

# Our Purpose

- To maximize fruit tree yields
- To reduce food waste
- To reduce attraction to bears
- To support food security through local charities
- To provide education on use of locally grown produce
- To connect community



# Partners

Thank you to our funders!

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Our Valued Colleagues:

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# North Shore Fruit Tree Project

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# Our Program

The North Shore Fruit Tree Project Society is here to connect those with fruit trees with those in need.

Organized picks across the North Shore provide healthy, organic fruit to our neighbours in need through local social service providers

# Our Goals

To create a network of willing donors and volunteer pickers to encourage the sustainable practice of picking.

Donors, pickers and charities alike will benefit from the fruits of our labour!

# Donate

The North Shore Fruit Tree Project Society is a not for profit society. Your donation of picking equipment and/or financial support is greatly appreciated.



# Donate Your Fruit!

If you would like to donate your fruit, please contact us at [nsfruittreeproject@gmail.com](mailto:nsfruittreeproject@gmail.com) and we will coordinate a “pick” with you.

Keep up to 1/4 of the fruit picked! While we do not provide any tax receipts, you will have the satisfaction of knowing that your harvest goes to fellow local residents who are in need.

Some of the agencies who receive fruit include:

- Quest Food Exchange
- North Shore Harvest Project
- Lookout Shelter
- United Way

# Volunteer

**Who?** Whether you are 9 or 90, fruit tree picking is an ideal way to make a difference in your community! Gather your friends to gather fruit!

**When?** Fruit Tree “picks” are scheduled late afternoon/evening on weekdays and weekends in the late summer and early fall. Being part of a pick only takes a couple of hours and you can even have a small portion of fruit to enjoy!

**How?** To get involved as a picker or a pick coordinator, email us at [nsfruittreeproject@gmail.com](mailto:nsfruittreeproject@gmail.com). At each pick, A pick coordinator will meet you with everything you need and show you how it’s done.

**Join Us!** We are always accepting new members to our society. Some specialized skills are always needed including:

- Volunteer Management
- Book Keeping and Budget Management
- Grant Writing
- Pick Coordinators (if you have a vehicle with a trailer hitch, we want you!)

