

*RUSH FOR
THE ROSES
SATURDAY APRIL 20*



Love at First Sight



The Flower Bin
Garden Center and Nursery

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RUSH FOR THE ROSES BEGINS AT 8 AM SATURDAY, APRIL 20

SIGNS OF SPRING

The trees are budding and the bulbs are popping up to accent the landscapes we so enjoy. The signs of spring are everywhere. Perennials, grasses, groundcovers, and shrubs all arrive weekly in anticipation of spring planting. Our rose house is bursting at the seams with roses of every color, height, and bloom style. This season we are so fortunate to have an outstanding variety of roses to choose from. As you walk through the rose house you are reminded of spring and all that it brings. Tree roses for your patios or shrub roses to accent your back fences, know that we can help you find the perfect one for your garden.

Our 2024 rose list is available on our website, please allow us to help you create the garden you have been dreaming about this winter.

Billie Jo, Perennials Mgr

OVER 320 VARIETIES AND 5,600 ROSE BUSHES

Hybrid Teas = 79

Grandifloras = 25

Floribundas = 58

Climbers = 29

Shrub Roses = 37

Miniature Roses = 15

Knockout Roses = 9

David Austin = 27

David Austin Climbers = 10

Ground Covers = 15

TREE ROSES = 14

Rugosa = 5

NEW RELEASES 2024 - WEEKS ROSES



Cosmic Cloud, Shrub



Make Me Blush, Hybrid Tea



Pink Freedom, Shrub



Miss Manners, Grandiflora



Quest for Zest, Grandiflora



Snow Pavement, Rugosa

SPRING, GLORIOUS SPRING

Flowers are rising up from winter slumber. Birds are singing in the budding trees. The excitement is stirring in the air.

Stop by to get a new work apron and gloves. Cute and heavy duty designs just for gardening. Add a Sunday Afternoon hat and your suit of armor is ready.

As your mind wanders into the garden imagine a little bunny statue peeking around the corner saying hello. A lively tune dancing in the air from a new windchime. Brightly colored pillows for your porch.

The visions for the spring possibilities are delightful.

Jeanette, Gift House Manager



Matching Gloves, Kneeling Pads and Tools



Colorful Hooked Pillows



**The first colors of
spring are just a reminder of the
beautiful flowers that will
soon be blooming.**



Bunny Lovers

BE A SHOW OFF

We finally made it to spring and now we can start thinking about what our outdoor gardens will look like. We know some of you have been starting seeds indoors or taking care of your house plants during the winter season, and we want to see what you've been up to in the "off-season".

Send me a pic via email and we'll show off your indoor seed/plant set-up. Who knows, maybe you'll spark some creativity for someone else trying to get started indoors! My email is nbarnett@theflowerbin.net. Happy Planting!!

Nolan, PR Coordinator



Solar Flare, Tomato



T-Rex Yellow, Pepper



Dulce Nectar, Honeydew



Buffalo Sun Tomato



Jimmy Nardello, Pepper



Tam, Honeydew

“A garden feeds more than the table. It feeds the soul.”

Every year, we reassess the varieties of vegetables we grow and offer for sale. We want to give you the best choices to help make you successful in the garden. Here are some of this year’s highlights:

- ◆ **Better Boy, Big Beef, Celebrity, Early Girl, and Lemon Boy** tomatoes have all been improved. You will get the same variety with increased flavor, adaptability, and disease resistance. (see the word “plus” at the end of the name)
- ◆ Honeydew: New varieties **Dulce Nectar** and **Tam** have great resistance to powdery mildew.
- ◆ New tomato varieties: **Solar Flare** (red with gold stripes, beefsteak), **Buffalo Sun** (yellow with red flames, beefsteak) and **Braveheart** (Red cherry, hybrid).
- ◆ New pepper varieties: **Bella Rouge** (sweet bell), **Jimmy Nardello** (sweet non-bell) and **Jamaican Scotch Bonnet** (very hot habanero type).
- ◆ And, for you “Pepper Heads” who love the super-hots, we offer, in **very** limited quantities:
 - T-Rex Yellow** (1,500,000 scovilles)
 - Brazilian Moruga** (2,000,000 scovilles)
 - Gator Jigsaw** (1,500,000 scovilles)
- ◆ Along with our standard varieties **Carolina Reaper, Trinidad Moruga Scorpion** and **Ghost** peppers.

Plan out your garden and come see us when you are ready to plant. It’s going to be a GREAT gardening year!

Happy Gardening!

Kim, Annual House Mgr

"Don't forget to stop and smell the roses"

Walter Hagen

This is an important reminder to slow down and appreciate the small things in life. It is these moments that really make life more enjoyable. Growing plants indoors is a great way to add beauty to your home and make the atmosphere more relaxing.



We are excited to have another batch of ***Monstera deliciosa 'Thai Constellation'*** growing in the greenhouse! Now is your chance to add this beauty to your collection. There is good reason for all the hype surrounding this variety. It boasts stunning large glossy green leaves with white variegation and deep cut outs. Its wonderfully bold texture is very decorative and really makes a statement. On top of that it is very easy to grow! No wonder it is so highly sought after.

Time really flies by, so make sure to enjoy it! Hope to see you soon!

Corinna, Foliage Manager

DON'T LOOK NOW BUT SPRING HAS SPRUNG!!

Welcome to our new ***Herb World*** relocated in the greenhouse next to house plants and the glass windows. We have just moved into our new area and are still getting settled. We love the added space and improved lighting and think you will too.

There is an excellent selection of herbs from around the world for culinary, medicinal, ecological and crafting uses. We are especially happy with the ***dye*** plants, and with the ***edible flower*** plants that are growing and will soon be on display. New plants for these collections will be added throughout the growing season so there is always something new to add to your garden. So, visit us and start planning this year's herb garden.

Happy Spring!

Vicky, Herb Manager

NEW IN ANNUALS



Mandevilla Bluephoria



Dahlia Dahlgria Magenta Bicolor



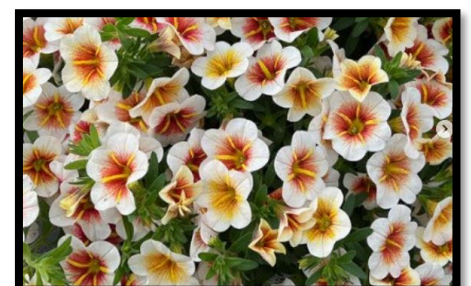
Lantana Sun Dance White



Petunia Amazonas Plum Cockatoo



Double Impatiens Glimmer Series



Calibrachoa Calitastic Cappuccino

SPRING HOURS BEGINNING April 1, Monday-Saturday: 8 am-6 pm, Sunday: 9 am-5 pm

NOW IS THE TIME . . .

- ◆ **To core aerate** and apply **ferti•lome®** HuMic granular humate to help keep your lawn looking its best all season long.
- ◆ **To reduce** lawn soil compaction and optimize water utilization with **Revive®**. Available in granular and liquid form.
- ◆ **To put down** some grass seed. Whether you're starting a new lawn or repairing bare or thin areas, we carry a wide variety of grass seed .
- ◆ **To apply** **ferti•lome®** All Seasons, Corn Gluten, or Hi-Yield Turf& Ornamental Weed and Grass Stopper pre-emergent to control crabgrass and other weed seeds
- ◆ **To spot treat** weeds in your lawn with **ferti•lome®** Weed Free Zone. It works great even in cool spring temperatures and won't hurt your grass when used as directed.
- ◆ **To apply** Milky Spore to control Japanese Beetle grubs organically. For other grubs in your lawn, select Hi-Yield Grub Free Zone.
- ◆ **To halt and cure** existing lawn fungus and disease problems with **ferti•lome®** F-Stop.
- ◆ **To increase** the structure and fertility of your vegetable garden by adding 2"-3" of locally produced Earth Essentials Sheep, Peat and Compost organic amendment to your garden beds.
- ◆ **To feed** your cool weather vegetables with organic Happy Frog Tomato and Vegetable Fertilizer.
- ◆ **To bring** your lawn and garden questions to our Diagnostic Center.

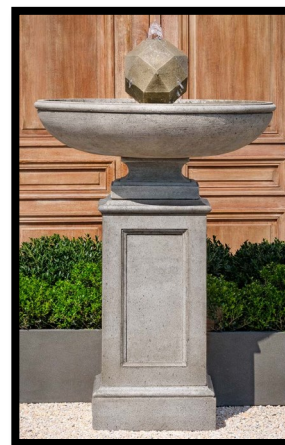
Michael, Hard Goods Manager

NEW IN THE COURTYARD

With warm days right around the corner. Spring is the time of plans and projects.



Ulrich Von Snootypants



Polyhedron Fountain

Stop at The Flower Bin, take a walk around the courtyard. Get some old-fashioned fresh air, sunshine and ideas for one of your projects.



Caipirinha Planters

Stacia, Courtyard

**See You Soon!
The Flower Bin Staff**