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Friendship Tea Service at The Dallas Arboretum January 5 – February 26

DALLAS - The Dallas Arboretum, the nationally acclaimed display garden on the shores of White Rock Lake in East Dallas, announces its Friendship Tea menu. The Friendship Teas take will take place Thursday to Sunday, January 5 to February 26, with two seatings at 11:00am and 2:00pm.

'The Arboretum's seated teas over the last eleven years have been one of the most beautiful entertainment experiences in our part of the country', stated Mary Brinegar, President of the Dallas Arboretum. The teas take place in the *Restaurant DeGolyer*, formerly the DeGolyer Garden Café and Tea Room.

Tea service begins with a demitasse of seasonal soup. This is followed by an assortment of delicious tea sandwiches and then a finale of scrumptious petit deserts. Scones with clotted cream and jam accompany the meal and each guest has a choice of tea selections.

The cost of seated tea is \$38 per person and \$48 for Champagne Tea for adults and children ages thirteen and older. Private teas can be arranged in another facility in the garden if a larger

group would like to share this experience together. Pricing includes admission to the garden, parking and gratuity. Advance reservations are required. A 72 hour cancellation policy for payment refund applies. Call 214-766-5433 or 214-515-6511 for reservations.

The menu for Friendship Tea:

First Course

Tomato Broth

Second Course

Tea Sandwiches

Poppyseed Bread with Cream Cheese

Turkey with Orange Butter on Rosemary Bread

Egg Salad on Pumpernickel Bread

Creamed Cucumber on White Bread

Chicken Salad on Croissant

Third Course

Date Bars

Tea Cakes

Chocolate Covered Strawberries

Lemon Curd Tart

Orange Currant Scones with Strawberry Jam & Clotted Cream

Tea Selections

Oolong (Pumpkin Spice)

Rooibos Herbal Chai (Decaffeinated)

Pomegranate Sencha (Green)

Darjeeling

Dallas Arboretum and Botanical Garden is located on the southeastern shore of White Rock Lake at 8525 Garland Road in Dallas, Texas.

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