



**HAPPY
FATHER'S DAY
June 20**

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May all your Weeds
be Wildflowers!
Happy Father's Day!



MUCH NEEDED

Summer is here. The sun is shining and summer is in full swing. Flowers are blooming and abundant smells of them frolic in the air along with neighborhood BBQS. Children laughing. Birds and squirrels playing tag. This is a much needed summer.

At the Bin we are still in full bloom with merchandise constantly flowing in. It is a great time to fill in the holes of weather-weary or bug-devoured plants. It may not be May but it is still a great time to plant and we are still growing.

Hope to see you soon!

Jeanette, Gift House Manager

June is National Rose Month!



Good as Gold



Love & Peace



Celestial Nights

CITRUS FOR THE PATIO

Did you know that Colorado has a great climate for growing citrus trees in a pot on the patio? Did you know that dwarf varieties do very well in the house over the winter? It's true! Here at **The Flower Bin**, we have many varieties and sizes of dwarf citrus, all hand-picked to do well in your home. Here is a sampling of what we carry:

Lime Bearss Seedless

True lime. Fruit is larger than the key lime. Bears fruit year-round.

Dwarf Mexican Key Lime

Small fruit with great lime flavor. Bears fruit year-round.

Meyer Lemon Improved

Very juicy and sweeter than most lemons. Flowers and fruits year-round.

Orange Lane Late Navel Orange

Navel orange with fine rich flavor. Fruit ripens spring through summer.

Miho Wase Mandarin –

3" fruit is sweet and juicy with thin skin. Ready to harvest near Thanksgiving.

Shiranu Mandarin

Intensely sweet very large mandarin. Easy to peel. Harvest January through March.

All citrus, here in Colorado, prefer a partial shade position on the patio, and a nice bright south or west window in the house. Allow the soil to dry out a bit between waterings. Feed with citrus fertilizer every 3-4 months. Please bring it inside before the first frost/freeze in the fall and you will have fresh citrus for years to come!

HAPPY GARDENING!



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Kim, Annuals Manager

PERFECT PERENNIALS FOR EVERY SEASON

As spring gives way to summer and the scents of honeysuckle and roses start to float in the air, the sights of beautiful colors popping from the ground can bring joy and happiness to us as well as others. The past year has affected everyone in one way or another. May this summer season allow you to enjoy and relax in your outdoor environment.

We can help you with all the colors and textures your garden needs to enhance that experience. Adding a large leaf Rocket Ligularia or a Forever Red or purple heuchera to your shade garden may do just that.

Sunset or Sonora Agastache will bring all summer season color to any sun filled area as well as provide the hummingbirds a sweet treat. Remembering to plant fall bloomers now like asters and mums will allow their roots to get established as well as provide fabulous fall color.

Enjoy the summer and all it has to offer!

Billie Jo, Perennials Manager



Rocket Ligularia



Forever Red Heuchera



Wood Aster Purple

Basils By The Bunch

Finally we can plant our herbs outside and what a selection we have for you! We carry 15 varieties of Basil so there is something for everyone. Genovese, Red Freddy, Emerald Everleaf Tower, and Sweet Basil are sweet basils for all types of cooking. Try one of the specialty basils like Spicy Globe, Siam Queen Thai, or Mrs. Burns Lemon Basil. We carry 2 beautiful Italian basils- Pesto Party and Nufur. Or try a Pistou or Boxwood that have intense flavor in a small leafed compact plant. And don't forget that you can plant basils for their foliage and flowers, like the African Blue basil. They look beautiful with the rest of your flowering annuals or grown with your veggies.

Vicky, Herb Manager

From Generation to Generation Everyone Loves The 'Bin



"Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under the trees on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time." -John Lubbock

Take some time to slow down and enjoy life. Also take some time to give your houseplants some individual attention. Take note of what needs sprayed for pests, what needs to be repotted, what needs trimmed, what needs cleaned and what needs to be relocated. With warmer temperatures and longer days plants will need more water, so make sure to check your plants more often. Fertilizing your plants during this season is ideal. It is important to follow the directions of the specific fertilizer that you choose.

A wise person once told me "There are no rules in gardening, only guidelines." I bring this up because it is good to know there is more than one way to grow something! There are many ways.

We are always working on having the best variety of plants in all departments so make sure to come in and see what's new and what is calling your name! Wishing you a wonderful summer!

Corinna, Houseplant Manager

NOW IS THE TIME!

- Apply granular **Revive®** along with **Natural Guard HuMic** soil conditioner, to help your lawn use water more efficiently and stay greener during the upcoming summer months.
- For bigger, better yields this season, feed your tomatoes and vegetables with **Ferti-lome Tomato and Vegetable Food**.
- Get rid of grass growing in iris, phlox and other perennials safely and easily with ready-to-use **GrassBGon®**
- Spot treat weeds in your lawn with ready-to-use ferti-lome **Weed Out with Crabgrass Killer**. For large areas, buy the concentrate or hose-end applicator.
- Keep your **Legendary Flower Bin Grown Hanging Baskets** blooming strong with **Ferti-lome 20-20-20**.
- Take care of mosquito larvae in fountains, ponds, flower pots and anywhere water accumulates with **Mosquito Dunks** and **Mosquito Bits**. Also helps control fungus gnats in house plants.
- Bring a sample of your lawn or garden problem to our **Diagnostic Center**. We'll help you find the best solution.

Michael, Hard Goods Manager

June 1 - 13

Mon-Fri: 8 am - 7 pm,

Sat: 8 am - 6 pm,

Sun: 9 am - 6 pm

June 14 - 27

Mon-Sat: 8 am - 6 pm

Sun: 9 am - 6 pm

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