

HARVEST LEADER POSITION DESCRIPTION

FruitShare, The Green Urban Lunch Box

Without help from the community, we simply could not harvest and donate such large quantities of fruit to local food pantries who serve community members in need. Each leader will be responsible for one harvest a week. We will do our best to get these as close to your requested location as possible. While this position requires independent initiative, the leaders will receive training, supervision, and support from The Green Urban Lunch Box.

Position Information:

- Season lasts from July - October 2019.
- Harvester will be expected to host 10 harvests (1 per week for 10 of the 12 weeks in the season). Harvests typically occur in evenings and require a 3 - 4 hour weekly commitment.
- Stipend position
 - Harvester will receive \$5 dollars per harvest
 - Harvester will also receive \$100 for completing 10 harvest throughout the city
 - Please note: in the case the season ends early due to low fruit production, the stipend will be prorated according to the harvests you have lead

Primary Duties and Responsibilities:

- Attend two training harvests in July 2019.
- Lead one harvest per week throughout the season (July - October).
- Oversee and train volunteers, as well as ensure they sign in. GULB will advertise the harvests in our newsletter to recruit volunteers.
- Interact with homeowners in a friendly and professional manner.
- Maintain and transport tools and equipment (including our harvesting van).
- Ensure fruit is properly sorted into A-Grade and B-Grade categories.
- Oversee recordkeeping of harvested fruit

Position Requirements:

- Physical ability to lift and carry up to 40lbs and climb ladders
- Commitment to the entire season
- Ability to engage in positive, professional manner with diverse populations
- Commitment to mission/goals of The Green Urban Lunch Box and FruitShare
- Valid Drivers License

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience working with volunteers and/or leading groups
- Knowledge/experience with fruit trees
- Interest or experience in urban agriculture and/or community food security
- Reliable transportation (we encourage biking!) to and from our farm, located near 3300 South and 1100 West, which is where our vehicle will be picked up for each harvest

Applications are due by June 10th, 2019. To apply please send completed application, resume, and references to Fruitshare@gulb.org. Applicants may be contacted for an interview.

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Contact Information

Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Why are you interested in this position, and what skills and qualities do you possess that will enable you to fulfill its requirements?

Please describe any experience (volunteer, employment, or otherwise) you have that will be helpful in your role as a Harvest Leader.

This is a position that requires a commitment of both time and effort. Although you pick the day/time of your harvest event, you must commit to that time, and let the FruitShare Coordinator about any changes at least two weeks in advance. Will you be able to commit to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of this position?

Is there anything else that you would like us to know?

References Please list two personal and/or professional references and their contact information.

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