



ABELIA (CAPRIFOLIACEAE)

EDWARD GOUCHER (Pink Abelia) ** Zone 6 - 1 m. Excellent compact, multi-stemmed shrub with arching branches. Shiny reddish-green foliage and pink flowers all summer.

GRANDIFLORA (Glossy Abelia) ** Zone, 6-1.25 to 2m, pink and white flowers all summer. Glossy reddish foliage.

AJUGA [Labiatae] Carpet Bugle

REPTANS 'Bronze Beauty' **

REPTANS 'Catlin's Giant' ** H/W 30 cm Tall spikes of blue flowers, large bronzy leaves, clumping, good in shade

ANDROMEDA (ERICACEAE)

POLIFOLIA (Bog-Rosemary) Zone 2 - 75cm. H X 1m W. Slow growing habit. Foliage stiff, leathery, dark green. White bell shaped flowers are tinged with pink. Prefers moist, peaty soil, full sun or light shade.

ARBUTUS, (ERICACEAE)

UNEDO (Strawberry Tree) ** Zone 7 - 4.5 to 9m. Deep green foliage tinted with amber masses of white flowers in fall, followed by red strawberry-like fruit. Unusual among ericaceous plants for its lime tolerance.

UNEDO COMPACTA (Compact Strawberry Bush) Zone 7-9 - 1.5m HT. More compact version of unedo. Deep green foliage tinted with amber. White flowers in fall followed by red, strawberry-like fruit. Requires well drained soil.

ARCTOSTAPHYLOS

uva ursi 'Vancouver Jade' Clusters of pink flowers, spreading, small red fruit, require well drained soil, best in partial shade, excellent ground cover

ASTILBE

A. arendsii 'Cattleya'

A. japonica 'Deutschland'

A. chinensis 'Pumila'

AUCUBA (CORNACEAE)

JAPONICA GOLD DUST ** (Gold Dust Plant) Zone 6 - 2 to 2.5m. Compact, upright habit with large green leaves, speckled and blotched gold.

JAPONICA PICTURATA (Female) Zone 7 1.5 to 2.m. Large, showy, dark green, glossy leaves with prominent gold centres. Large red berries on female. Good for deep shade or filtered sun.

JAPONICA SERRATIFOLIA (Male & Female) Zone 6 - 1.5 to 2m. Bushy grower. Long, dark green, serrated leaves with bright red berries on female.

JAPONICA 'Mr. Goldstrike' **

AZALEA (ERICACEAE) (EVERGREEN AZALEA)

JAPONICA (Japanese or Rockery Azaleas) Zone 6 - 0.5 to 1.25m. Colourful variety of flowers from April to May. Ideal for borders, rookeries and planters, preferably in partial shade. Excellent when used for ground cover.

Red Varieties

JAPONICA BUCCANEER Zone 6 - Single, brilliant orange-red, flowers with richer tone on upper petals, blooming 'in mid-season. (Glenn Dale)

JAPONICA HINO CRIMSON ** Zone 6 - Low growing. Single, deep crimson flowers blooming in mid-season. (Kurume)

JAPONICA JOHANNA Zone 5 - Semi-upright habit with deep red flowers. (Kaempferi)

JAPONICA MOTHER'S DAY ** Zone 6 - Low growing evergreen with masses of double, dark red blooms in mid-season. (Kurume)

JAPONICA 'Red Fountain' **

JAPONICA VUYK'S SCARLET Zone 6 - Low growing. Flowers are bright red with wavy petals blooming in mid-season. (Vuyk)

JAPONICA WARD'S RUBY Zone 6 - One of the best strong red flowering Azaleas, Slow growing to medium compact height. (Kurume)

Pink Vaneties

JAPONICA BLAAUW'S PINK ** Zone 6 - Early, salmon-pink, hose-in-hose flowers. (Kurume)

j. 'Christmas Cheer'

JAPONICA MACRANTHA DWARF ** Zone 7 - Compact low habit with semi-double deep pink flowers. (R. indicum-Satsuki)

j. mac. Red

JAPONICA NIKKO (Sunlight) Zone 6 - Compact. habit. Flowers are strong pink with occasional, stripes of white to light pink and deep pink; spaced lobes. (Satsuki)

Purplish-Mauve Varieties

JAPONICA ALADDIN Zone 6 - Upright plant with early blooming purplish-pink flowers with light margins. (Kurume)

JAPONICA AMOENUM Zone 6 - Upright, tall grower with early, small purple-mauve, hose-in-hose flowers. (Kinshima)

JAPONICA BLUE DANUBE ** Zone 6 - Medium height, bluish-violet flowers blooming in mid-season.

(Kaepferi)

J. 'Blue Diamond' **

JAPONICA DIAMANT ROT Zone 6 - Low, dense mound-like growth habit with small purplish-red flowers. (Fleischman)

JAPONICA GAIETY Zone 6 Upright broad growth habit with purplish-pink blotched pink flowers. (Glenn Dale)

JAPONICA PURPLE SPLENDOR Zone 7 - Medium height. Red-violet, hose-in-hose flowers, with darker blotch at throat and frilled petals, blooming in mid-season. (Gable)

White Varieties

JAPONICA EIKAN GASA ** Zone 6 - Low growing habit with large, 7.5cm, tetraploid flowers. Blooms mixed white and pink. (Satsuki)

JAPONICA GLACIER Zone 6 - Strong up-right grower with large, 7.5cm, white, green throated flowers.

(Glenn Dale)

JAPONICA HINO WHITE Zone 5 - Low growing. Hardy white. (Shammarello)

JAPONICA SEKIDERA Zone 7 - Strong upright. grower with fragrant white flowers flushed with purple-red blotches. (Ryukyu)

Dwarf Varieties

JAPONICA GUMPO PINK ** Zone 6 - Very dwarf and compact. Large, pink, late blooming flowers. (Satsuki)

JAPONICA GUMPO WHITE Zone 6 - Very dwarf and compact. Large, white, late-blooming flowers.

(Satsuki)

NAKAHARAI (Creeping) ** Zone 6b - 30cm H X 60cm W. Prostrate habit with reddish-orange flowers, 3 to 4cm wide. An unusual creeping Azalea with potential as a ground cover. Native to Northern Taiwan.

AZALEA - japonica

A. 'Blue Diamond'

A. 'Midsummer Beauty'

A. m. 'D.W. Red'

A. 'Snowhill'

A. Xmas Cheer

A. Beni Kirishima

A. Elsie Lee

A. 'Frosted Orange'

A. 'Treasure'

A. j. Eikan

A. j. Hi Gasa

A. j. Narahari

Deciduous

A. 'Glowing Embers'

A. 'Sun Chariot'

A. 'Sorensons'

A. 'Strawberry Ice'

BAMBOO (GRAMINEAE)

These members of the grass family are amongst the most ornamental features of any landscape scheme. Most species will live a great many years before flowering, while some flower sooner and some varieties may die after flowering. Stems or canes are correctly called culms.

Dwarf Varieties

As a group, they thrive in difficult conditions and will tolerate dry and shady sites. .

ARUNDINARIA

HUMILIS (*Sasa Humilis*) (Dwarf Bamboo) Zone 7 - 60cm to 1.25m. Canes are dark green and slender.

Leaves are 5 to 20cm long by 1 to 2cm wide, slightly downy underneath. Excellent ground cover.

SASA PYGMAEA (*Arundinaria Pygmaea*) (Dwarf Bamboo) Zone 7 - 20 to 25cm, taller in shade. Excellent ground cover with far reaching rhizomes forming, a dense carpet of slender culms. Leaves up to 13cm long by 2cm wide.

Medium Varieties

SASA

HUMILIS VARIEGATA (*Arundinaria Variegata*) Zone 7 - 80cm to 1.5m. Low tufting plant with zig-zag, pale green canes. White variegated leaves are 5 to 20cm long by 1 to 2.5cm wide.

Tall Varieties

ARUNDINARIA

NITIDA Zone 7 - 3 to 4m Does best in shade. Leaves 5 to 8cm long by 1.2cm wide. Distinguished by its purple flushed culms and elegant arching habit. Good grown in tubs or planters.

PHYLLOSTACHYS

AUREA (Golden Bamboo) Zone 7 - 2.5 to 8m. Does best in sun or partial shade. Polished yellow culms are dense, and straight. Makes a good screen or background. Excellent container plant. Invasive!

SASA

VEITCHII (*Arundinaria Veitchii*) Zone 7 - 60cm to 1.5m. Shade to full sun. Large thickets formed by deep purplish-green leaves to 10 to 25cm long by 2.5cm wide. One attractive characteristic is that the leaves wither and become straw-coloured or whitish along the margin in autumn and last through the winter. Can be used as ground cover.

PHYLLOSTACHYS

BAMBUSOIDES (Japanese Timber Bamboo) Zone 7 - Up to 22m Most widely used bamboo of Japan.

Produces large, straight, thick walled culms, which in parts of Asia are commonly used for construction projects instead of steel. Likes full sun. Invasive!

NIGRA (Black Bamboo), Zone 7 - 3 to 9m. Does well in sunny locations, Culms maturing to stunning jet black in contrast with light yellow-green foliage. Favoured ornamental for a good screen or container specimen.

BERBERIS (BERBERIDACEAE) (BARBERRY)

Thorny stems and prickly foliage on branches. Wide range of growing habits. Will do well in sun or shade, and any soil as long as it isn't water-logged.

CHENAULTII (*Chenault Barberry*) Zone 5 - 80cm to 1.25m. Semi-shade to full sun. Dense growing shrub with lanceolate green leaves on top, silver-grey underneath, on arching stems. One of the most popular varieties.

DARWINII (*Darwins Barberry*) Zone 7 -1.25 to 2m. Semi-shade to full -sun. This early and heavy bloomer is one of the most beautiful shrubs with its orange-yellow flowers on fountain-like growth. Glossy dark leaves above. Fruit is dark purple.

JULIANAE (*Wintergreen Barberry*) Zone 5 -1.25 to 2m. Clustered, dark green holly-like leaves, copper tinted when young. Dense auxiliary clusters of slightly scented yellow flowers, followed by bluish-black fruit. Very thorny hedge almost impenetrable to people and dogs. Reddish fall colour.

TRIACANTHOPHORA (*Three Spine Barberry*) Zone 5 - 1 to 1.75m: Habit more open due to arching branches. Lanceolated leaves are bright green on top and light green below, turning reddish-purple in winter. Flowers are pale yellow or whitish, tinged with red.

VERRUCULOSA (*Warty Barberry*) ** Zone 6 -1 to 2m. Slow-growing, compact spreading form. Small

leaves are glossy dark green on top, white underneath. Single golden yellow, fragrant flowers.

B. X lologensis 'Apricot Queen'

X GLADWYNENSIS WILLIAM PENN Zone 6 - 1.25m. Resembles julianae but faster growing. Broadly spreading hybrid. Leathery, rich, lustrous green foliage on very dense mounding branches, turns beautiful bronze in fall. Many bright yellow spring flowers.

BUDDLEIA

B. davidii 'Nanho Blue'

BUXUS (BUXACEAE)

MICROPHYLLA WINTER BEAUTY (Korean Boxwood) Zone 4 - 1 to 1.25m. Twice as wide as high at maturity. Loose open habit. Foliage turns coppery-green in winter. Extremely hardy.

MICROPHYLLA WINTER GEM (Asian Boxwood) ** Zone 5 - 1.25m H X 1m W. Evergreen shrub. Habit densely branched. Dark green foliage retains its colour through cold winters. Hardest of all Buxus microphylla varieties. Excellent as a low clipped hedge or border.

SEMPERVIRENS (Common Boxwood) Zone 5 - 4 to 6m. Dense, multi-branched evergreen, with elliptic leaves. Retains foliage to the ground. Takes to clipping well and widely used for edging or hedging.

CAMELLIA JAPONICA (THEACEAE) (JAPANESE CAMELLIA)

CEANOTHUS (RHAMNACEAE) (CALIFORNIA LILAC).

THYRSIFLORUS VICTORIA ** Zone 7- 2.5m H X 3m W. Upright, vigorous grower with glossy dark green foliage. Completely covered in deep blue flowers in late spring. Will, grow in similar conditions as Frosty Blue.

X FROSTY BLUE Zone 8 - 2 to 3m. Shrub with large, bright blue flower clusters in late spring and summer. Medium-sized, dense, glossy, bright green foliage. Prefers light, well drained soil. Will tolerate dry conditions in full sun or shade.

gloriosus **

gloriosus 'Emily Brown' **

CHAMAECYPARIS (False Cypress)

C. pisifera filifera 'Aurea'

C. pisifera filifera 'Sungold'

C. obtusa nana gracilis

CHOISYA (RUTACEAE)

TERNATA (Mexican Mock Orange) ** Zone 7 - 1.2 to 1.8m. Aromatic -foliage, with dark green, shiny, trifoliate leaves. Fragrant clusters of white flowers resembling Orange blossoms, open in early spring and intermittently through summer. Excellent for hedge. Does well in sun or shade.

T. 'Aztec Pearl' ** Zone 8 Slenderly divided, dark green foliage. Scented flowers, pink in bud, opening to white

T. 'Sunburst' **

CISTUS

C. villosus

C. (white)

CORNUS

C. stolonifera 'Flaviramea'

C. alba 'Siberica Variegata' (Siberian Dogwood) Outstanding red bark, large leaves with cream/white border, reddish fall colour

CORYLUS

C. owellana 'contorta'

COTONEASTER (ROSACEAE)

Low Growing Varieties

DAMMERI (Bearberry) ** Zone 5 - 15cm H X 2m W. Very prostrate and wide-spreading. Leaves oval or obovate; 2.5 to 4cm long. White flowers with small bright red berries in autumn. Ideal, ground cover for well

drained soils in full sun, or partial shade.

DAMMEREI CORAL BEAUTY Zone 5 - 30cm H X 1 to 2m W. Low, mounding ground cover covered in small, glossy, evergreen foliage. Covered in masses of coral-red fruit in fall. Good choice for ground cover on slopes.

DAMMEREI EICHOLZ Zone 5 - 20 H X 2m W. Hardier than *Cotoneaster dammerii*. Low, prostrate growing, evergreen shrub. Large green leaves with good fall colour: White flowers giving way to red-carmine fruit in fall.

LOWFAST ** Zone 5 - 30cm H X 3m W. Good, low, fast-growing ground cover with arching branches. Dark red berries. Extremely hardy.

SALICIFOLIUS REPENS (Avondrood or Creeping Willowleaf Cotoneaster) ** Zone 6 - 60cm H X 2m W. Low and fast-growing. Very narrow leaves and small red fruit. Can be used to hang over walls and rockeries. Foliage turns reddish-purple in fall to winter. May be deciduous in colder climates.

C. microphyllus 'Emerald Spray' **

Tall Growing Varieties

FRANCHETII STERNIANUS Zone 5 - 1.8 to 3m. One of the best tall-growing Cotoneasters. Leaves sage-green above and silvery-white underneath. Arching branches produce an abundance of large bright orange-red fruit in fall and winter.

SALICIFOLIUS FLOCOSSUS (Willowleaf) Zone 7 - 2.5 to 3m. One of the most beautiful tall growing, semi-upright Cotoneasters. Has graceful arching branches, glossy dark green leaves and clusters of bright red berries.

DAPHNE (THYMELAEACEAE)

CNEORUM (Garland Daphne) Zone 2 - 30cm H X 1mW. Excellent plant for rock gardens. Clusters of very fragrant rosy-pink flowers in April and May. Prefers partial shade in warm areas and full sun in cool summer locations. They need fast draining soils.

CNEORUM RUBY GLOW ** Zone 2 - Larger, deeper colour red flowers than *D. cneorum*. Sometimes blooms again in late summer and early fall.

DEUTZIA [Saxifragaceae]

X 'Strawberry Fields' ** Zone 7 Larger flowered hybrid, red on the outside, white and diffused pink on the inside 2m

ENKIANTHUS

E. campanulatus

ELAEAGNUS (ELAEAGNACEAE)

PUNGENS MACULATA (Aurea Variegata) Zone 6 - 1.2 to 3m. Silvery grey-green leaves with striking golden-yellow blotch, giving a very bright golden effect. Fragrant flowers in autumn.

X EBBINGEI GILT EDGE Zone 7 - 1.25 to 1.5m. Small evergreen shrub brightly coloured all year long with large, deep green leaves banded with golden yellow. Flowers, small, white, fragrant in mid to late fall. Suitable for dry soils in sunny or semi-shaded situation.

ESCALLONIA (ESCALLONIACEAE)

Evergreen shrub with medium-sized, glossy, deep green, aromatic leaves. Clusters of flowers in summer and fall. Suitable for seaside exposure. All types of well-drained soil. May freeze, in cold winters but recovers quickly. Tolerates full sun on the coast, but needs shade in hotter inland locations.

NEWPORT DWARF ** Zone 8 - 60cm. Growth habit small and dense. Terminal clusters of dark rose-red flowers are abundant throughout most of the year. Performs very well in cold, windy coastal conditions, as well as hot, desert areas with partial shade. Excellent foundation shrub.

EXONIENSIS PINK PRINCESS ** Zone 8 - to 1.5m. Evergreen shrub. Small, shiny, dark leaves with contrasting bright rose-pink flowers. Provides nearly continuous colour during the warm months. Thrives in coastal areas.

E. 'Edinburgh'

E. 'Eikan'

E. 'Victory'

EUONYMUS (CELASTRACEAE)

Low Growing Varieties

FORTUNEI EMERALD GAIETY ** Zone 5 - 40 to 60cm. Small, erect, dense growing shrub with deep green

leaves edged with white and tinged pink in winter. Will climb if planted close to wall or fence. Shade tolerant.

FORTUNEI EMERALD & GOLD ** Zone 5 - 25 to 40cm. Outstanding ground cover, or small climber with bright yellow and green variegated foliage, fringed pink in winter.

E. f. 'Blondy'

Tall Growing Varieties

Varieties listed are tolerant of salt spray and suitable for full sun or shade.

JAPONICUS AUREOMARGINATUS Zone 7 - 1.25m. Upright growing shrub, bearing leathery green leaves with a bright yellow margin. Suitable for hedging. In full sun, growth is very dense, and in shade, more open.

J. microphylla

JAPONICUS SILVER QUEEN Zone 6 - 1.5m H X 1mW. Excellent, upright growing shrub with dark green leaves with creamy-white margins. The margins on new growth are creamy-yellow. Useful as an accent hedge or background hedge.

E. alatus compactus (Dwf Burning Bush) Zone 4

EURYA (THEACEAE)

JAPONICA WINTER WINE Zone 7 - 50cm to 1.25m. Slow-growing evergreen shrub. Profusion of small, white flowers hanging beneath rich green foliage. Outstanding wine-red fall colour. Likes semi-shade.

FATSIA (ARALIACEAE)

JAPONICA (Japanese Aralia) Zone 8 - 1.5 to 2.4m. Shrub with sub-tropical effect having palmate, deeply cut, glossy dark, green leathery leaves. Panicles of creamy-white globular flower heads in October. Best in protected shady location.

FERNS

Many varieties of ferns can provide excellent landscape material either as a single plant, group planting or as a ground cover. In the right location they will grow from year to year with very little attention.

FORSYTHIA [Oleaceae]

INTERMEDIA 'Golden Bells' ** Zone 5 Upright, spreading to 3m

INTERMEDIA 'Mini Gold' **

INTERMEDIA 'Weekend' ** Zone 6 Large yellow flowers on new wood

FUCHSIA

'Santa Clause'

'Gracilis Variegata'

GAULTHERIA (ERICACEAE)

PROCUMBENS (Wintergreen) Zone 4 - 12cm. Very good, dwarf, evergreen, ground cover plant with upright branches and creeping stems. Shiny green foliage clusters towards tips. Small white flowers followed by scarlet berries. Leaves and fruit have flavour of wintergreen. Likes acid soils and partial shade.

SHALLON (Salal) ** Zone 5 - 50cm to 1 m. Excellent native ground cover under trees or tall shrubs. More compact in full sun. Round, glossy, bright green leaves. Loose clusters of bell-shaped white or pinkish flowers, on reddish stalks, in March to June, followed by black, edible fruit.

GENISTA

LYDIA (Lydia Woodwaxen) ** Zone 5 - 50 to 60cm. Dwarf shrub with slender, pendulous branches. Good ground cover. Golden-yellow flowers in late spring.

PILOSA Zone 5 - 10 to 15cm H X 1m W. Solid mass of bright yellow flowers for 5 to 6 weeks starting in May. Roots as it spreads, forming a dense mound of arching grey-green stems and small leaves, Likes sunny locations and well-drained soils.

PILOSA VANCOUVER GOLD Zone 5 - 15 to 30cm H X 1m W. This University of British Columbia introduction is covered in bright yellow, pea-like flowers in late spring, approximately 10 days after G. Lydia. Good low ground cover for any light, well drained soil in full sun.

HEATHERS (ERICACEAE) (CALLUNA, DABOECIA AND ERICA)

Most Heathers are ideal ground covers and excellent for rockeries, planters and as border plants., Pruning or shearing after blooming to, -stimulate new growth is, recommended, never cut back to bare wood.

Heathers will combine well with other acid loving plants, such as Rhododendrons, Azaleas and Pieris.

SUMMER AND FALL FLOWERING - May to November

CALLUNA VULGARIS PETER SPARKS Zone 5 - 45cm. Grows in lime free soils. Full sun best for flowering, but will tolerate partial shade. Flowers double, deep rose-pink, blooming from September to November.

- C. v. 'Gold Haze'
- C. v. 'Fred J. Chapple'
- C. v. 'Tricolor folia'
- C. v. 'Spring Torch'
- C. v. 'Spring Cream'
- C. v. 'Joy Vanstore'
- C. v. 'Foxy Floribunda'
- C. v. 'Goldsworth Crimson'
- C. v. 'Hammondii Aureifolia'
- C. v. 'Arina'

ERICA CINEREA ALBA (Twisted Heath) Zone 4 - 25cm. Good ground cover heather with white flowers. Forms low mounding mat.

ERICA VAGANS LYONESSE (Cornish Heath) Zone 7 - 50cm. Bushy, rounded, plant with bright, glossy green leaves. White flowers from July to October. Best white Cornish Heath.

ERICA VAGANS MRS. D.F. MAXWELL (Cornish Heath) Zone 7 - 50cm. Compact, bushy plant with dark green foliage. Blooms heavily with deep cerise flowers from July to October.

ERICA X STUARTII IRISH LEMON Zone 5 - 25cm. Large mauve flowers from May to September. New foliage growth is lemon-yellow, later turning green. Winner of the Award of Garden Merit.

LATE WINTER AND SPRING FLOWERING - November to May

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS ARTHUR JOHNSON ** Zone 5 - 50 to 60cm. Bright mauve-pink flowers from November to May.

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS FURZEY ** Zone 5 - Bushy, to 45cm tall, vigorous spreading plant. Dark green leaves, deep rose-pink flowers blooming December to April.

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS 'J.W.Porter' (*Check Flowering Times*)

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS 'George Rendel'

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS 'Ada S. Collings'

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS 'Ghost Hills'

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS 'Jack H. Brumage'

ERICA X DARLEYENSIS SILBERSCHMELZE ** Zone 5 - 30 to 40cm. Bushy with white flowers blooming October to May. Also sometimes called darleyensis alba.

LATE FALL AND SPRING FLOWERING - January to May

ERICA CARNEA MYRETOUN RUBY Zone 5 - 15cm. Low spreading variety with dark red flowers from February to May. Considered the best of the red carneas.

ERICA CARNEA SPRINGWOOD PINK Zone 5 - 15 to 20cm. Low-spreading with rose-pink flowers that bloom from January to May.

ERICA CARNEA SPRINGWOOD WHITE ** Zone 5 - 15 to 20cm. Low, vigorous spreading. White flowers bloom in January to May.

E. c. 'Heathwood' (*Check Flowering Times*)

E. c. 'Pink Spangles'

E. c. 'Loughrigg'

E. c. 'December Red'

HEBE (Veronica)

H. 'Autumn Glory'

H. 'Carl Teschner'

H. pinguifolia 'Pageri' Small silver grey foliage with small white flowers, low growing

HELIANTHEMUM (Rock Rose)

Flowers from May to July. Grows to 24cm, drought tolerant, excellent choice for rockery gardens and dry banks, full sun, good drainage, prune annually to maintain compact habit

H. 'Henfield Brilliant'

H. 'Mrs. Mold'

HEDERA

H. helix 'Glacier'

H. helix English Ivy

H. helix Baltica Zone 4 hardy, small, glossy, dark green leaves with veins changing to purple in winter
H. colchica dentata variegata (Variegated persian Ivy) Zone 7

HIBICUS [Malvaceae]

SYRIACUS 'Rose of Sharon' 'Giant Pink' **

HYDRANGEA

H. macrophylla 'Nikko blue'
H. macrophylla 'Winning Edge'
H. m. 'Adria'
H. m. 'Ayesha'
H. m. 'Lacecap Pink'
H. m. 'Merrit's Supreme'
H. m. 'Sister Therese'
H. serrata 'Bluebird' Dwf. Lacecap flowers fading to pink if soil becomes alkaline

HYPERICUM (Hypericaceae)

H. calycinum (St. Johnswort) Zone 6 Fast growing, hardy ground cover, vigorous rhizomes

ILEX (AQUIFOLIACEAE) (HOLLY)

Shrubs or trees distinguished by ornamental foliage and bright red or black berries. Often used for hedge and foundation planting.

AQUIFOLIUM (English Holly) Zone 6 - 7 to 12m. Slow growing and variable in ultimate heights. Male and Female plants needed if berries desired. Rich, slightly acid garden soils preferred. Shade tolerant.

A. 'Golden King'

AQUIFOLIUM ARGENTEO-MARGINATA (Variegated English Holly) Zone 6 - 5 to 10m. Silver-edged variegation needs full sun for best effect. Red berries. if pollination available.

CRENATA CONVEXA (Japanese Holly) Zone 5 - 3m Slow-growing, compact shrub; Free fruiting with small shining black berries. Glossy leaves are convex. Takes pruning very well and is ideal for he Full sun or partial shade.

JUNIPERIS

J. squamata 'Blue Star' Zone 5 Slow growth to 1m, blue-grey needles, star like branch pattern

J. pfitzeriana 'Old Gold' Zone 4 Slow to 1m, retains colour in winter, more compact than p. aurea

KALMIA (ERICACEAE) (MOUNTAIN LAUREL)

Medium sized broad-leaved evergreen. Ideal for shady plantings. Shiny, leathery leaves with pink buds opening in May. Does well in moist acid soils.

LATIFOLIA BULLSEYE Zone 5 - 2 to 3m. Distinctive red foliage with pink banded flowers.

LATIFOLIA HEART OF FIRE Zone 5 - 2 to 3m. Unique red buds open to showy, large pink flowers with glossy green foliage.

LATIFOLIA MINUET Zone 5 - 90cm to 1.5m. Miniature form with broad, bright cinnamon-maroon band inside corolla. Buds light pink, leaves narrow and dark glossy green:

LATIFOLIA OLYMPIC FIRE Zone 5 - 2 to 3m. Large, deep red, showy buds opening to light pink flowers. Exceptional growth habit and rich glossy foliage.

LATIFOLIA SNOWDRIFT Zone 4 - 1.5 to 2m. Compact mounding growth habit with dense, rich green foliage giving way to clusters of medium white flowers.

LAVANDULA (LABIATAE) (LAVENDER)

Small shrub with fragrant purple flowers. Aromatic grey-green foliage. Does well in poor soils, but requires full sun and good drainage. Excellent for seaside planting.

ANGUSTIFOLIA HIDCOTE Zone 5 - 40 to 60cm. Deep purple flowers on long spikes in August. Fragrant, grey, narrow leaves.

ANGUSTIFOLIA MUNSTEAD Zone 5 - 30 to 45cm. Lavender-blue flowers in early July. Compact form with narrow green leaves.

LEUCOTHOE (ERICACEAE)

All varieties need deep well drained, acid soils and some shade. Should not be allowed to dry out or be exposed to strong drying winds.

AXILLARIS (Coast Leucothoe) Zone 5 - 60cm to 1m. Small evergreen shrub. Leathery, rich green, sharply pointed leaves. White, urn-shaped flowers in short terminal clusters in spring. Best planted in groups.

FONTANESIANA **

FONTANESIANA RAINBOW ** (Drooping Leucothoe) Zone 5 - 60cm to 1.2m. Small broad-leaved shrub with gracefully arching branches. Red stems have dark-green foliage mottled with cream, yellow and pink. Terminal clusters of white flowers in spring. Can be rejuvenated after flowering by pruning to ground.

LIGUSTRUM (OLEACEAE) (PRIVET)

JAPONICUM TEXANUM (Wax Leaf Privet) Zone 7 - 2 to 3m. Vigorous erect shrub or small tree. Excellent for clipped hedge, screen or trained as a small tree or topiary. Dark, glossy green leaves and a profusion of white fragrant flowers in spring.

MAHONIA (BERBERIDACEAE)

Distinguished from *Berberis* by their pinnate leaves and spineless stems. Do well in most types of well-drained soils.

AQUIFOLIUM (Oregon Grape) ** Zone 4 - 1.2 to 1.8m. Small shrub of irregular erect stems. Glossy deep green holly-like foliage that turns purplish-red in winter; new growth has bronzy-red colouring. Yellow flower clusters in spring followed by small, edible bluish-black fruit in fall and Winter. Berries make good jelly. Plant in sun or partial shade: Native to British Columbia.

AQUIFOLIUM COMPACTA (Dwarf Oregon Grape) ** Zone 5 - 60 to 90cm Low spreading, dwarf and compact with all the features of Oregon Grape Holly. Shiny, dark green leaves with well defined spines. Adaptable to both sun and shade.

NERVOSA (Longleaf Mahonia) Zone 5 - 45 to 60cm. Long slender leaves clustered at stem tips, 25 to 45cm long with 7 to 21 bristle-toothed leaflets. Yellow flowers in racemes 15 to 20cm long in May and June followed by blackish-blue berries. Does best in acid soil with some shade. Spread by underground stems to make a good cover. Native to British Columbia.

X MEDIA CHARITY Zone 7 - 1.5 to 2.5m. Blue-green leaves 50 to 60cm long with spiny leaflets, Clusters of fragrant yellow flowers in long spreading and ascending 'raceme winter. 5 during late fall and early

NANDINA (BERBERIDACEAE)

DOMESTICA (Heavenly Bamboo) Zone 6 - 1.2 to 3m. Small to medium sized shrub looking somewhat like Bamboo., Many upright stems hold lacy, light green foliage. New growth comes in' pink tones maturing to light yellow-green. Red and orange foliage in autumn. Small pinkish-white flowers in early spring, followed by bright orange-red berries. Plant in sun or partial shade.

DOMESTICA HARBOUR DWARF Zone 6-50cm. Low growing spreading habit. Makes a good ground cover. New growth tinged pink to bronze in spring, turning orange to wine-red in fall and winter. Plant in sun or partial shade.

OLERIA

O. macradonta

OSMANTHUS (OLEACEAE) (FALSE HOLLY)

DELAVAYI (Delavay Osmanthus) Zone 8 - 1.2 to 1.8m. Beautiful small leaved species. Profusion of very fragrant, white, jasmine-like flowers in fall. Sun or shade.

HETEROPHYLLUS VARIEGATUS (Variegated False Holly) Zone 7 - 1.2 to 1.5m. Small, slow growing shrub, erectly branched. Holly-like, irregularly spined, leathery, dark green leaves edged in creamy white. In more extreme cold it can be deciduous, but will re-grow new leaves.

OSMAREA (OLEACEAE)

BURKWOODII Zone 8 - 1.5 to 2.5m. Slow-growing compact shrub. Dark green, oval leathery and toothed glossy leaves, 2.5 to 5cm long. Clusters of small fragrant white flowers in April and May. Plant in full sun to partial shade and will withstand drought.

PACHYSANDRA (Buxaceae)

P. terminalis (Japanese Spurge)

PERNETTYA

P. mucronata 'Variegata'

P. mucronata 'White'

PHOTINIA (ROSACEAE)

Evergreen or deciduous shrubs or small trees. Attractive foliage and fruit colour. Use as screens or background. In Northwest, withhold water in late summer to ripen growth and lessen frost damage.
X FRASERI 'Red Robin' ** Zone 7 - 1.8 to 6m. Glossy dark green leaves above, lighter beneath, 10 to 12cm long. New leaves flush bronzy-red. Heat resistant.

PIERIS (ERICACEAE)

Large family of ornamental shrubs related to Rhododendrons. Flower panicles are formed in autumn, flowering in April to May. All Pieris have alternate oblong to lanceolate green leaves. Flowering varies from light to heavy, fragrant to non-fragrant. Flowers are perfectly urn-shaped and carried on 5-12cm pendulous racemes. Does well in full sun to semi-shade.

FOREST FLAME ** Zone 6 - 1.5 to 2m. White flower clusters are broader and heavier than most of the Pieris japonica varieties. New leaves flush red-orange fading to cream then to green.

JAPONICA COMPACTA Zone 5 - 90cm to 1.5m. Compact growth habit with small leaves. Flowers heavily.

JAPONICA MOUNTAIN FIRE ** Zone 6 - 1 to 2m. Small, slow growing shrub, with long-lasting fiery-red new growth later turning green. Stiff spreading branches carry drooping clusters, of white flowers in spring.

J. 'Primrose Fire'

JAPONICA TEMPLE BELLS ** Zone 6 - 1 m. Slow-growing compact habit bearing large, off-white, urn-shaped spring flowers. Distinctive upright leaves flushing peach giving way to dark green in summer.

JAPONICA VALLEY ROSE ** Zone 7 - 1 to 1.25m. Low compact grower. Profusion of deep rose flower buds opening soft pink. New growth copper-tinted, turning green.

JAPONICA VALLEY VALENTINE. ** Zone 6 - 1.25 to 1.5m. Compact, upright habit. Foliage is dark green with colourful new growth: Very attractive in winter with red buds followed in spring with deep red flowers.

JAPONICA VARIEGATA ** Zone 5 - 1.75 to 2m. One of the most attractive silver variegated shrubs. Slow grower with striking variegated leaves, flushed pink when young. Better planted in partial shade.

TAIWANENSIS (Snowdrift) ** Zone 7 - 1.5 to 2m. Similar to Pieris japonica, but flowers bigger and more erect. Compact growth habit bear 15cm long racemes of pure-white urn-shaped flowers fading to green in March and April. New growth bronze-red.

JAPONICA YAKUSHIMANUM NOCTURNE Zone 5 - 50cm. Very, compact, tidy plant suitable for rock gardens. Flowers are white. Developed in Holland from seed collected in mountains of Japan. New growth pinkish-red.

JAPONICA YAKUSHIMANUM PRELUDE Zone 5 - 60cm. New compact variety with bright pink new growth and pink buds in winter, Completely covered in white spring flowers which develop later and, last longer than other Pieris.

X BROUWER'S BEAUTY Zone 4b - One of the hardiest Pieris. Habit of growth is dense and compact. Flower buds are deep purplish-red, opening white. Panicles horizontal but slightly arching.

POTENTILLA [Rosaceae] Zone 3

fruticosa 'Red Ace' Slow, growing to .75m Bright red flowers on tips with yellow base

fruticosa 'Red Robin' Deep red flower throughout summer

fruticosa 'Sundance' Light yellow, double flowers 1m

fruticosa 'Everest'

fruticosa 'Daydawn'

fruticosa 'Goldfinger'

PRUNUS (ROSACEAE)

LAUROCERASUS (English or Cherry Laurel) Zone 6 - to 6m. Vigorous large shrub to small tree. 7.5 to 12.5cm. Spikes of creamy-white flowers in summer often hidden by rich, glossy, leathery, dark green leaves. Small, black fruit are produced in late summer and fall. Very useful when fast hedging required.

LAUROCERASUS OTTO LUYKEN (Otto Luyken English Laurel) Zone 6 - 60 to 90cm. Growth habit compact and broadly spreading. Dark green glossy leaves give contrast to white flower spikes in spring. Leaves sit at a 45 to 60 degree angle on stem. Flowers give way to, small black fruit in early fall.

LAUROCERASUS REYNVAANII (Russian Laurel) Zone 5 - 1.8 to 3m. Fast growing, upright and hardy. Has deep green, broad, slightly serrated leaves. Ideal for medium and tall hedges. More tolerant of weather conditions than other English Laurel.

LAUROCERASUS ZABELIANA ** (Zabel Cherry Laurel) Zone 5 - 90cm to 1.2m. Dwarf spreading shrub with dense branching. Dark green, narrow, willow-like leaves bearing white flowers. Leaves are

perpendicular and slightly drooping on the stem. Used extensively in landscaping for mass planting as a tall ground cover, even under the shade, and drip of trees.

LUSITANICA (Portugal Laurel) ** Zone 6 - 3 to 6m. A small to medium sized shrub or tree with thick, ovate-lanceolate, toothed, glossy, dark green leaves. White racemes of hawthorn-scented flowers in May followed by red fruit turning dark purple. A good hedging plant or as specimen tree, more tolerant of heat, sun and wind than English Laurel.

PYRACANTHA (ROSACEAE) (FIRETHORN)

Vigorous, hardy growing, ornamental shrubs with upright or sprawling habit. Distinguishing characteristics are their bright red, orange or yellow berries, their small rounded leaves and clusters of ivory-white flowers. Thorny branches make it ideal for barrier plantings. Do best in full sun, but are a good choice for north and east walls.

SOLEIL D'OR (Yellow berries) Zone 6 - 2.5' - 3m. Strong grower with bushy habit. Creamy-white flowers produce bright yellow berries.

X CHERRI BERRI Zone 6 - 3m. Vigorous, upright and semi-open. Foliage is large, dark green and glossy. Profusion of white flowers give way to small bright red, cherry-like berries in fall. Make's a good espalier plant.

X MOHAVE Zone 6 - 2 to 3m. Medium sized, upright densely branched habit. Heavy flowering, giving way to orange-red. berries in late summer. Resistant to fireblight.

X ORANGE GLOW ** Zone 6 - 2.5 to 3m. Medium semi-upright grower with loose habit. Profusion of white flowers give way to orange fruit in fall. Does well in Vancouver area.

QUERCUS

Q. garryanna

RAPHIOLEPIS (ROSACEAE) (INDIAN HAWTHORN)

Slow growing shrub with firm, thick, glossy leaves. Spring flowers are followed by dark blue, berries. Requires a warm sunny location with well-drained soil.

UMBELLATA OVATA Zone 6 1.25 to 1.75m. Compact, dense branching habit. Some what spreading with rounded, leathery, dark green foliage bearing fragrant white flowers in late spring.

RHODODENDRON (ERICACEAE)

Dwarf to ' large flowering shrubs, with leathery green foliage. This well-known plant group is valued for the attractive trusses of brilliantly coloured flowers in spring. Depending on the variety, they bloom from April to June. Most varieties do best in partial shade and the cool regions, needing acid soil conditions. They thrive in fibrous loamy soils.

ANAH KRUSCHKE - H2, Zone 5 Medium-tall grower with deep lavender-purple flowers, blooming in May.

ANNA ROSE WHITNEY - H3, ** Zone 6 - Tall upright variety with rose-pink flowers in June.

BLUE DIAMOND - H3, ** Zone 6 - Medium-low upright grower. One of the best blues. The flowers are small and bright blue blooming in April.

CATAWBIENSE BOURSAULT - Hi, ** Zone 4- Tall grower, with, lavender flowers, blooming in May.

CHEER - H2, Zone 5 - Compact, medium-tall grower with shell-pink flowers with scarlet red blotches blooming in early, April.

CHRISTMAS CHEER - H2, Zone 5 - Medium grower, with blush-pink flowers blooming in March.

GRACE SEABROOK - H3, ** Zone 6 - Medium grower having flowers currant red at margins, shading at centre to blood red: Blooms in April.

JEAN MARIE DE MONTAGUE - H3, ** Zone 6- Medium grower with scarlet-red flowers in May.

UNIQUE - H3, ** Zone 6 - Medium grower with bright .pink buds opening to buttery cream flowers in April.

VULCAN FLAME - H2, ** Zone 5 - Medium compact grower with bright red flowers blooming in May.

Assorted Rhododendrons

R. 'Etta Burroughs'

R. 'Crest'

R. 'Ramapo'

'Ken Janeck'

'Mood Indigo'

'Top Banana'

'Canadian Sunset'

fabia x baveow

R. 'Yaleu Angel'
 R. hybrid 'Atroflo'
 fortunei
 burcawii
 x anthocoden
 R. 'Swamp Beauty'
 R. 'Edith Boulter'
 R. 'Chapeau'
 R. 'Mrs. Jamie Fraser'
 R. 'Titian Beauty'
 R. 'Dopey'
 R. 'Molly Ann'
 R. 'Happy'
 R. 'Rubinette'
 R. 'Trewithen Orange'
 R. 'Holden'
 R. 'Woody's Friggin Rigg'in'
 R. 'Solidarity'
 R. 'Grace Seabrook'
 R. 'White Water'
 R. 'Bergs Yellow'
 R. 'Bu Hermint'
 R. 'Marketta's flame'
 R. 'Point Fosdick'
 R. 'Dreamland'
 R. 'Bambi'
 R. 'Papeuya Punch'
 R. 'Jamie Fraser'
 R. 'Maureen'
 R. 'Pink Snowflakes'
 R. 'Independance Day'
 R. 'Silver Sixpence'
 R. 'Creeping Jenny'
 R. 'Unigue Marmelade'
 R. 'Buttermint'

SARCOCOCCA (BUXACEAE)

HOOKERANA HUMILIS (Himalayan Sweet Box) Zone 6 - 45 to 60cm. Slender green stems carry lustrous dark green, narrow, pointed leaves. Low, compact grower, spreading by suckers making, a good ground cover. Small, fragrant, white flowers in spring,. followed by black berries. Shade loving.

RUSCIFOLIA (Fragrant Sweet Box) ** Zone 7 - 90cm H X 1.4 to 1.8mW. Broad spreading, low growing shrub with skinny deep green, waxy leaves. Fragrant white flowers in early spring giving way to red berries in fall.

SKIMMA (RUTACEAE)

Slow growing, aromatic, evergreen shrubs with glossy, rich green leaves. Fragrant flower clusters, held high above the leaves, bloom April through May. Avery showy ornamental for shady locations.

JAPONICA MACROPHYLLA FEMALE ** Zone 7 - 90 to 1.25cm. Semi-upright compact grower with large dark green leaves 8 to 10cm long. Cream coloured flowers are very fragrant,. giving way to bright red berries Plant does equally well in shade or sun, as well as, alkaline or acid soils.

JAPONICA MACROPHYLLA MALE Zone 7 - 90cm X 1.25m. Growth habit same as female plant. Flowers are very large and bright red

REEVESIANA (S. Fortunei) Zone 7 - 60 to 90cm. Low, compact mounding shrub. Self-fertile, variety with fragrant white, short, flower panic les in May, followed by crimson red fruit which can last through the winter.

SYRINGA

S. 'Belle de Nancy'
 S. 'Primrose'
 S. 'Madame Lemoine'

S. 'Viviane Morel'

TAXUS

- T. baccata 'Aurea Washingtonia'
- T. H.M. Eddie
- T. media 'Hicksii'
- T. media 'Hillii'

THUJA (Arborvitae)

- T. occidentalis pyramidalis
- T. occidentalis 'Smaragd'
- T. o. Warreana
- T. plicata

VACCINIUM (ERICACEAE)

Excellent ornamental evergreen or deciduous shrubs. Profusion of pink bell-shaped flowers followed by edible fruit which attracts birds.

VIBURNUM (CAPRIFOLIACEAE)

Deciduous or evergreen shrubs, valued for their clusters of fragrant flowers and unusual foliage.
DAVIDII ** Zone 5 - 80cm X 1.25m. Small, compact, evergreen shrub with large, deep green, heavily veined leaves. Plant bears clusters of white flowers in June, and bright turquoise-blue berries in fall, and winter. Does well in semi-shade. Mass planting recommended for better fruit set.
TINUS DWARF (Spring Bouquet) ** Zone 7 - 0.9 to 1.5m. Compact grower with small leaves and fragrant white flowers which develop from dark red flower buds. Blooms late fall to early spring, producing metallic blue fruit. makes a good small hedge. Tolerant of considerable shade and salt spray.
TINUS ROBUSTUM (Roundleaf Viburnum) Zone 8 - to 4.5m. medium a size, dense, erect growing evergreen shrub with deep green foliage. Flat, dense clusters of white flowers blushed with pink, bloom early in spring.. Mildew resistant, Shade and salt tolerant,
V. bodnantense 'Pink Dawn'

VINCA (Apocynaceae) (Periwinkle)

- V. minor
- V. minor variegata

WEIGELA [Caprifoliaceae]

FLORIDA 'Bristol Ruby' Zone 5 Deciduous, grows to 2.5m, brilliant ruby red tubular flowers on long shoots from previous year's growth. Full sun to partial shade

Species may vary depending on availability (** indicates plants in stock).

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