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ANNUAL FRUIT TREE SALE HELD AT ROBERTSON STADIUM

Houston, January 6, 2011 – If your yard needs a little sprucing up, come by Robertson Stadium on Saturday, Jan. 15 for Urban Harvest’s Annual Fruit Tree Sale. UH is hosting the event from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the west side of the stadium where visitors can find over 30 fruit varieties available.

Not only do fruit trees provide a beautiful addition to your landscape and shade from the sun, but they also keep on giving each year by bringing fresh fruit to your table. Urban Harvest is selling trees ranging from $6 to $60.

All funds raised by the sale will go directly back into Urban Harvest programs such as their farmer’s markets found around the city, gardening classes, outdoor classrooms at schools as well as their donation gardens which supply fresh food to soup kitchens and food pantries.

Descriptions of fruit tree varieties and prices for the fruit trees available at the sale are listed on the Urban Harvest website. Classes are also available to the public to learn more about choosing a fruit tree and caring for the tree. To view more information on the fruit tree sale and classes, visit the Urban Harvest website at www.urbanharvest.org/events/fruittreesales.html.

Volunteers are needed to work the sale. If you are interested, please contact C.L.A.S.P. director Leah Wolfthal at lwolftah@central.uh.edu.

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