

#### **A Rainbow of Triumph Tulips**

A cross between Darwin and Early Tulips,
Triumph Tulips have strong stems and
large, shapely blooms which are as
equally successful in the garden as they
are in forced pots. They are particularly
prized for their wide range of colors
which we have represented here.
Triumph Tulips are known to be good for
forcing.

Estimated planting area: 75 square feet. Tulip Class: Triumph. Bulb size: 12 cm/up. Height: 16" to 20". Bloom time: Late April. Plant 6" to 8" deep and 6" apart. Horticultural zones: 3-7. Please note that our collections are shipped in mid-October.

• 2 Tulip Don Quichotte: Deep rose, purple sheen. 20". • 2 Tulip Janis Joplin: Lavender-pink. 16". • 2 Tulip Negrita: Deep purple, beetroot-purple veins, bluegray base. 18". • 2 Tulip Orleans: Ivory, yellow cheeks. 18" to 20". • 2 Tulip Rodeo Drive: Blood-red. 18". • 2 Tulip Strong Gold: Primrose-yellow, faint orange flames. 16" to 18". Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$18 for 12 bulbs



### **Amaryllis Red Pearl**

Also called Black Pearl, it is shimmering, dark velvetred with an even darker throat and a saucer-shaped
form. Most bulbs yield two flowering stems, and
sometimes, even a third! This selection is for three
bareroot bulbs to plant in your own pots. For complete
storage, planting and care instructions, click Amaryllis
Horticultural Tips below. Harvest bulb size: 30/32 cm.
After harvest, the bulb may shrink a bit as it dries: it
will plump up again once potted and hydrated. They
usually take eight to twelve weeks to bloom once
potted. Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$15 for 1 bulb



# American C trilobum)

Also called Viburnul Highbush Cranberry (Variamily), this America showiest of our national cranberry bush proposomewhat similar in cranberries, thus its 8'-12' high with an lace-cap type flowed late May. Beginning serve as food for bid may be yellow, red, the many attributes shrub. Prefers good

shade to full sun. Native Range: BC east to
Newfoundland, south to Washington state and east to
northern Virginia. Native Habitat: cool moist
woodlands, streambanks in wooded areas, sandy
swamps, soggy thickets, edges of sandy marshes,
forested bogs, and roadside ditches Alternative to the
similar European cranberry-bush (Viburnum opulus)
which has become an invasive plant in some areas.
Use Wildlife: Songbirds, gamebirds, small
mammals. The berries are a winter-survival food
because they remain on the branches above the snow.
Attracts: Birds, Butterflies. Larval Host: Spring Azure
size: 2 year, 18-24" bare root \$15 for 5
Photo Credits:

- 1. Rob Routledge, Sault College, <u>Bugwood.org</u>
- 2. http://www.nwplants.com

**Price:** \$15 for 5

### American Hazelnut (Corylus americana)



Also called American Filbert American Hazelnut produces edible nuts for humans and wildlife, that are easy to open. Mature height of 15'–18' and a spread of 10'–12'. Fast growing. Can produce nuts 2 years after planting. Plant in multiples to ensure pollination. Leaves turn orange to red or purple in fall. Sun/Part Sun/Native/Attracts Birds/Attracts Mammals size: 1 year,

12-18" bare root / price: \$15 for 5

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### **Apple Cortland**



Semi-dwarf tree that grows 10-15' tall and 10' to 15' wide. Cortland apple tree is spreading with an upright, vase-shaped form. The trees have moderate resistance to fire blight and apple scab. Cortland apples have mid-season bloom beginning in April with pink buds followed by abundant white flowers. Trees usually begin to bear after 4 to 6 years. Large red fruits are ready to pick in September. They are crisp, sweet and tart. Great for pies, making cider and eating. Cortlands reliably bear heaven crops each season. Self-pollinating.

1 tree for \$40, caliper 1/2"-3/4" bare root tree

Photo Source: Stark Bro's.

**Price:** \$40 for 1 Bare-Root Sapling



#### **Apple-Jonagold**

Jonagold is a cross between Golden Delicious and Jonathan, developed in 1943 at Cornell and officially released in 1968. Large sweet fruit with thin skin that is green-yellow with streaks of crimson. The flesh is creamy yellow. Because of their large size they are now favored by commercial growers in many parts of the world, and the apples can last two months refrigerated. Flavor is sweet with a tangy aftertastenice balance of sweet and tart.

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https://commons.wikimedia.org/w/index.php?curid=19319444

Price: \$40 for 1 sapling



### **Asparagus, Purple Passion**

Its special, purple color, flavor and tenderness makes this variety very attractive and useful. Productive yields. Space 6"- 8" apart. (This is closer spacing than generally recommended for asparagus.) Asparagus notes: soil pH level of 7.0 - 7.2. Asparagus plants produce a light harvest in the 2nd year, a larger harvest the 3rd year, and a full harvest in subsequent years. 1 Year Crowns Full Sun, Moist/Dry Soil \$20 for 25 bare root crowns Photo Source:

https://www.noursefarms.com

Price: \$20 for 25 plants

#### **Bartlett Pear**



The Bartlett is so popular because of its sweet, juicy taste. Each year your tree provides bushels of pears that are great for canning, cooking and snacking. You can pick this delicious fruit in late summer. When ripe, these pears are so sweet that they fill your yard with a delicious aroma. A European pear with large yellow fruit and smooth, juicy white flesh. Fruit trees need a minimum of 6-8 hours sunlight daily, and need water. They are not drought tolerant. Needs a pollinator pear tree growing closely. Blake's Pride will work.

1 bare root tree, 4-6' tall and 3/8-7/8" caliper, for \$40

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#### **Black Choke**

Shrub with white 5 Glossy, dark green Long lasting black/p 4'-8' wide. Grows was ucker and form cowill tolerate a range compacted, low fer drought. Sometime windbreaks in wetter be prepared correct antioxidants, the beaution and eastern baked goods, jams, Americans used the common name reference.

berries, which may be tempered by freezing, adding a sweetener, or mixing with sweeter fruits. According to "Preserving Aronia Berries: A Personal Experience and Scientific Insight" on <u>Hugelkulturworks.com</u>, freezing the berries causes the cell walls to break down, thus reducing their astringency. Many species of birds and mammals browse the astringent berries only when other food sources dwindle in late winter. Native to Great Lakes region, Northeastern US and higher elevations in Appalachians. Native Habitat: Lowlands; bogs; dunes; cliffs. Flowers attract small bees and fruits attract birds. 6-12" bare root seedlings- \$10 for 5

**Price:** \$10 for 5 plants



### Black Eyed-Susan "Goldblitz" (Rudbeckia hirta)

Hardy, sturdy, powerhouse bloomer, highly adaptable to different soil types. Rabbit, deer, disease and drought resistant, a boon to butterflies. Deadhead spent flowers to encourage additional flowers to form.

image gratefully borrowed from the Select Seeds website catalog. Select Seeds is based just over the state line in Union, CT and is a great place to buy flower seeds and plants. https://www.selectseeds.com/

**Price:** \$24 for 3



#### **Black Raspberry "Jewel"**

Released from the Cornell Small Fruit Breeding
Program in Geneva, New York. Produces excellent
yields of superb quality berries. The fruit is glossy
black in color, a large size, and has a rich raspberry
flavor. It is an excellent choice for use in jams and
jellies. Jewel is winter hardy and a very reliable choice.
Try to plant at least 100 feet from other raspberries or
blackberries, to prevent disease.

5 plugs for \$30

photo from the Nourse Farms website

**Price:** \$30 for 5



#### **Black Walnu**

Also known as East Walnut A beautiful humans and wildlife nuts are edible but walnut, which come will provide edible i wood is highly valu Over-harvesting ha care must be taken plant. The tree rele found in the leaves an example of allele inhibition of one pla due to the release i biochemicals actino inhibitors. Many ga are susceptible to j serviceberries, ches cherries, tomatoes, cabbages, alfalfa, b rhododendron, lilac the heath family--if planted too close. Grows in Sun, Part Shade, Moist, rich soils. Native range is eastern US, Massachusetts south but not northern New England. Hosts over 20 types of caterpillars and many insects. Nuts are eaten by squirrels and chipmunks. \$12 for 3 12-18" bare root seedlings

**Price:** 3 for \$12

# Blue False Indigo (Baptisia australis)



Native in US as far north and east as Pennsylvania. Perennial typically grows 3-4' tall and occurs in rich woods, thickets and along streambanks. Features purple, lupine-like flowers in erect racemes (to 12") atop flower spikes extending well above a foliage mound of clover-like, trifoliate, bluish-green leaves (leaflets to 2" long). Blooms in spring. Flowers give way to inflated seed pods (to 2.5" long) which turn charcoal black when ripe and have considerable ornamental interest. Seeds rattle around in the blackened pods which were once popularly used by children as rattles. Stems with seed pods are valued additions to dried flower arrangements. Easily grown in average, dry to medium, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Tolerates drought and poor soils. Over time, plants develop slowly expanding clumps with deep and extensive root systems. Trimming or shearing foliage after bloom helps maintain rounded plant appearance and obviates a possible need for staking, but eliminates the developing seed pods which are so attractive. \$24 for 3 pots

Description adapted from Missouri Botanical Garden. Images from USDA.

**Price:** \$24 for 3



### Blue-Eyed Grass (Sisyrinchium angustifolium)

Not actually a grass, but in the iris family, with 1/2" light purple-blue 6-petaled flowers blooming in late spring. Will colonize readily via self-sowing in the right conditions. Hight: 10-18". Prefers moist sites, but adaptable. \$24 for 3 pots, Massachusetts supplier.

images from Arthur Haines, Native Plant Trust/Go Botany and Jem

Price: \$24 for 3 pots



### **Bluecrop Blueberry**

Mid season Bluecrop is the leading commercial blueberry variety. Producing high yields of bright firm berries growing in large clusters. Bluecrop can self-pollinate, but will make more and larger fruit if you have another mid-season variety within 10' to enable cross pollination by insects. Our supplier is now offering these plants in 1 liter pots, delivering vigorous, strong plants for easy transplanting and quick establishment. Plants are sheared to 12-14" to increase top growth in the first year. Eliminates the drying out and transplant shock that can occur with bare root blueberry plants. One plant in a 1 liter pot for \$15 Pollinator, Full Sun, Moist Soil photo: USDA

**Price:** one plant for \$15



#### **Brodiaea Queen Fabiola**

Also known as *Triteleia Queen Fabiola* or, in Dutch, *Triteleia Koningin Fabiola*, and commonly referred to as *Ithuriel's Spear*, this fabulous cut flower is best grown in moist, fertile, well-draining soil in full sun to partial sunlight (never shade) with winter and spring moisture and summer dryness. Award-winning Queen Fabiola has clusters of delicate, star-shaped, blueviolet flowers with darker midveins and grass-like foliage. Bulb size: 6 cm/up. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: May/June. Plant 4" deep and 3" to 4" apart. HZ: 6-9. Height: 18" to 24". Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs



### **Brodiaea Rudy**

This fabulous cut flower is best grown in moist, fertile, well-draining soil in full sun to partial sunlight (never shade) with winter and spring moisture and summer dryness. Rudy has relaxed stellates of delicate, starshaped, pale blue flowers with darker indigo-blue midveins and grass-like foliage. You won't believe the huge impact of this delicate flower. Bulb size: 5 cm/up. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: May/June. Plant 4" deep and 3" to 4" apart. HZ: 6-9. Height: 14" to 18". Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs

#### **Buttonbush**



Also known as buttonball, button willow, riverbush. Semi-aquatic native shrub is one of the latest to leaf out in spring. It has distinctive balls, or buttons, about the size of a gumball, of white to cream colored flowers that bloom in June. The flowers are fragrant, last about 1 month, and are followed by seedheads that turn red and eventually dark brown. The seedheads last and provide winter interest. Grows 5'-12', tall, 4'-8' wide. Deer-resistant. Grows in full sun to partial sun. Grows in wet soils, even flooded conditions and standing water. Both nectar and pollen are important. Special value to honeybees, and native bees including bumblebees. Also attracts butterflies, insects, moths including Titan Sphinx, Hydrangea sphinx. Fruits are eaten by waterfowl, and birds. Native to eastern US and Canada, and Mexico. Scattered populations in southwestern US. size: 1 year, 18-24" bare root seedlings \$15 for 5

Price: \$15 for 5 plants



### Camassia Quamash

A Pacific Northwest U.S. native circa 1837, the *Indian Hyacinth* is best grown in moist, fertile soil in full sun to partial sunlight. Commercially grown in the Netherlands for decades, unlike most bulbs, it prefers soil that has a bit more moisture. Deer- and rodent-resistant, C. quamash forms ever substantive clusters of linear strappy foliage around upright racemes studded with dozens of six-petaled, 2", star-shaped lavender-blue flowers with yellow anthers and whispergreen centers. The flowers open sequentially from the bottom to the top. Bulb size: 6 cm/up. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: May/June. HZ: 4-8. Height: 15". Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

**Price:** \$5 for 10 bulbs



### Catmint "Pu spp.)

massachusetts Songrower as an easy of impressive perenning Easily grown in aversoils in full sun. Preside cut back before compact size. Dead flowering to promote Compact and tidy at blue to purple perenyear. Drought-toler hummingbirds and resistant.

Rock gardens, bord gardens. Edging or Containers.

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**Price:** \$24 for 3

#### **Chester Blackberry**



Considered one of the more winter hardy and productive thornless varieties available, Chester blackberry produces large, high-quality fruit that ripens in early to mid-August. Fruit has good flavor when fully ripe, and does not soften or lose its shiny black color in hot weather. Chester plants are vigorous and show resistance to cane blight. 1 Year plants-5 plugs for \$34

**Price:** \$34 for 5



### Christmas Facrostichoic

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**\$15** Photo credit: Do

**Price:** \$15 for 3 bare root dormant crowns



# Colorado Blue Spruce (Picea pungens)

*Picea pungens.* Christmas, ornamental and windbreak tree. Silvery blue needles, stiff prickly needles inhibit deer damage. In the landscape grows to 50–75' tall and of 10–20' wide. Prefers full sun and moist, well-drained, fertile soil. Native to western US and Canada.

2 year, 10"-16"

5 for \$15

Call for pricing on orders of 20 or more plants.

**Price:** \$15 for 5 plants



### Compost bi

Designed for us by Northbridge, MA. The movable, pre-cut in with 1-1/2" space of highest quality, strongauge high perform wire mesh available also great for trellishmesh is a welded a with their proprieta bonded to the wire coating has a smooth not peal or crack expenses.

environments. SPECIAL PRICE: 1 panel for \$12

**Price:** \$12 per panel



# Creeping Thyme (Thymus serphyllum)

Massachusetts Supplier! Atypical Farm brings us excellent quality 4" potted perennials for a fourth year. Low-growing, fragrant with magentapink-white flowers. Teeny tiny leaves. Good ground cover. Grows well in little cracks, stone walkways, dry / poor / sandy soils. 3 for \$24 Image credits: Missouri

Botanical Garden

Price: \$24 for 3 plants



# Downy Rattlesnake Plantain (Goodyera pubescens)

Downy rattlesnake plantain an evergreen perennial in the orchid family, has attractive deep blue-green leaves with distinctive silvery veins. A single flower stalk, 16-20" tall rises from the center of each rosette of leaves in summer. Tiny, white to greenish-white, rounded flowers bloom from July to mid-September Flowers are followed by small fruit capsules. All parts of the plant are covered with very fine downy hair. Easily grown in organically rich, medium moisture, well-drained soils in part shade to full shade, best with sun-dappled part shade. Mulch to maintain consistent soil moisture. Native to both moist and dry woods in the eastern US.

Photo credit: Arthur Haines

**Price:** \$15 for 3



# Drumstick Allium Sphaerocephalon

The Drumstick Allium. Dating back to the 16th century, this terrific naturalizing heirloom has dense, eggshaped composite flowers that open green and mature to rich crimson-purple. Perched atop wiry, yet strong stems, 1"- to 1 1/2"-wide round composite flowers dance in the breeze as the individual florets open from the top down with shimmery silver-white stamen. Each composite flower becomes more egg-shaped as it matures. Best planted en masse, it is one of the most cost effective of all Allium (along with A. aflatunense Purple Sensation), perfect for thick drifts in mixed perennial beds, meadows and natural settings. Don't let anyone weed the thin wiry stems as they emerge in late spring! It too is rabbit-, rodent- and deer-resistant and much loved by bees, butterflies and helpful pollinators. Bulb size: 6 cm/up. July. HZ: 4-9. Height: 24". Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs



#### **Duke Blueb**

Early season, high-Medium-large berr late but ripens early from spring frost. Use can self-pollic have another varied pollination by insect these plants in 1 litt plants for easy trans Plants are sheared the first year. Elim shock that can occur Full Sun, moist soil. Photo Source: Nourse Farms

**Price:** \$15 for one plant



### **Dutchman's Breeches (Dicentra cucullaria)**

A spring woodland ephemeral, Dutchman's Breeches flowers early in the spring when sunlight hits the woodland floor before the canopy of the trees fill in. By early summer, the fern-like foliage fades, and goes into total dormancy by mid-summer.

While closely related to bleeding hearts,

Lamprocapnos spectabilis, dutchman's breeches are not as adaptable as that introduced, Asian species.

This native plant requires a shady-partly sunny, moist, yet well-drained site, typical of a rich, humus woodland. Soils that do not drain well or have a heavy clay component are not suitable.

\$15 for 3 dormant, bare root plants

Photo credits: Bill Cullina, Arthur Haines, and Don Cameron

via GoBotany/Native Plant Trust

**Price:** \$15 for 3



#### **Dwarf Crested Iris (Iris cristata)**

Iris cristata, dwarf crested iris, reaches just 3-6" high. Its native habitat is wooded ravines or bluffs in portions of the eastern and southern United States. Pale blue, lilac or lavender flowers with three parallel, golden, crested ridges on the falls (sepals). Spreads quickly via rhizomes and forms dense colonies in optimum growing conditions, but is not difficult to keep in control. When in flower, a well-developed bed can produce a spectacular drift of blue color. Best grown in organically rich, medium moisture, well-

consistently moist.

Correction: This species is not considered to be native to Massachusetts as stated in the printed catalog. It is native to the eastern US as far north as New York, and has become naturalized in some northeastern parts of Massachusetts, after being introduced as a garden plant. 3 dormant, bare root

drained soils in part shade. Will tolerate close to full

shade. If grown in full sun, the soil must be kept

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### Eastern Blu tabernaemo

Massachusetts Sous excellent qual third year. "Blue pyramidal clusters Grows 15-18" tall. fall. Native to the states, and norther not reach New Englin Massachusetts, pwhere it is grown as

**Price:** \$24 for 3 plants



#### **Eranthis cilicica**

Eranthis cilicica naturalizes by both bulb offsets and, over time, seed. Not a bulb, Eranthis cilicica is a wizened, irregularly shaped, small dark tuber. Dating back to 1892, this naturalizing heirloom was often used in centuries-old stinzenplanten lawn plantings in the Netherlands. Deer- and rodent-resistant, Eranthis is best grown in moist, humus-rich, neutral pH, well-draining soil in full sun to partial sunlight. It can handle, and may even prefer, soil that has a bit more moisture in the winter and spring, but never in a spot that gets waterlogged at any time. It is a good forcer. Bulb size: 3.5 to 4 cm. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: March/April. Plant 4" deep and 4" apart. HZ: 5-8. Height: 4".. Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 tubers



### Fragrant Sumac (Rhus aromatica)

Glossy, blue-greenish, trifoliate leaves turn orange, red, purple and yellow in fall. Reaches 6-12 feet tall. Catkin-like flowers precede dark red berries that can persist into March. size: 18-24" bare root, \$15 for 5

images courtesy of Arthur Haines and Bill Cullina, Native Plant Trust

**Price:** \$15 for 5



#### Galanthus elwesii

The Giant Snowdrop. The best variety for naturalizing in American gardens, this large-flowering Greek native, circa 1874, has broad, ivory flowers tipped green with gray-green foliage. It well deserves it's many awards. Bulb size: 7 cm/up. March/April. Plant 4" deep and 2" to 4" apart. HZ: 3-8. Height: 5" to 8".Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 tubers



#### Geranium to

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**Price:** \$5 for 10 tubers



### Goldenstar (Chrysogonum virginiana)

Low-growing, deep green leaves with bright yellow starlike flowers blooming in spring and sometimes in fall as well. Native to easter US from Pennsylvania southward. Not native to Massachusetts. Grows in full or partial shade. Prefers moist, acidic, organically rich soils in sun-dappled part shade. Tolerates full sun only if grown in consistently moist soils. Spreads by rhizomes to form an attractive ground cover, but is easily controlled. Remove spent flower stems for best ground cover appearance.

Ground cover for woodland gardens, native plant gardens or naturalized areas. Edging for woodland paths. Also may be used in shaded areas of border fronts or rock gardens.

Three plants for \$24 Image is in the public domain, from

Wikipedia

**Price:** \$24 for 3



### Highbush Blueberry (Vaccinium corymbosum)

Wild highbush blueberries are predominately found in wetland margins, moist woods, bogs, swamps and low areas. Berries mature in August - try to beat the birds. Many birds, including catbirds, scarlet tanagers, and thrushes, relish the berries. As do bears. Old shrubs can take on an interesting, gnarled appearance with a spreading crown.

The upright, deciduous shrub native to eastern North America. Mature plants will reach around 5-8' tall with an equal spread and a dense, rounded habit. Foliage flashes bright shades of coppery red in fall. Loose clusters ("corymbs") of white-pale pink, pendulous, urn-shaped flowers bloom in spring. The round, sweet berries are dark blue to purple, have a dull, blue-grey bloom on their surface, and incorporate the sepals. For best fruit production, you will want to plant several within 10-25 foot of each other. These are not named varieties, so not bred for bountiful harvests. These rooted cuttings come from Michigan. 1 year old rooted cuttings, 6-12" - 10 for \$35

**Price:** \$35 for 10



### **Honeoye Strawberry**

Honeoye strawberry plant is from the Cornell Research Station, Geneva, NY, and has been a top variety for over 30 years. It combines winter hardiness, high productivity, good appearance and color, together with an excellent, firm, large-sized berry. The large berries are easy to pick and the plants produce high yields over a long fruiting season, Home gardeners will appreciate its excellent freezing quality. Optimum flavor is produced by growing this variety in medium to light soil. Early-mid season. bare root plants in bundles of 25 for \$15 image from the Nourse Farms

website

**Price:** \$15 for 25 bare root plants



### **Hyacinth Aiolos**

A fabulous 1985 cross of Delft Blue and Carnegie, H. orientalis Aiolos has ivory-white florets, or *nails*, with cream highlights. It gradually matures to bright white. It is a good forcer. Bulb size: 16/17 cm. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: April. Plant 6" deep and 6" apart. HZ: 4-8. Height: 8" to 12".Photo credits to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$10 for 5 bulbs



#### **Hyacinth Carnegie**

Circa 1935, it has densely compacted spikes of white florets with a creamy glow. It's a good late forcer. Bulb size: 16/17 cm. Full sun. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: April. Plant 6" deep and 6" apart. HZ: 4-8. Height: 8" to 12". Photo credits to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$10 for 5 bulbs



### Hyacinthoides hispanica Excelsior

Also known as the *Wood Hyacinth* or *Spanish Bluebells*, this invaluable 1906 heirloom has graced European woodlands for centuries. It has strappy, linear foliage and strong, 12" to 15", rigid, upright stems with 15 to 20 pendant, bell-shaped flowers in the most beautiful shade of shimmering blue-violet with darker, marine-blue midveins. Bulb size: 8 cm/up. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: May. Plant 4" deep and 4" apart. Horticultural zones 3-8. Height: 12" to 15". Photo credit- Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 tubers



#### **Iris Reticulata Clairette**

This award-winner has sky-blue standards and dark purple-blue falls with white tiger marks. Bulb size: 6 cm/up. Early April. Plant 4" deep and 4" to 5" apart. HZ: 5-9. Height: 4" to 6". Photo Credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs



#### **Ixiolirion ta**

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**Price:** \$5 for 10 bulbs



### **Jacob's Ladder or Sword Lily**

Gladiolus communis ssp byzantinus- Circa 1629, this hardy heirloom has dense spires of glowing, purple-red flowers, white-striped interiors above low growing, sword-like foliage. Fabulous for cutting gardens! Bulb size: 6 cm/up. May/June. Plant 6"" deep and 6"" apart. HZ: 5-9. 16"" to 24"". Photo credit to Van Engelen Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs



### Lavender (Langustifolia

Massachusetts Suus excellent qualifourth year. Com Extremely fragrant twice: late spring, esandy and well draicirculation. Good for and cut flowers retained growth, remove specific blooms. Native to the second cut flowers.

Attracts bees and butterflies. Three 4" pots for \$24

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Source: Park Seed **Price:** \$24 for 3



### **Lily Fragrant Oriental Mix**

This prized mixture of Oriental Lilies is comprised of pink, white and red varieties for incredibly lush, deliciously fragrant garden display. Abundant producers for lush garden display or summer flower arrangements, Orientals have large reflexing flower petals and a wonderfully sweet fragrance. Plant Orientals near terraces and bedroom windows, alongside well-visited summer porches and in cutting gardens so you may savor their heady fragrance fully. We ship them to the coldest areas first, just as soon as they are in from the Dutch harvest in mid-October. Lily Class: Oriental. Bulb size: 14/16 cm. July/August. HZ: 5-8. Height: 3' to 5'.

Price: \$15 for 5 bulbs



### Local Pure Honey 1-1/2 pound bottle

This is a great price for pound and a half bottle of locally produced honey processed in small batches by hand, award winning at the Spencer Fair. This honey is from local bee hives in Spencer, MA.

24 oz Bottle for \$16

Price: \$16 for one 24 oz. honey bear



# Mixed Coral Bells (Heuchera app.)

Massachusetts supplier. Grower-recommended easy to care for perennial. Exciting, varied leaf forms and colors from Burgundy to yellow to pinks with contrast venation. Delicate flowers held high about foliage. Good ornamental for shady areas. Three 4" pots for \$24 uncredited image is all over the internet

**Price:** \$24 for 3



#### Muscari latifolium

This prized 1886 Turkish native yields conical racemes of fertile (open) deep Oxford-blue florets topped with a jaunty hat of sterile (closed) periwinkle-blue florets above ample foliage clumps. Bulb size: 6 cm/up. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: April/May. Plant 5" deep and 3" to 4" apart. HZ: 4-8. Height: 6" (and even taller). Photo credits to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 bulbs



#### **Narcissus Fortune**

(2 Y-O) Circa 1917, award-winning Fortune has a 4" overlapping yellow perianth and a gently contrasting marigold crown flushed red at the edges. This heirloom is a long-lasting naturalizer and vigorous variety that is also known to force well. Narcissus Class: Large Cupped (Royal Horticultural Society Division 2). Bulb size: 14/16 cm. April. HZ: 3-7. Height: 18" to 20". Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$10 for 5 bulbs



#### **Narcissus Tahiti**

(4 Y-O) Tahiti is a 1956 Lionel Richardson award-winning variety with large, 4"-wide, soft yellow flowers with a fully double cup offset with shorter, frilled orange petal segments. The colorful contrast between its perianth and flouncy double cup is incredibly showy. Narcissus Class: Double (Royal Horticultural Society Division 4). Bulb size: 14/16 cm. Late April. HZ: 3-8. Height: 14" to 16". Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$10 for 5 bulbs



### Ninebark (Physocarpus opulifolius)

Physocarpus opulifolius, commonly called ninebark, is an upright, spreading, somewhat coarse, deciduous, shrub closely related to the genus Spiraea. Typically occurs along streams, rocky banks, gravel bars and in moist thickets. Grows 5-9' tall. Noted for its exfoliating bark (on mature branches) which peels in strips to reveal several layers of reddish to light brown inner bark . Bark provides winter interest, but is usually hidden by the foliage during the growing season. Features small pink or white, five-petaled flowers appearing in dense, flat, rounded, 1-2" diameter, spirea-like clusters (corymbs) in late spring. Flowers give way to drooping clusters of reddish fruit (inflated seed capsules). Ovate to rounded, usually 3-5 lobed leaves (to 4" long) are dull green in summer changing to an undistinguished yellow in fall. Easily grown in average, slightly acidic, dry to medium moisture, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Tolerates a wide range of soil conditions. Prune as needed immediately after bloom and no later than mid-August. Plants may be cut close to the ground in early spring to rejuvenate. Ninebark is an excellent plant to promote wildlife. The flowers are a good source of nectar and visited by a wide variety of insects, among them flies, beetles, butterflies, moths, bees, and wasps. The foliage provides food for several species of aphids, beetles, plant bugs, and caterpillars of various moths. Also, it is occasionally browsed by deer. The seeds might attract birds. Use in shrub borders, as a hedge, screen or for erosion control on banks. Able to grow in harsh conditions. Five 12-18"

bare root plants for \$25 Image credit: Arthur Haines via

GoBotany/Native Plant Trust

**Price:** \$25 for 5



# Northern Bayberry (Myrica pensylvanica or Morella pensylvanica)

Easily grown in average, dry to medium, well-drained soils in full sun to part shade. Prefers moist, peaty or sandy, acidic soils, but tolerates a wide range of soils and growing conditions, including poor soils, wet soils, drought, high winds and salt spray (seashore or road salt conditions). Groupings of plants need a least one male plant to facilitate pollination of the female plants and subsequent fruit set. Shrubs tend to sucker, and may form sizable colonies in optimum growing conditions.

Deep green foliage is semi-evergreen. Leaves aromatic when crushed. Waxy gray berries in fall and winter can be used to make candles. Mature height 5'-10' tall and wide. Great choice for poor sandy soils. New supplier for 2024. size: 12-18" bare root, **\$20 for 5** 

**Price:** \$20 for 5



### Organic Che Striped)

Our best perfo year after year and retains fla choice for baki Produces very to 10 easy to p symmetry of Chesnok bulbs and rich purple coloration have made it a favorite of gardeners and commercial growers alike. From Shvelisi, Republic of Georgia.

Storage 4-6 Months, Maturity early-mid, Scapes- Yes

**Photo Credit- Filaree Farm** 

Price: \$7 for one bulb



### Organic Duo Music and Italian Seed Garlic

#### Early Red Italian (Artichoke) Seed Garlic-

Dependable Artichioke variety with attractive large bulbs. Robust grower with 11 to 21 cloves. Cloves fat, round and milk-white. Noted in Southern Oregon at Telowa Farms as early maturing. Storage is 10 months, Maturity is early, Scapes- no **Music (Pocelain)-** An outstanding Porcelain plant producing very large bulbs. Strong, robust plants stand out in the garden. A sweet and substantial garlic when baked. Hot when consumed raw. A Bestseller. Storage is 6 months, Maturity is late, Scapes - Yes Mixed 1 bulb of each variety for \$12.00

**Price:** \$12 for 2 organic seed bulbs



### Organic Early Red Italian (Artichoke)

Dependable and attractive large bulbs. Very vigorous and robust with 12 to 20 cloves. Cloves fat, round and milk-white. Bulb wrappers are course and thick, often with light purple blotches. Long storage life. Noted in Southern Oregon at Telowa Farms as early maturing.

Storage= 10 months; Maturity= Early; Scapes= No

**Photo credits: Filaree Garlic Farm** 

Price: \$7 per bulb



### Organic Elephant Garlic Seed Garlic

Elephant Garlic is actually in the leek family and shares its mild flavor. Known for its gigantic bulbs and cloves that impress!

\$10.00 for one bulb

Price: \$10 for one bulb



### Organic Killarney Red (Rocamble) Seed Garlic

This outstanding hard neck Rocambole is an improved Spanish Roja strain. Original seed came from Filaree Farm's Spanish Roja seed stock but was grown in the mountains of Idaho for many years where it showed improved vigor and better adaptability to wet conditions. Has the full flavor that Spanish Roja is known for with sweet undertones.

\$7.00 for one seed garlic bulb

Storage is 4-6 months, Maturity is late, Scapes - yes

Price: \$7 for one bulb



### Organic Mu Garlic)

An outstanding large bulbs. St out in the gard substantial gargarlic displays wrappers with

bulb. Store longer than Rocamboles. Cloves are often as large as unshelled Brazil nuts and are frequently mistaken for elephant garlic.

Storage= 4-6 months; Maturity= late; Scapes= Yes

**Photo credit- Filaree Farm** 

Price: \$7 per bulb



### Organic Red Romanian &

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Usually 4 to 5 clove healthy, long lastin is late, Scapes- Yes Our best performing year. Chesnok Red when cooked. Greatexture. Produces v 10 easy to peel clove.

Chesnok bulbs and rich purple coloration have made it a favorite of garderners and commercial growers alike. From Shvelisi, Republic of Georgia. Storage is 4-6 months, Maturity is early-mid, Scapes- Yes \$18 for 1 bulb of each variety (3 bulbs total)

**Price:** \$18 for 3 bulbs



# **Organic Romanian Red Seed Garlic**

A porcelain variety. Produces large and very dense bulbs. Brought to British Columbia from Romania. Cloves streaked and lined on buff brown background. Very good storage. Usually 4 to 6 cloves per bulb. Hot and pungent with a healthy, long lasting bite. An excellent alternative to Music. \$7.00 for one bulb Storage is 6 months, Maturity is Late, Scapes- Yes Photo Credit- Filaree Farm

**Price:** \$7 for one bulb



### Ornithogalu Bells

The Drooping Star of shade lover, Silver spikes studded with greenish-white flow margins, darker gresheathed, short silvirregularly spaced of bottom up, the tip of thick cigar-stub of kilvirregularly spaced of bottom up, the tip of thick cigar-stub of kilvir and rodent-replanted en masse in done at the Keuken

matures over time, when it's happy where it's planted, it can naturalize by both bulb offsets (called bulbils: baby bulbs on the sides of the mother bulb you've planted) and occasionally, self-sowing seed. Since it's not very hardy, you may want to apply no more than a 2" layer of mulch after the surface of the ground freezes to protect it from winter temperature spiking in the event of inconsistent snow coverage. It's also a good cut flower. You'll need about nine bulbs per square foot. (Square footage is determined multiplying the planting site's length times its width.) Bulb size: 6 cm/up. Dappled sunlight to part shade. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: May. Plant 4" to 6" deep and 4" to 6" apart. HZ: 6-9. Height: 12".Photo credit- Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$5 for 10 tubers



#### **Oxalis aden**

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Price: \$5 for 10 tubers

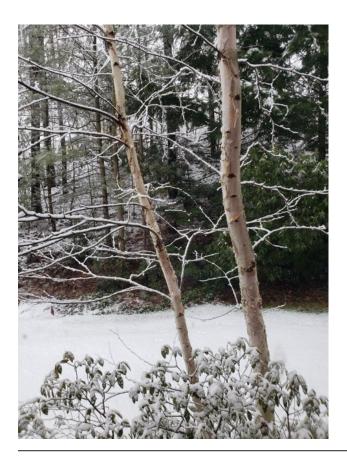


# Pagoda Dogwood (Cornus alternifolia)

Also known as alternate-leaved dogwood. A common understory shrub in forests on rich soils in New England. Candelabras of reddish-green fruits mature to black drupes which are eaten by a variety of birds as well as black bear. This species reproduces vegetatively by layering and suckering and can be propagated by cuttings. Year-round interest. Spring: white flowers, dark green foliage. Summer: clumps of inky blue berries attract birds. Fall: Burgundy leaves. Winter: reddish stems. Reaches 6'-12'. Grows in

full sun, part sun, and full shade. Size: 1 year, 12-18" Price: \$15 for 5

**Price:** \$15 for 5



### Paper Birch (Betula papyrifera)

Native tree grows a smooth white bark that curls and peels as it matures. It yields bright yellow fall foliage growing in an oval shape. 5 bare root seedlings, 6-12", for \$10 Native, Full/Partial Sun, Moist/Dry Soil Thank you to Cathy Rosenstock for the picture of paper birchshe bought these from WCCD many years ago.

**Price:** \$10 for 5



# Partridgeberry (Mitchella repens)

Native evergreen ground cover with interesting foliage, flowers and fruit. Plant in woodland/shade gardens, under acid-loving shrubs and trees and in part shade areas of border fronts and rock gardens. Not particularly aggressive, so probably not the best choice for large areas, but rather smaller sites. The scarlet fruits are relished by partridges, and they are consumed by a variety of birds and mammals. 3 bare root, dormant plants for \$15

**Images**: flowers and fruit by Don Cameron, GoBotany/Native Plant Trust; fruit: Arthur Haines, GoBotany/Native Plant Trust;

foliage: Jem

**Price:** \$15 for 3



#### Pear "Blake's Pride"

Blake's Pride ripens in mid-September and is good for fresh eating and preserving. A productive, hearty variety. This tree bears large crops of medium-size fruit featuring glossy yellow skin with tan-russet hues. These pears store well and are good for fresh eating, canning or making desserts or pear butter. Tree is disease-resistant to fire blight and has an upright growth habit. Heat-tolerant. Harvest in early September. You should have a pollinator pear tree within 50'; Bartlett is suitable. One bare root sapling, 4-6' tall, 3/8-7/8" caliper for \$40 photo credit: pulled from the Washtenaw, MI County Conservation District website.

(https://www.washtenawcd.org/) **Price:** \$40.00



#### **Peony Henry Bockstoce**

A 1955 Bockstoce cross of Paeonia lactiflora and Paeonia officinalis, it has enormous 8" fully double, rose-shaped cardinal-red blooms. It is fragrant, perfectly formed and incredibly substantive. Our beautiful prized display and cut flower Herbaceous Peonies have been divided and nursery-grown in the Netherlands for two years prior to export. Each rootstock has varying amounts of roots and three to five eyes for optimum flower production the first spring (some rootstocks may be trimmed of old wood to allow new root growth). Early to mid. (May/June.) HZ: 4-8. 40" tall and 2' to 3' wide. Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

**Price:** \$15 for one root stock



#### **Peony Lady Liberty**

This fragrant, 2000 Entsminger sport of Great Lady has a double row of bright magenta-pink petals around a center bomb of frilly, flouncy apricoty-cream and pink petaloid segments. Our beautiful prized display and cut flower Herbaceous Peonies have been divided and nursery-grown in the Netherlands for two years prior to export. Each rootstock has varying amounts of roots and three to five eyes for optimum flower production the first spring (some rootstocks may be trimmed of old wood to allow new root growth). Mid to late. (May/June.) HZ: 4-8. 24" to 36" tall and 3' to 4' wide. Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

**Price:** \$15 for one root stock



### **Pink Tickseed (Coreopsis rosea)**

Also known as Pink Coreopsis, or Pink Threadleaf Coreopsis The foliage is light green, delicate fine leaved, yet dense. It is covered with numerous small pink flowers with yellow centers in mid-summer. This profuse and lengthy bloomer flowers summer through early fall can be cut back in late summer to promote new early Autumn flowers. An excellent ground cover or mounding border plant, Rose Coreopsis spreads easily. Full sun, moist to wet soils, mature height 18" – 24" tall. 24-36" wide Native from Nova Scotia to Maryland Habitat wet sandy soils coastal plain areas. Birds eat the seeds. Grows in full sun. \$24 for 3 pots

Main image by Arthur Haines, Native Plant Trust/go Botany Gallery Images https://www.gardenia.net/plant/coreopsis-rosea and F. D. Richards Licensed under  $\frac{CC\ BY-SA\ 2.0}{CC\ BY-SA\ 2.0}$ 

Price: \$24 for 3 pots



#### **Pollinator Mix Pack**

Two each of the following native species attractive to pollinators: 2- 12-18" Choke Cherry (Prunus virginiana), 2- 12-18" American Plum (Prunus americana), 2- 12-18" Meadowsweet (Spiraea alba), 2- 12-18" Pasture Rose (Rosa carolina), 2- 12-18" Red Osier Dogwood (Cornus stolonifera) 10 bare root plants \$60

Price: \$60 for 10 plants

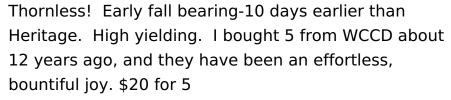


#### **Pussy willow (Salix discolor)**

Favorite sign of spring, the fuzzy catkins of pussy willow appear before leaves in late winter. Flowers are yellow stamens with green styles that bloom time February -March. The plant is a shrub or small tree with bluish-green shiny leaves. Grows 20' tall 18' wide. Recommended to cut back every few years. Grows in full sun, partial shade, tolerates wet locations. Native across Midwest and Northeast US and Canada Use Wildlife: Early season harvest for songbirds, waterfowl and small mammals. Attracts butterflies, and is a larval host for 2, the Mourning Cloak and the Viceroy Special value to honey bees and native bees including bumble bees. size:24"-36" bare root seedlings \$25 for 5

**Price:** \$25 for 5

### Raspberry "Joan J"



**Price:** \$20 for 5





# Red Elderberry (Sambucus racemosa)

Red elderberry is a tall shrub that grows best in forest openings; its seeds can remain dormant for many years until a gap opens and stimulates germination, sometimes on "nurse logs." It can also stump-sprout from the root crown following cutting or fire. Birds and mammals (such as bears, raccoons, and mice) favor the juicy fruits and disperse them widely. Porcupines and snowshoe hares nibble the bark in winter. The leaves are bitter and contain a cyanogenic glycoside chemical, which is toxic to humans but does not deter deer and other ungulates. Red elderberry is planted on streamsides to control erosion. Fruits and flowers attract pollinators and birds. Up to 20' tall. Can grow in full sun, part sun, and full shade.

Bright red berries not palatable to humans as are the more common Sambucus nigra, with its dark berries,

Size: 1 year, 6-12" Price: 5 for \$10

**Price:** \$10 for 5



#### Red Oak (Quercus rubra)

Native to Massachusetts. Shade tree with wildlife value-acorns and shoots. Russet red leaves in fall. Tolerates wide range of soils. Intermediate shade tolerance.

Valuable timber species used in construction, flooring, and furniture. A source of food for wildlife, it starts fruiting at age 25 and produces substantial crops after 50 years. Acorns germinate in the spring following seedfall. Native Americans utilized northern red oak as medicine for numerous ailments. The largest known specimen grows in Monroe County, NY.

3 year old, 5-10" **5 for \$10** 

**Price:** \$10 for 5



# Red Osier Dogwood (Cornus stolinifera)

Easily recognized in winter for its bright red stems. In the spring it has showy umbels of white flowers. Blooms in mid-May to June and has a second bloom in July-August. White berries, red and purple foliage on display in autumn. Fast growing shrub gets 6-12' tall and will form a thicket or hedge. May grow as low as 3', depending on light, soil and moisture. Bright stem color occurs on stem < 3 years old. Prune older stems to retain color. Adapted to wide range of soils from wet to dry, and tolerant of flooding and wet soils. Native to all of US and Canada except south central plains into Texas. Attracts birds. 6-12" bare root seedlings , \$10

for 5

Price: \$10 for 5 plants



#### Sassafras (Sassafras albidum)

Tall shrub or tree produces three shapes of leaves: a mitten-shaped leaf with one large lobe and a small "thumb"; an oval leaf, and a three-lobed leaf. Native to Massachusetts. Grows in full sun or part shade. The wood is soft but flexible. Aromatic leaves, twigs, and roots attractive to wildlife for berries and foliage. Tolerates wide range of soils, but a little fussy about transplanting, so offer extra attention.

12-18" bare root seedlings, 5 for \$20

**Price:** \$20 for 5



### **Sedum "Sunsparkler" Mix**

Thrilling succulent foliage in shades of lime green to blue to grey to burgandy...hardy perennial withstands a wide range of conditions, but will not tolerate wet feet. Good for rock gardens. **Correction:** These were accidentally put in the "Native Perennials" category in our printed catalog. These are not native plants, although there is a species or two of Sedum native to

the US.  $_{\mbox{\scriptsize Images}}$  come from the Sunsparklers Sedums webpage: /www.sunsparklersedums.com/

**Price:** 3 for \$24



# Sessile-leaf Bellwort (Uvularia sessilifolia)

Sessile-leaved bellwort, also known as "wild oats," can be found in deciduous and mixed evergreen-deciduous forests, woodlands and edges throughout New England. It can be used as a ground cover in shade or part shade, as the roots spread by stolons. It prefers moist, rich, acidic soils with high humus content and good drainage but can adapt to other soil types. The flowers are yellow or cream and hang in an elongated bell shape. Cover with a layer of leaves in winter and do not remove them in the spring to increase humus to the soil. If the goal is to create a ground cover, allow the existing plants to seed out each year, seeding itself. Over time, the area will fill in. 3 dormant, bare root plants for \$15 Image credit: Don Cameron and Arthur

Haines, via GoBotany/Native Plant Trust

**Price:** \$15 for 3



### Single Early

Our Single Early Tu colorful display in Nustrous, cup-shape bedding and cutting known to be good for the square feet. Bull Bloom time: April. Forticultural zones:

2 Tulip Cand glow. 16". • 2 red, silver she Tulip Princes flames. 14". • purple, beetroot-purple interior. 14" to 16". • 2 **Tulip Sunny Prince**: Pale lemon-yellow, darker interior. 14" to 16". • 2 **Tulip White Prince**: lvory to white. 14" to 16".

Photo credit to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$18 for 12 bulbs



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**Price:** \$50 for the first soil sample; \$35 for additional samples.

### Spicebush (Lindera benzoin)



Shade-loving bush grows 6'-12' tall. Aromatic stems and leaves. Pale yellow flowers yield bright red berries in the fall which are enjoyed by all types of wildlife. The green leaves turn a vibrant yellow in the fall. Native, partial sun/shade, moist soil. Attracts birds, butterflies, native bees and pollinators. 12-18" bare root, **5 for \$18** Native, Partial Sun/Shade, Moist Soil

**Price:** \$18 for 5



### **Steeplebush (Spirea tomentosa)**

Spiraea tomentosa, called steeplebush or hardhack, is a suckering deciduous shrub that grows 2-4' tall with a slightly larger spread. Tiny pink to rose to rose-purple flowers in dense, narrow, steeple-shaped, terminal spikes (to 4-8" long) bloom from top to bottom from mid-summer to early autumn. Flowers are attractive to butterflies. Native to wet meadows, wet pastures, boggy areas, marshes, fields, and lake margins from Nova Scotia to Ontario south to Kansas, Louisiana and Georgia. Elliptic to ovate, medium to dark green leaves (to 3" long) with coarse marginal teeth are tapered at both ends and densely tomentose (yellowish-brown hairs) beneath. Images thanks to Dan Wilder https://norcrosswildlife.org/

**Price:** \$15 for 5

#### **Strawberry Seascape**



This Everbearing (also called day neutral) strawberry variety will produce a constant crop throughout the summer and into the fall. Very productive variety produces large, firm fruit. The taste is excellent, best fresh. Good for home gardeners. *Bears fruit 12-14 weeks after planting.* Bare Root Bundles of **25 for \$15** 

Price: \$15 for 25 plants



### **Sweet Cherry "Kristin"**

Developed in Geneva, New York, 'Kristin' is one of the hardiest sweet cherries, withstanding minus 25°F temperatures, and below. Grown for its ornamental features as well as its delicious fruits. Blooms in spring in rounded clusters of small, fragrant white flowers before the foliage emerges. Abundant crops of large, glossy, dark-burgundy fruit follow, ripening in July. A "black oxheart" type, the sweet cherries have firm, meaty, juicy flesh with sweet, richly aromatic flavor, excellent for fresh eating. Needs a pollinator, that is, another sweet cherry, planted within 100' to set fruit. "Emperor Francis" is suitable. (Photo from the Weston Nurseries website, via NetPS Plant Finder)

Price: \$40 for one bare root sapling



#### **Sweet Cherry, Emperor Francis**

Fruit is large, yellowish-white-pink-bright red, and high quality with outstanding rich flavor. Ripens in June. Tree is productive and hardy. This cherry tree is an old established variety in Michigan. It is often raised to make maraschino cherries. Needs a pollinator tree that is, another variety of sweet cherry, planted within 100'-Kristin is suitable Tree will reach up to 20' tall.

photo from the Lapeer, MI Conservation District website **Price:** \$40 for one bare root sapling



# Tart Cherry, Montmorency (Prunus cerasus)

This tart cherry is great for juice, dried cherries, pies and preserves. Produces large, red, tart fruit, early to mid- summer. Grows 150' - 20' tall. The tree is cold-hardy. Self pollinating. Old variety from France. Full Sun. Sandy or loamy soil, does well in even in poor soils, tolerates some drought. 4' - 6', 1/2" - 7/8" caliper, bare root sapling \$40 for 1

Price: \$40 for 1, Bare-Root Sapling



### The Hyacinth Bedding Mixture

This fragrant Hyacinth Bedding Mixture is a vibrant blue, pink and white blend of five varieties of Hyacinth orientalis Aiolos:

- Blue Jacket,
- Delft Blue,
- Fondant,
- Pink Pearl and
- White Pearl.

Not only are the size 15/16 centimeter bulbs more economical for larger drifts and swaths, but this bulb size removes the possibility of having to stake to plump, rigid flowering racemes. Bulb size: 15/16 cm. Full to partial sunlight. Bloom time in horticultural zone 5: April. Plant 6" deep and 6" apart. HZ: 4-8. Height: 8" to 12". Photo credits to Van Engelen, Inc.

Price: \$10 for a variety of 5 bulbs



## The Snow C Mixture

This Snow Crocus Sof white, yellow, blue like foliage. They expopen and close on a like foliage with national Class: Species. Bulk sunlight. Bloom time March/early April. Prou'll need about not a dense planting multiplying the planting multiplying the planting the planting the planting the planting the planting the glanting the planting the

Price: \$5 for a mix of 10 bulbs



### **Thyme (Thymus vulgaris)**

Culinary garden herb. Also called German thyme, or garden thyme. Grows 6-12" tall in just about any soil. Wants full sun and good drainage. Highly aromatic grey-green leaves and clusters of purplish-pinkish-white flowers in early summer. Can be short lived, but is easily propagated from cuttings. Slightly spicier than oregano and sweet than sage. Many uses in herbal medicine. Three 4" pots for \$24. You can never have too much thyme. Also makes a nice gift.

**Price:** \$24 for 3



# Trailing Arb

The famously finick Massachusetts. Be planting-do your ho growing. It can form high. Broad, oval, le evergreen. Trumpe flowers, also aroma resembling a raspb part shade in dry to with moderate orgavery difficult to esta

tolerate disturbance, is extremely susceptible to failure during drought or flood, and is slow-growing even in good conditions. Natural habitats: edges of oak-heath and pine forests. It favors exposed sites where the plants are not smothered by leaf litter. 3 dormant bare root starts for \$15

Price: \$15 for 3 dormant, bare root plants



# Virginia Bluebells (Mertensia virginica)

Virginia bluebells occur in moist, rich woods and river floodplains. A clump-forming perennial, it grows 1-2' tall with loose clusters of pinkish-blue, trumpet-shaped flowers blooming in early spring. Smooth, oval, bluish green leaves. Foliage dies to the ground by midsummer as the plant goes dormant.

Easily grown in average, medium, well-drained soils in part shade to full shade. Prefers moist, rich soils.

**Correction:** This species is not considered to be native to Massachusetts as stated in the printed catalog. It is native to the eastern US as far north as New York, and into Canada. It has become naturalized in some parts of Massachusetts, as it occasionally escapes cultivation. 3 dormant, bare root plants for

\$15 Photo credit: Bill Cullina and Arthur Haines via

GoBotany/Native Plant Trust

**Price:** \$15 for 3



#### **Wetland Mix Pack**

Two each of the following native species suited to wet areas: 2- 12-18" Spice Bush (Lindera benzoin), 2- 12-18" Pussy Willow (Salix discolor), 2- 12-18" Button Bush (Cephalanthus occidentalis), 2-12-18" Nannyberry (Viburnum lentago), 2- 12-18" River Birch(Betula nigra) 10 bare root plants - \$55

Price: 10 plants for \$55



#### White Pine (Pinus strobus)

WHITE PINE, Pinus strobus – The iconic conifer of the Northeast. Its valuable timber is used for molding and trim, as well as siding and occasionally dimensional lumber. This species has supple branches with long, soft needles and can also be planted for Christmas trees. Tolerates a variety of soils and grows well throughout NH and New England. Cottontail rabbits and porcupines, eat the bark. Red squirrels can eat the cones by extracting the seeds. Seeds are eaten by birds and white tailed deer. Seedling height: 3-6 inches. Mature height: to 100 feet plus. All images are

from Jem and are free to use by anyone forever

**Price:** \$12 for 5



#### Wildlife Mix Pack

Two each to the following native species attractive to wildlife: 2- 6-12" Swamp White Oak (Quercus bicolor), 2- 6-12" American Hazelnut (Corylus americana), 2- 6-12" Ninebark (Physocarpus opulifolius), 2- 6-12" American Plum (Prunus americana), 2- 6-12" Red Osier Dogwood (Cornus stolonifera) 10 bare root plants \$40

**Price:** \$40 for 10 plants

### Winterberry (Ilex verticillata)



Vivid red winter berries used for Christmas décor and winter food source for songbirds. Glossy dark green leaves. Grows 5' - 15' high and wide at maturity. Good choice for shadier wet locations, but also thrives in full sun. All soil types even wet and compacted. Low pH. Native to US east of MN and TX up to Nova Scotia Native Habitat: Swamps, Stream, river banks, Near lakes or ponds Flowers bloom May - July and Nectar is valuable for insect, special value to honey bees. Fruit is winter food for birds. Please note that winterberry plants grow as either male or females plants. Only the female plants produce berries and one male plant is needed for pollination to produce the berries. The grower does not separate male and female plants. So we do not know what mix of male and female plants you will receive. If you want to be certain you have a male pollinator so you get berries, you can always buy a known male at a nursery and plant it within 50'. Sun/Partial Sun/Native/Attracts Butterflies/Attracts Birds in winter. 18-24" bare root seedlings, 5 for \$20

**Price:** \$20 for 5



#### **Woodland Note Cards**

These woodland notecards were created by artist Joe Smith who is generously allowing WCCD to offer them to you. Joe has served as a WCCD supervisor for many years and is a forester by trade. His work takes him off the beaten track where he captures the beauty of natural landscapes in his artwork. Includes envelopes. Pack of 12 - 4 of each design- \$20.00

**Price:** \$20.00 for 1 pack 12 notecards and envelopes



# Woodland/Wild/Alpine Strawberry (Fragaria vesca)

Compact, stemless, 4-8" tall plant. Tri-foliate, coarsely-toothed, green leaves. Numerous, small, 5-petaled white flowers with yellow centers appear throughout summer, followed by small, sweet strawberries all summer long.

Best grown in humusy, fertile, medium moisture, well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Prefers full sun. Great garden edge/lawn alternative. May self-seed if fruit is not harvested. First year stays in clumps, will eventually spread via runners. These are cultivars "Mignonette" and/or "Rugens Improved", not native straight-species wild strawberries. Three 4" pots for \$24. Massachusetts Supplier.

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# Yarrow (Achillea millefolium) Mixed Colors

Massachusetts Supplier! Atypical Farm brings us excellent quality 4" potted perennials for a third year. Easy to grow in any sunny situation, even where there is poor soil. Forms low mounds of fragrant ferny foliage, with clusters of flowers. Colors: salmon, yellow, white, pink, cherry red, cream, lavender, apricot, rose and in-between. You will be surprised. Each pot may contain more than 1 plant, so each pot could be any combination of these colors. Good for cutting, fresh or dried. Remove spent flowers to promote more buds. Inclined to spread, so site this carefully or plan to reduce the clumps each spring. Easily divided in fall or early spring. Drought and heat tolerant. Blooms early to late summer. Tolerates poor soils and drought. Prefers full sun. \$24 for 3 pots image from Outsidepride other images from Arthur Haines

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Price: \$24 for 3 pots



# Yellow Osier Dogwood (Cornus sericea)

Cornus sericea – Soil/site: moist. Uses: stream bank erosion control. Fruit: clusters of white berries in July-August. Wildlife values: fruit preferred by many species of songbirds and game birds. Tolerates partial shade. The bright yellow twigs seen in the winter are browsed by deer, moose, rabbits. Mature height: up to 12 feet. 1 year, 6-12" bare root seedlings, \$10 for 5

**Price:** \$10 for 5