

# PLANTING FIELDS



FOUNDATION

P.O. Box 660  
Oyster Bay, NY 11771

## **DEED OF GIFT to PLANTING FIELDS FOUNDATION**

**Donor Name, Address and Phone:**  
**Sarane Ross**

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Hereafter referred to as the "Owner" of the property described below, hereby gives, transfers, assigns, and delivers all of the Owner's right, title, and interest in and to the property described below, including any literary rights which the Owner may possess in and to said property to the Planting Fields Foundation as an unrestricted gift.

Dated this 14 day of May, 2014  
Sarane H. Ross  
(Signature of donor)

#### **TRUSTEES**

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#### **Description of Property:**

- Thermometer, early 20<sup>th</sup> century, condition as is found

The Planting Fields Foundation hereby accepts the above property under the conditions specified above.

Dated this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2014

[Signature]

For Planting Fields Foundation  
Gwendolyn L. Smith, Curator

[Signature]  
Witness

Please sign both copies of the Deed of Gift form. One copy is retained by Planting Fields Foundation.

Henry B. Joyce  
*Executive Director*

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*Planting Fields Foundation collaborates with the New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation to preserve, interpret and enhance Planting Fields Arboretum State Historic Park, as a premier Long Island Gold Coast estate and arboretum, by providing educational and enriching experiences.*

Ms. Sarane Ross  
Barker Welfare Foundation  
PO Box 2  
Glen Head, NY 11545

July 21, 2014

Dear Ms. Ross,

Henry and I both wanted to thank you for the thermometer that you gifted in May. It is absolutely perfect with our collections, and has taken up a new home in our Gallery--it is in remarkably good condition and the design of it is exquisite. It blends in just delightfully with our 1920s Charles Duveen designed interiors, and we could not be more thrilled to have you think of us at Planting Fields Foundation and Coe Hall.

Thank you for your kind generosity, and we wish you all the best this year.

Kindest Wishes,

Gwendolyn L. Smith  
Curator