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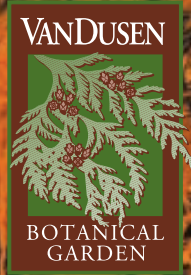
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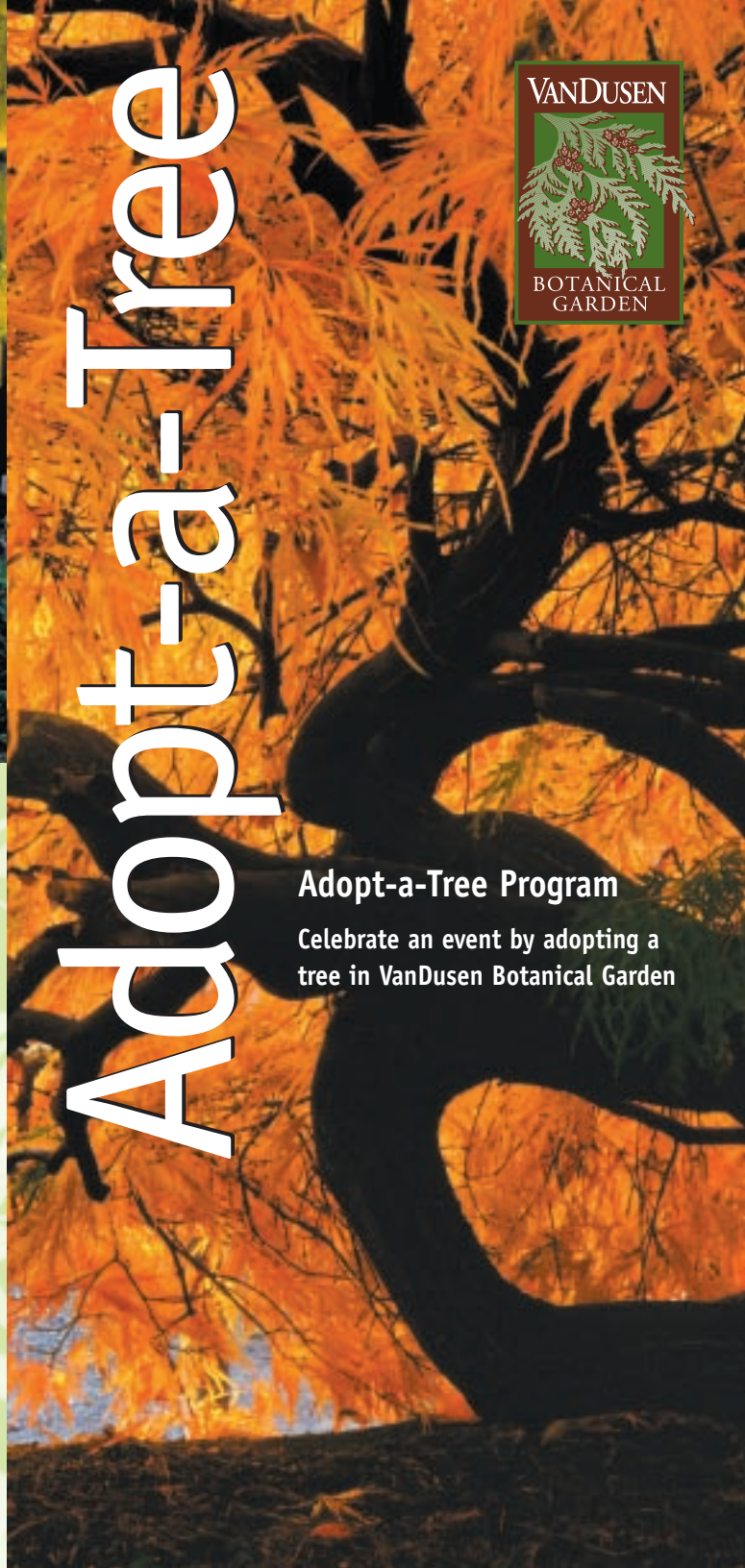
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Adopt-a-Tree



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Celebrate an event by adopting a
tree in VanDusen Botanical Garden





DID YOU KNOW?

Trees have been given as gifts to a special person to commemorate the birth of a child, the beginning of a marriage, a birthday milestone, an anniversary of a loving couple or the life of a cherished friend or family member.

Throughout its 55 acres, VanDusen Botanical Garden has many beautiful, often rare trees. The Adopt-a-Tree Program provides an opportunity to form a personal or family relationship with a 'special' tree in the Garden.

The \$2,000 minimum donation for each adoption helps to build the VanDusen Endowment Fund supporting ongoing Garden programs and projects.

Individuals, families or groups are invited to participate in the tree adoption. Tax receipts will be issued to each donor.

A gold-coloured plaque inscribed with the botanical and common names of the tree and the dedication will be placed on the tree. Dedicatory text is limited to statements such as "Adopted by", "Adopted for", "Given by", "Given for" or "For", followed by the name of the person for whom the tree is adopted.



Trees are adopted for a period of 20 years. In the unlikely event that a tree dies within that time, it will be replaced with a new, young specimen. The choice of the replacement tree will be at the discretion of the Garden management. During the adoption period, labels will be replaced if lost or damaged.

After 20 years, the donor will be contacted to determine if the adoption of the tree will be renewed. For this reason it is important to keep the VanDusen Botanical Garden Association informed of any change of contact name, address and/or telephone number.