

The Urban Forest is in your hands. A healthy city needs a strong green infrastructure, and more than 75% of the land in Barrie is privately owned, therefore, homeowners play a vital role in sustaining our green city. Residents can take an active role in preserving our urban forest through new tree planting and maintenance of existing trees and plants on their property.

Who to Contact
Engineering Department
Tree Planting & Development Branch
70 Collier Street, P.O. Box 400
Barrie, ON L4N 1K7
Phone: (705) 739-4207

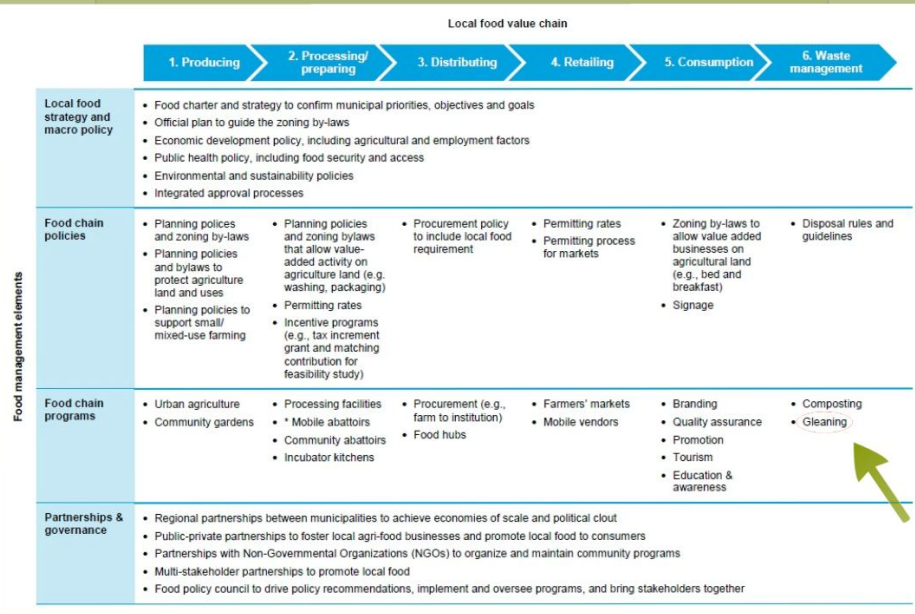
Downloads

- Tree Planting Manual
- Healthy Street Kit
- Tree Preservation Order

Benefits of Trees

Did you know that trees provide free:

- Air conditioning
- Insulation
- Environmental stress relief
- Oxygen
- Noise mitigation
- Water purification
- Carbon dioxide removal
- Air purification & asthma relief
- Fireproof
- Ornamental
- Increase in property value
- Wildlife food and habitat



Best practices in local food. A Guide for Municipalities. AMO (OMKN) 2013



Bearing Fruit

We would like the City of Barrie to:

Partner with FruitShare Barrie. Opportunities include:

- providing equipment and storage space
- staff resources
- free database information
- grant applications
- promotion (website, waste calendar, newspaper)

Consider including food producing trees/plants in the Urban Forest Strategy and/or Community Garden Policy.

Engage the community to create a City of Barrie Food Strategy.







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Rotted in Community



 **The Leadership Challenge Group Members** [2] discussions and [1] comment on LinkedIn

The Leadership Challenge

Today's new discussions from The Leadership Challenge