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**FAIRCHILD GARDEN INTRODUCES “FAIRCHILD’S MANGO DAYS OF SUMMER,”
CELEBRATING SOUTH FLORIDA’S FAVORITE FRUIT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2020**
In Place of its Annual Mango Festival, Fairchild Creates 30 Days of Mango-Filled Fun for All Ages



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MIAMI, FL. (JUNE 2020) – Home to one of the largest mango collections in the world with over 500 varieties grown on the Fairchild Farm in Homestead, FL., [Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden](#) has gained recognition over the years thanks to its annual Mango Festival. Now in its 28th year, Fairchild Garden has shifted its programming to a combination of virtual activities and interactions that will last all 30 days of July, known as [Fairchild’s Mango Days of Summer](#). From Mango Saturdays at the Garden to virtual cooking demonstrations, the month-long program will allow visitors to celebrate the sweet and aromatic fruit that founder David Fairchild brought to the United States many years ago.

Beginning Saturday, July 4, Fairchild Garden and local small businesses will offer mango-inspired snacks and refreshments all month long. Vendors like The Ceviche & Guacamole House, The Coco Market and Stacey's Naturals will be onsite to fill all of your mango cravings and shopping needs, while ensuring safety and social distancing.

Throughout July, members and visitors will also enjoy Mango Saturdays at the Garden, virtual cooking and cocktail demonstrations with Miami’s top chefs and mixologists, a limited edition mango sour beer release with Lincoln’s Beard Brewing Co., an exclusive mango ice cream in partnership with Sweet Melody Ice Cream, the sale of mango fruit, mango trees, mango smoothies and much more.

Please see the list below for additional programming:

- Mango Saturdays at the Garden
 - Enjoy Mango Saturdays in July. Follow the one-way path that encourages social distancing while strolling different pop-up shops and food stands. From plants to food and artisan goods, guests can visit their favorite small businesses, including Miami Fruit, Kombi Espresso Bar, Keez Bees Raw Honey and Kazumi Garden to name a few. Visit www.fairchildgarden.org for the latest information.
- Virtual Cooking & Cocktail Demonstrations

- Tune in every week to watch Miami's top chefs and mixologists make Fairchild mangos the star of the show by highlighting them in their favorite dishes and cocktails. Restaurant partners include TuR Kitchen's Chef Nelson Fernandez, and more. Visit www.FairchildGarden.org for a full schedule of cooking demonstrations.
- Fairchild presents Beyond the Garden: Mango Culinary Connections
 - [Lincoln's Beard Brewing Co.](#)
 - Fairchild Garden has partnered with Lincoln's Beard Brewing Co. to produce a limited edition mango sour beer officially named *Best Day Ever!*. Approachable, crisp and refreshing on a hot summer day, *Best Day Ever!* is brewed with mangos from the Fairchild Farm and will be available for purchase at Lincoln's Beard Brewing Co. throughout July. The pricing is as follows:
 - \$8.50 for a 12 oz tap pour
 - \$18 for a 32 oz take home crowler
 - The brewery is located at 7360 SW 41st St, Miami, FL 33155. For every beer sold during the month of July, \$1 will go toward Fairchild.
 - [Sweet Melody Ice Cream](#)
 - Fairchild Garden has partnered with Sweet Melody Crafted Ice Cream Co. to produce their newest summer flavor, *It Takes Two to Mango*, a limited-edition mango and sour cream ice cream with a mango marmalade swirl. Available throughout July until supplies last, *It Takes Two to Mango* can be purchased at their location at 15224 SW 72nd St, Miami, FL 33193. Pints are available for \$10 and \$1 for each pint sold will go toward Fairchild.
 - [BunnieCakes](#)
 - Fairchild Garden has partnered with BunnieCakes to produce a delicious mango vegan pie cake known as Summer Mango Dream Pie Cake and is available for purchase in Wynwood at 2322 NE 2nd Ave., Miami, FL 33137.
- Mango Lecture Series Subscription
 - To continue the tradition of hosting educational lectures on tropical plant education and conservation, Fairchild Garden is hosting a virtual lecture series giving listeners an inside look on topics like *Organic Mango Production* with Dr. Steven Green from the University of Miami and Dr. Matt Snow from the Rare Fruit Council.
- Mango Fruits, Trees and Smoothies
 - Mango trees from the Garden will be on sale for \$35. Get started and plant your own tree today! Guests can also purchase fresh mango fruit and smoothies.

Children receive complimentary admission 4th of July weekend. Take advantage of Fairchild Garden's MangoMonth promotion and receive a 15% Membership discount. Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden is located at 10901 Old Cutler Road, Coral Gables, FL 33156. Stay up to date by following along on Facebook at [@FairchildGarden](#), Twitter at [@FairchildGarden](#) and Instagram at [@fairchildgarden](#).

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About Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden

Fairchild Garden is currently celebrating its 82nd anniversary in the community. Established in 1938 and comprising 83 acres, Fairchild is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization committed to exploring, explaining and conserving the world of tropical plants. The Garden is recognized both nationally and internationally as the premier leader in conservation and education-based programs with field operations in over 20 countries including support to protected areas globally from Madagascar to Central America. Fairchild has the largest education program of any metropolitan area, reaching more than 300,000 schoolchildren each year with programs like [The Fairchild Challenge](#), [The Million Orchid Project](#), [Growing Beyond Earth](#), and its BioTECH High School. Special events include Chocolate, Mango and Orchid Festivals in addition to art exhibitions, concerts, plant sales and more. Information at www.fairchildgarden.org and follow at [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).