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FAIRCHILD TROPICAL BOTANIC GARDEN CELEBRATES ITS 79TH ANNUAL RAMBLE EVENT

Eat. Shop. And RAMBLE At Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden

WHO: <u>Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden</u>, the historic botanical garden that's dedicated to exploring, explaining and conserving the world of tropical plants, is welcoming back visitors from near and far to celebrate their annual RAMBLE & Fall Garden Weekend. What started 79 years ago as a maker's market that connected

the local community through their love of plants and gardening has evolved into what it is today: a spectacular marketplace brimming with vendors, exotic plants and must-have merchandise that will attract the most selective of bargain hunters and amateur collectors.

This year's RAMBLE will also offer an exclusive sneak peek into the garden's newest culinary program, Fresh From Fairchild, which is slated to launch early 2020 and include a Garden Gourmet Kids Summer Kitchen, a special Fairchild Food Lab, tree-to-table culinary experiences inside The Shed, and more. Guests are invited to stop by the Fresh From Fairchild Marketplace and enjoy avocados, tropical fruit and bakery-fresh products made with seasonal herbs grown by Fairchild at The Fairchild Farm.

WHAT: Within Fairchild's 83 acres, the event offers everything from handmade jewelry, candles and art at the Artisan Market, to a hands-on children's learning center featuring family-fun games, face painting and more. Get a head start on your holiday shopping and check out local craftsmanship like woodturning and pottery, rare books by David Fairchild, or shop a variety of more than 15,000 plants for sale. As the garden and its signature festival continues to evolve, the number of activities has increased as a result. New vendors to RAMBLE include Technique Records, Whip N Dip Ice Cream Shop, DoTerra Oils, and a craft beer garden.

- WHEN: Saturday & Sunday, November 9-10 9:30AM – 4:30PM
- WHERE: Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden 10901 Old Cutler Road Coral Gables, FL. 33156

HOW: Admission is \$25 for adults, \$18 for seniors 65 and up, \$12 for children 6-17, and free for Fairchild members and children 5 and under. Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden is located at 10901 Old Cutler Road, Coral Gables, FL. 33156. For more information, please visit <u>www.fairchildgarden.org</u> or call 305 667 1651.

About Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden

Fairchild Garden is currently celebrating its 81st anniversary in the community. Established in 1938 and comprising of 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

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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 <u>www.fairchildgarden.org</u> and follow at <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>Instagram</u>.

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