48th Annual Spring Plant Sale

Saturday May 7 and Sunday May 8, 2016

**Plant Sale Hours**

Saturday, May 7, 9 am to 4 pm
Sunday, May 8, 9 am to 4 pm

- The sale will be held at the Arboretum’s picnic shelter area near the Marion Andrus Learning Center.
- Come early for best selection.
- Bring carrying containers for your purchases: boxes, wagons, carts.
- There will be a pickup area where you can drive up and load your plants.
- We also have a few golf carts with volunteers to drive you and your plants to your car.

**Payment**

- Please assist us in maximizing our support of the MLA by using cash or checks. However, if you wish to use a credit card, we gladly accept Visa, MasterCard, Amex and Discover.
- Volunteers will make a list of your purchases which you will hand to a cashier for payment.
- Please keep your receipt as you may need to show it to a volunteer as you exit.
- There will be an Express lane for purchases of 10 items or fewer.

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Shade Perennials

Interest in Shade Gardening continues to grow as more homeowners are finding their landscapes becoming increasingly shady because of the growth of trees and shrubs. Shade plants are those that require little or no direct sun, such as those in northern exposures or under trees or in areas where the sun is blocked for much of the day. Available from us are many newly introduced plants and old favorites which can add striking foliage and appealing flowers to brighten up your shade garden.

You will find Shade Perennials in the SHADE BUILDING.

**Actaea simplex** 'Atropurpurea' (Snakeroot) -- 5-6' Fragrant, pale pink flowers. Deep green to bronzy-purple foliage. Early fall.


**Adenophora liliifolia** (Lilley Ladybells) -- 3' Nodding light blue bells are gentry lobed and fragrant. Free-flowering.

**Aegopodium podograria 'Variegatum'** (Goutweed) -- 6-14' Vigorous, densely-foliaged ground cover, spread by underground stolons. White flower. Spring.


**Ajuga reptans** -- 'Binlasca' BLACK SCALLOP (Bugleweed) -- 3-6' Compact spreading habit. Large, glossy dark purple-black scalloped leaves. Deep blue spikes of flowers in early spring to early summer. Good ground cover.

**Alchemilla mollis** (Lady’s Mantle) -- 1-1½' Gray-green fan-shaped mound foliage, holds morning dew for hours. Easy for sun or shade in reasonably good garden soil. Loose-clustered yellow-green flowers bloom late spring. Self-sows even under trees.

**Alchemilla sericata 'Gold Strike'** (Lady’s Mantle) 12-14' Low ground cover with chartreuse flowers blooming late spring to early summer. Good filler in bouquets. Full sun to partial shade.

**Amsonia hubrichtii** -- 24' Steel-blue flowers. Willowy foliage turns golden in fall. Native to SW U.S. Early spring.


**Anemone multifida 'Rubra'** (Anemone) -- 12-18' Glowing carmine-red flowers. Deeply divided, hairy basal leaves. May-June.

**Anemone sylvestris** (Snowdrop Anemone) -- 18' Single pure white solitary flowers about 1 1/2” wide and often nodding. May-June.


**Anemonella thalictroides** 'Cameo' (Double Rue Anemone) -- 4-10” Pale clear pink double flowers with finely divided, fern-like foliage. May go dormant in early summer. Woodland wildflower. Spring.

**Anemonella thalictroides** 'Snowball' (Double Rue Anemone) -- 4-10” White to light pink double flowers with finely divided, fern-like foliage. May go dormant in early summer. Woodland native, rare. Spring.

**Aquilegia 'Origami Blue & White'** (Columbine) -- 15-16” Blue and white flower.

**Aquilegia 'Origami Red & White'** (Columbine) -- 16” Dainty red and white flowers on a compact many branched plant. Cut back in the fall.

**Aquilegia caerulea 'Blue Jay'** (Rocky Mountain Columbine) -- 2-12” Deep blue sepalas, white petals.

**Aquilegia chrysantha** (Golden Columbine) -- 30-36” Fragrant, long-spurred, canary-yellow flowers. Thin leaves are downy on their underside. May-July.


**Asarum aethusifolius** (Dwarf Goat’s-beard) -- 12” Deep green, finely divided foliage with reddish fall color. Creamy-white flowers in early summer. Seed pods. Can take full sun if soil remains moist.

**Asarum dioicium 'Child of Two Worlds'** (Goat’s-beard) -- 4’ Showy white panicles, feathery foliage. Early summer.

**Asarum europaeum** (European Wild Ginger) -- 5” An excellent ground cover for shaded situations with glossy, evergreen leaves 2-3”. The flowers are greenish-purple or brown. Easily propagated by division.

**Astilbe 'Delft Lace'** (False Spirea) -- 2-3’ Apricot-pink plumes on red stems in early to midsummer. Lacy blue-green foliage overlaid with silver. Leaves can have red high-light color. Burgundy fall color.

**Astilbe 'Deutschland'** (False Spirea) -- Japonica Group--24’ Clear white flowers. E.

**Astilbe 'Fanal'** (False Spirea) -- Arendssii Group--24” Narrow, dark red flower; bronze foliage. M.

**Astilbe ‘Maggie Daley’** (False Spirea) -- 28” Purple plumes. Distinctive foliage. M.

**Astilbe ‘Montgomery’** (False Spirea) -- Japonica Group--22” Deep orange-red plumes on dark red stems. M.

**Astilbe ‘Rheinland’** (False Spirea) -- Japonica Group--20” Bright pink flower, floriferous. VE.

**Astilbe ‘Sprite’** (False Spirea) -- Simplificolia Group--PPA '94--12’ Light pink flower, arching plumes. M.

**Astilbe chinensis** 'Visions in White' (False Spirea) -- 18-24” Large creamy-white plumes. Smooth, glossy, green foliage. M.

**Bergenia ‘Winterglod’** / 'Winter Glow' -- 12-15” Large glossy, thick, cabbage-like leaves are bright green, but turn bronze in cold weather. Red flower. Spring.

**Bergenia purpurascens** -- 14” Dark pink to purple-red flowers. Foliage sometimes purple especially in fall. Spring.

**Bergenia x hybrida ‘Perfect’** (Heartleaf Bergenia)—Lilac-red flower, purple-brown foliage.

**Brunnera macrophylla** 'Alexander's Great' (Siberian Bugloss) 14” A gigantic mound of heart shaped, heavily silvered leaves. Blue flowers in the spring.

**Brunnera macrophylla** 'Jack Frost' (Variegated False Forget-me-not) -- 12-18” It bears showy small blue flowers in clusters, like those of a “Forget-me-not.” The leaves are large, heart-shaped, and variegated. Deep moist soil.

**Brunnera macrophylla ‘Sea Heart’** (Siberian Bugloss) 6-12” Early spring blooms open white and blue maturing to lavender-purple. Olive green foliage overlaid with silver, intricate & Beautiful. Part shade - full shade.

**Brunnera macrophylla ‘Variegata’** (Heartleaf Brunnera) -- 12” It bears showy small blue flowers in clusters, like those of a “Forget-me-not.” The large, heart-shaped leaves are variegated with creamy-white color.

**Chelone gloriosa** -- 6' Showy white panicles, like those of a “Forget-me-not.” The leaves are large, heart-shaped, and variegated. Deep moist soil.

**Chelone gloriosa** 'Montgomery' -- 12-18” It bears showy small blue flowers in clusters, like those of a “Forget-me-not.” The large, heart-shaped leaves are variegated with creamy-white color. Needs shade and moisture to prevent leaf margins from scorching. Deep moist soil.

**Chelone gloriosa** 'Sprite' (Heartleaf Brunnera) -- 12” It bears showy small blue flowers in clusters, like those of a “Forget-me-not.” The large, heart-shaped leaves are variegated with creamy-white color.

**Digitalis purpurea** -- 24” Spikes of brilliant blue hooded flowers. Can take full sun or shade in reasonably good garden soil.

**Dicentra formosa** 'Luxuriant' (Pacific Bleeding-Heart) -- 12-18” Ferny, green foliage. Cherry-red flower, ever-blooming from May-October.

**Dicentra spectabilis** (Old-fashioned Bleeding Heart) -- 2-3’ An old favorite. Forms graceful mounds of foliage with an equal spread. The pink heart-shaped flowers appear in late May and June. Well-draining soil.

**Dicentra spectabilis** 'Alba' (Old-fashioned Bleeding-Heart) -- 30” Similar to D. spectabilis, has lighter green foliage and pure white flowers. June.

**Dicentra spectabilis** 'Gold Heart' (Bleeding-Heart) -- 24’ Pink flower. Unusual chartreuse foliage. A spring beauty!

**Dicentra spectabilis** 'Hordival' Valentine (Bleeding-Heart) -- 2-3’ Heart-shaped flowers with red outer petals and white inner petals. Dark green foliage has hint of red.

**Dicentra x ‘Love Hearts’** (Bleeding Hearts) 10-12in -- Long blooming with blue-green foliage.

**Digitalis purpurea** 'Candy Mountain' (Foxglove) -- Rosy-pink flowers face upward on strong stems that withstand wind and rain. Attracts hummingbirds and resists deer! June-July. Toxic. Biennial.

**Digitalis purpurea** 'Dalmatian Peach' (Foxglove) -- 24-36” Pinkish-peach flowers lighten to a soft peach with tiny orange speckled throats. Compact clumps. Sun - partial shade. Attracts hummingbirds & butterflies. Deer & rabbit resistant. Toxic.

**Digitalis purpurea** 'Snowy Mountain' (Foxglove) 24-36” Upward facing white flowers with speckled burgundy throats. Sturdy stems.


**Dracontium icarieum** 'Fuji Blue' (Bigflower Dragonhead) -- 12’ Spikes of brilliant blue hooded flowers. Needle-like, green foliage; clumping habit. Early June to mid-Aug.
Ligularia stenophylla 'The Rocket' (Leopard Plant) -- 4' Bright yellow stately trusses. Toothed foliage, purplish stems.

Lobelia cardinalis (Cardinal Flower) -- 3' Green foliage, scarlet spikes. Hardier than 'Queen Victoria'. MN Native.

Lobelia fulgens 'Queen Victoria' (Cardinal Flower) -- 3-4' Spikes of rich, bright scarlet. Handsome maroon foliage. Summer-fall.


Mertensia virginica (Virginia Bluebells) -- 2-3' A strong stolon perennial with a smooth stem. Loose, one-sided blue flower clusters nodding in early spring. Goes dormant after flowering. MN Native.

Minuartia verna (Irish Moss) -- 3" Dense mat of small, dark green, narrow leaves. Tiny white flowers. Prefers shade, protected location. Ground cover.

Myosotis sylvatica 'Victoria Blue' (Forget-me-not) -- 6-8" Biennial. Grey-green leaves with clusters of bright sky-blue flowers with a tiny yellow eye. Full sun to partial shade.

Pachysandra terminalis 'Green Carpet' (Japanese Spurge) -- 6-8"Rich green foliage, more compact andhardier than species. Good ground cover.

Podophyllum peltatum (Mayapple) -- 18" Large leaves form an umbrella over small white waxy flowers. Yellow fruits resemble a very small apple. Easily grown under trees in rich, moist soil. Will tolerate some sun.

Polemonium reptans 'Stairway to Heaven' (Creeping Jacob's Ladder) -- 12-15" Blue bells. An attractive plant for the wild garden, may be divided after blooming.

Polemonium reptans 'Touch of Class' (Creeping Jacob's Ladder) -- 12-15" Pale blue bells. An attractive plant for the wild garden, may be divided after blooming.

Polygonatum biflorum (Small Solomon's Seal) -- 2-3' Woodland wildflower with arching stem. White flowers followed by black berries. MN Native.

Polygonatum odoratum 'Variegatum' (Variegated Japanese Solomon's Seal) -- 2-3' Burgundy stems support soft green leaves with creamy-white margins. Fragrant tiny, white bell flowers in late spring and early summer mature to blue-black berries in the fall. Golden-yellow fall foliage.

Prunella 'Summer Duze' (Self Heal) -- 18" Mat forming ground cover. Dense spikes of rose-purple flowers. Does well in light sun.


Pulmonaria 'Trevi Fountain' (Lungwort) -- 12" Lance-shaped leaves are medium green with silver spots. Cobalt-blue flowers. Early spring.

Sagina subulata (Corsican Pearlwort) -- 2-4" Moss-like evergreen perennial. Suited for shady site, is excellent for planting between stepping stones. Small white flowers on short stalks.

Sagina subulata 'Aurea' (Corsican Pearlwort) -- 2-4" Yellowish leaves with white flowers. Plant in between stepping stones.

Sanguinaria canadensis 'Multiplex' (Double Bloodroot) -- 6" This naturally occurring double bloodroot has not been dug from the wild, it is propagated by division by a northern grower. White water-lily like flowers for woodland or shade garden. Prefers moist, well-drained, rich humus soil. March-May.

Stylidium diphylloides (Celandine Poppy) -- 20" Native plant in rich, moist woods. 2" golden flowers. Pendulous seed pods.

Thalictrum flavum ssp. glaucum (Dusty Meadow-rue) -- 3-5' Valued for the beautiful contrast between its blue-green foliage and soft creamy-yellow, fragrant flowers. Plant in rich soil for best results. Mid- to late summer.

Thalictrum rochebrunianum (Meadow-rue) -- 5'H x 2'W Reddish-lilac flowers. Glabrous foliage. Striking! Mid-July to early Sept.

Tiarella 'Spring Symphony' (Foamflower) -- 10" Profusion of pink flowers. Deeply cut leaves marked with black blotch in their centers. Compact, clump-forming habit. Mid-to late spring.


Tricyrtis formosana stolonifera (Japanese Toad-lily) 2-3" Narrow, glossy dark green leaves with occasional purple speckling. The white star-shaped flowers are splashed with purple spots. Moist woodland for best results.

Shade Perennials Continued

**Trollius chinensis ‘Golden Queen’** (Globe Flower) -- 2’ Deep orange-yellow, cup-shaped flowers. Deeply lobed and toothed leaves. May-Aug.

**Vinca minor ‘Bowles Variety’** (Periwinkle) -- 4-6” Evergreen groundcover with dark green leaves and intense blue-violet flowers appear just above the foliage.

**Viola ‘Etain’** (Violet) -- 8-10” Yellow flowers with lavender margins.


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**ABOUT THE AUXILIRY**

The Auxiliary is a group of Arboretum enthusiasts who volunteer time and talent to support the work of the Arboretum. Volunteer and educational opportunities exist on many levels for our members. The Auxiliary presents fund-raising events which include: Spring Plant Sale (in May), Summer Garden Tours (in July), Fall Harvest Sale and Quilt Raffle (in September) and Holiday Sale (in December).

To prepare for our fund-raising events we have specialty groups who combine their talents and help others learn new skills in the following areas: Quilting (Contemporary and Traditional Groups), Floral Designers (aka Hot Glue Gun Girls), Fiber Arts (aka Material Girls), Botanicals (aka Spice Girls), Garden Art Group and Paper Crafting Group.

The Auxiliary holds quarterly meetings followed by lunches with educational speakers. Workshops and informal get-togethers during the year provide educational, enrichment, and socializing opportunities for our members. We have a Board of Directors and produce a quarterly newsletter. The Auxiliary welcomes all Arboretum members to join.

You can join by calling 612-625-9865 or email arbaux@umn.edu to indicate your interest. Your call or email will be returned.
Ferns

Ferns are essential in shade gardens. They provide spectacular foliage and many different shades of green. They combine beautifully with Hosta and other shade plants and fill spaces left by early spring bulbs such as Narcissus and tulips. They are tough, long-lasting and easily grown. They are low-maintenance plants that have excellent disease and insect resistance. For optimum results, grow them in a cool location with well-drained and moisture-retentive soil.

Find Ferns in the SHADE BUILDING.

Adiantum pedatum (Maidenhair Fern) -- 18-26” Feathery fronds, black stems. Needs moist, woodsy, acid soil. MN Native.
Athyrium filix-femina (Lady Fern) -- 30” Large, vigorous showy fern with lacy-cut lance shaped leaves. For fairly moist semi-shade.
Athyrium filix-femina ‘Lady in Red’ (Lady Fern ‘Lady in Red’) -- 30” Large, vigorous, showy fern with lacy-cut lance-shaped leaves. Red stems hold their color all season. For fairly moist semi-shade. Not evergreen.
Athyrium niponicum var. pictum (Japanese Painted Fern) -- 2’ Exciting purple, gray, green variegated foliage. Perfectly hardy.
Athyrium niponicum var. pictum x A. filix-femina ‘Ghost’ (Lady Fern ‘Ghost’) -- 2-3’ Large, vigorous, showy fern with silver lacy-cut lance-shaped leaves. For fairly moist semi-shade. Upright vase-shaped habit.
Matteuccia struthiopteris (Ostrich Fern) -- 3’ Tall, erect gracefully arching plants. Edible fiddle-heads. Deciduous. MN Native.
Onoclea sensibilis (Sensitive Fern) -- 12-24” Coarse fern found in wet soils where it can stand considerable exposure to sun. Grows easily in shade and humus-rich acid soil. MN Native.
Osmunda regalis (Royal Fern) -- 4’ Majestic fern growing in moist soils usually at edge of permanent water. Fresh green fronds. Adaptable to a variety of soil types and conditions. MN Native.

2016 Auxiliary Summer Garden Tours

Sunday, July 10
Tuesday, July 12
Wednesday, July 13

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Come tour with us in air conditioned motor coaches followed by Sunday brunch or weekday lunch buffet which will be served on the Morgan Terrace outside the Snyder Building. Once again the Auxiliary has discovered four lovely gardens that are a source of comfort and fun, both for the owners and those who visit. They include a restored shoreline providing a natural habitat for wildlife and plants, beautiful wooded areas as well as sunny gardens, many water features, a rock garden, and a mix of beautiful trees, flowers, hostas, interspersed with herbs, fruits and vegetables.

Reservations will be available beginning May 1st. Online information and registration available at www.arboretum.umn.edu/auxiliarygardentours.aspx. Call 612-625-9865 with questions.
**Sun Perennials**

Full sun perennials are those plants we most often see in the glossy gardening magazines that make our pulses run faster. They are the backbone of traditional perennial borders and cottage gardens with their riot of color, fragrance and eye-catching textures and shapes. Full-sun perennials are easy to grow as long as they aren’t planted in heavy clay soils which stay wet in winter and can lead to rotting. Many sun plants will tolerate some shade in the morning or late afternoon, but sun between 9 am and 3 pm is critical to their success.

You will find Sun Perennials in the SUN TENT.

**Achillea ‘Moonshine’** (Yarrow) -- 2’ Finely dissected, silvery foliage. Light yellow flowers.


**Achillea millefolium ‘Blue Fortune’** (Hypericum) -- 2’-3’ Violet-blue flowers. Needs well-drained soil.

**Agastache ‘Orange Hysso’** (Hysso) -- 12” x 12” Full sun to part shade. The flowers are bronze with hints of orange and yellow. Full season of blooms. Well-drained soils.


**Allium caeruleum** (Ornamental Onion) -- 12-15”H x 12”W Sky blue round flower heads.

**Armeria maritima** ‘Splendens’ (Thrift) -- 12” Dark pink flowers. Over green grassy clump.


**Baptisia ‘Twile Prairieblues™** (False Indigo) -- 4’-5’ A true bi-color Baptisia with deep purple-violet flowers and a lemon-yellow keel in center. Full sun - light shade.

**Baptisia australis** (Blue Wild Indigo) -- 3’-4’ Spikes of blue pea-like blooms in June, black seed pods useful in dried arrangements. Clover-shaped foliage of blue-green. Good cutting flower as well. Light acid soil, full sun to partial shade.

**Baptisia lactea** ‘White Prairie’ (White Wild Indigo) -- 3-5’ Full sun, most soils, slow growing, long living. A true show piece.

**Belamcanda chinensis** (Blackberry Lily) -- 2-3’ Member of the Iris family, orange speckled blooms in July-August. Sandy loam, full sun, needs winter protection of roots. Pods, which split open revealing shining black seeds, are excellent for dried bouquets. Self-sows.

**Brunnera macrophylla** ‘Alexander’s Great’ (False Forget Me Not) -- 14” King sized specimen. Sky blue flowers in spring. Moist, well-drained soils.

**Calamintha nepeta** ‘Montrose White’ (Calamin Savory) -- 12-18” Pure white flowers all summer on a compact, mounding plant.

**Callirhoe involucrata** ‘Wine Cups’ (Poppy Mallow) 1999 Plant Select Winner -- 5’ x 24-30”W Rich wine red flowers with white eye cover the plant all summer. Most soils.

**Campanula** ‘Summertime Blues’ (Bellflower) -- 20” x 16” W Sun to part shade. Drooping silver-blue bells over dark green mound. Sandy or clay soils.

**Campanula glomerata** ‘Freya’ (Clustered Bell-flower) -- 16” Clusters of star-shaped lilac-purple flowers in June and July. Strong upright habit. Deer resistant.

**Campanula punctata** ‘Cherry Bells’ (Spotted Bellflower) 12-24” Large, tubular, bell-like flowers 2” long are cherry red with inside spotting. Deer resistant. Upright habit. Midsummer bloom time.

**Centaura montana** (Mountain Bluet) -- 2’ Large, showy violet-blue cornflower. Blooms May until midsummer, often with a secondary bloom in September. Will spread easily in good soil.

**Centaura montana** ‘Amethyst in Snow’ (Mountain Bluet) -- 18-24” Large, showy white cornflower with purple centers. Blooms May until midsummer, often with a secondary bloom in September. Will spread easily in good soil.

**Clematis recta** (Ground Clematis) -- 2-5’ Fragrant white flowers in clusters from June-Sept. Herbaceous perennial border plant. Compact growth habit and foliage that stays attractive after blooming.

**Coreopsis ‘Creme Brulée’** (Coreopsis) -- 15-20” Buttery-yellow flowers.


**Coreopsis** ‘Leading Lady Charlize’ (Tickseed) -- 18” x 12”W Yes, named after Char-lize Theron! All summer double yellow blooms! Cold and heat tolerant. Mildew resistant.

**Coreopsis grandiflora** ‘Early Sunrise’ (Tickseed) -- 18” Semi-double golden-yellow flowers. June-Sept.

**Coreopsis grandiflora** ‘Golden Sphere Solana™’ (Tickseed) -- 10-18” Fluffy golden yellow, pompom flowers. Leathery green foliage. Early summer to late fall.

**Delairea purpurea** ‘Stephanie’ (Purple Prairie Clover) -- 15-18” Bright lavender flowers, orange stamens, and delicate foliage. July-Aug.

**Delphinium ‘Blue Bird’** (Larkspur) -- 3-6’ Flowers are clear blue with white centers. Full sun - partial shade. Attracts hummingbirds & butterflies. Deer & rabbit resistant.

**Delphinium ‘Magic Fountains Dark Blue’** (Larkspur) -- 24” Dark blue shades with blue-black bees.

**Delphinium ‘Magic Fountains Sky Blue’** (Larkspur) -- 30-36” Sky blue flowers with white bees.

**Delphinium ‘Summer Skies’** (Larkspur) 47-70” -- Light blue with white bees.

**Delphinium grandiflorum** ‘Summer Cloud’ (Siberian Larkspur) -- 10-12” Compact habit. Bicolor deep blue & white flowers with lacy foliage from early to late summer. Full sun - partial shade. Attracts hummingbirds & butterflies. Deer & rabbit resistant.


**Dianthus** ‘Cheyenne’ (Pinks) -- 12” Large, fragrant, double, pink, hardy carnation. Long bloom period.

**Dianthus** ‘Coconut Surprise’ (Pinks) -- 8-10” x 8-10” Spicy fragrance. Grey-blue foliage in a compact habit. Long bloom time. Double frilly white petals with a burlundy eye.

**Dianthus** ‘Kahori’ (Pinks) -- 6-12” Compact mound of grey-green foliage topped with pink flowers in spring continuing sporadically through most of the summer. Full sun. Attracts butterflies. Deer resistant.

**Dianthus ‘Raspberry Swirl’** (Pinks) -- 6-12” Single, light pink flowers with deep maroon picotee edges and eye. Ages with the pink going to white and the maroon to magenta. Dead heading may get another bloom in the fall. Full sun - Partial shade. Attracts butterflies, deer resistant.

**Dianthus barbatus ‘Heart Attack’** (Sweet William) -- 10-12” -- Bears showy clusters of velvety-red fragrant flowers from late spring to early summer. Excellent cut flower. Prune back hard in midsummer.


**Echinacea** ‘Red Summer Sky’ ( Coneflower) -- 24-36” Big Sky™ Series. Bright orange-red petals surround a dark brown cone. Large, 5” dia. flower. Blooms from early summer to mid-fall.


*Euflowerococcus sieboldianus* ‘Variegatus’ (Variegated Five-leaf Aralia) -- 8' H x 6-10' W Leaflets with creamy-white edges on a medium shrub. Low maintenance accent or barrier plant.

*Euforpium maculatum* ‘Gateway’ (Joe-Pye-weed) -- 4-6' Pinkish-purple flowers, 9 to 15 per head. Purple speckled and motled stems. Aug.-Sept.


*Euphorbia polychroma* (Cushion Euphorbia) -- 12’ A perennial growing into a dense clump. Spreads slowly. Yellow bracts in early spring. Soft green foliage turns bright red in fall.


*Gaillardia aristata* ‘Arizona Red Shades’ (Blanket Flower) -- 12’H x 10-12’W Brilliant red flowers bloom from June to Sept.

*Geranium* ‘Brookside’ (Cranesbill) -- 12-18’ Large, cup-shaped, purple-blue flowers have dark purple veins and white centers. Compact habit and long summer bloom period.

*Geranium macrorrhizum* ‘Bevan’s Beauty’ (Bigroot Geranium) -- 12-18’ Deep magenta flowers with red sepals. Aromatic plant makes a good ground cover. Spring-late summer.


*Geranium x cantabrigiensis* ‘Biokovo’ (Cranesbill) -- 12’ White petals with tinge of pink. Lovely successions of bloom. Valuable for border or ground cover. June-July.

2015 Perennial of the Year.

*Geum coccineum* ‘Borisil’ (Boris Avens) -- 12’ Brilliant orange 1/2’ flowers carried on leafy stems. Likes well-drained soil, sun. Good ground cover. Early summer.


*Helianthus annuamum* ‘Salsa’ (Sneezeweed) -- 18-20’ Bright red flowers surrounding a golden chocolate center. Full sun. Aromatic flowers & hummingbirds. Deer resistant.

*Helianthus annuamum* ‘Sombrero’ (Sneezeweed) -- 18-20’ Compact variety with bright yellow petals surrounding a yellow cone over dark green foliage. Good for cutting. Full sun. Attracts butterflies, rabbit resistant.


*Helianthus hummularium* ‘Wisley Pink’ (Sun Rose) -- 12’ Frosty, gray leaves with fresh pink flowers. Tender.

*Helianthus ‘Lemon Queen’* (Sunflower) – 6’ Lemon-yellow flowers. Clump selection. Late summer.

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*Heliospion heliophanes* ‘Summer Sun’ (Ox Eye, False Sunflower) -- 30-48’ Soft-yellow, daisy-like flowers. Summer through fall.

*Heuchera ‘Cajun Fire’* (Coral Bells) -- 9’ Red spring foliage turns black in summer, then maroon in fall. White flowers with dark stems.


*Heuchera ‘Southern Comfort’* (Coral Bells) -- 10-14’ Rounded leaves emerge cinnamon-pink, mature to burnished copper then amber. White flowers. June-July.

*Hibiscus moscheutos* ‘Disco Belle Rosy Red’ (Common Rose Mallow) -- 20-30’H x 24”W Huge, 9’ dia. rosy-red flowers on compact plants. Prefers moist soil. Late to emerge in spring. Aug.-Sept.

*Hibiscus moscheutos* ‘Disco Belle White’ (Common Rose Mallow) -- 20-30’H x 24”W Huge, 9’ dia. white flowers on compact plants. Prefers moist soil. Late to emerge in spring. Aug.-Sept.

*Iris ‘Edith Woldorf’* (TB) -- 35” Light canary-yellow standards, medium blue-violet falls. M.

*Iris ‘Immortality’* (TB) -- 29” Pure white flower with light lemon-yellow beards. Reblooms in late summer. M.

*Iris ‘Saturday Night Live’* (TB) -- 37” Deep ruby flower. EM to L.

*Iris ‘Stairway to Heaven’* (TB) -- 40” Creamy-white standards, medium blue falls. EM.

*Iris germanica* ‘Apricot Silk’ (Tall Bearded Iris) -- 24” Apricot petals with orange beards. E to M bloomtime. Reblooms.

*Iris germanica* ‘Golden Blue’ -- 24” Royal-purple with spotted and streaked white markings. Yellow beards. L.

*Iris pallida* ‘Variegata’ (Variegated Sweet Iris) -- 3’ Bearded flowers lavender-blue to white. Fragrant. Silvery, variegated foliage. May-June.

*Iris sibirica* ‘Caesar’s Brother’ (Siberian Iris) -- 36” Dark velvet purple petals.


*Kalimeris yomena* ‘Variegata’ -- 2’H x 3’W Creamy-gold and white variegated, aster-like foliage. Lavender daisy-like flowers from July to September.


*Leucanthemum ‘Becky’* (Shasta Daisy) PPA 2003 -- 3’ Long lasting, large 2 1/2-3’ dia. single white flower. Mid-late summer.

*Leucanthemum superbum* ‘Alaska’ (Shasta Daisy) -- 2’ Large, single white flower. June-July.


*Lilium orientale* ‘Casa Blanca’ ( Oriental Lily) -- 28” Sweetly fragrant, bowl-shaped pure white flower. Good cut flower.

*Lupinus* ‘Popsicle Blue’ (Lupine) -- 18-24” Dwarf variety with purplish-blue flowers and emerald green foliage. Attracts hummingbirds! Late spring to early summer.

*Lupinus* ‘Popsicle Red’ (Lupine) -- 18-24” Dwarf variety with bright red flowers and emerald green foliage. Attracts hummingbirds! Late spring to early summer.

*Lupinus ‘Russell Hybride’ (Lupine) -- 30” Long, closely set spikes of extra-large blue-purple flowers all summer. Grey-green foliage.


*Malva sylvestris ‘Zehrina’* (High Mallow) -- 3’ White to deep pink flowers with petals conspicuously feathered with purple or dark red.

*Monarda ‘Blaustumppf’/Blue Stocking* (Bee balm) – 3’ Deep violet-purple flowers.

*Monarda ‘Coral Reef’* (Bee balm) – 30-36’ Neon coral-pink flowers.

*Monarda ‘Jacob Cline’* (Bee balm) -- 4’ Large red flowers. Vigorous. Mildew resistant.

*Monarda ‘Marshall’s Delight’* (Bee balm) -- 2-3’ Medium pink flowers. Mildew resistant.

*Monarda ‘Petite Delight’* (Bee balm) – 12-15” Purple flowers. Mildew resistant.

*Monarda ‘Raspberry Wine’* (Bee balm) -- 3-4’ Clear wine-red flowers. Disease resistant. Long flowering.


Sun Perennials Continued

Papaver orientale ‘Royal Wedding’ (Oriental Poppy) -- 32” Pure white flower with black centers.

**Penstemon** 'Dark Towers' (Beardtongue) -- 36-42” Spikes of lavender-pink flowers in summer. Deep purplish-red foliage all season.

**Penstemon schmidal** 'Hot Pink Riding Hood' (Beardtongue) -- 24-30” Hot pink tubular flowers are a magnet for hummingbirds. Profuse bloomer. Rabbit resistant and drought tolerant.

**Penstemon schmidal** ‘Purple Riding Hood’ (Beardtongue) -- Vigorous, upright and compact habit. Dark red purple and dark blue flowers arranged on strong stems. Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds. Excellent choice for perennial borders and cutting gardens.

**Penstemon schmidal** ‘Red Riding Hood’ (Beardtongue) -- Beautiful, bright red, tubular flowers on long stems over this hummingbird attracting variety. The upright habit and long lasting color make this a great plant for perennial borders, rock gardens and cutting gardens. (Native Display)


**Perovskia atriplicifolia** ‘Filigran’ (Russian Sage) -- 42” Highly dissected foliage and longer flowering period than the species. Lavender-blue flowers. July-Sept.


Persicaria polymorpha (Fleece Flower) -- 5-6’ Fluffy creamy-white plumes bloom all summer.


Physostegia virginiana ‘Crystal Peak White’ (Dwarf Obedient Plant) -- 16-18” Dwarf selection of a Native wildflower. Classy white flowers, excellent for cutting. Will tolerate wet conditions.


Platycodon grandiflorus ‘Sentimental Blue’ (Balloon Flower) -- 8” Hybrid dwarf bred for use as pot plant, blooms first year. Many intense blue flowers.

Pulsatilla vulgaris (European Pasqueflower) -- 8-10” Lavender bell-shaped flowers.

Ranunculus repens ‘Buttered Popcorn’ (Gold Variegated Buttercup) -- 8-10” Gold, chartreuse, and green variegated serrated leaves. Most colorful in sun. Flowers good ground cover.

Rudbeckia ‘Denver Daisy’ (Black-eyed Susan) -- 18-28” Striking, dark-eyed, long-rayed golden daisy. Hybridized from native Rudbeckia hirta.


**Rudbeckia fulgida** ‘Viete’s Little Suzie’ (Black-eyed Susan) -- 12-15” Golden-yellow flowers with dark cones. Disease resistant. Late summer-fall.

Salvia nemorosa ‘Blaublue’/’Blue Hill’ -- 20-24” Violet spires in late spring.


**Salvia nemorosa** ‘New Dimension Blue’ (Dwarf Sage) -- 8-10” A rich display of spiky flowers in early summer. Compact with chubby spikes of deep violet-blue flowers. Attracts butterflies & hummingbirds.

Salvia nemorosa ‘Schneehügel’/’Snowhill’ (Garden Sage) --18” White-flowered counterpart to ‘Blaublue’. Numerous spikes of white flowers throughout the summer if spent blooms are regularly removed.

**Salvia nemorosa** ‘Sensation Deep Rose’ (Perennial Sage) -- 12” Deep lavender–rose spikes in late spring. Will bloom all summer if deadheaded regularly. Aromatic foliage resists deer.

Saponaria x lemoni ‘Max Frei’ (Soapwort) -- 24” Showy, bright pink flower masses. Blue-green foliage on compact plants. Bloom throughout the summer, especially at night.

**Scabiosa** ‘Blue Butterfly’ (Pincushion Flower) -- 1-3’ Gray-green leaves with lavender-blue flowers. Long bloom period.

**Scabiosa superba** ‘Mongolian Mist’ (Pincushion Flower) --12”H x 12”W Large dazzling purple-blue full pincushion-like flowers rising above deep green textured mounds of foliage.

**Sedum** ‘Autumn Fire’ (Stonecrop) -- 24-30” Flowers open pink in late summer and age to rich bronze in fall. Thicker stems than S. ‘Autumn Joy’ so holds the flower heads up better, even into winter.

**Sedum** ‘Cherry Truffle’ (Stonecrop) -- 18-20” Two-toned plum & gray-green leaves mature to purple-black in summer. Late summer large clusters of pink flowers on short upright spikels. Drought tolerant.

**Sedum** ‘Matrona’ (Stonecrop) -- 30-36” Pale pink flowers. Strong, shiny red

**Sedum** ‘Mr. Goodbud’ (Stonecrop) -- 16” Blue-green serrated foliage with dark red stems which add winter interest. Very large dense heads of light purple buds open to dark purple flowers. Aug.-Sept.


**Sedum x ‘Herbstfreude’ / ‘Autumn Joy’** (Stonecrop) -- 18-24” Rich mauve heads, aging to coppery in fall. 18” mound of light green foliage that looks great throughout the season.


**Stachys byzantina** ‘Helene von Stein’ (Lamb’s-ears) -- 8-10” Huge green-grey, fuzzy leaves. Clump forming. Good ground cover or front of the border subject. Tolerates hot weather.

**Stachys officinalis** ‘Pink Cotton Candy’ (Betony) -- 2” Cotton candy pink flowers. Clumps of green basal foliage. Early to midsummer.

**Tradescantia ‘Bilberry Ice’** (Spiderwort) -- 15” Triangular snow white blossoms with a splash of lavender in the center.

**Tradescantia** ‘Pink Chablis’ (Spiderwort) -- 12-18” Triangular bright pink blooms with delicate white edges and central magenta stamens. Attracts butterflies. Repeat blooms in late summer.

**Tradescantia** ‘Sweet Kate’ (Spiderwort) -- 18” Deep blue flowers. Vibrant golden-yellow grass-like foliage. Ideal for borders and woodland settings evenly moist.

**Tradescantia** ‘Concord Grape’ (Spiderwort -- 18-24” Rich purple flowers; frosty-blue foliage. June-October.

**Verbascum** ‘Banana Custard’ (Mullein) -- 4-5’H x 2 ft W Biennial with very large, yellow flowers and large, gray feathy leaves. Prefers well-drained site.

**Veronica** ‘First Love’ (Speedwell) 12” H x 12-18” W Plentiful spikes of fluorescent pink flowers from July-Sept. Deep green foliage. Compact, drought resistant.


**Veronica** ‘Sunny Border Blue’ (Speedwell) 18” Dark violet-blue flowers from June to hard frost. One of the best.

**Veronica** ‘Royal Candles’ (Speedwell) 15-18” Violet-blue flowers on branched spikes.

WHERE DO OUR PLANTS COME FROM?

The plants we sell at the Annual Spring Plant Sale come to your garden from many sources. Many trees, shrubs, fruit and vines come from the University of Minnesota’s Horticultural Research Center. The Auxiliary grows some plans and the Arboretum staff divides plants from the grounds to share with you. Many of our plants come from some of the best specialty growers in the state.

COUNTRYSIDE GARDENS brings to the sale a huge selection of these “Queens of the Garden”. Stop by and talk to Lavern as he is an encyclopedia of information about peonies. Find their nursery at 10602 Fenner Avenue SE in Delano. (952-955-2283) And don’t miss their annual free Peony Festival usually held the first two weekends of June.

NATURAL SHORE TECHNOLOGIES is a design-build ecological restoration company with office and greenhouse in the Twin Cities. They have a genuine passion for Minnesota’s ecosystems and specialize in working with clients to create natural areas that look great, provide important ecological functions, and also satisfy recreational demands. Contact them at info@naturalshore.com or 612-703-7581.

SAVORY’S GARDENS has been a specialist Hosta grower since 1946. Their beauties form our impressive Hosta collection, waiting for a chance to be in your garden. Old standbys, new varieties, and their own stunning introductions will be found at Savory’s. Explore their hidden gem of a nursery at 5300 Whiting Avenue in Edina, MN (952-941-8755). Their website is www.savorysgarden.com.

SHADY ACRES HERB FARM has been a beloved institution of education and cultivation of herbs for 34 years. You can visit the Farm (8 greenhouses, gardens and a gift shop with classroom) at 7815 Hwy 212E in Chaska, MN. (952-466-3391) or find them Saturdays and Sundays at the Minneapolis Farmers Market. With herbs, flowers, vegetables and fruit, it is truly a feast for the senses. www.shadyacres.com

TWIN ORCHARDS NURSERY is a family owned and operated nursery for over 30 years. Dealing in wholesale perennials and shrubs in the past, they are now open to the public. They pride themselves in producing quality plants at a reasonable cost. They have over 450 varieties of perennials, 40 varieties of flowering shrubs, and a selection of unique herb and veggie starters. Visit them at 27225 Smithtown Road in Shorewood, MN (952-474-5955) and check their website for weekly specials at www.twinorchardsnursery.com.

MINNESOTA NATIVES

All plants in this section are Minnesota Native Plant Brand™. This brand assures plant species are native to Minnesota based on MNDNR plant community lists, plants are propagated from local seed sources, plants are free of neonicotinoids, and all plant material is healthy, robust and grown in local greenhouses. These plants are located outside the entrance to the Sun Tent.

Aquilegia canadensis (Columbine) – 2’ Often called “Honeysuckle.” Produces scarlet and yellow flowers. Easily grown in average, medium, well-drained soil in full sun to partial shade. Freely self-seeds. Hummingbirds love it!

Asclepias incarnata (Swamp Milkweed) – 4-5’H x 2-3’W The pink flowers are showy and fragrant. Easily grown in medium to wet soils in full sun. Tolerates average well-drained soils. Attracts butterflies. For use in a rain garden or a naturalized setting.

Asclepias tuberosa (Butterfly Weed) – 2-3’ Showy orange flower heads on an outstanding wildflower. Grows in dry to medium well-drained soils in full sun. Drought tolerant.


Bouteloua curtipendula (Side Oats Grama Grass) – 18-36”H x 18-24”W Purplish showy flowers. Good cut and dried flowers. Easily grows in dry to medium moisture soils in full sun. Tolerates soils from well-drained sandy soils to heavy clay.

Carex sprengelii (Sprengel’s Sedge) – 24” Very showy ornamental seed heads. Clump forming nature. Full sun to partial shade with almost any soil moisture.


Liatris spicata (Aromatic Aster) – 3-6’H x 1-2’W Easily grown in average, dry to medium, well-drained soils in full sun to part shade. Tolerates drought, dry soil, shallow-rocky soil. Intolerant of wet soils in winter. Attracts birds, hummingbirds, butterflies.


Lupinus perennis (Wild Lupine) – 1-2’ Showy elongated purple pea-like flowers. Grows in dry sandy soils, in full to part sun. Will not grow in loam or clay.


Vernonia fasciculata (Ironweed) – 3-5’ Purple showy flowers. Easily grown in average, medium to wet soils in full sun. Grows taller in moist soils.

Zizia aurea (Golden Alexander) – 18-36”H x 18-24”W Yellow showy flowers. Grows well in average, medium moisture, well-drained soils in full sun to part shade. Makes a good cut flower.
**Rock Garden Perennials**

If you haven’t caught rock gardening fever, it’s only a matter of time before you are seeking out those buns, cushions and other compact plants that delight and inspire. We offer many varieties to plant in a small trough, a rock wall, a raised bed, on a large mound in a natural or gardener-made rock formation. Use them to create a miniature or fairy garden. All you require is excellent drainage and most like full sun exposure.

**Rock Garden plants are located in the SUN TENT.**

**Allium senescens** ‘Glaucum’ (Ornamental Onion) -- 4-8” Blue-grey cowlick leaves, rosy flowers. A choice plant, especially for rock gardens. Aug.-Sept.

**Campanula carpatica** ‘Blue Clips’/‘Blue Chips’ (Carpathian Bellflower) -- 8’’ 8” Great variety covered with sky-blue bells. Choice rock garden plant. June-Oct.


**Dianthus gratianopolitanus** ‘Feuerhexe’/‘Firewitch’ (Cheddar Pink) PPA 2006 -- 8” Dense blue foliage under bright raspberry-red flowers. Clove-like fragrance. Excellent as a border edger or ground cover for sunny slopes. Cut back spent flowers to promote rebloom later.

**Dianthus x ambiguus** ‘Frosty Fire’ (Allwood Pink) -- 6” Double cherry-red flowers flecked with white. Blue-grey dwarf foliage. Long flowering period.

**Leptinella squalida** ‘Patt’s Black’ (Black Bras Buttons) -- 1-2”H x 10-12”W Tiny, almost black leafed, ferny foliage with minute white button-like flowers. Good ground cover or rock garden plant.

**Sedum sieboldii** 'Susuki' -- 8” Japanese stonecrop. Very hardy. Medium rosettes of rich chocolate brown. Spikes of pastel flowers in summer.

**Sempervivum** 'Jovibarba' -- 8” Blue bells. With grey cowlick leaves, ferny foliage with minute white button-like flowers. Good ground cover or rock garden plant. August-Oct.

**Sedum kamtschaticum** 'Studnicka' -- 8” Very hardy. Medium rosettes of rich chocolate brown. Spikes of pastel flowers in summer.

**Lewisia longipetala** x cotyledon ‘Little Plum’ (Bitterroot) -- 4”H x 6”W Evergreen leaves are thick and fleshy, grow in rosettes, and become mat-like. Large, intense rose-purple flowers. Requires well-drained soil. May-June and Sept.

**Pulsatilla vulgaris** ‘Red Bells’ (Pasque-flower) -- 6-12” Spring flowering. Crocus-like flowers with bright red petals.

**Sedum ‘Dazzleberry’ Sunsparkler™** (Stonecrop) -- 6-8” Raspberry-red flowers over smoky blue-grey foliage. Makes a good ground cover in sunny dry areas. Aug.-Sept.

**Sedum ‘Desert Red’** (Stonecrop) -- 6” Spreading habit. Blue-green foliage. Deep rose-pink flowers in late summer mature to shiny red seed heads. Choice!

**Sedum ‘Dragon's Blood’** (Stonecrop) -- 4-6” Deep-maroon foliage turns brilliant red with cool fall temperatures. Deep red flowers.


**Sedum cauticola ‘Lidakense’** (Stonecrop)-(Stonecrop) -- 12” Purplish foliage.

**Sedum kamtschaticum** (Stonecrop) -- 4” Star-shaped deep golden flowers open from pink buds. Glossy, deep green leaves. Spreads to 10’ wide. Late summer.

**Sedum sieboldii ‘Mediovariegatum’** (Stonecrop) - 4-6” Pink flowers. Grey foliage with cream stripe in mid-leaf. Choice variety.

**Sedum spurium** ‘Blaze of Fudla’ (Stonecrop) 1-3” x 12” W. Dark red-orange foliage with clusters of bright rose-pink star-shaped flowers. Creeping variety. Mat forming.

**Sempervivum ‘Black’** (Hens-and-Chicks) – 4-8”H x 6-12”W. Tolerates heat, drought and neglect! Medium rosettes of rich chocolate brown. Spikes of pastel flowers in summer.

**Sempervivum ‘Desert Bloom’** (Hens-and-Chicks) – 4-6” Deep gray-green rosettes are highlighted by rose-red centers.

**Sempervivum ‘Forest Frost’** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- 6-8”H x 6-8”W Small rosettes of apple-green with silvery cobweb threads. Short spikes of pastel flowers in summer. Tolerates heat and drought.

**Sempervivum ‘Green Wheel’** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- 6-8”H x 6-8”W Small rosettes of bright green forming a dense carpet.

**Sempervivum ‘Twilight Blues’** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- Large olive-green leaves shaded lavender, with purple tips. Succulent.

**Sempervivum calceatum ‘Mrs. Giuseppi’** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- 4” Rosettes. Grey-blue leaves with eye-catching triangular tips dappled in rich maroon.

**Sempervivum sp.** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- 2-3” Rosettes of succulent foliage. Propagate by taking the rosettes at the base of the old plant and potting them separately. Many varieties.

**Sempervivum—Specialty Blend** (Hens-and-Chicks) -- 2-3” Rich blend of sempervivum and jowbarba. Short spikes of pastel flowers in summer. Tolerates heat and drought.

**Thymus ‘Doone Valley’** (Creeping Thyme) -- 2-4” Tiny deep pink flowers. Spicy lemony fragrance. Good ground cover.


**Hardy Lily Bulbs**

Come early for best selection of bagged hardy lily bulbs: Newest and old favorite Asiatics in a kaleidoscope of colors and patterns, richly fragrant Trumpet lilies, spicy Orientals, newest and classic Orienpets, rich in color and fragrance. For the shady garden there is a wide variety of Martagon lilies in pots and bulbs. We promise you will find many unique selections available.

**Martagon Lily**

Martagon Lilies are a group of shade loving lilies that thrive in moist, well-drained soil. They can take a season to settle in but will reward your patience with years of exquisite flowers. Truly an under-used plant that grows very well in our area. They make great companions for Hosta.

Find Martagon Lilies in the SHADE BUILDING.

**Lilium hansonii** -- 3-5’ Nodding golden-orange flowers with red-brown spots and recurved petals. Fragrant. A woodland lily native to Russia and Asia. Mid-June.

**Lilium martagon var. album** -- 5-6’ Pure white flowers with yellow anthers. Beautiful against evergreen background. Up to 30 down facing Turk’s caps per stem when mature. Slow to grow and multiply, but reliable once established.

**Lilium martagon ‘Albiflorum’** -- 3-4’ Rare form with dainty carmine-red spots on a creamy white background. Recurved flower.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Arabian Knight’** -- 3-4’ Up to twenty nodding, recurved, rusty-red flowers with large creamy-gold spots. Fragrant. June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Chameleon’** -- 4-5’ Flowers open pink and turn light yellow within a few days. Dark purple spots and lime green throat. 20-40 flowers per stem. May-June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Claude Shride’** -- 3-4’ Fifteen to twenty purplish-red flowers with a few yellow-orange spots and recurved petals. Light fragrance. Named for the hybridizer Claude Shride by Hugh and Ruth Cocker of Rochester, MN. Mid-June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Fairly Morning’** -- 3ft. June bloom. Light pink base with lemon yellow flares and small red spots. Orange pollen, looks like a shooting star.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Gaybird’** -- 36-54” Flowers have a pink background with red spots inside light yellow circles. Up to 20 downward facing blooms per stem. May-June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Guinea Gold’** -- 48-54” Pink buds open to delicate buttercup-yellow flowers, accented with brown spots. Partial shade. June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Manitoba Morning’** -- 4’ Deep rose-red recurved flowers with gold-brown marks on inner two-thirds of petals. Light fragrance. June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Maroon King’** -- 4’ Flowers have dark maroon-red tips and petals with red spots inside golden-yellow circles. Orange pollen. May-June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Peppard Gold’** -- 4.5’ Pink buds open to fragrant golden flowers with recurved petals. 30 or more flowers per stem. June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Pink Morning’** --3-4’ June bloom. Subtle brushed pink blooms in a pyramid, a contrasting white center, a very desirable lily!

**Lilium martagon x ‘Rose Arch Fox’** -- 4ft. Canadian. Flowers are salmon-pink with large circular yellow spots and brown dot centers, blooms held high on long stems.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Russian Morning’** --3-4’ Dark red, recurved flowers with delicate yellow circular spots in center. June.

**Lilium martagon x ‘Slate’s Select’** -- 5’ Pinkish buds open to fragrant golden -yellow flowers, heavily spotted brownish-orange. Recurved petals. 25 or more flowers per stem. June.
Hemerocallis (Daylily)

One of the most popular perennials available, Daylilies have been cultivated since Roman times. There are thousands of cultivars in nearly every color except blue. Low maintenance, they will grow in just about any soil with no serious pests. Excellent for borders or mass plantings. Careful selection will provide you with blossoms spring to fall.

**Daylilies are found OUTSIDE on the west side of the SUN TENT.**

**VE-**Very Early, **E-**Early, **EM-**Early Mid-season, **M-Mid-season, **LM-**Late Mid-season, **L-**Late.

**Hemerocallis ‘Bela Lugosi’** (Daylily ‘Bela Lugosi’) Sun, 33”, purple flower with lime green throat. Very sun fast. M.


**Hemerocallis ‘Chicago Apache’** (Daylily ‘Chicago Apache’) Sun, 27”, scarlet-red 5” flower. L.

**Hemerocallis ‘Happy Returns’** (Daylily ‘Happy Returns’) Sun, 18”, repeat bloomer. Consistent reblooming variety for the North. Flowers later than its parent ‘Stella de Oro’ however it is proving to be just as good a landscape plant. A true lemon -yellow. M.

**Hemerocallis ‘Hyperion’** (Daylily ‘Hyperion’) Sun, 2 - 3 ft., very fragrant lemon-yellow 5” blooms. EM.

**Hemerocallis ‘Pardon Me’** (Daylily ‘Pardon Me’) Sun, 18”, repeat bloomer. Great red variety with a rich dark wine-red with yellow-green throat. High bud count. M.

**Hemerocallis ‘Purple de Oro’** (Daylily ‘Purple de Oro’) Sun, 20”, purple flower with light midribs and gold-green throat. Fragrant. Reblooming EM.

**Hemerocallis ‘Rocket City’** (Daylily ‘Rocket City’) Sun, 36”, bittersweet-orange flower with burnt-orange eye. Lighter orange-yellow throat and midribs. M.

**Hemerocallis ‘Rosy Returns’** (Daylily ‘Rosy Returns’) Sun, 14”, bright rose-pink flower with deep rose eye and yellow throat. Blooms consistently from June until frost. M.

**Hemerocallis ‘Ruby Stella’** (Daylily ‘Ruby Stella’) Sun, 20”, fragrant, ruby-red trumpet-shaped flowers. Long blooming. E to L.

**Hemerocallis ‘Stella de Oro’** (Daylily ‘Stella de Oro’) Sun, 11”, starts blooming in June and continues throughout the summer if seed pods are removed and if grown in rich, fertile soil. Golden-yellow flowers. E to L.

**Hemerocallis ‘Stella Supreme’** (Daylily ‘Stella Supreme’) Sun, 12”, pale lemon-yellow trumpet-shaped flowers with yellow halo and green throat. E to L.

**Hemerocallis ‘Strawberry Candy’** (Daylily ‘Strawberry Candy’) Sun, 6”, strawberry-pink flower. EM.

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**Minnesota Water Garden Society**

The Minnesota Water Garden Society will be on hand to answer your questions about creating or maintaining a water garden in your landscape. A large variety of marginal and water plants, including hardy and tropical water lilies and lotus will be for sale. They will also feature for sale ornamental goldfish, multicolored shubunkin and koi, and beautiful artwork for indoor and outdoor display.

With the exception of the Minnesota natives, plant these plants ONLY in a manmade, contained body of water that is not connected to a natural water system. Do not plant non-native water plants in a native aquatic system. Non-natives can become invasive and crowd out native plants which provide food and shelter for our native wildlife.

**You’ll find the MN Water Garden Society in front of the HERB BUILDING.**

**Fish (sizes 3-4", 4-6", 6-10" and larger)**

Goldfish
Koi
Shubunkin

**Hardy Bog Plants**

Acorus calamus ‘Variegatus’ – Variegated Sweet Flag
Alisma plantago-aquatica – Water Plantain
Caltha palustris – Marsh Marigold MN Native
Equisetum fluviatile – Water Horsetail MN Native
Equisetum hyemale – Scouringrush Horsetail MN Native
Equisetum scirpoides – Dwarf Scouring rush Horsetail MN Native
Iris versicolor – Blue Flag Iris MN Native
Juncus effusus – Common Rush MN Native
Juncus effusus ‘Spiralis’ – Corkscrew Rush
Juncus inflexus – European Meadow Rush
Menyanthus trifoliata – Bog Bean
Mimulus ringens – Allegheny Monkey Flower MN Native
Oenanthe – Water Celery
Oenanthe javinica ‘Flamingo’ – Variegated Water Celery
Pontederia cordata – Pickerelweed MN Native
Sagittaria latifolia – Arrowhead MN Native
Schoenoplectus zebirnus – Zebra Rush
Scirpus pungens – Three-square Bulrush MN Native
Scirpus validus – Soft-stem Bulrush MN Native
Typha augustifolia – Narrow-leaf Cattail
Typha laxmannii – Graceful Cattail
Typha minima – Miniature Cattail

**Hardy Water Plants**

Nymphoides peltata – Floating Heart – Yellow flowers, miniature lily-like pads.

**Tropical Bog/Water Plants**

Alocasia macrorrhiza – Giant Taro
Cyperus alternifolius – Umbrella Palm
Cyperus alternifolius ‘Nanus’ – Dwarf Umbrella Palm
Cyperus – Tar (various)
Egeria densa – Anacharis
Eichornia crassipes – Water Hyacinth
Elodea canadensis – American or Canadian Waterweed MN Native
Zantedeschia aethiopica – Giant Calla Lily
Zephyranthes – Rain Lily (pink and white varieties)

**Please Note:**

To the best of our knowledge, the plant material we offer is hardy in the Twin Cities area. In the case of borderline hardiness, it is so noted. There are always variables over which we have no control, and therefore we cannot offer a guarantee or a refund. Information in this list is based on how plants will perform in Zone 3-4 in the Upper Midwest. Being an annual fundraising event, please understand that we cannot replace plants. Thank you for attending the Spring Plant Sale!
**Paeonia (Peony)**

The peony is a true “king” of the garden. Peonies are easy to grow, preferring full sun & rich well-drained soil. They are excellent in the border, as a hedge or as an accent plant. Do not plant too deeply or fertilize too heavily, as this may cause non-blooming. Plant the eyes no deeper than 2” below soil level. Use a sturdy hoop to provide the needed support for the taller varieties. Peonies are found outside on the east side of the HERB BUILDING.

**VE-Very Early, E-Early, EM–Early Mid-season, M-Mid-season, LM-Late Mid-season, L-Late.**

- **Paeonia ‘Bartzella’** (Peony) Semi-double. Large lemon-yellow flowers with soft red center flares. Upright flowers. This cross between an herbaceous and a tree peony will tolerate some shade. E to M.
- **Paeonia ‘Coral Louise’** (Peony) Semi-double. White flowers with striking deep lavender flares. Slightly fragrant. E to M.
- **Paeonia ‘Coral Charm’** (Peony) Semi-double. Salmon flower. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Coral Queen’** (Peony) Low growing. Full double blushing-pink flower with slightly deeper color in center. L.
- **Paeonia ‘David Harum’** (Peony) Double. Light crimson flower. Good cut flower. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Douglas Brand’** (Peony) Double. Brilliant, full double red flowers on strong stems. Flowers 9-10” dia. All-time best peony for Midwest gardens. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Early Scout’** (Peony) Single. Dark red flower. Cutleaf foliage on compact plant. VE.
- **Paeonia ‘Easy Lavender’** (Peony) Japanese type. Bright lavender flower with red and yellow-tipped stamens. Opens freely even in the heat. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Ella Christiansen’** (Peony) Double. Medium pink, fragrant flowers. Good cut flower. LM.
- **Paeonia ‘Elsa Sass’** (Peony) Double. Creamy-white flowers. One of the best double whites ever introduced. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Elsie Picket’** (Peony) Double. Dark pink flowers. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Fairy Princess’** (Peony) Single. True red petals surround yellow stamens. Holds up to the rain. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Fantastic’** (Peony) Japanese type. Rose-pink outer petals surround full yellow center. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Faribo Gold’** (Peony) Japanese type. Brilliant yellow center surrounded by white guard petals. Excellent grower. Holds up in the rain. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Fern Leaf’** (Peony) Double. Rare. Crimson double flowers on bright green, fern-like foliage. Prefers lighter soil. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Festiva Maxima’** (Peony) Double. Fragrant, white flowers with prominent crimson flakes on central petals. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Gail Tischler’** (Peony) Japanese type. Large medium pink cupped flowers on tall vigorous plant. Fragrant. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Gay Paree’** (Peony) Japanese type. Cerise-pink outer guard petals surround a creamy-white center. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Green Lotus’** (Peony) Single. White flowers with streaks of lime-green and soft pink highlights. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Henry Sass’** (Peony) Double. Large pure white flowers. LM.
- **Paeonia ‘Krinkled White’** (Peony) Single. Large single flower opens delicate pink soon turns pure white. Petals are wrinkled like crepe paper. Excellent cut flower. LM.
- **Paeonia ‘Laura Dessert’** (Peony) Double anemone type. Soft lemon-yellow. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Loretta Frank’** (Peony) Single. Dark pink flower. Medium size plant with stiff stems. It is a good bloomer and keeps well when cut. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Lottie Dawson Rea’** (Peony) Double. Light pink flower with exquisite tints. Lightly fragrant. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Missie’s Blush’** (Peony) Double. Blush flowers may fade to white. Very fragrant. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Mrs. A.M. Brand’** (Peony) Double. Very large, fragrant, clear white flowers. Heavy rich green foliage. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Mrs. Euclid Snow’** (Peony) Double. Fragrant, delicate flesh-pink flowers fade to creamy-pink. Rays of deeper pink spread throughout the blossom. M.
- **Paeonia ‘My Love’** (Peony) Double. Blush flowers fading to white. Fragrant. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Myra MacRae’** (Peony) Double. A lovely lavender-pink, large flower of 8-9” dia. One of the last to come into bloom. Matures into one of the largest on the market. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Myrtle Tischler’** (Peony) Double. A large flower of excellent deep rose-pink color. Blooms 9-10” dia. Tall stiff stems that can carry this large, flat bloom. Blooms are fully double and the foliage is bright green. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Nick Shaylor’** (Peony) Double. Large, flesh-pink flower with markings of a deeper rich pink. Dark green foliage. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Norma Vola’** (Peony) Double. Very large white flowers with a pink blush. Strong stems, dark green foliage. Fragrant. L.
- **Paeonia ‘Paul M. Wild’** (Peony) Double. Large, full double red flower which retains its color in the heat. Medium height, strong stems. M to L.
- **Paeonia ‘Paula Fay’** (Peony) Semi-double. Radiant rose-pink flowers that open well, dark foliage. A tidy garden plant. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Pink Hawaiian Coral’** (Peony) Semi-double. Coral flower with delicate yellow stamens. Fragrant. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Red Charm’** (Peony) One of the top hybrid peonies in the country. A true red with perfectly formed, bomb-shaped flowers. Stiff stems hold blooms erect. E.
- **Paeonia ‘Red Grace’** (Peony) Double. Bright deep red flowers. E.
- **Paeonia ‘The Fawn’** (Peony) Double. Pink with darker speckles scattered throughout the blooms. The color fades towards the edges. Midseason.
- **Paeonia ‘Tish’** (Peony) Japanese type. Tall. Dark red flower with gold-tipped center. Blooms freely on strong healthy plants. M.
- **Paeonia ‘Vivid Rose’** (Peony) Double. Bright pink, fragrant flowers. LM.
- **Paeonia ‘Westerner’** (Peony) Japanese type. Tall plant with large medium pink flowers with yellow centers. M.
- **Paeonia x Smoothii** (Peony) Single. Rare. Brilliant magenta-red blooms with yellow stamens. Finely divided leaves. Native from Ural Mountains of Russia to Pamir Mountains of Central Asia. E.
Annuals are located outside the HOSTA BUILDING

Annuals

 esposa , Sweet Annie (Artemisia annua) Sun/Annual 3-6’ x 4’ W, grey or silver leaves. Flowers are not showy. These plants are a good choice for rock gardens and other sunny, dry landscape sites. Foliation is dried to make wreaths.

Abutilon, Trailing, (Abutilon megapotamicum) Sun/Annual 4-6’, flowers have red calyces with yellow petals. Good for hanging baskets.

Bacopa, snow carpet (Bacopa ‘Snow Carpet’) Sun/Annual 6-8’ tall, masses of white flowers on a green foliage mat. Trailing.

Calico Hearts (Adromischus maculatus) Sun/Annual 12” H x 12-15” W, flattened grey-green, heart-shaped succulent leaves mottled with deep crimson. White tubular flowers tipped with red.

Crassula (Crassula ‘Ivy Pagoda’) Sun/Annual 3” H x 1-2” W, miniature succulent with silver wavy leaves stacked along the stem in a pagoda shape.

Diascia, Coral Canyon (Diascia integrerima ‘Coral Canyon’) Sun/Annual 8-15” blooms all summer with salmon-pink flowers held over finely textured stems with bright green foliage.

Dichondra, Silver Falls (Dichondra ‘Silver Falls’) Sun/Annual 4-6’, trailing, vigorous, fan-shaped silver foliage on silver stems, very heat and drought tolerant.

Duranta, Golden Edge (Duranta erecta) Sun/Annual, richly variegated green leaves with an overlay of yellow-gold. Rarely produces flowers in our short growing season.

Evvolulus, Blue Haze (Evvolulus glomerata) Sun/Annual 8-16” H x 12-15” W, trailing habit with indigo blue flowers.

Gaura, Siskiyous Pink (Gaura lindheimeri) Sun/Annual 30-36’, butterfly-like rose-pink flowers open from deep maroon buds on rigid wiry stems. May-Aug.

Joseph’s Coat (alternanthera ‘Raspberry Rum’) 12-18” H x 12-24” W, foliage is josephat-purply-burgundy with striking red marbling.

Origanum, Amethyst Falls (Origanum ‘Amethyst Falls’) Sun/Annual 8-12” H x 24” W, amethyst flowers hang from hop-like cones with textured glaucous blue leaves. Spicy scent. Cones dry and extend the bloom time.

Ornamental Pepper (Capsicum annuum) ‘NuMex Easter’ Sun/Annual, 10”, small clusters of fruits on top of plant in colors from lavender to light yellow maturing to light orange. A true edible ornamental.

Portulaca (anacampseros rufescens) Sun/Annual 3” x 4” W, pink flowers and reddish dark green succulent rosettes. A portulaca cousin great for troughs, rocks and dish gardens.

Sedum, Tokyo Sun (Sedum japonicum ‘Tokyo Sun’) Sun/Annual (Stonecrop)–2” H x 8” W, tiny yellow succulent leaves. Best yellow color in sun, more lime-green in shade.

Sedum, Variegatum (Sedum lineare ‘Variegatum’) Sun/Annual 4-6” H x 24” W, narrow succulent, silver grey foliage with white edges. Excellent for troughs or trailing in containers.

Talinum, Golden Jewel’s of Opar (Talinum paniculatum ‘Kingwood Gold’) Sun/Annual 18” H x 15-18” W, bright pink flowers and reddish seed pods on tender golden foliage. Seed pods can be dried.

Roses

Our custom is to offer you roses that have been grown on their own roots. In cold climates own root roses tend to be harder and remain true to the original variety should they die back to the ground in the winter.

Most modern shrub roses have been developed for disease resistance which lessen the need for chemical spraying. All are winter hardy for Zone 4 and do not require ‘tipping’. The roses are potted for your convenience. The newly developed roots are fragile and may be damaged during transplanting which could cause growth set-back. Please use caution when spreading the root systems.

Roses are located outside the HOSTA BUILDING, east side

R. ‘Above and Beyond’ (‘ZLEEtonStrack) First Edition-2015 U.S.A., (10-14ft ) Large flowered climber, clusters of 5 or more orange buds per stem open into apricot semi-double to double flowers, recurrent bloom, extreme cane hardiness, resistant to fungal diseases.


R. ‘Compo Park’–Shrub --2009 U.S.A., Easy Elegance® Rose, double bright red blooms, recurrent. Dark, glossy green foliage is resistant to black spot.


R. ‘Lena’--Shrub --2008 U.S.A., Northern Accents Rose; frilly single, pink and white, everblooming flowers; bright green, disease resistant foliage. Developed by Kathy Zuzek, University of MN.

R. ‘Lillian Gibson’--Hybrid Blanda --1918 U.S.A., medium pink, Leon Snyder’s favorite rose. Dr. Snyder was the Arboretum’s first Director.


R. rugosa alba--Species (Rugosa Rose)–c.1870, single, white, clove-scented flowers. Repeats. Hips and orange foliage in fall.


R. ‘Sigrid’--Shrub –2011 U.S.A., Northern Accents Rose; fragrant, double, red, everblooming flowers. Developed by Kathy Zuzek, University of MN.

R. ‘Summer Waltz’--Shrub –2012 U.S.A., double, cupped and frilly medium pink blooms. Lightly fragrant, repeats, tolerant of blackspot. Orange hips in fall. Developed by Kathy Zuzek, University of MN.

R. ‘Thérèse Bugnet’--Hybrid Rugosa --1950 Canada, medium pink, very fragrant.
**Hosta**

It has been called the “Perfect Perennial” and offers a beautiful display from spring until frost. There is potential for such variety using Hosta in your garden. With heights ranging from 2” to 48”, shapes and textures so diverse and colors from blue to gold to green and to white, you could fill your garden with Hosta and not have two alike. Take time to look them over and talk to our informed volunteers, so you can make the right selection for your own shady paradise. Hosta are found in the **HOSTA BUILDING**.

### MINI...10”

- **Hosta ‘Baby Booties’** -- Oval leaf with a green center and a creamy-white margin. Pale purple flower.
- **Hosta ‘Baby Bunting’** -- Blue leaf. Pale lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Bisby Gold’** -- Dune mound of gold leaves with good substance. Very small lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Blue Mouse Ears’** -- 2008 HoY. Round, blue leaf with substance. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Chartreuse Wiggles’** -- Narrow chartreuse leaf with ruffled edge. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Cherry Tomato’** -- Creamy-yellow to white, lance-shaped leaf with wide dark green margin. Purple flower on striking red scape.
- **Hosta ‘Fireworks’** -- Creamy-white center with dark green margin; some streaking. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Ginko Craig’** -- Dark green/white margin. Purple Flower. Dwarf.
- **Hosta ‘Irish Mist’** -- Creamy-white leaf with dark green margin; heavy substance. Pale lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Mighty Mouse’** -- Blue-green leaf edged in yellow. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Mini Skirt’** -- Wavy, thick, blue-green leaf with creamy yellow margins. Pale lavender petals.
- **Hosta ‘Popo’** -- Small, round blue leaves make neat low mound. Lavender flower.

### SMALL...11-15”

- **Hosta ‘Bells of Edinborough’** -- Velvet green, lightly puckered leaf has shiny underside. Deep violet, bell-shaped flower.
- **Hosta ‘Blue Cadet’** -- Blue/white leaf. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Brim Cup’** -- Dark green leaf/cream-colored margin. White flower.
- **Hosta ‘Curly Fries’** -- 2016 HoY of the Year. Stiff, highly ruffled, narrow leaf emerges yellow then fades to near white. Deep purple scape with lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Designer Genes’** -- Bright gold leaf with bright red petioles. Purple flowers on crimson-red scapes.
- **Hosta ‘Fire Island’** -- Bright yellow leaf with contrasting red petiole which extends into base of leaf. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Golden Scepter’** -- Yellow-green leaf. Medium blue flower.
- **Hosta ‘Golden Tiara’** -- Green leaf/chartreuse and white margin. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Half and Half’** -- Rounded, lightly cupped white leaf with wide green margin. Near white flower.
- **Hosta ‘Hands Up’** -- True tetraploid of ‘Praying Hands’. Thick leaves that stay smaller with a creamy-white margin. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Hans’** -- Blue-green with corrugated, puckered & rounded leaves with a wide feathery white center. Pale lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘High Society’** -- Blue leaf with yellow center that brightens to white. Pale lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Lakeside Banana Bay’** -- Round, shiny, very broad leaves with bright yellow centers and apple green margins. Light lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Lancifolia’** -- Narrow, dark green leaf. Purple flower.
- **Hosta ‘Milkmaid’** -- Green leaf with pale green, creamy white and pale yellow streaks and speckling. Small dark lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Paradise Island’** -- Bright yellow leaf with green margin and purple petiole that extends into base of leaf. Center changes to chartreuse. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Popcorn’** -- Long, narrow green leaf with strap-like petiole. Lavender flower in early fall.
- **Hosta ‘Prairie Angel’** -- Blue-green leaf with fragrant white flowers on arching stems.
- **Hosta ‘Rainbow’s End’** -- Thick, rubber-like dark green leaf with yellow center which matures to white. Dark lavender flower on showy red scapes!
- **Hosta ‘Rainforest Sunrise’** -- 2013 HoY. Bright golden leaf with neat dark green border. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Ruby’** -- Narrow green, rippled leaf with red petioles and red flower scapes. Closed purple flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Silver Creek Sunshine’** -- Emerging gold, turning green later. Rippled lance-shaped leaves. Pale lavender flowers late season.
- **Hosta ‘Sparkler’** -- Leaf has narrow, creamy-white to white center and dark green streaked margin. Light lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Veronica Lake’** -- Heart-shaped blue-green leaf with creamy-white margin.

### MEDIUM...16-18”

- **Hosta ‘Anna Mae’** -- Blue-green with a wide, yellow, slightly rippled margin. Margins turn white in late summer. Lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Austin Dickinson’** -- Rounded, blue-green glossy leaf with creamy-white margin. Fragrant lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Autumn Frost’** -- Frosty blue leaf with wide bright yellow margins that lighten to creamy white. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Ben Vernoij’** -- Thick intense blue leaves with a very wide yellow edge. Sport of ‘First Frost’ Lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Blueberry Muffin’** -- Puckered blue leaf deepens to blue-green. Light mauve petioles and flower scapes. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Citation’** -- Slightly wavy, apple-green leaf with creamy-yellow margin. Pale lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Color Festival’** -- Wide green margins surround a white flame with yellow highlights. Lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Firm Line’** -- Thick blue leaves with a very wide yellow border that turns to white, Lavender flowers.
- **Hosta ‘First Frost’** -- Blue center with gold margin turns to dark green with cream margin. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Francee’** -- Dark green leaf/white margin. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Gypsy Rose’** -- Creamy white to yellow leaf with a wide green margin. Lavender flowers late summer.
- **Hosta ‘Indian Hills’** -- Dark green leaves that are pebbled and of heavy substance. Upright groth habit. White flowers.
- **Hosta ‘Jade Scepter’** -- Green, fast growing host with purple flowers. Forms dense mounds. Sport of ‘Golden Tiara’
- **Hosta ‘June’** -- 2001 HoY. Light yellow with dark blue-green margin. Medium violet, flared flower.
- **Hosta ‘Lederhosen’** -- Thick, elongated, blue leaf with wavy margin. Fragrant lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Loyalist’** -- White leaf with deep green margin. Lavender flower.
- **Hosta ‘Maui Buttercups’** -- Cupped and corrugated yellow leaf; good substance. Violet flower.
- **Hosta ‘Morning Angel’** -- Heavy, shiny, dark green leaf with very rippled margin and deep veins. Very fragrant near-white flower.
- **Hosta ‘Nancy’** -- Wavy, heart-shaped gold leaf with heavy substance. Lavender flowers.
**Hosta 'Night Before Christmas'** -- Dark green margins with creamy centers which change to white. Lavender flower.

**Hosta 'Paul's Glory'** -- 1999 HoY. Large yellow leaf with blue-green margin. Light lavender flower.


**Hosta 'Praying Hands'** -- 2011 HoY--Elongated dark green leaf/ripped yellow margin/waxy sheen. Pale lavender flower.

**Hosta 'Rhino Hide'** -- Deeply cupped, blue leaf with narrow yellow center. Very thick leaves are slug resistant! White flower.

**Hosta 'Ruby and Ruffles'** -- Ruffled green leaf with creamy white margins and red petioles. Purple-red flower scapes.

**Hosta 'Sea Sapphire'** -- Smooth blue-green leaf.

**Hosta 'Snake Eyes'** -- A sport of 'Stripetrape' with a more prominent white line between the colors. Lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Sunset Grooves'** -- Round, puckered and thick yellow leaves with a wide dark green margin. Pale lavender flowers. Sport of 'Rainforest Sunrise'

**Hosta 'Tootie Mae'** -- Leaves have a blue-green center and a bright gold 1” margins. Lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Twilight'** -- Green leaf with gold margins. Lavender flower.

**Hosta 'Undulata Albo-marginata'** -- Dark green/white leaf. Pale lavender flower.

**Hosta 'Volcano Island'** -- Yellowish-green leaf with a dark green border. Red petioles. Lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Vulcan'** -- Creamy-white leaf and dark-green margins with golden yellow streaks. Pale lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Wheeze!'** -- Light green, ruffled leaf with cream-colored margin. Light lavender flower with purple scapes.

**Hosta 'Whirlwind'** -- Cream to white streaked leaf with dark green margin. Lavender flower.

**Hosta 'Alligator Alley'** -- Leathery, puckered, heart-shaped to round leaf with chartreuse center that turns yellow. Wide, blue-green margin. Near white flower.

**Hosta 'Alvina Taylor'** -- Blue-green leaf with wide gold margin. Near white flower.

**Hosta 'August Moon'** -- Gold leaf. White flower.

**Hosta 'Blue Angel'** -- Blue leaf. Glossy white, long-lasting flower.

**Hosta 'Blue Hawaii'** -- Upright, blue, corrugated, heart-shaped leaf. White flower.


**Hosta 'Blue Umbrellas'** -- Blue leaf. White flower.

**Hosta 'Blueberry Waffles'** -- Round deep blue leaf, color of blueberries. Perfect puckering! White flowers.

**Hosta 'Brother Stefan'** -- Thick, heavily corrugated gold leaf with wide blue-green margin. White flower.

**Hosta 'Bumblebee'** -- Large, golden-yellow leaf. Near white flower.


**Hosta 'Coast to Coast'** -- Emerges chartreuse then turns lighter gold in the summer. Thick, puckered texture. Upright, vase shaped clumped. Pale lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Cool as a Cucumber'** -- Narrow, creamy white centers. White flowers. Sport of Cascades.

**Hosta 'Dancing in the Rain'** -- Large leaf with pure white center, blue-green streaks and margin. Centers turn green in extreme heat. Near white flower.

**Hosta 'Dream Weaver'** -- Creamy-white leaf with wide blue-green margin. Near white flower.

**Hosta 'Earth Angel'** -- 2009 HoY. Large, heart-shaped blue-green leaf with creamy-white margin. Pale lavender flower.


**Hosta 'Forbidden Fruit'** -- Blue-green leaf with orange yellow centers turning to yellow-white. Lavender flowers.

**Hosta 'Frances Williams'** -- Blue leaf/green and yellow margin. White flower.


**Hosta 'Frozen Margarita'** -- Shiny gold leaves with thin white margins Near white flowers.

**Hosta 'Gold Regal'** -- Yellow/chartreuse leaf. Purple flower.
Woodies

The Woody plants have been potted only for convenience in handling and should be treated as bare-root plants when placing in your garden or yard area. Be careful not to damage the roots when taking them from their pots. There will be a good selection of woody plant material from the University of MN Horticultural Research Center growing programs.

Vines

Go vertical! Crawling up a trellis, enveloping an arch or just covering up that ugly wall, vines are essential to every garden. They take a couple of years to get going and need support to help them climb, but you will be amply rewarded with their sculptural form and abundant flowers. Grow two Clematis together or plant them at the base of a shrub to scramble up the branches. Vines are found in the SUN TENT with the exception of the Vitis sp. (Grapes) and Hydrangea which are located with the Trees and Shrubs at the north end of the HOSTA BUILDING.

Amelopsis brevipedunculata ‘Elegans’ (Blue Porcelain Berry) Outstanding berries are pea-sized and turn from pale lilac to yellow to porcelain blue as they ripen. Strong vine with tendrils for arbor or trellis. Young leaves are variegated and deeply lobed. Not a dense foliage screen.

Clematis ‘Asao’ -- Delightfully scented, deep rosy-carmine flowers with white center bars. Attractive seed heads. Early blooming. 8-9’.

Clematis ‘Guernsey Cream’ -- 6-8’ diameter cream-white flowers. May-June and August. 7-9’.

Clematis ‘Huldine’ -- Small, single (3-4”), pearly-white flowers with bright yellow anthers. Vigorous and floriferous. Midsummer to late summer. 10-12’.

Clematis ‘Kiri Te Kanawa’ -- Double flowers. Deep purplish-blue tepals with contrasting yellow stamens. Late spring to early summer, and late summer. 6-8’.

Clematis ‘Mrs. N. Thompson’ -- Rich purple-blue tepals with a vivid scarlet central bar, and dark red anthers and pale pink filaments. Late spring to early summer and early fall. 6-8’.


Clematis ‘Rouge Cardinal’ -- Deep crimson flowers with yellow stamens and brown anthers. June-June and August. 8-12’.


Clematis ‘Yvyvan Pennell’ -- 6-8” diameter double violet-blue flowers with reddish overtones in May and June. Single light violet blooms in mid-Aug. 8-12’.

Clematis ‘Warsaw Nike’ -- 6-8” diameter rich royal purple flowers with golden stamens. June-June. 8-12’.


Clematis tetriflora (Sweet Autumn Clematis) -- Scented flowers, creamy-white, star-shaped flowers. Sept-Oct. 15-20’.

Clematis texensis ‘Gravetye Beauty’ -- Single rich red, satiny-textured flowers face upwards like small lily-flowered tulips. Decorative seed heads. Midsummer to mid-summer. 6-8”.

Clematis viticella ‘Lady Betty Balfour’ -- 5-6” diameter rich purple, finely pointed, cupped sepals with creamy conspicuous stamens. Aug-Oct. 12-20’.

Clematis viticella ‘Polish Spirit’ -- Purple-blue flowers. Prolific bloomer, strong stems. 8-10’.

Clematis x jackmanii (Jackman Clematis) -- 5-6” diameter rich purple flowers. June-Sept. 8-12’.. First of large-flowered hybrids, 1858. Large & loose clusters, very cold hardy, Wine grape.

Lonicera sempervirens ‘John Clayton’ (Honeysuckle) -- Solid yellow flowers. Repeat blooms until frost. Twining climber.

Lonicera sempervirens ‘Major Wheeler’ (Honeysuckle) -- 8” H x 10’ W Red-orange, thin trumpet flowers in late spring through summer. Vigorous, profuse blooming vine. Mildew resistant.

Vitis ‘Edelweiss’ (Grape)--Greenish-white fruit with high sugar content. Dessert and wine grape. U of MN Introduction.


Vitis ‘Frontenac’ (Grape)--Red and rose wine and port grape. Wine has cherry and plum flavors. Vigorous and disease resistant. U of MN Introduction. -30°F.

Vitis ‘Le Crescent’ (Grape)--[V. riparia x ‘Muscat Hamburg’] This wine grape has the nose of apricot, peach, and citrus. U of MN Introduction. -34°F.

Vitis ‘Marquette’ (Grape)--Ruby-red wine grape with outstanding flavor. Disease resistant. 2008 U of MN Introduction.

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Trees & Shrubs

Acer rubrum (Red Maple) 120’ Red flower-like buds before the leaves appear and brilliant red autumn color gives this tree its name. Fast growing. MN Native.

Acer saccharum ‘Baillista’ (Sugar Maple) – 60-75’ H x 30-45’ W Upright, rounded, symmetrical habit. Thick, leathery, glossy deep green leaves turn brilliant colors of yellow, orange, and scarlet in the fall.

Aesculus glabra (Ohio Buckeye) – 30’ Greenish-yellow flower clusters 6” long in mid-May. Excellent orange fall color MN Native.


Aronia melanocarpa (Black Chokeberry) – 3’ White flowers in May, black-purple berries in August-September, red fall foliage. Attracts birds! MN Native.

Betula alleghaniensis (Yellow Birch) – 60-75’ Rounded crown when mature. Dull dark green foliage turns a showy yellow in fall. Amber to silvery exfoliating bark. Prefers cool moist soils. MN Native.


Buddleja davidii ‘Orchid Beauty’ (Butterfly-bush) – 5-6’ Panicles of fragrant, ruffled lilac flowers. Butterflies love it! Zone 5.

Carya cordiformis (Bitternut Hickory) 60-100’ Low wet to dry woods, stream banks and borders of swamps. Slow growing, yellow flowers in spring.


Clethra alnifolia ‘Pink Spire’ (Summersweet) – 3-8’ H x 4-6’ W Rose buds opening to soft pink, fragrant flowers. Medium green foliage. Yellow fall color.

Clethra alnifolia ‘Ruby Spice’ (Summersweet) – 3-6’ H x 3-4’ W Bright pink flowers hold their color. Nice yellow fall color.

Clethra alnifolia ‘September Beauty’ (Summersweet) – 4-6’ H x 3-4’ W Compact, rounded habit. Very fragrant white flowers and deep green foliage. Pale yellow to golden brown fall color. Mid-August to late September.

Cornus kousa ‘Aurora’ (Dogwood) – 3-4’ Upright, rounded habit. Glossy dark green foliage. Pink flower buds open to pink flowers which fade to bluish-white.


Cornus sericea ‘Farrow’ Arctic Fire’ (Red Twig Dogwood) – 3-4’ An upright spreading shrub. Tiny, fragrant white flowers appear in clusters in late spring. Fruiting in summer.
**Trees & Shrubs Continued**

**coCotinus coggyria** 'Anct' Golden Spirit (Smokebush) -- 6-10'H x 6-10'W Upright, spreading multi-stemmed shrub. Unusual golden foliage suffused with green turns amber, burgundy, scarlet, and green in fall. Sunny, well-drained, dry sites.

**Dierveilla sessilifolia** ‘Lpde Podarais' Cool Splash™ (Bush-honeysuckle) -- 2-3' Fragrant yellow, trumpet-shaped flowers from June to July. Deep green leaves have broad creamy-white margins and red stems.

**Eumonymus alatus** 'Compactus' (Dwarf Winged Euonymus) -- 5-6'H x 5-8'W Dwarf form with a rounded habit. Branches have stiff, corky wings. Brilliant scarlet fall color. Excellent hedge shrub.

**Forsythia** 'Courtsocal' Gold Tide™ (Forsythia) -- 20'H x 48'W Spreading habit. Lemon-yellow flowers in spring. Medium green foliage. (The French trade name is Maree D'Or.)

**Forsythia** 'Meadowlark' (Forsythia) -- 8'H x 6-10'W Semi-arching dark green foliage. Showy bright yellow spring bloom. Plant as specimen shrub or in border in full sun area.

**Forsythia** 'Northern Sun' (Forsythia) -- 8-10'H x 7-9'W Upright, arching habit. Clear yellow flowers in late April. Very hardy flower buds. U of MN Introduction.

**Forsythia** 'Dwarf Arnold' (Forsythia) -- 2-3'H x 4-7'W Compact, low, spreading habit. Branches root where they touch the ground. Makes a good ground cover. Golden-yellow flowers in early spring.


**Heptacodium miconiodes** (Crape Myrtle of the North) -- 15' White fragrant flowers in late summer. Red and purple calyces surround fruits in early fall. Purple fall foliage. Best color in sun.

**Hydrangea arborescens** 'Abetwo' Incredible® (Hydrangea) -- 5'H x 5'W Huge 12' dia. blooms emerge soft lime-green then turn yellow. Yellow fall foliage. Blooms mid-summer to fall.

**Hydrangea arborescens** 'Annabelle' (Hydrangea) -- 4-5'H x 3-5'W Green flowers turning white midsummer. Thrives in shade.

**Hydrangea macrophylla** 'Twist and Shout' (Bigleaf Hydrangea) -- 3-5'H x 3-4'W Produces pink or blue blooms on both old and new wood depending on the soil type. Sturdy red stems and glossy deep green leaves turning red in fall to offer year round interest.

**Hydrangea paniculata** 'Dwpinky' Pinky Winky® (Hydrangea) -- 6-8'H x 5-6'W Dense, cone-shaped, exceptionally large panicles of two-toned flowers. Flowers emerge white, maturing to dark pink. Dark green leaves take on purple tinge in fall.

**Hydrangea paniculata** 'Hypmad 1 White Diamonds® (Hydrangea) -- 4'H x 5'W Compact, dense shape. Light green to white to parchment pink flowers. Dark green leafy foliage has increased heat and drought tolerance.

**Hydrangea paniculata** 'Renzy' Vanilla Strawberry™ First Editions® (Hydrangea) -- 6-7'H x 4-5'W Upright habit with red stems and cone-shaped flowers. Creamy-white to soft pink to ripe strawberry-red flowers cover this lovely, robust shrub from late summer to long lasting color.

**Ilex verticillata** 'Jim Dandy' (Winterberry) -- 5' Male selection. Early flowering so good pollinator for f. v. ‘Red Sprite’. Upright, mounding habit. Dark green, healthy foliage.

**Ilex verticillata** (Winterberry) -- 7-9' Year round interest, highlighted by the showy display of red berries in winter. Mass or group in shrub borders, foundations, native plant areas or bird gardens. Hedge. Excellent shrub for moist soils in low spots or along streams and ponds. MN Native.

**Lepedeza** 'Pink Fountains' (Bush-clover) -- 4-5' Semi-woody legume with waves of pink flowers. Cut back in April. Midsummer-fall.

**Magnolia x loebneri** 'Leonard Messel' (Magnolia) -- 15-20'H x 20-25'W Upright habit, rounded with age. Twelve-petaled flowers of fuchsia pink to purple. Deep green foliage.


**Phylocarpus opulusifolius** 'Donna May' First Editions® Little Devil™ (Ninebark) -- 3-4'H x 3-4'W Upright, rounded habit. Deep burgundy foliage. Pinkish-white flowers in June contrast with dark foliage. Pest and disease free.
**Succulent Trough Gardens**

New this year at the Plant Sale is a broad selection of succulent's plants in troughs planted by the folks at Shady Acres.

If you’ve got a sunny location that also gets very hot in summer, planting succulent perennials can make your life easy. They are as low-maintenance as you can get storing water in their tissues. Once planted, they look after themselves, needing no extra watering. Colors range from greens, like blue-greens, reds, pinkish and greys. Often a plant will have a two-tone look. If you container garden and will be away or busy, these plants are your choice. Many succulents require no water during winter because the plants are in a dormant period. Water sparingly in these months only if the leaves begin to look wilted. In the summer move them outside to a

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**Auxiliary Quilt Raffle**

Our 24th Annual Quilt is now on display in the Great Hall of the Oswald Visitor Center. This year’s masterpiece was created by the Auxiliary’s Traditional Quilters Group. It is machine pieced, hand appliquéd and machine quilted. It is sure to be a treasured heirloom for some lucky winner.

Tickets for the raffle may be purchased next to the Gift Shop in the Oswald Visitor Center for only $2.00 each.

The drawing will be held during the Auxiliary’s Harvest Sale, September 24th at 2:00 pm.

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE PRESENT TO WIN!

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**SPECIAL AUXILIARY CREATIONS**

Auxiliary members have created some very special Garden Embellishments including Fairy castles and Toad houses and beautiful Fairy Dish Gardens. Garden Mushrooms, Hypertufa and Basket Pots will all be available at this years Auxiliary Plant sale.

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**Annual Kits**

Check out the “My Garden Combo Kits” located near the Hosta Building. These kits, including seven plants in professionally designed combinations, are ready for planting in patio containers, window boxes or ground beds. Combinations for both sun and shade are available with color schemes to tempt every gardener. The plants are grown in eco-friendly fiber wrap pots, eliminating plastic waste. These pots can be placed directly into the soil and will compost away over the summer. Come and pick your favorites for that special container or spot in your garden.

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**Andersen Horticultural Library**

The Andersen Horticultural Library is a non-circulating reading and reference library, part of the University of Minnesota library system and the only horticultural research library in the Upper Midwest. The collection includes 10,000 volumes, more than 500 periodicals on horticulture, botany, natural history and landscape architecture. It maintains one of the largest seed and nursery catalogue collections in the country, including over 1,200 current and over 100,000 historical catalogues dating to the mid-1800’s.

Whether you are an Arboretum visitor who wants to know more about an interesting tree you’ve seen, a scholar who wants to research the origin of plant species or an avid gardener who wishes to locate a rare plant for your own garden, then you need to visit the Andersen Horticultural Library in the Snyder Building at the Minnesota Landscape Arboretum. Friendly and knowledgeable staff are on hand to help you.
Ornamental Grasses

Grasses are the foundation of North American Prairies. Their distinctive foliage and line add punctuation to the garden. Often thriving in minimal conditions, grasses are generally undemanding and easy care. The only routine maintenance is cutting back the plants in late winter/early spring to ready them for spring growth and foliage.

Grasses are found on the picnic tables in front of the SHADE Bldg

Andropogon gerardii ‘Red October’ (Big Blue Stem) -- 6’ Narrow leaves with an upright habit. Begins deep green turning to red then burgundy as fall approaches. Bouteloua gracilis (Blue Grama Grass) -- 1-2’ Most important range grass of the Great Plains. Curly, narrow leaves. Long, one-sided, seed spikes with eyelash-like inflorescence. MN Native.

Calamagrostis brachytricha (Fall-blooming Reed Grass) -- 2-3’ Deep green leaves form an upright-arching mound. Most shade tolerant of the Reed Grasses. Inflorescence is rose-purple in September. Self-sows a little.

Calamagrostis x acutiflora ‘Avalanche’ (Feather Reed Grass) -- 4-5’ Green leaves with white centers. More prominent in the garden than C. ‘Overdam.’ Bronzy-purple inflorescence in fall.

Calamagrostis x acutiflora ‘Karl Foerster’ (Feather Reed Grass) PPA 2001 -- 5-6’ Best of non-native grasses. Tall Clumps. Foliage shows pink tones in fall. Best grown in light shade.

Calamagrostis x acutiflora ‘Overdam’ (Feather Reed Grass) -- 1-3’ Choice variegated Feather Reed from Denmark. Leaves emerge with creamy color, intensifying with season into fall pink tones. Full sun or light shade.

Carex muskingumensis (Palm Sedge Grass) -- 24” Attractive dark green foliage grows at right angles to the stem. Plants are yellow if grown in full sun. Interesting palm frond foliage.

Carex pensylvanica (Pennsylvania Sedge) -- 8-10” Delicate, arching, semi-evergreen foliage. Prefers dry, well-drained soils in full to partial sun. Excellent ground cover under oak trees. MN Native.

Chasmanthium latifolium (Wild Oats) -- 3’ Valued for its flat fruit heads. Becoming heavy at maturity and drooping gracefully. One of the best ornamental grasses.

Deschampsia caespitosa ‘Schottland’ (Scottish Tufted Hair Grass) -- 4-5’ Dark green leaves; lighter green inflorescence.

Destuca gauca ‘Elijah Blue’ (Sheep Fescue) -- 8” One of nicest, palest blues. Medium texture.


Helictotrichon sempervirens ‘Saphirprudel’/‘Sparking Sapphire’ (Sparkling Sapphire Oat Grass) -- 2’ Mid-sized blue-foliaged grass of fine to medium texture. Well-drained soil and full sun. Best blue color. Strong grower.


Miscanthus sinensis (Giant Reed Grass) -- 6’ Red inflorescence turns to silver; triple arching mound. Most shade tolerant. The only routine maintenance is cutting back in late winter/early spring to ready them for spring growth and foliage.

Miscanthus sinensis ‘Avalanche’ -- 3-4’ Best blue color. The only routine maintenance is cutting back in late winter/early spring to ready them for spring growth and foliage.


Miscanthus sinensis ‘Gracillimus’/‘Maiden Grass’ (Japanese Silver Grass) -- 5-6’ Bronze-red inflorescence turns to silver; decorative in winter. Oct.


Ophiopogon planiscapus ‘Niger’ (Black Mondo Grass) -- 1-2’ Black foliage. Moisture loving. Good special effect plant.

Panicum virgatum ‘Prairie Fire’ (Switch Grass) -- 4-5’ Blue-green spring foliage turns deep red by early summer, then butter yellow in late fall. Drought tolerant.

Panicum virgatum ‘Shenandoah’ (Switch Grass) -- 3’ Develops reddish-purple foliage color by midsummer. Reddish flower heads.

Penisetum setaceum ‘Fireworks’ (Variegated Purple Fountain Grass) -- 3’H x 2’W Colorful variegated grass has longitudinal stripes of white, green, burgundy, and hot pink. Purple tassels rise above the foliage in late summer. Treat as an annual.

Schizachyrium scoparium (Little Bluestem) -- 2-4’ Light green to blue foliage turns bronze-orange in fall. Inflorescences mature into silvery-white seed heads. Needs sandy or gravelly, well-drained soil.

Schizachyrium scoparium ‘MinnBlueA’ Blue Heaven™ (Little Bluestem) -- 48”H x 25-30”W Dark blue to burgundy foliage. Treat as an annual.

Sporobolus heterolepis (Prairie Dropseed) -- 2-3’ Seed heads are fragrant, drought tolerant. 18” emerald-green foliage, red fall color. Sunny, dry locations. Native. Late summer. MN Native.

Stipa arundinacea (Nodgrass) -- 2’H x 2’W Nodgrass branched seed heads, graceful arching foliage, Drought resistant.

Sporobolus wrightii (Giant Sacaton) -- 3-4’H x 2’W Nodgrass branched seed heads, graceful arching foliage, Drought resistant.

Stipa arundinacea (Needlegrass) -- 2’H x 2’W Dark green, fine textured, arching leaves. Autumn color of bronze and orange.
Herbs

Herbs are valued in the garden for their flavor, fragrance, medicinal and healthful qualities. Stop by our Herb Building and breathe in the aromas! For more information on herbs and medicinal browse the books in the Andersen Horticultural Library or the Arboretum Gift Shop. You will find Herbs in the HERB BUILDING.

A - Annual  AR - Aroma therapy  P - Perennial  K - Kitchen  TP - Tender Perennial  DR - Suitable for Drying  B - Biennial  O - Ornamental  M - Medicinal

Aloe, (Aloe vera A. barbadensis) – 1’ Used to treat burns and rashes. TP - M

Assorted Containers, Choose your favorite.


Basil, ‘Eleonora’ Spicy flavor, less susceptible to basil downy mildew.

Basil, ‘Greek Mini’ (Ocimum basilicum minimum) – 9” Tiny leaves are fragrant and tasty. Compact. Good for containers. A - K

Basil, ‘Kivumbasi Lime’ (Ocimum basilicum) – 24” Holiday basil. Sits on your patio and makes great pesto.

Basil, ‘Mrithani’ Top for cooking & fragrance! From Zanzibar it’s ruffled leaves have an undertone of fennel. Sun and good drainage.


Basil, ‘Thai Siam Queen’ Intense licorice aroma & flavor. Use in Thai dishes.

Basil, ‘Tulsi Holy Amrita’ – 15” Purple leaves, light aroma, Tulsi tea in the morning reduces stress

Basil, ‘Tulsi Kapoor’ (Ocimum tenuiflorum) – 24” Leaves make a tasty tea and a mosquito repellent. A - K, M

Basil, ‘Tulsi Rama’ – 3-4’ A top basil in terms of the clove scent and Rosmarinic Acid.

Bay, Sweet (Laurus nobilis) -- Nothing better than fresh bay! TP - AR, K

Butterfly-Bush, ‘Black Knight’ (Buddleja ‘Black Knight’) – 4-6'H x 4-5'W Dark purple flowers borne in upright, terminal, pyramidal spikes. Flowers on new wood—prune to ground in spring. July - Sept. Attracts butterflies! TP - O

Butterfly-Bush, ‘Nanho Blue’ (Buddleja ‘Nanho Blue’) – 6’ Long blue flower stems. Attracts butterflies! TP - O

Chives, Onion (Allium schoenoprasum) – 10” Mild onion flavor. P - K

Cilantro (Coriandrum sativum) – 2-3’ Grown for fresh leaves. A - K

Cuphea, Red/Orange (Cuphea ignea) -- 2’ Rich nectar attracts hummingbirds. Blooms summer until frost. TP - O

Datura, ‘Double Yellow’ (Datura metel ‘Double Yellow’) -- Frilly yellow flowers that are highly fragrant. Compact plants 4ft x 4ft. Deer resistant. All parts of Datura are poisonous if ingested.

Dill, ‘Fernleaf’ (Anethum graveolens ‘Fernleaf’) -- 18” Good container plant. A - K

Dill, ‘Hercules’ (Anethum graveolens ‘Hercules’) – 30” Early, large seed heads, excellent for pickling. Foliage is also tasty. A - K

Fennel, Bronze (Foeniculum vulgare ‘Purpureum’) – 3’ Copper foliage. A - K

Fennel, ‘Orion (Foeniculum vulgare) 80 Days -- 2’ Large, thick, rounded bulbs are crisp and tasty with nice anise flavor. A - K

Heliotrope, ‘Blue Marito’ 15” Blooms from spring to frost.

Impatiens Sunpatiens® ‘Spreading Carmine Red’ 12’-18” Full sun to part shade

Impatiens Sunpatiens® ‘Compact Coral’ 12’-18” Full sun to part shade

Impatiens Sunpatiens® ‘Compact Magenta Royal’ 12’-18” Full sun to part shade

Impatiens Sunpatiens® ‘Spreading Salmon’ 12’-18” Full sun to part shade

Lantana, ‘Confetti’ (Lantana camara ‘Confetti’) – 24” Spreading habit. Hummingbirds love the pink, yellow, and orange flowers! TP - O

Lantana, ‘Gold Mound’ (Lantana camara) Yellow bloom are loved by butterflies and gardeners.

Lantana, ‘Trailing Purple’ (Lantana montevidensis) – 24” Profuse lavender blooms, late spring to frost. Attracts hummingbirds! TP - O

Lantana, ‘Variegated’ (Lantana camara ‘Variegated’) -- 2-3’ Variegated foliage, pink and yellow flowers. TP - O

Lantana, ‘White’ (Lantana sp.) – 24” White flowers. TP - O

Lavender, ‘Dutch’ (Lavandula x angustifolia) – 2’ Dry flower heads for potpourri. Attracts butterflies! TP - AR, DR, K, O

Lavender, ‘Fernleaf’ (Lavandula pinnata) – 3’ Blue-violet flower spikes all season. Grey-green, deeply lobed leaves. TP - AR, DR, K, O

Lavender, ‘Fringed’ (Lavandula dentata) – 2’ Dry flower heads for potpourri. TP - AR, DR, K, O

Lavender, ‘Hidcote’ (Lavandula angustifolia ‘Hidcote’) -- 2’ Deep blue flower. Excellent dried. P - AR, DR, K, O

Lavender, ‘Provence’ 30in. Both flowers and foliage are heavily scented.

Lemon Balm (Melissa officinalis) – 30” Lemon-mint flavored leaves. P - AR, K, M

Lemon Grass (Cymbopogon citrates) – 2-3’ Used in oriental dishes. TP - K

Lemon Verbena (Aloysia triphylla) – 3’ Best lemon flavor of any herb. TP - AR, K

Marigold, ‘Dainty Marietta’ 9-12in. Low growing and useful in borders. Single blooms with a blotch on each petal.

Marigold, ‘Mr. Magestic’ (Tagetes patula) – 15” This mahogany-on-gold striped flower is a Scottish heirloom. A - O

Marigold, ‘Susie’ 15” Orange and yellow single flowers

Marjoram, Sweet (Origanum majorana) – 12” Very fragrant with white flower. A - AR, K

Milkvweed, ‘Swamp Carminie’ (Asclepias incarnata) 3-4ft. Fragrant perennial will attract bees and butterflies. Blooms from summer thru early fall.

Mint, ‘Chocolate’ (Mentha piperita) – 15” Strong flavor. P - AR, K

Mint, ‘Jim’s Spear’ (Menta spicata) – 30” Mint jelly, sauce, and tea. P - AR, K, M

Mint, ‘Kentucky Colonel Spear’ (Mentha spicata ‘Kentucky Colonel’) -- 30” Excellent flavor for mint jelly, sauce, and tea. P - AR, K, M

Mint, ‘Pepper’ (Mentha x piperita) – 30” Aids in reducing mental fatigue, and in digestion. P - AR, K, M

Morning Glory, ‘Candy Pink’ (Ipomoea tricolor) -- 10-15’ Long-blooming pink flowers on vigorous vines. A - O

Morning Glory, ‘Cardinal’ (Ipomoea x multifida) -- 6-10’ Long-blooming bright red 1” flowers. A - O

Morning Glory, ‘Grandpa Ott’ (Ipomoea imperialis ‘Grandpa Ott’) – 8-10’ Deep, velvety, royal purple flowers. A - O

Morning Glory, ‘Heavenly Blue’ (Ipomoea imperialis ‘Heavenly Blue’) -- 6-8’ Sky blue trumpet flowers with white throats. A - O

Nasturtium, ‘Alaska’ (Tropaeolum majus) -- 8” Bush type with variegated leaves. A - K, O

Nasturtium, ‘Empress of India’ (Tropaeolum sp.) -- 12” Deep purple foliage with deep orange flowers. A - O

Nasturtium, ‘Pink Maid’ Old-fashioned variety, mounding habit & grows to 12”. Edible.

Nasturtium, Trailing Mix (Tropaeolum majus) -- 15” Fragrant single and double flowers. A - K, O

Oregano, ‘Hilltop Greek Variety.’ Distinct pungent aroma and flavor. Great for pizza, tomato sauce, herb blends.

Parsley, Curly (Petroselinum crispum) -- 12” More than a garnish! B - K

Parsley, Italian (Petroselinum crispum apenninum) -- 18” Flat-leaved. Stronger flavor than curly. B - K

Patchouli (Pogostemon cablin) -- 12” Shrub-like plant with large leaves; mint and sandalwood aroma. TP - AR, DR

Rosemary, ‘Creeping Irene’ (Rosmarinus officinalis ‘Prostratus’) A creeping Rosemary with a more intense blue than most. Wonderful for hanging baskets.


Sage, Berggarten (Salvia officinalis ‘Berggarten’) -- 18” Use fresh and dried. P - K, DR, O

Sage, Dwarf (Salvia officinalis ‘Nana’) -- 18” Same flavor as Garden Sage. P - DR, K

Sage, Garden (Salvia officinalis) -- 2” Leaves used in poultry, pork, tea. P - DR, K, M

Sage, Pineapple (Salvia elegans) -- 3’ Sweet sage, fresh in the garden. TP - K

Sage, Purple (Salvia officinalis ‘Purpurea’) -- 2’ Adds color and texture to the garden. TP - K, DR, O

Sage, Texas (Salvia cocinea) -- 3’ Bright red flower. A - O
Sage, Tricolor (Salvia officinalis ‘Tricolor’) -- 15” Variegated red, purple, and white. A - O
Salvia, ‘Black and Blue’ 30” Deep cobalt blue flowers on 15” spikes summer thru fall.
Scented Geraniums - Varieties A variety of Scented Geraniums, choose your favorite!
Stevia (Stevia rebaudiana) -- 30” Dried leaves used as sweetener. TP - K
Strawberry, ‘Éclair’ June-bearing. Fragrant fruit, bright red, super sweet berries with a
note of raspberry & citrus.
Succulents - Mixed Varieties Choose your favorite
Sunflower, ‘Sunny Smile’ 10-20” Golden orange petals surround a black disc.
Sunflower, Lemon Queen (Myrrhis odorata) -- 6’ Yellow petals with wide brown center. P - O
Tarragon, French (Artemisia dracunculus sativa) -- 3’ Licorice taste. P - K
Thyme, ‘Bressingham’ (Thymus praecox ‘Bressingham’) -- 4” Grey-green foliage, clear pink flowers. P - O
Thyme, ‘Lime Green’ 6-8” Low growing, but with a nice citrus scent.
Thyme, ‘Minor’ (Thymus praecox ssp. arcticus ‘Minor’) -- 1” Creeping. Hairly leaves, pink flower. P - O
Thyme, ‘Silver Posie’ (Thymus vulgaris ‘Silver Posie’) -- 8” Silver/white/green leaves. P - K
Thyme, French (Thymus vulgaris) -- 10” Best for cooking. TP - K
Thyme, Golden Lemon Varigated (Thymus x citriodorus ‘Aureus’) -- 8” Lemon scented. TP - AR, K, O
Thyme, Lemon (Thymus x citriodorus) -- 6” Creeping. Lemon flavor. P - AR, K
Thyme, Oregano-Scented (Thymus pulegioides) -- 10” Use as a substitute for oregano. P - K
Thyme, Red Creeping (Thymus praecox ssp. arcticus ‘Coccineus’) -- 2” Bright crimson foliage, magenta flowers. P - O
Tithonia, Torch (Tithonia speciosa) -- 5-6’ Velvety dark green leaves. Butterflies love this! A - O
Viola, ‘Penny Martles’ 4-6” Purple-yellow blooms.
Viola, ‘Penny Peach’ 4-6” Mauve- lilac, purple, salmon
Viola, ‘Penny White’ Under 2” White flowers
Za’Atar TP. 12” Fragrant cottony leaves. Spicy sweet flavor with notes of mint, bay, marjoram. Pungent and earthy.
Zinnia, ‘Bon Bon’ Annual. 30”
Zinnias, ‘Thumbelina’ Annual. 8-12” Showy annual for borders, containers, beds/ full sun.
Zinnia, Burpee Rose Giant Cactus (Zinnia elegans) -- 30” Mix of scarlet, rose, orange, and yellow flowers. Easy to grow. Rare. A - O

Scented Geraniums

These Geraniums (or Pelargonium) are grown for the scent of their leaves rather than their flowers. The variety of fragrances range from rose, pine, and mint, to fruity or spicy. Their flowers are usually small, but there is great variation in the foliage. Some leaves are variegated, some frilled, and some deeply lobed. Being a tender perennial in Minnesota, they need to come in before winter. They grow beautifully in planters in full sun. Each time you brush past them, their scent lifts your spirits. Find many varieties of Scented Geraniums in the HERB BUILDING.

Capsicum – 2016 Herb of the Year

Capsicum (also known as peppers) is a genus of flowering plants in the nightshade family Solanaceae. Its species are native to the Americas, where they have been cultivated for thousands of years. In modern times, it is cultivated worldwide, and has become a key element in many cuisines

See all our varieties of Peppers in the vegetable section of this plant list and available in the Herb Building.

Garlic and Herb Stuffed Mini Sweet Peppers

11 mini sweet peppers, stems and seeds removed and cut in half long way
8 oz cream cheese, room temperature
1 t basil, finely chopped
4 garlic cloves, freshly minced or grated
¼ tsp. dill weed
1½ tsp. fresh parsley, finely chopped

Mix together cream cheese, garlic, and herbs. Stuff each pepper half with about 1 T of cream cheese mixture. Chill until serving

Try making your own Herbs de Provence Blend with the following recipe:

Ingredients
2 tablespoons dried thyme
2 tablespoons dried marjoram
2 tablespoons dried savory
1 tablespoon dried rosemary
2 tablespoons dried lavender flowers
Vegetables

Vegetables are found in the HERB BUILDING.

Arugula, ‘Apollo’ -- 40-45 days. Excellent taste and rarely bitter.
Asparagus, ‘Jersey Knight’ -- High % of male plants=larger spears. Needs deep, well-drained, sandy loam.
Bean, ‘Kentucky Wonder’ -- 65 days. 7-8” long pole bean. Eating, freezing, canning.
Bean, ‘Concord Yellow Haricot Vert’ -- 62 days. Yellow bean lovers bean! Sinch pods that stay slender and will keep producing if tended to.
Bean, ‘Maxibel Bush Haricot Vert’ -- 60 days. Dark green 6-8 inch pods with superb taste! For tenderness & succulent flavor pick early and often
Bean, ‘Red Noodle’ -- 90 days. Planted on a trellis, produces long pencil-thin purple pods.
Beet, ‘Chioggia Guarmands’ -- 90 days. Vivid purple and white interior. Very nutritious.
Blueberry, North Blue (Vaccinium ‘North Blue’) -- Dark blue fruit. U of MN Introduction.
Blueberry, Northland (Vaccinium ‘Northland’) -- 3-4” Small, dark blue berries with wild flavor. Very hardy. Good landscape plant.
Broccoli, ‘Gypsy’ -- 58 days. Mildew resistant and heat tolerant.
Brussel Sprouts, ‘Franklin’ -- 80 days. Earliest maturing with high quality, uniform, firm sprouts.
Cantaloupe, ‘Charentais’ -- 75-90 days. Heirloom with rich, sweet flavor. Small fruit, 2 lbs.
Cantaloupe, ‘Early Champ’ -- 75 days. Sweet flavor. Oval fruit, 4.5-6.5 lbs. Good disease resistance.
Cantaloupe, ‘Heart of Gold’ -- 70-90 days. Aromatic, juicy, and flavorful. 2-3 lbs. Heirloom c. 1914.
Cantaloupe, ‘Petit Gris’ -- 80 days. Heirloom with sweet, brown sugar flavor. 2-3 lbs.
Cantaloupe, ‘Iroquois’ -- 80 days. Large, round-oval fruit. Flesh is orange, sweet and fragrant weighing in at 5-7lbs.
Cucumber, ‘Cool Breeze’ -- 45 days. Non-bitter French variety tasty for pickles or fresh use.
Cucumber, ‘Lemon’ -- 50 days. Good for pickling.
Cucumber, ‘Polan’ -- 50 days. Heavy producer, never bitter.
Cucumber, ‘Spacemaster’ -- 60 days. 7 1/2” dark green fruits for salads. Grows well in containers.
Cucumber, ‘Suyo Long’ -- 61 days. Bitter free.
Cucumber, ‘Mexican Sour Gherkin’ -- 65 days. Fast growing delicate vine with dozens of 1 inch green and white cucumbers that look like miniature watermelons, but taste like cucumbers with a sour zing.
Cucumber, ‘Pooma Khheara’ -- 50 days. Light yellow skin turning to rosy russet at maturity. Heavy producer.
Eggplant, ‘Black King’ -- 75 days. Superior, with large, oval-shaped fruit with vivid dark skin. Great tasting fruit!
Eggplant, ‘Little Fingers’ -- 60 days. Great for pickling.
Eggplant Mix includes one of each -- Black King, Clara, Little Fingers, Ping Tung
Eggplant, ‘Thai Yellow’ -- 60 days. Tender skin and delicate flavor. Fruit the size of golf balls and prized for use in Thai dishes
Eggplant, ‘Turkish Orange’ -- 80 days. Resembling a small tomato with lots of seeds, this eggplant is ripe when the orange color is vibrant.
Kale, ‘Vates’ -- 55 days. Curly blue-green leaves to 15”. Good flavor.
Kale, ‘Siber Frill’ -- 70 days. Mild flavored frilly leaves are great in salads and stir fry.
Kalettes, ‘Autumn Star’ Hybrid of Kale and Brussel Sprouts. Early season harvest. This is not genetically modified. but created by cross breading.
Kohlrabi, ‘Kossack’ -- 70 Days–Sweet, delicate flavor, never gets woody.
Leek, ‘King Richard’ (75 days) White stems over a foot long to green leaf. For baby leeks plant closer together.
Lettuce, ‘Buttercrunch’ -- 64 Days–Tightly bunched, dark green leaves.
Lettuce, ‘Dragon’ -- 46 Days--Green mini Romaine with thick, crisp leaves.
Lettuce, ‘Red Cross’ 70 days. Butterhead. Bright red heads. Good heat tolerance.
Mesclun, ‘Mild Mix’ -- 21 Days–Mix of mild leafy greens.
Okra Mix -- 60 Days–2 each: Red Burgundy and Clemson Spineless (green).
Onion, ‘Yellow of Parma’ -- 110 Days–Golden, globe-shaped bulbs. Late, stores well.
Onion, ‘Talon’ (110 days) - Round storage bulbs with golden skins and white interior. Firm with crisp white flesh. 3-4” tall globes.
Pea, ‘Dwarf Gray Sugar’ -- 60 Days–Broad, pale green, stringless 3-4” pods. Purple bi-colored flowers. 24-30” sturdy vines.
Pepper, ‘Garden Salsa’ -- 73 Days–Hot, hotter in dry weather. Green fruit turns to red.
Pepper, ‘Gourmet’ -- 65 Days–Sweet. Orange bell with thick juicy walls and fruity sweet taste.
Pepper, ‘Italian Pepperoncini’ -- 70 Days–Sweet. Thin fruit, 3-5” long. Heirloom from southern Italy.
Pepper, ‘King of the North’ -- 70 Days–Sweet. Red bell with great sweet flavor. Early for Minnesota.
Pepper, ‘Napoleon Sweet’ -- 70-90 Days--Sweet. Good, mild flavor when green, sweeter when red. Bears 8” x 4” fruits until frost.
Pepper, ‘Salsa Mix’–Hot and Sweet. Bell Boy, Cayenne, Jalapeño, and Napoleon Sweet.
Pepper, ‘Sweet Banana’ – 70 Days–Sweet. 6” long, pointed fruit.
Pepper, ‘Candlelight’ 80 days - Med. Hot, Vibrant pods on a compact plant. Perfect for patio or small garden space.
Pepper, ‘Carolina Reaper’ -- 70-90 days. Extremely hot! 1,569,300 on the Scoville Units. A jalapeno registers about 5,000.
Pepper, ‘Criorilla Sella’ (80 days) Heavy yields of 2 1/2” x 1/2” fruit. Peppers are hot and turn from green to golden-yellow/orange when mature.
Pepper, ‘Jalapeno El Jefe’ (70 days) Fruits are Hot and 4” long. Higher yield potential on easy to pick plants.
Swiss Chard, ‘Fantasia’ 30 days. Midribs are bright orange which contrasts against dark green shiny leaves.

Tomatillo — 68 Days. Green flesh, long lasting.

Tomatillo ‘Purple’ — 68 Days. Purple flesh and skin when ripe. Much sweeter than green types.


Tomato ‘Better Boy’ — 75 Days. Heavy yields of large, globe-shaped red fruit. Foliate protects fruit.

Tomato ‘Better Bush’ — 68 Days—Early, sweet and meaty, grows well in containers.

Tomato ‘Big Beef’ — 75 Days—Beefsteak flavor, heavy yields. 12 oz. fruits.

Tomato ‘Big Boy’ — 78 Days—Large fruit, heavy producer.

Tomato ‘Big Mama’ — 80 Days—Large plum-shaped fruit. Excellent paste tomato, good in sauce.

Tomato ‘Sungold’ — 57 Days—Yellow-orange, bite size.

Tomato ‘Black Krim’ — 70 Days—Excellent full flavor. 4-5" globes. Heirloom.

Tomato ‘Brandywine Yellow’ — 90 Days—Excellent flavor, perfect for gourmet cuisine. 12-24 oz.

Tomato ‘Brandywine’ — 78 Days—Large fruit, best staked. Heirloom.

Tomato ‘Caspiyan Pink’ — 80 Days—Deep red fruit, delicious flavor.

Tomato ‘Celebrity’ — 70 Days—Firm red fruit, vigorous vines.


Tomato ‘Druza’ — 80 Days—Heavy set of perfect red 1/2-1 lb. fruit.


Tomato ‘Green Zebra’ — 75 Days—Sweet and spicy, dark green strip.

Tomato Heirloom Mix — Black Krim, Moskvich, Nebraska Wedding, Striped German.

Tomato ‘Jaune Flammee’ — 60 Days—French heirloom with high flavor, balanced sugar-acid. Fruits in clusters of 8-12.

Tomato ‘Juliet’ — 60 Days—Deep red, shiny fruits with rich flavor. 12-18 fruit sets per cluster. Great for salsa and fresh pasta sauce.

Tomato ‘Moskvich’ — 60 Days. Ripens early.

Tomato ‘Nebraska Wedding’ — 90 Days—Excellent flavor, orange fruit.


Tomato ‘Roma’ — 76 Days—For salsa, stew, ketchup, and paste. Heavy producer.

Tomato ‘Salsa Mix’ — Amish Paste, Big Mama, Big Beef, and Celebrity.

Tomato ‘Soldecki’ — 75 Days—Dark pink heirloom variety with low acid and intensely sweet flavor. 16 ozs.


Tomato ‘Supersweet’ — 65 Days—Bite-sized sweet cherry tomato.

Tomato ‘Sweet Million’ — 60 Days—Super sweet cherry tomato.

Tomato ‘Watermelon, Beefsteak’ 75 days. Ind. Good flavored fruits weighing 2 lbs. Pink skinned and very mild with purple flesh and oblong shape.

Tomato ‘Yellow Pear’ — 70 Days—2" yellow, pear-shaped fruits for salads or pickling. Sweet and mild. High yield. Heirloom.

Watercress — 30 Days—Good in sandwiches. Grow in clay pot in shade; needs moisture.

Watermelon, ‘Crimson Sweet’ — 85 Days—Dark and light green striped skin. Orange-red flesh is crisp and flavorful. 15-25 pound fruit is 10"12".

Watermelon, ‘Sugar Baby’ — 70 Days—Flavorful 8-10 pound fruit is 6-8" dia.


Zucchini Mix — Gold Rush and Raven.
2016 Calendar of Auxiliary Events

Summer Garden Tours:
Sunday, July 10
Tuesday, July 12 & Wednesday, July 13

Fall Harvest Sale:
Saturday, September 24 & Sunday, September 25

Quilt Raffle Drawing:
Saturday, September 25

Holiday Sale:
Friday, December 2,
Saturday, December 3 & Sunday, December 4

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