



# Broadleigh Gardens

## 2015 Spring list

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▲ *Lilium Friso*



▲ *Iris Double Lament*



▲ *Cyclamen coum*

▼ *Gladiolus primulinus* 'Atom'



▲ *Lilium Martagon Album*

▼ *Lilium Martagon Red*





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*"Oh, for a beaker full of the warm South..."*  
John Keats

**W**e trust we have managed to find some excellent new additions to tempt you this year – some old friends, others exciting new discoveries – some 33 in all marked with\* in the text. These include the spectacular new **Cyclamen hederifolium Red Sky** (page 10), the sinister **Cobra Lily Arisaema griffithii** (page 6) and an unknown delightful dwarf white **Iris sibirica** (page 25) which has grown here for 30 years.

I am writing this in late November and our tunnel is still ablaze with **Nerines** (page 27) which have been delighting us since the end of August. At the moment it is a mass of glowing pink **Hera** that is centre stage but towering above them all are our two introductions. Both are the product of intensive plant breeding programmes for the cut flower industry. **Elegance** has huge deep salmon pink flowers held on very stiff stems. The other is the result of crossing amaryllis with nerine. The fabulous **Amarine Belladiva** (page 4) takes the best from each parent and has the bonus of being hardy. Both flower for a long time.

An amazing number of our familiar summer flowering bulbs originated in S Africa, from an area of summer rainfall (does that sound familiar?). Having grown them for many years here I hope to see some of them in the wild in the New Year. **Amaryllis, Crocosmia, Crinum, Dierama, Eucomis, Gladiolus, Galtonia** and **Nerine** all



started there, also the early flowering **Watsonia** on page 38. Add in **Agapanthus** and **Kniphofia** and, as John Keats so elegantly puts it, your garden can truly be a beaker full of the warm south.

Happy gardening

*Christine Skelmersdale*



= those plants given the Award of Garden Merit by the RHS.

Front cover picture: *Cyclamen Coum*

The main autumn catalogue, comprising our comprehensive range of Daffodils, Tulips, Crocus, bulbous Irises etc., is published in June each year and will continue to be sent out immediately before the Chelsea Flower Show in late May. **The garden and nursery are open to view every weekday (9am - 4pm; £2) in aid of the St. Margaret's Somerset Hospice.** We have limited seasonal plant sales. We are a working mail order nursery but you may collect your orders in season (please give us advanced notice).

These bulbs are for garden decoration only and should not be eaten.

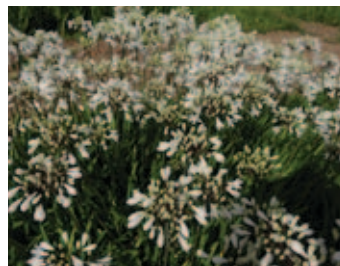




Agapanthus Ben Hope



Agapanthus Donau



Agapanthus Littlecourt

## AGAPANTHUS (African Lily)

Easy, trouble-free perennials forming large clumps of narrow leaves and round heads of flowers in late summer. Feed in spring with Tomorite. **Many more varieties will be found on our website.**

**NOTE:** We sell mature plants NOT plugs and although most have flowered here they may not flower in the first year after moving; they need time to settle.

### DECIDUOUS VARIETIES FOR BORDERS OR POTS

These are **deciduous** with clumps of narrow leaves and are free flowering. They are fully hardy in well drained soil in full sun. Established plants flower best. A winter mulch is beneficial in cold areas. Protect from frost if grown in pots.

#### ★ AIMEE

Our own introduction. Medium sized white flowers with a delicate blue rim to 3 of the petals. Very distinct. 30" July £8.00 each

#### BEN HOPE

One of the excellent 'Royal' series, producing masses of well shaped, mid blue flowers. One of the earliest to flower. Good front of border plant. 36" July £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### BLUE IMP

Compact with masses of almost electric blue flowers in tight heads. 30" August £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### BLUE MOON

A truly magnificent plant, long admired here. It is the last to flower; with huge grey-blue flowers on stiff stems. 4' Late Aug-Sept £7.00 each; 3 = £18.00

#### BRESSINGHAM BLUE

Vigorous plants producing a mass of intense blue compact heads. Late flowering. 30" Aug-Sept £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### BUCKINGHAM PALACE

The deep blue flowers are carried on 5ft stems. Ideal for the back of the border as at Wisley. 5' July-Aug £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### CASTLE OF MEY

Masses of small, deep blue heads. Another of John Bond's fine 'Royal' hybrids. 24" July-Aug £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### DONAU

Another of the excellent Rivers of Europe series with intense blue flowers on very stiff, upright dark stems. Late flowering. 4' August £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### GLACIER STREAM

Medium white flowers, carried in profusion on dark stems. 3-4' July-Aug £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

#### HEADBOURNE BLUE

**HYBRIDS** (Palmer Hybrids). Showy clusters of mid-blue flowers. Very hardy. 36" Aug-Sept £4.50 each; 3 = £10.50

#### ICE BLUE STAR

Dense heads of the most delicious ice blue. Vigorous and free flowering. One of the very best. 36" July £5.50 each; 3 = £14.50



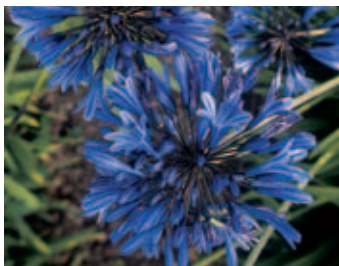
Agapanthus Blue Moon



Agapanthus Bressingham Blue



Agapanthus Buckingham Palace



Agapanthus Midnight Star (Navy Blue)

★ **ISIS**

A reliable old hybrid with dark blue, rather open flower. Late flowering (D) 36" August  
£5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

**JONNY'S WHITE**

One of our own hybrids with waxy white flowers on stiff stems. Compact and perfect for the front of the border. 24" August  
£6.00 each; 3 = £16.90

**LITTLECOURT**

The beautiful white flowers with dark stems completely cover the plant. From a friend's garden, this compact hybrid is one of the last to flower. Ideal front of border plant.  
18" Aug-Sept  
£5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

**MIDNIGHT STAR (Navy Blue)**

Large heads of intense deep blue. One of the darkest and always a show winner. 36" July-Aug  
£8.00 each; 3 = £22.00

**NORTHERN STAR**

A superb new hybrid with intense dark blue flowers. Fabulous in the new rose garden at Wisley.  
3-4" July-August £9.00 each



Agapanthus Aimee

**RHONE**

A very showy variety with large dark blue flowers on dark stems. Free flowering and early.  
36" July  
£5.50 each; 3 = £14.50

**ROYAL BLUE**

Almost electric blue flowers. Always a show winner.  
30" July-Aug  
£6.00 each; 3 = £16.90

**SNOW SHADOWS**

This variety is very popular at the Tatton Park show where it was named by competition. The white flowers are heavily marked with blue/purple and have dark stems. The whole flowers takes a deep pink tinge as it ages.  
4" July-Aug  
£7.00 each

**WHITE DWARF**

A neat, compact form for the front of a border or pots. Masses of pure white medium heads on stiff stems.  
18" August  
£5.50 each; 3 = £14.50



Agapanthus praecox

**EVERGREEN VARIETIES FOR CONTAINERS**

*Evergreen varieties are best grown in pots which are kept frost free. They produce fewer but larger flower heads and have large, leek-like clumps of leaves. They are all large mature plants.*

**ENIGMA**

One of the very best. Huge heads of white flowers that have brilliant blue bases. 3' August £8.00 each

**JACK'S BLUE**

Spectacular and free flowering, with large heads of rich purple-blue flowers. Late flowering.  
4' Aug-Sept £6.00 each

**PRAECOX**

The Scilly Isles agapanthus with huge heads of mid blue flowers.  
5' August £8.00 each

**PRAECOX ALBIFLORUS**

A magnificent plant with very large heads of pure white flowers.  
4' Aug-Sept  
£7.00 each

★ **STORM CLOUD**

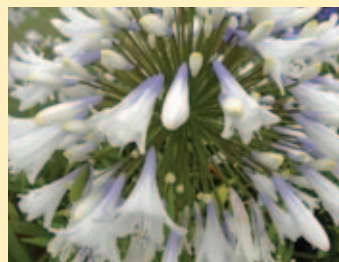
Huge heads of powder blue flowers. Although evergreen it is hardy in our open field.  
5' August £7.00 each



Agapanthus Northern Star



Agapanthus Snow Shadows



Agapanthus Enigma



Allium cernuum



Allium pulchellum Album

## ALLIUM

We offer here semi-evergreen varieties which prefer to be planted at this time of the year. The onion smell only occurs when the leaves are bruised. They are all easy to grow in light, well drained soil and full sun. Clump forming.

### 🏆 CERNUUM (Nodding Onion)

An attractive plant with nodding umbels of mid pink flowers.

Useful for the late summer border.

15" July-Aug

5 = £4.00

### 🏆 FLAVUM

Nodding heads of clear yellow flowers. A delightful plant for a dry sunny border.

12" July

£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### PULCHELLUM ALBUM (carinatum)

Nodding white flowers with grass-like leaves. Useful for late summer flowering. Part shade or sun.

14" August

£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### SENESCENS

Long-lasting pink flowers in late summer above neat clumps of grey-green leaves. Bees love them.

8" Aug-Sept

£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35



Allium senescens



Allium flavum



Allium tuberosum

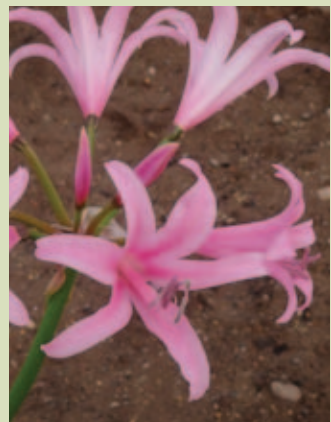


Agapanthus in our field

## AGAPANTHUS COLLECTION

Four easy, free-flowering varieties for pots or borders.

**4 plants £18.00**



Amarine belladiva

## AMARINE

A vigorous cross between Amaryllis & Nerine. Originally bred for the cut flower trade and very vigorous. Hardy to at least -10C.

### ★ BELLADIVA

Large deep pink flowers on tall stiff stems.

30" Autumn

£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00





## ALSTROEMERIA

Easy species of the well-known cut flower. Plant deeply in a rich, well-drained soil and mulch with bracken etc. in winter. Sun or part shade. Sold as potted plants.

### LIGTU 'FRANCES'

Clumps of gold edged leaves followed by soft apricot flowers. 30" June-July £5.20 per pot



Alstroemeria psittacina 'Royal Star'

### PSITTACINA 'ROYAL STAR' (variegata)

Attractive cream variegated leaves all summer followed by unusual maroon/green flowers. Part shade. 18" Jul-Aug £5.20 per pot



Anemone multifida

## ANEMONE

Although a full range of bulbous and rhizomatous species can be found in our Autumn catalogue, we offer here some of the more unusual herbaceous varieties.

### MULTIFIDA (magellanica)

As its name implies it comes from the far south of S America. Clumps of hairy divided leaves give rise to a succession of stems bearing 3-4 cream flowers all summer. Easy in any sunny position. 15" Summer £4.00 each



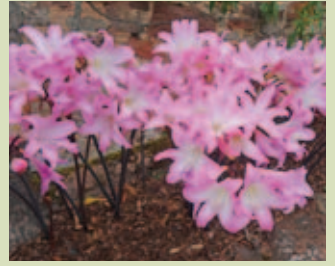
Anemone Wild Swan

### x LESSERI

A lovely dwarf Anemone with a succession of deep rose-carmine flowers above ferny leaves. Ideal for the rock garden or front of border. 8" May-July £4.00 each

### SYLVESTRIS (Snowdrop Anemone)

Large fragrant white flowers above clumps of well-divided leaves over a long period. Best in a cool, semi-shady position. 12" May-Sept £5.00 each



Amaryllis belladonna

## AMARYLLIS

The true outdoor plant! Useful for late autumn display. They are best planted in a warm, sunny border where they can be left undisturbed.



### BELLADONNA

Lovely clusters of pink lily-like flowers on naked stems. Huge bulbs! 18" Sept-Nov £5.20 each; 3 = £14.35



Anemone x lesseri



Anemone sylvestris

### 'WILD SWAN'

At last we have a small stock of this highly desirable new cultivar which was voted best new plant at Chelsea 2011. Mounds of divided leaves with a succession of large purple backed white flowers. Moist soil in part shade. 15" Summer £7.00 each

## ARISAEMA

These attractive and unusual relations of our own Lords and Ladies are becoming increasingly popular. They are quite hardy and require a cool soil that does not dry out. A covering of bracken is beneficial in cold areas. The 'flower' is in fact the spathe, the true flower being inside it.



Arisaema candidissimum

### ☞ CANDIDISSIMUM

A quite outstanding Chinese species with white flower spathes broadly striped with pink. Prefers a sunnier position than the rest.

12" May-June £8.00 each

### ★ GRIFFITHII (Cobra lily):

The huge tubers give rise to large, hooded 'flowers' followed by handsome leaves. Light, moist soil in shade. 14" April-May

£5.00 each

### SIKOKIANUM

The most dramatic of all and a Chelsea favourite, selling on sight. The large, deep purple spathe contains a prominent club-like white spadix. Plant deeply in a humus-rich soil in a sheltered situation.

12" May-June £10.00 each



Arisaema griffithii



Arisaema sikkokianum



Asphodeline lutea

## ASPHODELINE

Although natives of the Mediterranean area, these striking plants are easily grown in any sunny position in well drained soil.

### LIBURNICA

Slender spikes of lemon yellow flowers above feathery, basal leaves. Plants originated from Great Dixter. 3'-4' Summer £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### LUTEA

Clumps of attractive narrow blue-grey evergreen foliage with spikes of striking star-like golden flowers. Unusual in that the flowers open irregularly over the whole spike, giving a prolonged flowering period. The seed heads are an attractive extra. 36" May-June £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



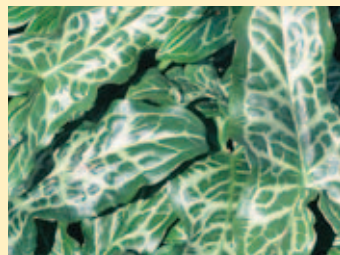
Arum creticum

## ARUM

These curious plants are becoming more and more appreciated. They require a rich soil and plenty of water when in growth.

### CRETICUM

Spectacular pale yellow spathes above unspotted leaves. Grow like Nerines in a sunny site. 14" April £6.00 each



Arum italicum marmoratum

### ☞ ITALICUM MARMORATUM (pictum)

A 'must' for flower arrangers; deep green leaves marbled with white all winter. Good ground cover for dry shade. Pale yellow flowers in spring followed by striking red berries. Summer dormant. 14" May-June 3 = £4.00



Asarum splendens

## ASARUM

Unusual and easy foliage plants for light shade. The curious flowers are a bonus.

### SPLENDENS

Mounds of evergreen silver variegated heart-shaped leaves with fascinating brown & white flowers at ground level. Roots smell of menthol! 4" Mar-June £5.00 each



## ASTRANTIA

Easily grown perennials with heads of "shaggy" flowers all summer.

### HADSPEN BLOOD

Intense blood red flowers all summer. One of the best but needs full sun for best colour.  
2' June-Sept  
£6.00 each



Astrantia Hadspen Blood

### ★ S S SUNNINGDALE

Clumps of brightly cream variegated leaves early in the year. The flowers are almost a distraction.  
20" May – July  
£5.00



Astrantia Sunningdale



## CARDIOCRINUM

A monocarpic lily needing a very rich soil in semi-shade with plenty of moisture. Produces offsets to grow on for future years.

### S GIGANTEUM

Spectacular heads of nodding white bells with a red throat. Heavily scented. May take two or three years to flower. The ultimate height depends upon growing conditions.  
6' + July  
Large rooted bulbs in pots.  
£9.00 each

## CAMPANULA

Easy plants for a sunny border, each producing a succession of large, showy flowers all summer.

### S KENT BELLE

An amazing plant which produces a succession of intense, violet-blue nodding flowers all summer.  
Clump forming.  
24"-30" July-Oct  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### TAKESIMANA

Large bell flowers of pale lilac, densely spotted with maroon inside.  
18" All Summer  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



Campanula Kent Belle

## CRINUM

Hardly a small bulb but we are regularly asked for these popular summer flowering bulbs from S Africa. Plant in full sun with the neck of the bulb above the soil. They will look dreadful in the winter but resist the temptation to tidy up until the new leaves start to poke through in the spring.

### S x POWELLII ALBUM

The huge bulb produces large clusters of long leaves and a succession of white, trumpet shaped flowers in mid-summer. Clump forming – my enormous one produced 26 stems this year!  
3' Aug-Sept  
£6.00 each; 3 = £16.50



Crinum x powellii album



Crocsmia Hell Fire



Crocsmia Emily McKenzie



Crocsmia Paul's Best Yellow

## CROCOSMIA

Once included under *Montbretia*, these plants appreciate a little humus on planting and prefer shade for at least part of the day. They do not flower well in hot dry conditions or deep shade. Excellent for extending the season into late summer.

### CANARY BIRD

We found a stock of this lovely deep golden Crocsmia in a local garden. Although we know no more of its history than its name, it is a very fine plant. 24" Aug-Sept  
3 = £4.50; 10 = £13.75

### CITRONELLA

Clear lemon-yellow flowers and pale leaves – a must for the autumn garden. The true plant. 24" Aug-Sept  
3 = £4.50; 10 = £13.75

### CONSTANCE

A showy new hybrid producing an endless succession of large, clear orange-red flowers. Vigorous. One of the best. 30" Aug-Oct  
£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### EMILY MACKENZIE

One of the finest hybrids. Large, deep orange flowers with a mahogany throat. Excellent for cutting. 24" Aug-Sept  
5 = £3.50; 15 = £9.70

### HELL FIRE

An intense velvety red version of Lucifer. A superb new cultivar and just as easy. 3' July  
£5.00 each

### LIMPOPO

Another of the new showy cultivars with dense heads of pinkish orange flowers. Free flowering. 24" July-Sept  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



### LUCIFER

The brilliant flame-red flowers make this variety a 'must' in the summer flower border. The earliest of the hybrids so far. Superb cut flower. 36" June-Aug  
3 = £4.00; 10 = £12.30

### PAUL'S BEST YELLOW

Arching sprays of large clear lemon-yellow flowers. Quite outstanding. Not too tall. 24" July-August  
£5.00 each

### RED KING

Masses of deep red flowers on dark stems. Good to add drama to a border. 3' August  
5 = £3.50; 15 = £9.70

### ★ ZAMBESI

Fabulous new hybrid with arching stems of widely flaring flowers. Pale salmon-orange with a deeper central stripe. Difficult to describe but distinct. 30" July-Oct  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Crocsmia Zambesi



Crocsmia Canary Bird



Crocsmia Constance



Crocsmia Lucifer at Rosemoor





Convallaria Pawlowski's Gold

## CONVALLARIA (Lily of the Valley)

These favourite and attractive plants will grow outside in almost any situation, but prefer a humus-rich loam in shade. When once established the crowns increase well and the larger ones flower every year. Scented.

### S BORDEAUX

A truly giant Lily of the Valley with flower spikes nearly 12" tall May-June  
£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### MAJALIS

#### S 'FORTIN'S GIANT'

A robust and spectacular form. A much better doer than the ordinary C. majalis.  
10" May-June  
5 = £3.50

#### ★ PAWLOWSKI'S GOLD

The leaves of this distinct variety are striped with gold.  
8" May - June  
£4.00 each; 3 = £9.00

#### S ROSEA

The rarely offered pink Lily of the Valley.  
8" May-June  
£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

## CORYDALIS

Exciting plants from China, virtually evergreen with fleshy roots. Need a cool position in the garden and humus-rich soil. Flowers like tiny snapdragons.

### S 'SAPPHIRE'

#### (flexuosa x cashmiriana)

At last this fabulous plant has a proper name. Compact heads of brilliant blue flowers on tall, wiry stems. Part shade. Strongly scented and clump forming.  
14" May-Aug  
£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

#### FLEXUOSA 'CHINA BLUE'

Heads of intense, electric-blue above heavily divided leaves. Spreading.  
6" Apr-July £3.50 each; 3 = £9.70



Corydalis flexuosa

## DODECATHEON

A very popular herbaceous perennial with beautiful heads of several drooping cyclamen-like flowers. Well deserving their popular name of 'Shooting Stars'. Well drained soil in sun or shade. They make large clumps in time.

### MEADIA

The attractive rose coloured flowers have yellow and white bases.  
18" May  
£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### PULCHELLUM (pauciflorum)

Like a shorter, stockier D. Meadia but with deeper, rose-red flowers and smaller leaves.  
8" May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### MEADIA ALBA

Quite spectacular. A true pure white form of the above, which contrasts well with its darker 'nose'.  
14" May  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



Dodecatheon meadia Alba



Dodecatheon meadia

# CYCLAMEN

Hardy Cyclamen in general are far better planted as growing plants than as dormant bulbs. Due to the fragility of their leaf stalks we prefer to despatch late in their growing season when they are naturally dying back. All tubers are dug daily for immediate despatch. All Cyclamen require a humus-rich soil that is well drained. They are summer dormant – an annual top dressing of bone meal and leaf mould or composted bark is beneficial. All varieties have distinctive leaves which are very variable and give great interest in the garden, both before and after the flowers appear. Except for *Cyclamen repandum* (see description) they should be planted with the tops of the tubers one inch below the soil surface. They prefer to be planted as under:



Cyclamen pseudibericum



Cyclamen coum Pewter

## COLLECTION OF HARDY CYCLAMEN

Hardy varieties to plant in dry shade.

### Collection No. 1

- 3 cilicium
- 3 coum
- 3 hederifolium

**9 corms**

**£24.80 (saving £2.70)**

**Cold Glass** – *africanum*, *balearicum*, *creticum*, *cypricum*, *graecum*, *intaminatum*, *libanoticum*, *mirabile*, *persicum*, *pseudibericum* and *rohlfianum*.

**Shade** – *hederifolium*, *coum*, *repandum*, *purpurascens*, *cilicium*, *intaminatum*.

### ALPNUM (*trocotheranthum*)

A distinct species with bright pink propeller shaped flowers and beautifully marbled leaves. Early. For a sheltered position. 4" Jan-Feb £5.20 each

### BALEARICUM

Plain white fragrant flowers. Leaves heart-shaped and heavily silvered, the silver sometimes completely obliterating the green. 3" Mar-Apr £5.20 each

### CILICIAM

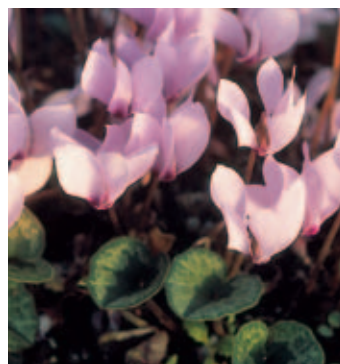
A delightful species very easy to grow in a dry position in light shade. Shell-pink flowers with darker veins and marbled foliage. Seeds here madly under our yew tree. 3" Oct-Nov £3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### COUM

This excellent, hardy winter-flowering cyclamen will slowly spread to give a carpet of colour under trees or shrubs. Pink or crimson flowers. 4" Dec-Mar £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### COUM ALBUM

Pure white flowers with a dark 'nose'. Most attractive. 4" Dec-Mar £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75



Cyclamen cilicium

### COUM 'MAURICE DRYDEN'

Stunning coum hybrid with silver leaves and pure white flowers, occasionally blushed palest pink at first. 4" Dec-Mar £5.20 each

### COUM PEWTER GROUP

Young, vigorous plants with almost completely silver leaves and flowers in shades of carmine. 4" Jan-Mar £5.20 each; 3 = £14.35

### COUM DEEPEST PINK

A selected form with fine deep-coloured flowers. Always show after at shows. 4" Dec-Mar £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

### ★ HEDERIFOLIUM ALBUM

The fine white flowered form. A good foil for the pink ones. Picture outside back cover. 4" Aug – Oct £5.00 each

### COUM HEDERIFOLIUM (*neapolitanum*)

The mainstay for autumn-flowering. Finely marked variegated leaves with a mass of pink flowers. Should be planted 1ft apart in a dry situation with dappled or even full shade. Makes huge tubers! 4" Aug-Oct £3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### ★ HEDERIFOLIUM 'RED SKY'

The most fabulous form we have ever seen. Deep, almost blood red flowers. Large tubers. 4" Aug-Oct £7.00 each

### HEDERIFOLIUM 'SILVER CLOUD'

A magnificent form with completely silvered leaves. A wonderful winter foliage plant for dry shade. Pink or white flowers. 4" Aug-Oct £5.00 each





Cyclamen hederifolium 'Red Sky'

**INTAMINATUM**

The tiniest of all with little white flowers and greyish veins with small plain glossy leaves. Best in glasshouse or very dry situation.  
2" Sept-Oct £5.00 each

🏆 **LIBANOTICUM**

One of the most beautiful of the cyclamen with very large blush-pink flowers. Hardy in sheltered situations under trees. Good in pans.  
4" Feb-Mar £5.20 each

🏆 **MIRABILE**

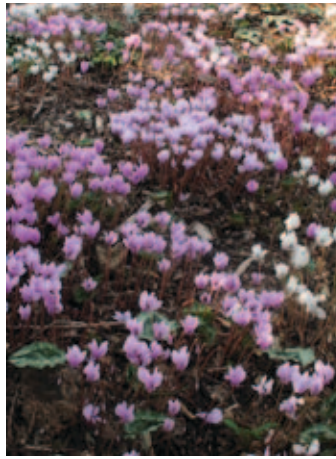
The delicate pink flowers have a 'fringed' top and, unlike many cyclamen, all come in a central cluster. Leaves similar to cilicium but smaller and veined pink when young. Needs a dry sunny position.  
3" Oct-Nov £4.00 each

**PERSICUM**

The delicate parent of all the well-known indoor hybrids. Slender pale rose or white flowers with a deep carmine base. Often scented. Easy in glasshouse.  
6" Feb-Apr £5.00 each

🏆 **PSEUDIBERICUM**

A very beautiful, large, violet-carmine flower. Strongly marbled leaves with red underneath. Hardy in sheltered gardens.  
5" Feb-Mar  
£5.00 each; 3 = £14.00



Cyclamen hederifolium

🏆 **PURPURASCENS (european)**

**S** This native of the Alps is only rarely offered. It grows best in dry shade such as under a viburnum. The strongly scented carmine flowers are produced in succession.  
4" July-Oct  
£7.00 each

🏆 **REPANDUM**

The ivy-leaved cyclamen. Does well here under box hedge seeding out into the grass. Marbled foliage and deep pink flowers. Plant 3" deep in light soil.  
4" Apr-May  
£5.50 each



Cyclamen repandum



Cyclamen purpurascens



Cyclamen libanoticum



Cyclamen persicum



Dierama pendula



Dierama pendula



Dierama Barr Hybrids

## DIERAMA (Angel's Fishing Rod or Wand Flower)

A beautiful genus; normally very tall arching spikes ending in hanging bells. Evergreen and clump forming. Well drained soil in full sun. Beautiful arching over a path.

### BARR HYBRIDS

Over the years *D. pumila* and *D. pulcherrimum* have hybridised here to produce a lovely free flowering intermediate plant. The colour is very variable from palest lilac to salmon-pink and purple. Mixed colours only.

3-4' June-July  
£3.20 each; 3 = £8.90

### IGNEUM

Slender arching wands of unusual pale salmon flowers above neat clumps of leaves. Sells on sight. Dwarf.

30" June-July £5.00 each

### PENDULA

Vigorous young plants. Colours vary from white to pale pink but pot luck only. Flared flowers carried well above the narrow leaves.

4' June-July  
£3.20 each; 3 = £8.95

## DICENTRA (Lamprocapnos) Dutchman's Breeches

North American herbaceous plant with divided leaves and flowers along the ends of the branched stems. Easy to grow in rich light soil on the cooler side of the garden in the south, needing more sun further north. Forms impressive clumps.

### 🏆 SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart)

One of the most elegant border plants. Lovely arching stems with numerous pink and white lockets. 24" May-July £4.00 each

### 🏆 SPECTABILIS ALBA

An outstanding white form of the above. Quite spectacular. 24" May-July £4.60 each



Lamprocapnos spectabilis Valentine



Lamprocapnos spectabilis alba



### SPECTABILIS 'Valentine'

A wonderful new colour break with hanging lockets of deep terracotta red.

24" May-July £5.50 each





Disporopsis pernyi

## DISPOROPSIS

Easy plants for dry shade – like an evergreen Solomon's Seal. Remove tatty stems in early spring ready for a new flush.

### S PERNYI

The shiny, dark green leaves are a good foil for the scented nodding cream flowers. Forms handsome clumps. 16" May  
£3.20 each; 3 = £8.90



Eranthis hyemalis

## ERANTHIS in growth (Winter Aconite)

Please note that towards the end of our packing season they are beginning to die back but this is normal and they will grow just as well. They require a well-drained spot under trees and should be left undisturbed.

### 🏆 HYEMALIS

The common Winter Aconite with deep green hand-shaped leaves and bright yellow flowers. 3" February  
5 = £3.20; 20 = £11.80;  
50 = £28.80



Epipactis gigantea

## EPIPACTIS (Hardy Orchid)

An easily grown clump forming orchid for dampish soils in part shade. Called The Chatterbox Orchid in USA.

### GIGANTEA

Spikes of greenish-purple flowers. Plant just below the soil surface. 12" June-July  
£5.50 each



Epimedium cantabrigensis



Epimedium youngianum niveum

## EPIEDIUM

Any reasonable soil, though preferably cool and shady, suits these semi-evergreen plants. They are perfectly hardy but the starry flowers borne on long wiry stems can be hit by early spring frosts. Cut back previous year's foliage in February, except where mentioned.

### CANTABRIGENSIS

Clouds of medium sized dusky-orange flowers above attractive marbled leaves. 14" Feb-Mar  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.00

### 🏆 x PERRALCHICUM

Clumps of handsome evergreen leaves and sprays of bright yellow flowers. Do not cut back. We grow it in dry shade! 15" April £3.50 each; 3 = £9.00

### VERSICOLOR

### NEOSULOPHUREUM

Pale yellow flowers above attractively bronzed young leaves which turn coppery in the autumn. 12" Feb-Mar  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.00

### 🏆 YOUNGIANUM NIVEUM

Showy ivory-white flowers on very neat plants. Recommended. 10" Apr-May  
£6.00 each



Eucomis autumnalis



Eucomis bicolor



Eucomis comosa

## EUCOMIS (Pineapple flower)

These easy and unusual late summer flowering bulbs are becoming increasingly popular. They are full hardy surviving -20°C. Plant at least 6" deep. The shorter ones are excellent in large pots. I just pop mine into the garage for the winter and re-pot each spring. Feed and water well for best results.

### 🏆 AUTUMNALIS

A dwarf species with apple-green foliage and white flowers. Excellent for shallow pans and front of sunny borders. 12" Aug-Sept 3 = £5.00

### 🏆 BICOLOR

Large compact spikes of pale green, maroon-tipped flowers above broad leaves. Spectacular long lasting seed heads. Will self-seed. 14" Aug-Sept 3 = £5.50



Eucomis Leia

### ★ COMOSA (punctata)

Outward facing flowers in shades of pinkish-green in a very large, bold spike, crowned with a tuft of leaves. Striking. 30" Aug-Sept £3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### ★ 'JOYS PURPLE'

A striking NZ cultivar with slender intense purple- red flower spikes. Shorter than E. comosa. Few. 18" Aug-Sept. £8.00 each

### LEIA

A super new hybrid just like an intense reddish pink E. autumnalis. Excellent in pots. 10" Aug-Sept £8.00 each

### ★ POLE-EVANSII (pallidiflora)

The giant of the genus – a bulb that almost looks you in the eye! Towering 10 inch wide spikes of creamy-green flowers. Unlikely to flower the first year but well worth the wait. Plant deeply. Huge bulbs. 5' Aug-Sept £7.00 each; 3 = £16.90

### ★ VANDERMERWEI

An amazing dwarf Eucomis with intensely speckled, prostrate leaves and deep rusty red flowers. Fantastic in pots. 7" Aug/Sept £6.00 each; 3 = £16.90



Eucomis pole-evansii



Eucomis vandermerwei



# GALANTHUS (Snowdrops) in growth

We pride ourselves on our collection of Snowdrops. It is well known to be another plant which resents being dried out and, therefore, prefers to be moved in growth in the spring. Plant the bulbs, preferably in small clumps, 3" to 4" deep and 3" apart under ornamental trees and shrubs. In light or sandy soil it is advisable to dig in some good loam; in a very heavy soil dig in a little compost or leaf mould and sand. Avoid manure at all costs!

Stocks of special snowdrops are small and quickly sell out so please order early. We will also publish a list of rarer hybrids on our website in February or you can send us a stamped addressed envelope for the list.

## ALLENII

Wide green leaves and single marked flowers. Distinct but slow growing. 5" Feb-Mar £8.00 each



## ATKINSII

One of the finest snowdrops, with tall, stately flowers. Exceptionally vigorous, increasing well. 8" Jan-Feb 3 = £6.00; 10 = £18.00

## S BRENDA TROYLE

A very attractive fragrant snowdrop. Large outer segments rounded and blunt, inner ones heart-shaped and deeply marked. 8" February £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

## ★ COLOSSUS

This really lives up to its name. A superb early flowering bulb with plicate leaves and large flowers. Often out for Christmas. 9" Dec-Jan £10.00 each

## DESDEMONA

The largest of all the Greatorex doubles with well shaped flowers. Increases well. 8" February £7.00 each; 3 = £18.00



## ELWESII (Turkish Snowdrop)

Large grey leaves and typical double-marked large flowers. 7" Jan-Feb 3 = £5.00; 10 = £15.30



Galanthus Atkinsii

## FOSTERI

A charming species with bright green leaves and twin marks at the base of the inner petals. We keep it under glass as it seems to prefer a drier summer than most. 4" February £6.00 each; 3 = £16.90

## GALATEA

A handsome snowdrop. The very large flowers are held at an angle on the long, kinked pedicel, similar in habit to Magnet. Early and increases well. 8" February £7.00 each

## GRACILIS (graecus)

A delicate and distinct species from the eastern Mediterranean. Slender flowers with two marks and narrow, twisted leaves. Grows well on our rock garden. 4" February £7.00 each

## GREEN BRUSH

A sturdy snowdrop with waxy petals - the outer ones having a bold green mark. It is the best of the green marked G.elwesii. 7" February £12.50 each



Galanthus elwesii

## HILL POE

One of the most distinct doubles originally found in Ireland. The large "fat" flowers usually have 4 rather than 3 outer petals. 7" February £9.00 each

## ★ HIPPOLYTA

To my mind the most handsome of all the large doubles with beautifully formed well rounded flowers. 9" February £7.00 each; 3 = £18.00



Galanthus Green Brush



Galanthus Hippolyta



Galanthus Ketton

## GALANTHUS continued...

### JAQUENETTA

A bold Greatorex hybrid, having tight double flowers, often with a green outer mark and giving an overall impression of greenness. 8" Feb £7.00 each; 3 = £18.00

### KETTON

A superb hybrid with large well-rounded flowers with beautiful inner markings like a watercolour brush stroke. Late flowering. 6" Feb £7.00 each; 3 = £18.00

### LADY B STANLEY

An unusual double with broad grey leaves. The flowers have 2 tiny green marks at the base clearly visible between long but relatively narrow outer segments. Early flowering. 5" February £6.00 each; 3 = £16.90



Galanthus Lady B Stanley



Galanthus Mighty Atom

### LAGODECHIANUS

This attractive Caucasian snowdrop is one of the last to flower. It has green leaves and delicate single marked flowers. Slow but well worth the wait. 6" Feb-March £7.00 each

### MAIDWELL 'L'

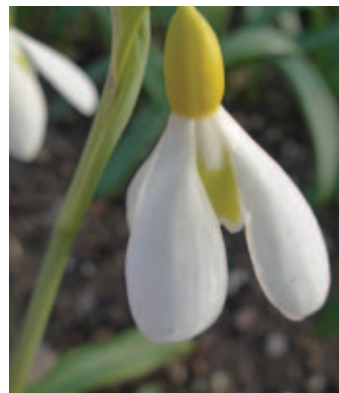
A highly desirable *G. elwesii* type. The inner segments of the very large flowers are completely green. Early. 9" Dec-Jan £12.00 each

### 🏆 MAGNET

The large flowers are held away from the stems on exceptionally long pedicels. They open wide & seem to dance in the slightest wind. I call it the 'ballerina snowdrop'. 7" February £6.00 each; 3 = £16.90



Galanthus Maidwell 'L'



Galanthus Wendy's Gold

### MIGHTY ATOM (Bill Bishop)

One of the largest of all. The huge flowers are well rounded. We had it as Mighty Atom but it might be Bill Bishop! 7" February £12.50 each

### 🏆 NIVALIS

#### The common Snowdrop

Found over a wide area of Europe. Excellent for naturalising. 4 1/2" February 10 = £3.50; 50 = £16.00; 100 = £30.00



### NIVALIS FLORE PLENO

The double form of nivalis. Not found so often but makes a lovely display. 4 1/2" February 10 = £4.50; 25 = £10.40; 50 = £19.80



### PLICATUS

A late flowering species with distinctive folded leaves. Seeds freely here under our large chestnut tree. 6" February £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### PUSEY GREEN TIPS

A neat wild double originally found on the banks of the Thames with green markings on the outer petals. 5" February £5.50 each

### REGINAE OLGAE

An autumn flowering species from Greece which produces its strongly scented flowers before the leaves appear. The latter are green with a prominent silver midrib. Well drained, sunny position. 5" Oct-Nov £9.00 each





Galanthus reginae-olgae vernalis

**REGINAE-OLGAE VERNALIS**

Originally from that great galanthophile Richard Nutt this very tall and distinct snowdrop produces its large flowers at the very beginning of January or even December.

9" Dec-Jan £10.00 each



**S. ARNOTT**

One of the best and boldest of the snowdrops, with rounded bell-shaped scented flowers.

8" February

£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

**STRAFFAN**

Very vigorous and sturdy with large flowers on short stems. Produces 2 flowers per bulb, making very floriferous clumps. One of the last to flower. 6" Feb-Mar

£6.00 each; 3 = £16.90

**VIRIDAPICE**

A strong handsome plant. The tips of the outside petals are marked with green. Sturdy with bold spathes.

9" February

£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75



Galanthus S. Arnott



Galanthus reginae olgae

**WARHAM**

A superb form of plicatus with larger deep apple-green leaves and silver central stripe. Introduced from the Crimea in 1855.

8" February

£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

**WENDY'S GOLD**

A handsome yellow marked plicatus which is very distinct. We find it more vigorous than most yellows.

Few.

7" February

£18.00 each



**WORONOWII**

(ikariae latifolius)

A very effective variety, being dwarf-growing with recurved green leaves. Increases freely in dry soil in semi-shade.

Late flowering.

5" Feb-Mar

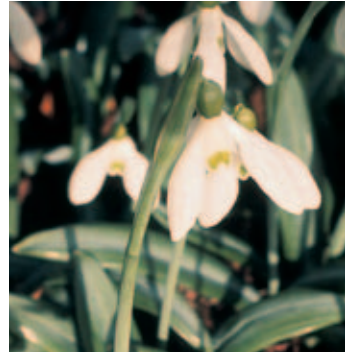
3 = £5.00; 10 = £15.30



Galanthus woronowii



Galanthus viridapice



Galanthus Warham



Galanthus nivalis

**COLLECTION OF SNOWDROPS**

**Collection No. 2**

Easy varieties suitable for grass or under trees.

- 10 nivalis (single)
- 10 nivalis flore pleno (double)
- 3 Atkinsii

**23 bulbs**

**£12.60 (saving £1.40)**



Gladiolus callianthus



Gladiolus Ruby



Gladiolus Plum Tart

## GLADIOLUS - dwarf

Although the large flowered hybrids can be difficult to integrate into the garden these smaller species and cultivars are easier. Most are reasonably hardy in well drained soils. In cold districts it is best to lift them for the winter or give them a much of leaves. All like full sun and a good fertile soil.

### 🏆 CALLIANTHUS

#### **S** (acidanthera murielae)

Spikes of strongly scented, spectacular white flowers with a crimson blotch, on wiry stems. The correct name for an old favourite. Excellent for late colour as well as scent. Good in pots or borders. Large bulbs.

36" Sept-Nov

10 = £4.00; 30 = £11.05

### 🏆 'THE BRIDE'

Lovely white flowers with a green marking. Very popular for flower arranging. *Picture on outside back cover.*

18" June-Aug

10 = £4.50; 25 = £10.40

### FLANNIGANII

Known as the suicide gladiolus this dramatic deep red gladiolus grows perched precariously on cliffs. It seems to be fully hardy in well-drained soil in full sun. These corms came from Scotland! 12" July

£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75



Gladiolus flanniganii



Gladiolus Prince Claus

### 'RUBY'

This fabulous new hardy gladiolus has the depth of colour of a modern gladiolus combined with the stoloniferous habit of its species parent. Deep ruby red. 36" July-Sept

£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

### 'PLUM TART'

We first saw this at Hyde Hall where it has survived 3 winters and is dramatically mixed with Gaura lindheimeri. I grow them among my asters. 30" August

10 = £3.50; 25 = £8.15

### 'PRINCE CLAUS'

Pure white petals with red blotches on the lower three. A G. nanus hybrid.

24" July 10 = £4.50; 25 = £10.40

### PRIMULINUS 'ATOM'

The striking coral-red flowers are completely outlined in white. Lift in winter in cold areas. *Picture on inside front cover.* 36" Aug-Sept

10 = £4.00; 25 = £9.15

## HEPATICA

These little plants are closely related to Anemones and grow exceptionally well under deciduous trees or shrubs, especially if lime is present.

### ACUTILOBA

A delightful plant, especially good for ground cover. Pale blue to white star-like flowers.

4" April £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### 🏆 NOBILIS

The vigorous European hepatica, with flowers varying in colour from white to blue and cerise. Mixed colours only. Slow.

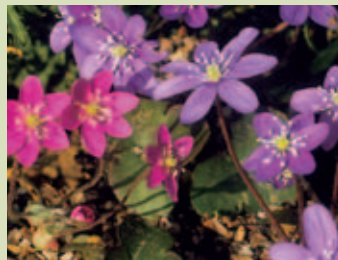
4" March £5.00 each

### 🏆 TRANSSILVANICA (Buis strain)

A free-flowering strain with relatively large bright blue flowers. Almost evergreen hairy leaves.

One of the best.

6" April £6.00 each



Hepatica nobilis





Helleborus lividus

## HELLEBORUS (Winter Hellebore)

These increasingly popular plants will grow in any ordinary garden soil, but prefer a moist, well-drained rich loam in partial shade, where they are lime tolerant. They appreciate a top dressing of well rotted compost after flowering and resent disturbance.



Helleborus thibetanus



Helleborus niger

### 🏵️ LIVIDUS

The beautiful evergreen leaves are washed with grey markings which provide a fine foil for the delicate pink flowers. Best in sunny, well-drained soil. 12" March  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### 🏵️ NIGER (Christmas Rose)

This lovely plant has dark evergreen leathery toothed leaves and beautiful flowers, normally pure white though occasionally tinged with pink. A particularly free flowering clone. 6" Jan-Feb  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### ★ THIBETANUS

A fabulous Chinese hellebore with true soft pink flowers. It is deciduous and seems to do best on a bank or at the base of a tree where it can be left undisturbed. 12" March  
£10.00 each

## ORIENTALIS (x hybridus)

(Lenten Rose). Given the complex genetic history of these plants, they have now been given their own name. Large shiny mid-green palmate leaves with serrated edges. Nodding bowl-shaped flowers in shades of pink, white and purple, often speckled. Easy free flowering plants for part shade. 10" Feb-Apr.

### ★ ABSCHASICUS Early purple form.

Long known as 'Atrorubens' this Caucasian species is deciduous and in flower at Christmas. 12" Dec-Mar £10.00

### ORIENTALIS 'BETTY RANICAR'

A superb new hybrid with fully double white flowers. Vigorous and early flowering, often starting in the autumn. 14" Nov-Mar £13.00 each

### ORIENTALIS 'RED'

Selected form with dark flowers. £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### MIXED COLOURS

From our own plants – all shades of pink, white and purple. 3 = £11.50



Helleborus abschasicus



## GALTONIA (Summer Hyacinth)

Excellent mid-late summer flowering bulbs from South Africa, requiring a well drained soil in full sun. Superb mixed with feathery flowers such as Gypsophylla, mixed with Agapanthus or in the wild plantings in the Olympic Park.

### 🏵️ CANDICANS

Widely spaced, sweetly scented large white bells on a tallish stem. 3-4' July-Sept  
5 = £5.00; 15 = £13.75





Hemerocallis Anzac



Hemerocallis Black Magic



Hemerocallis Destined to See



Hemerocallis Frans Hals

## HEMEROCALLIS (Day Lilies)

The backbone of any sunny border, these are totally hardy and extremely adaptable, producing a succession of flowers over a long period. The ones listed below are the shorter forms. **Please see Online Store for more varieties.**

### ★ ANZAC

We think this is the right name for this bold day lily. Bright red flowers with a dramatic yellow central stipe.  
3' Summer  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### ARCTIC SNOW

Huge flowers of the palest cream with a green eye. Popular here.  
24" Summer  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### BLACK MAGIC

Striking deep mahogany flowers with a yellow throat.  
24" June-Aug  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### ★ DESTINED TO SEE

The large cream flowers have a lavender picotee edge and bold central stripe.  
24" Summer  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### FRANS HALS

A dramatic hybrid. The flowers have alternating brick red and pale salmon petals. Long flowering period.  
24" Summer  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Hemerocallis lilio-ashodelus



Hemerocallis Arctic Snow

### GENTLE SHEPHERD

Large ivory-white flowers with a green centre. One of the best US hybrids. Delicious with golden hostas. 24" Summer  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### S LILIO ASPHODELUS (flava)

Masses of clear yellow, strongly scented flowers above narrow leaves. A lovely sight when in full flower. Early. 24" June-July  
£3.00 each; 3 = £7.00

### MOROCCO RED

Deep, dusky red flowers with a conspicuous yellow throat.  
24" July-Aug  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### RASPBERRY CANDY

Cream flowers with a striking purple band around the centre of the petals.  
24" June-July  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70



Hemerocallis Gentle Shepherd





Hemerocallis Victoria Aden

**STELLA D'ORO**

A really outstanding Day Lily from the USA with an almost unbroken display of well-formed ruffled gold flowers.

16" June-Sept  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

**VARIEGATED KWANSO**

Striking golden variegated leaves with unusual double orange flowers. Taller than most but very good for the middle of a sunny border.

3' June-July  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

★  **WHICHFORD**

**S** One of my favourites – the scent can fill a warm evening garden. Clear lemon flowers  
24" June – Aug  
£5.00 each



Hemerocallis Raspberry Candy



**COLLECTION OF DAY LILIES**

**Collection No. 6**


Easy and rewarding plants for summer colour. One each of five varieties of our choice. **£12.00**



Hemerocallis whichford



Hemerocallis Variegated Kwanso leaves



**Enie Allegro**

**Collection No. 9**

One each of the four varieties described below. All make neat, compact plants with a long succession of large flowers. Ideal for the front of the border. **£10.00**

**Dwarf American Day Lilies**

*Tiny varieties for the front of a sunny border producing flowers all summer.*

**EENIE ALLEGRO**

A neat plant with eye-catching orange flowers, flushed and flecked with ruby-red.  
16" June-Aug  
£3.00 each; 3 = £7.00

**EENIE WEENIE**

One of the tiniest. The large yellow flowers almost swamp the plant.  
8" June-Aug  
£3.00 each; 3 = £7.00

**MINI STELLA**

An even more compact form of Stella d'Oro with a continual display of similar frilled golden flowers.  
12" June-Sept  
£3.00 each; 3 = £7.00

**SONG SPARROW**

A neat plant; eye-catching orange flowers with a ruby-red flash.  
24" June-Aug  
£3.00 each; 3 = £7.00



Iris Baby Blessed



Iris Flumadiddle



Iris Stapleford

## IRIS (DWARF BEARDED IRIS) *All flower Apr-May.*

Those listed below are vigorous varieties which blossom early. Their crisp colours and fragrant blooms make a wonderful show in the spring garden. They should be planted in small groups in the rock garden, on dry stone walls or in sunny spots with ample drainage, 6" apart with their rhizomes just above the soil. This is just a selection from our extensive collection. **Please see our Online Store for our full list.**

**All £3.50 each; 3 = £8.00**

### ANN ELIZABETH

Large flowers with blue purple standards flecked with white. White falls edged with blue purple. Produces a mass of flowers. Height 6"

### BABY BLESSED

Soft lemon-yellow flowers of much substance. Very showy with its orange tipped beard. Height 10"

### CHERRY GARDENS

Deep maroon flowers with a purple beard. Vigorous. Height 6"

### DOUBLE LAMENT

A tiny iris smothered in intense red-purple flowers. Picture inside cover. Height 4"

### FLUMADIDDLE

Beautiful frilled flowers with soft apricot falls and ivory-white standards. Height 8"



Iris Ann Elizabeth

### S FOREST LIGHT

Creamy-white, large flowers with pale lemon-yellow veins on standards and falls. Most unusual. Scented. Height 12"

### ★ LITTLE ROSY WINGS

A lovely shade of dusky rose with deep magenta falls. Height 6"

### OCHRE DOLL.

The large flowers are a glorious mix of bronzed yellow falls with a striking blue beard. The creamy standards have a greenish cast. Height 7"

### ★ PEACH EYES

This delightful iris lives up to its name with an overall impression of soft pink with hints of lavender and ochre. Very floriferous. Height:6"

### REGARDS

Rich velvety-purple falls and paler tissue-paper standards. One of best. Picture back cover. Height 8"



Iris Cherry Gardens



Iris Forest Light



Iris Little Rosy Wings

### ★ SMALL SKY

A lovely sky blue throughout. Height 12"

### STAPLEFORD

Pure white with a striking blue eye. Height 7"



### SUNDOLL

A very pretty iris with well shaped flowers that almost swamp the plant. Pale yellow standards and deeper falls with dark veins. Scented. Height 7"



Iris Ochre Doll





Iris Sundoll



Iris Langport Wren



**LANGPORT WREN**

An intermediate iris. Deep black-red with a brown beard perfect with Tulip Queen of Night.  
Height 20"

£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Iris Surprise

**SURPRISE**

A showy intermediate iris with large heads of ruffled flowers. Lemon standards and white falls.  
Height 14"

£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Iris biliotyti



Iris pallida variegata



Iris New Idea

**MINIATURE TALL BEARDED**

These 2 iris really are something different. They are both miniature tall bearded Iris with perfectly formed small flowers scattered up the stem.

**NEW IDEA**

Very floriferous and vigorous. A gentle mix of purple shades.  
14" April-May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

**NIBELUNGEN**

Quite stunning. Yellow with a white veined purple fall. Like a miniature I.variegata. 14" April-May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

**OTHER BEARDED IRIS**

**BILIOTTII**

One of the graveyard iris of eastern Turkey. Delicate blue purple flowers. Rare.  
30" May £5.00 each

**IRIS PALLIDA**

This is one of the ancestors of all our spectacular modern bearded iris but sometimes the simplest flowers are still the best. Beautiful, pure sky blue flowers above glaucous foliage. Stunning in the herb garden at Hatfield House.  
3' April £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



**PALLIDA VARIEGATA**

A bearded iris for a sunny spot. Fans of bold variegated leaves and pale blue flowers.  
24" May £5.00 each



Iris pallida



Iris Nibelungen



Iris forrestii



Iris graminea



Iris pseudacorus 'Berlin Tiger'

## IRIS SPECIES

### 🏆 CHRYSOGRAPHES BLACK

Narrow fans of leaves and purple flowers so dark they can appear almost black. Best in soil that is not too dry. 24" June £5.50 each

### 🏆 ENSATA (Japanese water iris)

The huge blue, purple and white flowers have the most amazing patterns and swirls on them. They do not need to be in water although they can be inundated in the winter. We grow them in ordinary garden soil. 18" June £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### 🏆 FLORENTINA (Orris Root)

This was grown near Florence for the perfume industry. Very pale blue flowers with darker veining. 36" May £5.00 each

### ★ FORRESTII

A delicate Chinese species with slender pale yellow flowers with purple veins on the falls. Leave it alone to form impressive clumps. 18" June £5.00 each

### 🏆 GRAMINEA

**S** The wonderful plum (or is it a greengage?) scent of this iris makes up for the small size of its rich plum coloured flowers. 9" May-June 3 = £6.00

### 🏆 PSEUDACORUS

**'Berlin Tiger'**  
An excellent form of our flag iris with rich yellow flowers that have a deep brown mark and veins on the falls. 36" June £3.50 each; 3 = £9.00

### ★ SIB. 'ROANOKES CHOICE'

An excellent and rarely offered US variety with large open flowers of soft pink. Late flowering and vigorous. 30" June-July £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### 🏆 SIBIRICA 'SILVER EDGE'

The large blue flowers have a distinctive silver rim. Striking in my dry stream garden here. 30" June £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

### SIBIRICA 'SPARKLING ROSÉ'

Large rich pink flowers. A good foil for the blues. Picture on outside back cover. 30" June £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Iris chrysographes Black



Iris ensata





Iris sibirica 'Roanokes Choice'

★ **SIBIRICA WHITE DWARF**

Sadly I have lost the name for this delightful dwarf sibirica which I have grown for decades. It is smothered with pure white flowers  
8" June £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

🏆 **SIBIRICA 'WHITE SWIRL'**

Always popular in the garden these are easy plants for the border or edge of a pond. Pure white flowers produced in profusion.  
30" June £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

**SPURIA**

These dramatic iris are the tallest of the family; flowering in early summer. The large, colourful flowers are produced in "layers". They like a moist soil in full sun. Mixed colours only.  
3' June £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75



Iris Sparkling Rose



Iris sibirica 'White Swirl'

🏆 **UNGUICULARIS LAZICA**

Broad glossy leaves and dark purple flowers with white markings. Prefers shade! One of the Unguiculains group from N Turkey.  
12" March  
£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

🏆 **UNGUICULARIS (stylosa)**

Winter Iris. Fragrant bright lilac flowers with darker markings all winter. It appreciates a warm sun-baked corner and will stand very poor soil.  
12" Nov-Mar  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



Iris unguicularis



Iris sibirica Silver Edge



Iris Spuria



Iris unguicularis lazica



Kniphofia rooperi

## KNIPHOFIA (Red Hot Poker)

*These have long been a favourite of mine for their extended period of flowering. They are an excellent foil for crocosmias (q.v.). Plant in full sun in a soil that is not waterlogged in winter.*

### 🏆 ROOPERI

The last to flower with huge, fat heads of deep orange. Protect from excessive winter wet. Huge plants!  
3' Sept-Oct £8.00 each

### 🌟 LIGHT OF THE WORLD (triangularis)

An excellent form of K. triangularis producing a succession of slender glowing orange flowers above clumps of narrow leaves.  
30" Aug-Sept  
£5.00 each



Nerine bowdenii

## LIRIOPE

*These evergreen plants, with the bonus of late flowers, are excellent value in either sunny or shady places, in well-drained soil.*

### 🏆 MUSCARI

Clumps of dark shining leaves with dense spikes of bright blue flowers in the autumn. Evergreen.  
12" Sept-Oct  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### ★ OKINA

A very dramatic form with wider leaves, the central cluster of which is pure white. Blue Flowers.  
8" Sept £5.20 each

## LEUCOJUM (Snowflake) & ACIS

*These plants behave very like snowdrops and resent an interruption to their growth. However, we list the taller varieties in our Autumn catalogue as their luxuriant foliage in late spring makes successful packing impractical. They have now been divided into two separate species – Acis and Leucojum.*

### 🏆 AUTUMNALE (Acis autumnalis)

Has two or three bell-shaped flowers of white tinged with pink. Best planted in a sunny position, such as a rock garden, or at the base of a tree.  
6" Aug-Sept  
3 = £4.50; 10 = £13.75



Leucojum autumnale

### 🏆 VERNUM

Large white, bell-shaped flowers with green tips. Best in moist soils.  
10" Feb-March  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Leucojum vernum



Liriope muscari





Nerine bowdenii Alba



Nerine bowdenii 'Isabel'



Nerine 'Hera'

## NERINE (Autumn Lily)

One of the joys of autumn is the sight of an established clump of nerines in full flower. The bowdenii forms are the hardiest preferring a sunny spot. They are perfect at the base of a wall where they should be allowed to form large congested clumps. Only divide them when the bulbs push themselves right out of the ground and they stop flowering. The other varieties are hardy in frost free areas but make easy pot plants.

### 🏆 BOWDENII

The bulbs produce a flower stem with one rather loose umbel of up to eight pink flowers. Plant against a sunny wall and leave to clump. 24" Sept-Oct  
3 = £4.00; 10 = £12.50

### BOWDENII ALBA

Large heads of glistening white flowers. Probably needs a little more protection than the type.  
24" Oct £3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### BOWDENII 'ISABEL'

Bright cerise pink flowers dusted with silver. Similar in colour to Zeal Giant but smaller. Excellent.  
24" Sept-Oct 3 = £6.00

### BOWDENII 'MARNIE ROGERSON'

Free flowering with shell pink flowers. One of the best here.  
24" Sept-Oct 3 = £7.00

### ★ ELEGANCE

A magnificent new hybrid with huge, deep salmon pink flowers on stiff stems. Hardy in a sheltered position but fabulous cut flower.  
30" October  
£5.00 each

### ★ FEXUOSA ALBA

Although only hardy in the most sheltered gardens it makes an attractive and easy pot plant for cold glass. Tight heads of pure white, crimped flowers above neat apple green leaves. 18" October  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### 'HERA'

Amazingly floriferous with compact rich pink flowers. Only for sheltered areas but makes a fabulous pot plant for cold glass. Late flowering Dwarf.  
18" November  
3 = £6.00



Nerine Elegance

### 'MANSELLII'

Dramatic salmon/cerise flowers for sheltered districts or makes a dramatic pot. Late.  
24" Oct/Nov £5.00 each

### 🏆 SARNIENSIS (Guernsey Lily)

Although not hardy, this stunning Nerine is ideal for the greenhouse or conservatory. Jewel-like colours of scarlet and intense cerise.  
14" Oct £5.00 each

### ★ UNDULATA (crispa)

Only hardy in sheltered gardens but easy pot plant for cold glass. Delicate pink flowers with wavy edges. 14" Oct-Nov  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Nerine bowdenii 'Marnie Rogerson'



Nerine sarniensis



Nerine flexuosa Alba



Lilium African Queen



Lilium Casa Blanca



Lilium Friso

## LILIUM (Lily)

Lilies require a fertile well-drained soil with an uninterrupted supply of moisture while they are growing. They should be planted 6"-8" deep. In heavy soils, sand must be added below the bulb to prevent waterlogging. Most make excellent subjects for pots. We recommend soaking the bulb for one hour in plain water before planting. When grown in pots all must be regularly watered and will benefit from a liquid feed when in growth.

### S AFRICAN QUEEN

Stunning apricot trumpet flowers with deeper backs to the petals.

4' June-July

3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80

### S FRISO

Another of the excellent new hybrids. Clusters of waxy white outward facing trumpet flowers with a heavy maroon mark in the centre. Vigorous.

3-5' July-Aug

3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80

### 🏆 CASA BLANCA

● Huge white outward-facing flowers with a hint of green in the centre. Excellent in pots and quite magnificent.

3' August

3 = £4.50; 10 = £13.75

### CRIMSON PIXIE

An excellent dwarf lily with large bright red cupped flowers. One of the best for pots. Prolific and long-lived. 14" July

3 = £4.00; 10 = £12.50

### HENRYI

An easy late flowering lily with tall spikes of clear orange turk's cap flowers. Good border plant.

4-5' August

3 = £6.00

### 🏆 LANCIFOLIUM (tigrinum splendens – Tiger Lily)

Vast Turk's Cap flowers with slender pointed petals – orange spotted with black. Good for planting in grass or among deciduous shrubs.

3'-4' Aug-Sept

3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80

### LEICHTLINII

Stunning lily for part shade. Huge, brilliant yellow turk's cap flowers spotted with black. Excellent among shrubs.

4-5' July

3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80



Lilium Crimson Pixie



Lilium henryi



Lilium lancifolium





Lilium martagon

**MARTAGON (Turk's Cap Lily)**

A magnificent and easy lily for any soil in full sun or light shade. The stems with their whorls of leaves are topped by up to thirty purple Turk's Cap flowers, which are heavily spotted. Suitable for naturalising in grass.

3'-4' June  
£6.00 each

**MARTAGON ALBUM**

Similar to the above but bearing creamy-white unspotted flowers. When happy it will seed around. *Picture inside front cover.*  
3'-4' June £7.00 each

**MARTAGON RED**

Small turk's cap flowers of the darkest red. Very dramatic. *Picture inside front cover.*  
3' June £7.50 each



Lilium leichtlinii



Lilium Netty's Pride

**NEPALENSE**

Up to five huge recurved trumpets of greeny-cream, each with a deep maroon centre. Needs a moist acid soil. Stoliferous.  
3' July £3.50 each; 3 = £9.00

**NETTY'S PRIDE**

Add drama to your pots or borders with one of the new breed of lilies which have the most amazing black-maroon centers to the white flowers. Sells on sight.  
30" July 3 = £4.50; 10 = £13.75



Lilium Night Flyer



Lilium nepalense

**NIGHT FLYER**

An amazing new Tiger Lily hybrid with very dark violet red turk's cap flowers. Dramatic. 4' July  
3 = £5.50

**PINK PERFECTION**

A fine trumpet lily with orchid-purple flowers well spaced all round the stem. 5' July  
3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80



Lilium regale - please see next page



Lilium martagon album



Lilium Pink Perfection



Lilium regale



Lilium Star Gazer



Lilium Sweet Surrender

## LILIAM (Lily) continued...

### REGALE

**S** Probably the most famous of all lilies. Easy to grow, glistening white trumpets shaded yellow at the throat. Lime tolerant. 4' June-July  
3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80

### **S** ● STAR GAZER

Huge outward-facing white flowers heavily suffused with deep pink. Specially bred for pot culture but a useful all-rounder.  
14" July-Aug  
3 = £4.00; 10 = £12.50

### **SWEET SURRENDER**

Lovely large reflexed flowers of rich clotted cream with a light sprinkling of dark dots. Good among shrubs but of a medium height so can be grown in pots.  
24" July  
3 = £5.50; 10 = £16.80



## COLLECTION OF LILIES FOR POTS

### Collection No. 8

Some of the best varieties for pots on the patio etc. and for plunging in the border.

3 bulbs of each of 4 varieties (named: our choice) **£16.50**



Paris polyphylla

## PARIS

Unusual rhizomatous plants for moist soil in shade. Like all rhizomatous plants they resent disturbance and will take some time to settle after transplanting.

### POLYPHYLLA

Whorls of green leaves with a strange green flower above, with leaf like sepals and yellow thread-like petals. Red fruits if you are lucky. Clump forming. Highly desirable and scarce.  
14" April-May  
£4.80 each; 3 = £13.75





Podophyllum hexandrum

## PODOPHYLLUM

Unusual plants for a cool shady position. Their handsome, long-lasting leaves open like an umbrella.

### HEXANDRUM (Sinopodophyllum hexandrum)

Pale pink flowers above attractively marbled leaves, followed by large deep red pendant fruits.

24" April-May  
£7.00 each

### PELTATUM

Clumps of handsome palmate leaves and single white flowers, followed by large pink fruits.

Rhizomatous and easy.  
12" May-June  
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



Polygonatum verticillatum



Polygonatum odoratum

## POLYGONATUM (Solomon's seal)

The common name derives from the curious seal-like markings which the shoots leave on the rhizomes when they die back in the autumn. They should be grown in a shady place that is rich in leaf mould.

### 'GRACE BARKER'

A compact variety with well variegated leaves. Good to lighten a dark corner.

18" May 3 = £6.00



Polygonatum Grace Barker

### VERTICILLATUM

A rare native Solomon's Seal with whorls of narrow leaves on upright stems. Small white hanging bells followed by red berries. Very distinct and easy plant for shade.

3' June 3 = £6.00



### ODORATUM

A neat growing Solomon's seal with angled stems and cream flowers. Makes large clumps in light shade.

20" May 3 = £6.00

## PTEROSTYLIS

We have long grown this easy and curious Australasian orchid in our cold glasshouse where they produce their hooded flowers in February just when there is nothing else around. Not quite hardy but will stand a small amount of frost.

### ★ CURTA

The small basal rosette of round leaves gives rise to hooded green flowers. Clump forming.

6" Feb  
£5.00 each



## NERINES - see page 27



Primula veris (Cowslip)

## PRIMULA

These well-known plants grow best in soil that does not dry out and like shade at least in the middle of the day. Most should be divided regularly. Large plants.



Primula vulgaris Taigetos

## VERIS (Cowslip)

An old favourite but still good for naturalising especially on limey soils. 9" April-May £3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

## VULGARIS (Common Primrose)

Needs no introduction this is an essential for the early spring garden in sun or light shade. 4" Jan-April £3.00 each; 3 = 8.35

## VULGARIS 'TAIGETOS'

Our dramatic introduction that was first collected in Greece many years ago and has proved itself a magnificent garden plant. The pure white flowers completely swamp the plants. Early flowering, usually well before Christmas. Sterile. 5" Dec-Mar £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00



## PAEONIA

Easy, long lived plants but slow to grow. The single flowered species peonies have a special charm.

### CAMBESSEDESSII

This dwarf peony always sell on sight. Soft pink flowers above distinctive leaves. It is one of the first to flower and does best in a sheltered position. Flowering size plants. 18" April £12.00 each

### ★ TENUIFOLIA

The most distinct of all the species peonies. It makes a mound of fantastically dissected leaves – up to 50 segments in a mature plant, topped by bright red single flowers. Good drainage essential. 16" June £6.00 each - young plants



Pulsatilla 'Barton's Pink'

## PULSATILLA

These easy plants have fern-like leaves and single bowl-shaped flowers on fairly tall stems, followed by distinctive fluffy seedheads. They like full sun and a well drained soil, preferably limey. Young plants move best.

### ★ ALBANA

A tiny gem for trough or rock garden. Small dark purple flowers and finely divided leaves. 5" April £3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### ★ 'BARTON'S PINK'

A robust plant with shell pink flowers. 8" April £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Pulsatilla 'Eva Constance'



Pulsatilla caucasica Yellow Form

### ★ CAUCASICA YELLOW FORM

A tiny species with nodding soft yellow flowers above typical ferny foliage. 6" April £4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### 'EVA CONSTANCE'

Probably the best hybrid so far. The compact plant produces masses of rich brick-red flowers. Dwarfier and later than most. 6" Late April £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

## VULGARIS ALBA

A rare and sought-after form. Large white flowers with hairy grey backs. 8" April £4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Pulsatilla vulgaris alba





Roscoea humeana



Roscoea cautleyoides

## ROSCOEA

Easy, trouble free plants for light shade producing their orchid like flowers all summer. The tubers should be planted deeply and mulched in winter in cold districts. Leave undisturbed to make large clumps.

### BEESIANA

An easy species with a long flowering period. Succession of large yellow flowers with purple flashes.

12" July-Aug

£3.60 each; 3 = £10.00

### CAUTLEYOIDES

Narrow upright foliage and large hooded soft yellow flowers.

14" June

£4.00 each; 3=£11.00



Roscoea beesiana



Roscoea Wisley Amethyst



Sanguinaria canadensis plena

## SANGUINARIA (Blood Root)

These rhizomatous plants like a well-drained, peaty soil and a cool or shady position. Apply an annual mulch of chippings to reduce slug damage.

### CANADENSIS

Single, wide, snow-white flowers reminiscent of poppies, followed by most unusual scalloped grey-green leaves. 6" April

3 = £6.00

### CAUDENSIS PLENA

The much sought-after double. Like a miniature glistening white rose. Few. 6" April  
£7.50 each



Sanguinaria canadensis



Schizostylis Pink Princess



Schizostylis coccinea alba

## SCHIZOSTYLIS (Kaffir Lily) (Hesperantha)

An excellent plant with a slightly bulbous rhizome for autumn flowering when there is little else in the garden. It grows well in sun or shade but must have a damp root run in early summer. It is happy in any soil but must be divided every three years in spring otherwise the flowers will cease to appear. Cover with leaves or bracken in winter in cold districts.

### COCCINEA ALBA

Sprays of small, pure white flowers. Later flowering than most.  
24" Sept-Oct  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### PINK PRINCESS (Wilfred Bryant)

A sport of S. Jennifer, it has huge flowers of the palest pink. As well as a stunning garden plant it is an excellent cut flower, lasting well in water.  
30" Aug-Oct  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70



Schizostylis Zeal Salmon



Schizostylis Sunrise

## SISYRINCHIUM

Easy in full sun, these all make good tufts of narrow Iris-like leaves.

### CALIFORNIAN SKIES

Quite the best blue to date. The neat, dwarf plants are completely covered in masses of bright blue flowers all summer.

4" Jun-Sept  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



### DOUGLASII

#### (Olsynium douglasii)

Clumps of narrow leaves give rise to very large, nodding purple-red flowers. Summer dormant.

Needs a cool, humus-rich soil. A handsome and showy plant.

10" Feb-March  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Sisyrinchium douglasii



### SUNRISE

A very fine plant with large dark pink flowers. Increases well.  
30" Aug-Oct  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### ZEAL SALMON

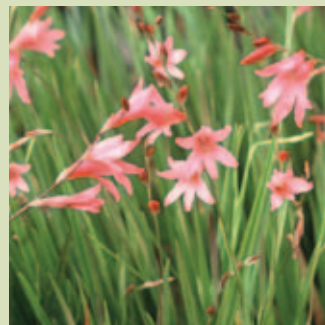
A superb Devon hybrid with large deep salmon flowers that stand up well to bad weather.  
30" Aug-Oct  
£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

## TRITONIA

Long confused with crocosmia these like a drier sunny position. Late summer flowering. Good with grasses.

### DISTICA RUBROLUCENS

Masses of delicate salmon-pink flowers on branched, wiry stems.  
36" Aug-Sept  
3 = £6.00







Smilacina racemosa

## SMILACINA (Maianthemum)

Closely related to Solomon's Seal, these perennial herbaceous plants grow best in a good moist loam in part shade. Clump forming.

### 🏆 RACEMOSA

**S** Stems of dark apple-green leaves topped by a wonderfully scented creamy-white plume.  
24" May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

## THALICTRUM

Easy plants for any good garden soil in sun. The bluegreen young foliage is an excellent foil for tall Alliums.

### FLAVUM

Handsome clumps of feathery blue-green leaves are followed by clouds of fluffy yellow flowers.  
3-4' Summer  
£4.20 each



Thalicttrum flavum

## TRICYRTIS (Toad Lily)

These amazing plants have flowers in a loose umbel borne on long stems. The individual flowers are reminiscent of Fritillarias, except that they are upright and not nodding. An unusual feature in the autumn garden, for moist soils in part shade.

### HIRTA (stolonifera)

An easy autumn flowering perennial for part shade. Not too dry or it will not flower. Purple spotted flowers.  
30" September  
£3.00 each; 3 = £8.35

### WHITE TOWERS

A distinctive plant with arching stems and white flowers in the leaf axils. Striking blue anthers. Few.  
24" Aug-Sept  
£6.00 each



Tricyrtis hirta (stolonifera)



Tricyrtis White Towers



Tigridia pavonia yellow

## TIGRIDIA

Easy summer flowering corms for a dry, sunny border. Often grown as an annual and lifted in autumn but we find it relatively hardy here, making good clumps. Good in pots.

### PAVONIA (Peacock flower)

The large 3 petalled flowers, with dramatic spotted centres, are produced in succession in late summer.  
14" July-Sept

### RED

10 = £4.00; 25 = £9.15

### YELLOW

10 = £4.00; 25 = £9.15

### WHITE

10 = £4.00; 25 = £9.15



Tigridia pavonia red



## COLLECTION FOR SHADE

### Collection No. 5

Ideal for those difficult areas among trees, shrubs or on the shady side of the house or wall.

- 5 Convallaria Fortins Giant
- 1 Epimedium
- 10 Galanthus nivalis
- 3 Lillium lancifolium Splendens
- 1 Helleborus x hybridus
- 1 Trillium grandiflorum

**20 plants**

**£18.80 (saving £2.40)**



Trillium erectum



Trillium grandiflorum

## TRILLIUM (Wood Lily)

Highly desirable, these North American woodland plants resent disturbance and will take at least a couple of seasons to re-establish their root systems and begin flowering. They need a light, humus-rich soil that is not too dry, in part shade. Large clumps should be divided after flowering to maintain vigour.

### CUNEATUM (sessile)

A fascinating plant with long, dark purple erect flowers, lasting a long time. Very striking. 12" April  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### ★ CHLOROPETALUM

This magnificent form is probably more correctly T.kurabayashi but whatever it is, it is very vigorous with large intense red upright flowers. Divisions. 14" April  
£6.00 each

### ERECTUM

The dark red slightly nodding flowers are held just above the dark green leaves. 14" Apr-May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Trillium cuneatum

### 🏆 GRANDIFLORUM (Wake Robin)

Extremely beautiful showy snow-white flowers becoming rose with age. 15" April  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00

### 🏆 LUTEUM

Oval green leaves mottled with purple. The large erect flowers are bright greenish-yellow and strongly lemon scented. 14" Apr-May  
£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Trillium luteum





Tropaeolum 'Ken Aslet'

## TROPAEOLUM

Late summer flowering relatives of the nasturtium with rhizomatous or tuberous roots. Best in cool, humus-rich soils with plenty of moisture.

### TUBEROSUM 'KEN ASLET'

A delightful climber for a sunny sheltered wall. This form begins to produce its orange flowers in late Jul. Lift tubers for winter in cold areas.

6' July-Sept

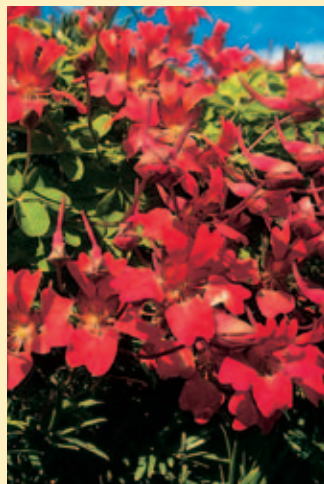
£4.50 each; 3 = £12.00

### SPECIOSUM

Spectacular scarlet flowers produced in profusion. Best when scrambling through shrubs or up hedges.

Up to 10' June-Sept

£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Tropaeolum speciosum



Tulbaghia violacea Purple Eye

## TULBAGHIA

A clump-forming member of the lily family for a warm, sheltered spot and ideal as a conservatory plant. Flowers in succession for months.

### ALLIOIDES

Tall slender stems with unusual creamy flowers with bold orange cups. Tender. 16" June  
3 = £6.00

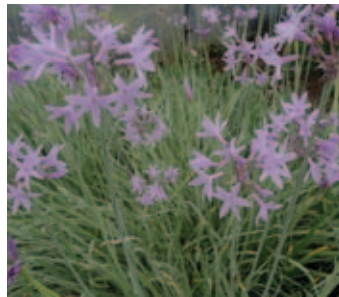
### VIOLACEA

Clumps of narrow grey-green leaves and graceful heads of slender tubular flowers of soft violet all summer. 24" June-Oct  
3 = £6.00

### VIOLACEA 'PURPLE EYE'

This form has a dark purple centre to the slightly paler flowers and narrow foliage. A distinct new variety and just as easy.

24" Summer £4.20 each



Tulbaghia Silver Lace



Tulbaghia violacea

### VIOLACEA 'SILVER LACE'

The lavender pink flowers are a good foil for the strongly silver-variegated leaves.

Excellent subject for a pot.

24" June-Oct

£4.20 each

## UVULARIA (Merry Bells)

The arching stems give rise to terminal hanging flowers that are shaped like a long bell, with the twisted petals joined only at the top. They need a light, peaty soil, in semi-shade, similar to trillium (qv).

### GRANDIFLORA

Large, nodding yellow flowers, eventually forming large clumps. Always excites much interest.

12" April-May

£4.00 each; 3 = £11.00



Coydalis flexuosa and Uvularia grandiflora



Viola cuclulata alba

## VIOLA (Violet)

These perennial plants like a fertile soil. They are easy to grow in either sun or shade. They look like miniature pansies and are particularly useful for the front of the border and as ground cover under shrubs forming large patches.

### CUCLULATA ALBA

Large pure white flowers above handsome mid-green leaves.

An excellent foil for small bulbs.

4" Apr-May

£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70

### PEDATA

A large-flowered species; upper petals dark violet, lower one pale violet with darker veins and beautifully divided leaves. Good trough plant. Tiny over wintering crowns. 3" Apr-July

£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70



Viola pedata



Viola Freckles

### SORORIA 'FRECKLES'

A fine plant for shady corners.

The large white flowers are washed with blue speckles.

3" Apr-June

£3.50 each; 3 = £9.70



Zephyranthes candida

## ZEPHYRANTHES

(Flowers of the Western Wind)

Tall crocus-like flowers needing a dry, sunny position or pot in cold glass.

### CANDIDA

The best-known species, hardy in favoured localities. Pure white flowers about 1 1/2" long. Spreads well. Virtually evergreen.

Narrow leaves.

7" Aug-Sept

3 = £5.00

## ZANTEDESCHIA (South African arum lily)

Though usually found in glasshouses, if well protected with mulch in the winter, it is perfectly hardy in the south of England. It is a very tolerant plant as long as it is sunny. Often grown by water.

## AETHIOPICA

### 🏆 'CROWBOROUGH'

White spathes with contrasting deep yellow central boss. The leaves are arrow shaped and dark glossy green.

Particularly good beside a pool.

36" June-July

£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

### 🏆 'GREEN GODDESS'

Flowers of a delectable shade of pale, almost lime, green.

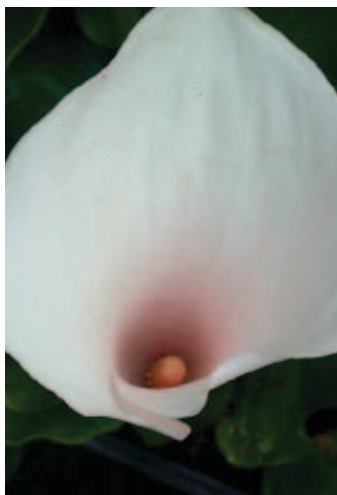
30" June £5.00 each; 3 = £13.75

### 'KIWI BLUSH'

A fine new hybrid, the large white 'flowers' have a distinct pink blush to the throat which spreads to the whole flower as it ages.

30" Apr-June

£5.00 each; 3 = £13.75



Zantedeschia aethiopica Kiwi Blush



## WATSONIA

A relative of Crocosmia with curved tubular flowers on stiffly erect stems and a clump of sword like basal leaves. For a sheltered position or cold glass.

### ★ BORBONICA ARDERNEI

Dramatic spikes of large glistening white flowers. This is a delight in our tunnel. 4' May - June £5.00 each



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- (Give details)

Please tick appropriate box.

**(Under £2: Credit Note or Substitution only.)**

Post Code:

Telephone (for delivery purposes only):

*Is this address new? If so, please tell us your old one.*

I authorise you to charge my Visa/Mastercard\* A/C No. .... Expiry date .....

Issue No./Start date ..... Security No. .... Signed .....

QTY REQ	NAME OF VARIETY	£	p
	Central UK * please add	6	20
	Carried forward or TOTAL		

**\* SCOTLAND (HIGHLANDS), N. IRELAND & ISLANDS:** Please ask.  
**EU CUSTOMERS,** including Channel Islands: All parcels will be sent airmail and charged at cost.

## FEB/MID APRIL DESPATCH

QTY REQ	NAME OF VARIETY	£	p
	<i>Brought forward</i>		
	Central UK * please add	6	20
	TOTAL		

**\* SCOTLAND (HIGHLANDS), N. IRELAND & ISLANDS:** Please ask.  
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## TERMS OF BUSINESS

**The placing of an order implies acceptance of the terms of sale, delivery and warranty shown in this list.**

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ORDERS.** Due to the high costs involved, we regret we are unable to acknowledge orders except where an item is unavailable. If you need to know please enclose an s.a.e.

**DESPATCH DATES.** Unless we are particularly requested to meet a specific deadline, we despatch all orders in strict rotation according to the date of receipt (weather permitting) from February until mid-Apr. We are unable to accept orders after the end of Apr as the plants are too far advanced. **It is therefore to your advantage to order as soon as possible after the receipt of this catalogue.**

**MISSING PARCELS.** Enquiries regarding missing parcels must be made by the end of each despatch period.

**DESPATCH CHARGE.** This is levied on actual value of plants *despatched* to one address in one parcel.

- **Central United Kingdom:** £6.20
- **Scotland (Highlands & Islands), N. Ireland & other offshore islands:** Please ask; it depends upon location and the weight of the parcel. We will make it as cheap as we can.

All the parcels must be signed for. If you are liable to be out, please give us an alternative address - e.g. work, neighbour etc.

- **E.U. customers, including Channel Islands:** Parcels will be sent airmail post and charged at cost. Please pay by Visa, Mastercard or sterling draft. We do not export outside the EU.

**METHOD OF PAYMENT.** Payment may be made by cheque (payable to Broadleigh Gardens), Postal Order, cash, A.G.S. vouchers, our own Gift Tokens (we regret we cannot accept National Garden Gift Tokens), also our own Credit Notes. Please return Credit Note or quote the number when claiming. **Mastercard/Visa/Debit/Maestro:** we can accept payment by these cards; please fill in the section on the order form. Orders can be telephoned (24 hour **Ansaphone**) quoting account numbers and expiry date etc.

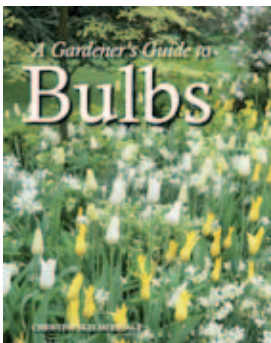
**COMPLAINTS.** Should there be any cause for complaint, please write within seven days of receipt of the package. We cannot guarantee flowering, which depends on horticultural conditions, but we believe that all bulbs and plants despatched by us are fine, healthy stock.

**COLLECTION OF ORDERS.** Prices are calculated on orders being posted. Orders may be collected *only* if prior notice is given and collection made between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday to Friday. *The Nursery is not open at weekends.*

**SUBSTITUTIONS.** It is really impossible to forecast exactly what customers will wish to buy and so ensure adequate stocks of everything. We do our best as we wish to give absolute satisfaction, *but we reserve the right to vary the items in Collections at any time. Also, towards the end of the season we must reserve the right to substitute a similar item of the same or greater value if necessary.*

**VALUE ADDED TAX.** This is included at the rate of 20% in all prices quoted in this catalogue. Should the rate change during its life, we reserve the right to alter our prices.

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