

SPECIALS!

Please check out catalogue for description and more details. Minimum pot size is 9 cms square. Many of these are in larger pots.

Aconitum 'Newry Blue' (large pots) – Collect from mid September	3 for \$24.00
Anemone nemerosa mixed	5 for \$45.00
Aquilegia buerigeriano 'Calimero'	4 for \$32.00
Aquilegia Cameo White	4 for \$32.00
Arisarum proboscideum (Mouse Plant)	5 for \$35.00
Astilbe chinensis	4 for \$32.00
Bidens (Unnamed) – tall cream variety – Very large.	3 for \$24.00
Campanula 'Van Houtei'	4 for \$36.00
Centaurea montana	4 for \$36.00
Centaurea pulcherrima	4 for \$32.00
Dianthus Knappi (trimmed back April)	5 for \$40.00
Doronicum caucasicum	4 for \$32.00
Fragaria 'Lipstick'	5 for \$40.00
Geranium endressii	4 for \$36.00
Geranium 'Hollywood'	3 for \$30.00
Geranium 'Nodosum'	4 for \$40.00
Geranium subcaulescens	5 for \$40.00
Gypsophila 'Letchworth Rose'	4 for \$40.00
Lathrys latifolius 'Red Pearl'	4 for \$32.00
Lathrys latifolius 'White Pearl' – very large	3 for \$24.00
Phyteuma scheuchzeri	4 for \$36.00
Potentilla Verna	3 for \$24.00
Primula florindae Apricot/cream	4 for \$36.00
Primula florindae mixed	4 for \$32.00
Primula florindae 'Keilour -Hybr.'	4 for \$32.00
Primula sieboldii mixed	4 for \$32.00
Reineckia carneo	5 for \$40.00
Salvia 'Salmon Queen'	4 for \$44.00
Salvia x jamensis – Red shades (Bright red, purply red, Pinkish red)	4 for \$32.00
Scabiosa x 'Fama Blue' – variable shades of blue	4 for \$40.00
Sisyrinchium californicum	4 for \$32.00
Thalictrum aquilegifolium Album	TRIMMED BACK 4 for \$36.00
Thalictrum flavum	TRIMMED BACK 4 for \$36.00
Tricyrtis Mixed -may need trimmed	4 for \$36.00

Specials - Minimum of 10 plants to be purchased. See main catalogue for an idea of what you may receive.

	10 plants
Anemones assorted – up to 5 varieties	\$90.00
Aquilegias – up to 10 varieties	\$90.00
Campanula – 5 varieties	\$90.00
Centaureas – 4+ varieties	\$90.00
Geraniums – up to 12 varieties	\$95.00
Geums – up to at least 5 varieties	\$90.00
Hostas – mixed varieties – most are named. Ends of lines.	\$120.00
Primulas – Up to 10 varieties	\$95.00
Salvias mixed – good variety	\$90.00
Scabiosas mixed -4 varieties	\$90.00
Tricyrtis (Toad Lilies) – mixed – 5+ varieties	\$90.00

WAKE ROBIN NURSERY

WINTER CATALOGUE

Welcome to my 2025 Catalogue

Wake Robin Nursery is situated in Balclutha, a small town about 80 kms south of Dunedin. The nursery has mainly hardy perennials and potted bulbs. You are welcome to visit by arrangement.

Please let me know if you do not wish to receive this catalogue in the future or pass this on to a gardening friend.

Mail Order Terms

There is no minimum order although freight costs make small orders very expensive. Order forms are enclosed for your use. Post office box numbers are not satisfactory. Please include alternatives to avoid disappointment as some plants may sell out quickly.

Postage and Packing . Orders will be sent by Courier. All Rural delivery addresses are \$8.20 extra

Nationwide – shoebox size. Up to 2 kgs – may not be applicable when plants are taller. \$9.80

South Island – per box

Dunedin City– to 25 kgs	\$ 5.10
Central Otago – to 25 kgs	\$11.00
Palmerston to Christchurch, Haast, Southland – to 20 kgs	\$12.60
North of Christchurch – to 15 kgs	\$19.60
North of Christchurch – to 20 kgs	\$20.80

North Island

Small box – under 5 kgs	\$21.30
Up to 15 kgs	\$30.40

Many smaller towns are considered to be Rural delivery. This charge is \$8.20. Please contact me if you are unsure about this. You have the option of collecting your parcel from an alternative address or your nearest Aramex courier depot. Please check the plants before signing for them. If your parcel does not arrive in first class condition, please telephone me. Also notify your depot so they can see the damage and then we can claim a refund from them. Please do not repot the plants or destroy them or plant them in your garden.

Payment Options – Eftpos, Online banking or bank deposit. All prices are GST inclusive.

Thank you for your order.

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“A garden is a complex of aesthetic and plastic intentions; and the plant is, to a landscape artist, not only a plant – rare, unusual, ordinary or doomed to disappearance – but it is also a colour, a shape, a volume or an arabesque in itself.” – Roberto Burle Marx (*after whom many plants are named!*)

Bulbs

Eucomis – white with pink tinge	Large bulbs – have flowered	D	\$6.00
Height to 45 cms+. Sun and good drainage. Autumn flowering. Potted.			

Eucomis – white with pink tinge Medium sized bulbs D 3 for \$12.00
Height to 45 cms+. Sun and good drainage. Impressive in autumn. Sent as loose bulbs.

Ipheon sellowiana	\$9.00
2 large potted bulbs. Low growing with many yellow cup shaped flowers. Tufted foliage. Late winter to early spring flowering. Sun or light shade and good drainage.	

Leucojum aestivum (sent as loose bulbs in damp peat) 50 small sized bulbs.
To 60 cms. (Summer Snowflake). Nodding bell-shaped, white, green-tipped flowers in spring.
Suitable for naturalising, rock gardens, under shrubs and trees, woodland gardens and in flower beds.

Muscari 'Iceberg'	D	3 for \$9.00
Have flowered. Lovely pale blue flowers in spring. Sun and good drainage.		

Muscari 'Peppermint'	5 medium sized bulbs - \$10.00
Lightest of blue with a pretty white top. Sun and good drainage.	

Muscari Siberian Tiger	Few	D	3 for \$10.00
Award -winning cultivar. Height 15 to 20 cms. Spring flowering with beautiful, fragrant, densely compacted bright white nodding flowers. Touch of blue. Plant in a group. Sun or light shade.			

Muscari 'Touch of Snow'	5 medium sized bulbs - \$10.00
Rich cobalt blue flowers with a 'touch of snow' on 10 to 15 cm stems in spring. Plant in groups. Sun.	

Seeds -postage/courier not included.

<i>Anemonopsis macrophylla</i>	10 for \$5.00
Mixed - could be either the white/amethyst/violet variety or white. Mature plants have foliage to at least 55 cms. Divided ferny foliage. Choice woodland plant . Slender, elegant spikes bear nodding, opalescent flowers. Humus-rich, semi-shaded, moist but well drained soil.	

Cimicifuga americana	20 for \$5.00
To 1.2 metres. Spikes of fragrant white flowers summer/autumn. Excellent for cutting.	

Clianthus puniceus (Kakabeak)	30 for \$4.00
Native shrub with striking clusters of red flowers. To 2 metres. Flowers spring to early summer.2024.	

Incarvillea delavayi 20 for \$4.00
To 35 cms. Masses of large pink, trumpet shaped flowers from late spring.

Incarvillea delavayi	20 for \$4.00
To 35 cms. Masses of large, pure white trumpet shaped flowers from late spring. Cut back after flowering so this will rebloom. Bold, divided leaves. Sun. Moist, well-drained soil. Nice for pots.	

Lathyrus latifolius 'White Pearl'	30 for \$4.00
Large white flowers in summer. Climber. Sun. 2024 seed.	

‘The garden reconciles human art and wild nature, hard work and deep pleasure,
spiritual practice and the material world.
It is a magical place because it is not divided.’ – T Moore

Dry Products

Plastic Labels-white

50 for \$12.00

Ideal for identifying plants or bulbs in your garden. New. 125mm long

Perennials – Sun

Aquilegia buerigeriano ‘Calimero’ D \$10.00

20cm. Dwarf with dainty purplish/wine blooms with contrasting soft-lemon corolla. Lovely.

Aquilegia Cameo Blue D \$10.00

Dwarf variety with pretty, blue and white flowers in spring. Blue to purply blue shades.

Aquilegia caerulea ‘Red Hobbit’ D \$10.00

To 35 cms. Red flowers with white corolla. Sun and good drainage. Very pretty.

Aquilegia Chrysantha ‘Denver Gold’ D \$10.00

To 90 cms. Long-spurred yellow flowers in spring. Sun or light shade.

Aquilegia Crystal Star D \$10.00

To 60 cms. Long spurred red flowers in summer. Sun and good drainage

Aquilegia Crystal Star White – some are pale pink/lemon D \$10.00

To 70 cms in flower. 5 perfectly shaped white petals, flowering in summer. Ideal cut flower. Sun or part shade. Well-drained soil. Cottage garden favourite.

Aquilegia flabellata Cameo - White D \$10.00

To 20 cms. Pretty white flowers, some with bluish tinge in spring. Attracts bees, butterflies and moths. Sun or part shade. Suits rock garden or front of border.

Aquilegia Moorcroftiana D \$10.00

A taller and very beautiful variety with the palest lavender/pink flowers. Sun or light shade.

Aquilegia vulgaris Winky – Blue/White D \$10.00

To 35 cms. Upward-facing flowers. Deep blue outer petals with blue and white centres.

Argyranthemum ‘Harvest Gold’ \$12.00

To 40 cms. Masses of light-yellow daisy-like flowers and very long flowering. A trim back promotes more flowering. Sun.

Astrantia ‘Maxima’ D \$13.00

Pink flowers late spring to summer. Good cut flower. Sun or light shade.

Astrantias Mixed D \$12.00

Colours unknown. Popular. Sun or light shade.

Bidens – pale lemon Few D \$9.00

To 1 metre. Unnamed, pretty, taller variety with lovely pale lemon flowers. Sun and good drainage. Very long flowering. Large pots.

Campanula ‘Fleur de Neige’ D \$12.00

To 90 cms. Long spikes of double white flowers in summer. Sun to part shade.

Campanula persicifolia alba D \$9.00

To 90 cms. Large, single white bells. Clump forming. Sun or light shade.

Campanula persicifolia ‘Pride of Exmouth’ 80 cms. Pretty double blue flowers. Sun or light shade.	Few	D	\$12.00
Campanula punctata ‘Milky Way’ To 50 cms. Nodding, bell-shaped flowers on red stems. Clump forming foliage. Large, light pink flowers have a double skirt and spotted throat. Light shade, moist well-drained soil.		D	\$12.00
Campanula rotundifolia (Bluebells of Scotland). To 25 cms. Graceful, nodding, mauve-purple bells in early summer. Ideal for edging, containers and rock gardens. Sun.	Few	D	\$12.00
Campanula ‘Van Houttei’ (Mystic Bells) 60 cms. Pretty, clump forming ground cover for sunny area. Constant abundance of large mid blue flowers from late spring to autumn. Trim after flowering for repeat flowerings. Large pots.		D	\$10.00
Centaurea Jacea Trimmed when in flower To 40 cms. Low clumps of green leaves. Summer flowering with cornflower-like flowers in a bright rose-pink-purple colour. Attracts bees/butterflies. Ideal in wildflower gardens.		Few	\$10.00
Centaurea pulcherrima To 40 cms. Grey green feathered foliage with large pink flowers from late spring. Sun. 1 to 1.5 litre.		D	\$9.00
Convallaria majalis (Lily of the Valley) - Medium sized shoots. Highly fragrant hanging, white bells in spring. Ground cover for moist shade.	D	20 pieces	\$40.00
Coreopsis verticillata To 40 cms. Bushy rhizomatous perennial with numerous branched stems. Bears yellow daisy like flowerheads in loose corymbs in early summer. Sun or part shade, well-drained soil. Large.		D	\$10.00
Coreopsis verticillata		5 pieces	\$20.00
Coreopsis verticillata ‘Moonbeam’ 50 cms. Deep green foliage, soft yellow daisy-like flowers summer/autumn. . Sun. Makes an ideal middle of border plant, cottage garden, rock garden, pots.		D	\$12.00
Coreopsis verticillata ‘Moonbeam’		5 pieces	\$20.00
Dianthus ‘Cranberry Ice’ To 35 cms. Fragrant single blooms spring to autumn. Fringed petals of bright cranberry red with a contrasting rose-pink eye. Great for rockery or edging. Attractive to butterflies. Sun. 1.5 litre.	Few		\$10.00
Dictamnus albus albiflorus (Burning Bush) Rare. Year 2 plants – may take 2 years to flower. Mature plants grow to about 90 cms. Highly fragrant, white, 5-petalled flowers with long, projecting stamens are borne in long, open racemes in early summer. They and the unripe fruit, produce an aromatic, volatile oil which may be ignited in hot weather. Specimen plant best planted where you can brush past it so the beautiful fragrance is released. Suits a perennial border. Grow in dry, well drained, moderately fertile soil in full sun.		D	\$11.00
Dictamnus albus var. purpureus (Burning Bush). Year 2 plants. May take 2 years to flower. Mature plants are 80 to 90 cms. Highly fragrant, purpley - mauve, 5-petalled flowers with darker veins and long, projecting stamens are borne in long, open racemes in early summer. Specimen plant in garden and best planted where you can brush past them so you can enjoy the fragrance released.		D	\$10.00

Dimorphotheca barbarae compacta (African Daisy). Height to 30 cms. Compact, large flowering variety with pink flowers. Very long flowering ground cover. Sun. Large pots.				\$10.00
Doronicum caucasicum (Leopard's Bane) To 45 cms. Large daisy like flowers in spring. Moist but well-drained soil. Sunny border, light shade or woodland garden.	D	5 pieces -	\$20	
Echinacea purpurea 'Happy Star' 75cm+ when in flower. Pure white petals are in a horizontal position around large orange-yellow cones. Long-lasting cut flower. Summer/autumn flowering.	Trimmed	D		\$12.00
Erysimum 'Orange Flame' Low growing, clump forming, ground cover for a sunny spot, rockery or over edging. Pretty orangy coloured flowers – long flowering.			10.00	
Fragaria 'Lipstick' (Ornamental Strawberry). To 15 cms. Bright lipstick-red flowers from spring onwards. Small bright red, edible strawberries. Sun or part shade. Evergreen.				\$9.00
Francoa app. 'Pink Bouquet' Stunning variety to about 90 cms in height (or more). Best suited for sun or light shade. Late flowering from late summer to autumn. Beautiful for a perennial border.	Few		\$12.00	
Francoa app. 'Lilac Bouquet' Superior colour – lilac pink. Nice deep colour.				\$12.00
Geranium endresii To 45 cms. Many funnel-shaped pink flowers from spring to autumn. Sun/semi-shade. Cut back in mid-summer to promote more flowers. Large 1.5 litre pots.	D		\$10.00	
		5 pieces -	\$20.00	
Geranium Grandiflorum (himalayense) To 45 cms. Violet-blue, touched with reddish pink. White centres. Lovely veined flowers from early summer to early autumn. Clump forming, ground cover. Leaves colour well in autumn. Sun to light shade.	D		\$12.00	
		5 pieces -	\$20.00	
Geranium oxonianum f thurstonianum To 50 cms. Pink-purple flowers. Sun or light shade. Attracts insects	Few	D		\$10.00
		5 pieces -	\$20.00	
Geranium oxonianum 'Hollywood' To 75 cms. Largest growing form of G. oxonianum. Shiny green leaves with dark reddish markings. Small pink flowers with magenta veins. Ground cover. Sun or shade.	D		\$12.00	
		5 pieces -	\$20.00	
Geranium oxonianum 'Heirloom Raspberry' To 45 cms. Very stunning deep raspberry-coloured flowers with deeper veins with a white eye. Sun.	D		\$12.00	
		5 pieces -	\$20.00	
Geranium sanguineum Album To 50 cms. Dark green, deeply divided leaves, which take on autumn hues. Suits sun/part shade.				\$12.00
Geranium 'Spinners' To 45 cms. Masses of purply blue flowers with darker veining. from late spring. Very long flowering. Deeply divided leaves. Sun or light shade. Lovely variety.	Few	D		\$12.00

Geranium subcaulescens	Few	\$10.00
Bright magenta pink. Low growing and clump forming. Sun. Good drainage. Rockery.		
Geranium x 'Johnston's Blue'	D	\$12.00
To 70 cms. Flowers will vary in colour as they are from a hybrid - shades of blue from spring to autumn, very long flowering. Drought tolerant, full sun. Good drainage. Great for cottage gardens, containers, borders or mass plantings.		
Geum 'Firestorm'	Few	\$13.00
To 50 cms. Bright, tangerine orange, double flowers on compact plants. Vigorous, long blooming.		
Geum 'Jess'		\$12.00
To 25 cms. Frilly peach apricot semi-double flowers in spring. Sun or part shade. 5 pieces - \$20		
Geum Lemon/Pink		\$12.00
Pretty lemon /pink flowers from spring. Dwarf variety.		
Geum rivale 'Roseum'		\$12.00
Dwarf variety with small salmon-pink hooded flowers. Very cute! Sun or part shade and well-drained soil. Suits a rockery type situation. Flowers in spring and again spasmodically summer to late autumn.		
		5 pieces - \$20
Geum rivale Venomous Red		\$12.00
Dwarf variety with deep salmon pink flowers. Sun and good drainage.		
Gypsophila 'Letchworth Rose'		\$12.00
To 20 cms. Rose pink flowers. Ground cover. Great for rockery or over edging. Superior variety.		
Helianthemum 'Henfield Brilliant'		\$12.00
To 20 cms. Single, bright red/orange flowers with yellow stamens from spring. Ground cover – suits rockery, borders & over walls. Suits dry, rocky or sandy, well-drained soil in full sun. Trim after flowering for repeat flowering.		
Incarvillea delavayi	D	\$12.00
To 35 cms. Masses of large pink, trumpet shaped flowers from late spring.		
Incarvillea delavayi alba	D	\$12.00
To 35 cms. Masses of large, pure white trumpet shaped flowers from late spring. Cut back after flowering so this will rebloom. Bold, divided leaves. Sun. Moist, well-drained soil. Nice for pots.		
Inula ensifolia	D	\$10.00
20 to 40 cms in height. Full sun. Suits rock garden. Bright yellow daisies in summer over several weeks. Attracts butterflies.		
Iris ensata 'Sea Fury'	Trimmed D	\$12.00
(Japanese Iris). To 90 cms. Stunning variety with large pale blue flowers with fine white edging. white flowers in summer. Sun. Average to moist soil. May need trimmed.		
Knautia 'Egyptian Rose'	D	\$12.00
Deep crimson red flowers in summer. Long flowering. Sun or light shade.		
Lathyrus latifolius 'Red Pearl'	D	\$10.00
Rare perennial sweet pea. Heavy trusses of bright carmine red, fleshy, substantial flowers on long strong stems in summer. Climber. Sun or partial shade. Fertile humus rich, well-drained soil. Large.		

Lathyrus latifolius 'White Pearl' D \$10.00
Large white flowers in summer. Climber. Sun. 2.5 litre pots.

Lysimachia punctata Few D \$12.00
To 90 cms. Long spikes of yellow flowers in summer. Clump forming ground cover. Sun.
5 pieces - \$20.00

Papaver orientale 'Beauty of Livermere' Few D \$12.00
To 1 metre. Huge, deep red, satiny flowers late spring/early summer. Sun.

Papaver orientale 'Princess Victoria Louise' D \$12.00
Large salmon pink flowers late spring to early summer. Sun and good drainage.

Penstemon 'Stapleford Gem' \$12.00
Seldom available and a stunning, popular variety. To 60 cms. Flowers from mid-summer with beautiful lilac-purple flowers which have pale lilac-pink upper lips and white lower lips and throats marked with purple lines. Sun/part shade. Large pots.

Phlox 'Bronze Flamingo' D \$12.00
Rare. Abundant lavender pink hooded flowers on dark burgundy stems from late spring to summer. Specimen plant. Sun and well drained soil with medium moisture. Tolerates some drought. Attractive to bees and butterflies.

Phlox paniculata 'Le Madhi' Cut back as needed D \$12.00
To 90 cms. Large heads of purple flowers in summer. Fragrant. Sun or light shade.

Phlox paniculata 'Vintage Wine' Cut back as needed D \$12.00
To 1 metre. Clumps of dark green leaves with deep burgundy edges and colouring. Large heads of bright cerise-purple scented flowers in summer. Sun to light shade.

Phlox paniculata Mixed Cut back as needed D \$12.00

Phyteuma scheuchzeri D \$12.00
Low mound of narrow blue-green leaves. Taller stems hold spiky ball-shaped clusters of deep blue flowers in summer. Rich moist soil and good drainage. Excellent rock garden or edging plant.

Potentilla verna \$10.00
15 cms. Small light yellow, cup-shaped flowers in spring. Sun. Suits rockery or edge of border.

Salvias are long flowering, showy, highly fragrant plants for sunny borders.
Good drainage. Attract bees.

Salvias Red 4 for \$36.00
Colours may be brighter red to purply red. Taller highly fragrant. Attracts bees, Long flowering. Sun.

Salvia 'Glare' Few \$12.00
To 70 cms. Masses of bright white flowers. Long flowering. Compact habit. Good drainage. Sun.

Salvia nemerosa 'Blue Hills' D \$12.00
To about 45 cms. Lovely blue flowers in summer. Cut back after flowering and look forward to an autumn flowering. Sun and good drainage. Rockery, edging, slope or bank. Attracts butterflies.

Salvia 'Raspberry Royale' \$10.00
Taller variety with masses of purply red flowers over many months. Highly fragrant.

Salvia x jamensis 'Riverton Red'		\$10.00
To 70 cms. Purple red flowers from late spring to autumn. Highly fragrant, attracts bees. Sun and good drainage.		
Salvia x jamensis 'Salmon Queen'		\$12.00
To 80 cms. Fragrant leaves and showy flowers that are a very good salmon colour. Flowers late spring onwards. Long flowering. Sun and good drainage. Attracts bees and butterflies. Popular.		
Salvia x jamensis 'Nachtvlinder'		\$12.00
To 80 cms. Stunning deep 2 tone purple flowers. Highly fragrant. Sun or partial shade - dead heading encourages more flowers. Good drainage. Popular.		
Salvia x jamensis 'Royal Bumble'		\$12.00
60 cms. Very bright red flowers - the best red variety I have. Sun and good drainage. Long flowering.		
Sanguisorba officinalis	D	\$12.00
(Greater burnet). 60 to 90 cms. Popular hardy perennial, forming clumps of pinnate leaves. Long-lasting, deep red bottle-brush like flowers in summer. Sun. Very popular in recent years.		
Sanguisorba tenuifolia 'Rubra'	D	\$12.00
To 80. Drooping arching stems of slender bottlebrush like flowers in summer, that are a lovely rosy red colour. Sun. Clump forming habit. Very popular.		
Saxifraga crustata		\$10.00
Alpine. To 24 cms when in flower. Dense mat of grey green rosettes with silvery edging. Panicles of small starry flowers with long yellowish-white petals. Rockery. Sun or light shade.		
Scabiosa caucasica 'Blue Mountain'		\$12.00
To 60 cms. Masses of large blue flowers on tall stalks. Remove old flowers to prolong flowering spring to autumn. Sun, good drainage.		
Scabiosa caucasica 'Mt Cook'		\$12.00
To 50 cms. Large white flowers which are suitable for cutting. Sun or light shade.		
Scabiosa caucasica x 'Fama Blue'		\$12.00
To about 90 cms. Colours may be mid blue to purply/blue. Variable colours. Sun or light shade.		
Sisyrinchium californicum		\$9.00 each of 5 pieces for \$17.50
(Yellow-Eyed Grass). To 20 cms. Star-shaped, dark-veined, bright yellow flowers in summer. Long flowering. Clump forming. Sun. Suit coastal areas. Tolerates a little shade. Becomes drought tolerant		
Tanacetum coccineum 'Robinson's Pink'	D	\$12.00
(Painted Daisy). To 90 cms. Pretty pink, single daisy flowers late spring/summer. Finely-cut, ferny like foliage. Sun/semi-shade. Cottage garden, mixed border, cut flowers last well. Popular.		
Tanacetum coccineum 'Robinson's Red'	D	\$12.00
(Painted Daisy). To 90 cms. Pretty deepest reddish/pink flowers late spring/summer. Ferny like foliage. Sun/semi-shade. Mixed borders. Cut flowers last well. Popular.		
Veronica spicata 'Alba'	Few D	\$12.00
To 50 cms. Low mounds of soft green leaves with toothed edges. Small white flowers on upright spikes in summer. Sun. Clump forming.		

In seed-time learn, in harvest teach, in winter enjoy.' – W Blake, "Proverb"

Veronica spicata Purple	D	\$12.00
To 60 cms when in flower in summer. Long spikes of purple flowers. Sun.		

Perennials - Shade

Aconitum anthora	D	\$15.00
To 80 cms in flower. Erect stems with pale yellow hooded blossoms. Deeply dissected foliage. Gritty, well-drained soil. Lime loving.		

Aconitum napellus	Trimmed	D	\$12.00
To 1.5 metres. Hooded purply blue flowers late summer/autumn. Part/full shade. Moist.			

Aconitum 'Newry Blue'	Trimmed	D	\$10.00
To 1.2 metres. Hooded purply blue flowers on very erect spikes early to mid-summer. Unusually early for Aconitum. Great for back of border – best staked. Part shade, moist. 1.5 litre.			

Aconitum 'Newry Blue' - sent barerooted	5 pieces - \$20.00		
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Aconitum ssp. vulgare 'Albidum'	D	\$15.00
To 1.5 metres Upright, tuberous, deciduous perennial with rounded, dark green leaves divided into five to seven, slender, toothed lobes and dense racemes of hooded, white flowers in summer. Suits sun or part shade. Impressive.		

Anemone multifida 'Rubra'	D	\$12.00
30 cms. Single, deep rose, carmine red, long stemmed flowers with a pale yellow centre. Green ferny-like leaves. Attractive fluffy seedheads. Sun and good drainage. Suits rock garden, mixed border or edge of woodland. Drought tolerant. Attracts butterflies.		

Anemone nemerosa 'Bracteata Pleniflora'	Few	D	10.00
Woodland Anemone to 10 cms. Deep green foliage. Double white flowers with a green ruff in spring. Great for borders, rock gardens, tubs and in masses around the base of trees. Prefers semi shade.			

Anemone nemerosa lavender blue	D	\$10.00
To 10 cms. Pretty lavender blue flowers in spring. Deep green foliage. Ground cover for border, rock gardens, tubs and around trees. Rich well-drained soil. Semi-shade.		

Anemone nemerosa pale lavender blue	D	\$10.00
Later flowering variety.		

Anemone nemorosa mixed	D	\$10.00
May include blue shades, lemon or yellow.		

Anemone ranunculoides sulphurea 'Flore Plena'	D	\$10.00
Woodland Anemone. Yellow flowers in spring. Part to full shade. Ground cover for under trees/shrubs		

Anemone siemaniai	D	\$10.00
Woodland Anemone – pretty lemon flowers in spring.		

Anemone nemerosa 'Vestal'	D	\$12.00
Woodland Anemone. To 12 cms. Double white flowers in spring. Late flowering variety. Part shade, moist. Lovely for underplanting.		

Campanula glomerata 'Superba'	D	\$12.00
To 30 cms. Large upright purple bells from late spring.	5 pieces	\$20.00

Campanula glomerata 'Caroline'	D	\$12.00
To 50 cms. Upright clusters of tiny lilac bells. Ground cover for sun or partial shade. Slower growing variety.		
	5 pieces	\$20.00

Centaurea montana	Few	\$10.00
Perennial cornflower. To about 40 cms. Deep blue spidery flowers from spring. Long flowering. Sun or part shade. Ground cover - clump forming.		

Centaurea montana 'Alba'		\$12.00
To about 40 cms. Beautiful white perennial Cornflower. Seldom available. White spidery flowers from spring to summer. Sun to light shade. Clump forming. Odd one may be blue		

Geranium armenum 'Red Propellers'	D	\$20.00
9 cm pots - expensive but rare and seldom available. An amazing botanic miracle. The deep pink/red flowers resemble slightly folded, "propeller" blades. Happy in partial shade where it will scramble up through rhododendrons even. Suitable for sun or light shade.		

Geranium 'Nodosum'	D	\$12.00
(Knotted Cranesbill) To 40 cms. Bluish pearly pink flowers with dark veining, from late spring to early autumn. Glossy 3-lobed leaves. Suitable for shade – tolerates drier areas. 5 pieces for \$20		

Helleborus argutifolius 'Pacific Frost'	Few	\$12.00
Height to 40 cms. Ivory coloured flowers. Evergreen, variegated, speckled leaves. Dry, well-drained soil. Open woodland, light shade. Year two plants.		

Hepatica mixed	Few	\$12.00
Could include shades of blue or pink. Winter to spring flowering.		

Lysimachia clethroides	Collect or needs trimmed	D	\$14.00
(Gooseneck). To 90 cms. Beautiful ground cover with stems of arching white flowers in summer – suitable for cutting. Suitable for pots or by a pond. Sun or part shade.			

Omphalodes verna 'Alba'	D	5 pieces - \$20.00
To 30 cms. Lovely forget-me-not, white flowers in spring and dark green leaves. Ground cover for shady border or beneath trees.		

Ourisia coccinea		\$14.00
Red tubular flowers on stems up to 40 cms in summer. Shade, moist but well drained soil. Stunning.		

Pachyphragma macrophylla		\$15.00
Beautiful, long-flowering, clump forming ground cover. To 40cm high with rounded, scalloped green basal leaves up to 10cm across in rosettes and smaller stem leaves. Flat clusters of small white flowers winter to spring, followed by small green fruits which are shaped like upside-down hearts. Brightens up garden with the large bright white flowers.		

Primula Allionii 'Crowsley'		\$10.00
To 10 cms. Smaller, vibrant purple-pink flowers late winter to early spring. Suits rock garden or alpine house. Part to full shade. Very light watering only.		

Primula florindae – Apricot/cream	D	\$10.00
To 60 cms. Pretty colour. Fragrant. Summer flowering. Some shade and moist soil.		

Primula florindae Yellow (Giant Cowslip)	D	\$12.00
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Primula florindae (Giant Cowslip). Mixed colours only - may be apricot, yellow, red or orange or shades of above. To 60 cms. Beautiful fragrant scented flowers. Light shade and moist soil. Request your colour.	D	\$10.00
Primula florindae 'Keilour -Hybr.' To 50 cms when in flower. Mixed colours – red, orange, yellow and copper coloured shades. Sun or light shade. Suitable for moist areas and around ponds. More superior variety. Request your colour.	D	\$10.00
Primula florindae 'Keilour-Hybr.' To 50 cms. Orangy-red shade. Sun/light shade. Moist soil.	D	\$10.00
Primula hybrid 'Avondale' (Irish Primrose). 15 cms. Pretty sugar-pink blooms with yellow centres. Semi-evergreen. Some shade.		\$12.00
Primula 'Juliae' To 8 cms. Scalloped deep green leaves. Magenta or purple flowers with yellow eyes. Early flowering. Sun to part shade. Moist soil.		\$10.00
Primula megaseifolia To 20 cms. Evergreen, thick, leathery dark green leaves. Purply pink flowers with a yellowish throat. Shade and good drainage.	D	\$12.00
Primula Rosea 10 cms. Stems have umbels of up to 12 bright rose-red flowers with a small yellow eye. Alpine. Moist soil.	D	\$12.00
Primula scapeosa 20 cms. Large pink flowers on short stems above the leaf rosette. Early spring flowering. Slightly moist but well drained soil. Part shade.		\$10.00
Primula vulgaris 'Double Lilac' Double lavender/lilac flowers from winter to spring. Very pretty. Some shade best.		\$12.00
Primula warshenewskiana Tiny alpine with mats of small leaves and bright pink flowers. Some shade and good drainage.		\$10.00.
Ranunculus gramineus To 35 cms. Light yellow flowers in spring. Grass-like leaves. Suits rock garden. Sun. Good drainage.	D	\$12.00
Reineckia carneo To 20 cms. Evergreen ground cover for open woodland or around shrubs. Moist shade. Light pink flowers followed by red berries. Glossy rich foliage.		\$10.00 5 pieces - \$20
Roscoea alpina 'Royle' Pretty, pink and white, orchid-like flowers from early summer. Light shade and good drainage.	D	\$12.00
Roscoea auriculata 30 45 cms. Long, lance-shaped, grass green leaves. The brilliant purple flowers resemble orchids and display white to pale violet markings on each plant. Plant the tubers deeply in light shade on the edge of the woodland garden. Good winter drainage is best. Summer flowering.	D	\$15.00
Roscoea cautleyoides Rare and seldom available. 30 cms. Fleshy roots produce narrow blade-like leaves which bear creamy-yellow orchid-like flowers in spring. Lovely in partial shade, woodland garden.	D	\$20.00

Tricyrtis hirta (Toad Lily). D \$9.00
Beautiful orchid-like flowers in autumn. White with purple spots. Moist soil. Great for shady woodland or perennial border. Well-drained, rich, moist soil. Coded as Number 8.

Tricyrtis tojen 'Taipei Silk' D \$10.00
Coded as number 5. To 90 cms. Late flowering. Lavender/purple/white flowers with purple spots. Yellow at base of petals and yellow/brownish red stamens/antlers. Some shade, moist soil.

Viola sororia 'Security Sister' D \$12.00
Very pretty lilac/purple flowers from spring. Moist soil, some shade.

Perennials – Foliage

Anemonopsis macrophylla Mixed D \$20.00
To 55 cms. Beautiful woodland plants with divided, ferny foliage. Slender, elegant spikes bear nodding, opalescent flowers that are white with amethyst/violet, pure white or double pale pink. Humus rich, semi-shaded, moist but well-drained soil

Arisarum proboscideum (Mouse Plant) D \$8.00
Deep green, glossy, arrowhead leaves. Long-tailed, brown and white flowers that suggest mice doing handstands in the greenery. Ground cover. Goes dormant in hot weather. Partial shade. 5 pieces \$20

Aruncus dioicus Trimmed D \$12.00
(Goats Beard). To 1.5 metres. Many dramatic plumes composed of tiny, white flowers in autumn. Light shade and moist soil-needs moisture over summer. Ideal for light shade and by water.

Astilbe chinensis D \$10.00
To 40 cms in flower. Deep purplish pink flowers late summer/autumn. Moist soil, shade.

Astilbe simplicifolia 'Sprite' Few D \$12.00
Dwarf variety. Foliage to 45 cms tall. Glossy, dark bronze-green leaves. Shell-pink flowers to 30 cms tall in early summer. Moist soil.

Centaurea dealbata D \$12.00
To about 60 cms. Dark pink flowers over divided foliage. Sun or part shade - tolerates drier conditions. Attracts bees and butterflies.

Chiastophyllum oppositifolium \$12.00
Alpine succulent. To 15 cms. Unusual dangling yellow flowers with fleshy leaves which change colour from mid-green to red. Containers, rockeries and rock wall. Dappled shade. Good drainage.

Cimicifuga americana Trimmed D \$15.00
To 1.2 metres. Spikes of fragrant white flowers summer/autumn. Excellent for cutting.

Cimicifuga racemosa Trimmed D \$15.00
To 1.2 metres. Popular. Tall wands of creamy white bottle-brush flowers are held high above bright green, lacy foliage from mid-summer to late autumn. Splendid for cutting! Moist soil and some shade. Will tolerate full sun in cool summer regions.

Dicentra cucullaria - Pink D \$12.00
Green fern-like foliage in spring. Pink flowers. Woodland ground cover.

Disporopsis omeiensis \$12.00
Resembles an evergreen Solomon's Seal with snakeskin patterns on the stem, pale greenish-yellow flowers. To 50 cms. Some shade best.

Disporopsis pernyi D \$15.00
To 45 cms. Upright-arching, purple-spotted stems with shiny, leather leaves. Evergreen. Pendulous, tubular, creamy-white, bell-shaped flowers from late spring. Purple-blue berries ripen in early autumn. Rhizomatous, clump forming ground cover. Moist, well-drained soil for part shade.

Disporum sessile 'Variegatum' D \$10.00
To 25 cms. Green and white striped variegated leaves. 25mm hanging creamy white bells. Forms a showy colony in shade. An excellent groundcover under shrubs.

Dracunculus vulgaris May be summer dormant D \$10.00
Corms are 4-6 cms in width. (Dragon Lily). Large purple spathe and spadix. Unpleasant smell when in flower. The large palmate leaves have cream flecks along the veins. Sun or shade. Can also withstand drought but benefits from a little watering. Humus-rich, well-drained soil.

Epimedium Mixed \$12.00
Great foliage plants for dry, shady areas such as under trees. Colours may include creamy lemon, yellow, white or pink.

Geranium macrorrhizum
(Cranesbill). (Big Root Geranium). To 45 cms. Aromatic spicy foliage that is rounded, lobed and divided. Small pink flowers in spring. Great ground cover for shady edging. 5 pieces \$20.00

Helleborus argutifolius 'Pacific Frost' \$12.00
Height to 40 cms. Ivory coloured flowers. Evergreen, variegated, speckled leaves. Dry, well-drained soil. Open woodland, light shade.

Heuchera maxima Few \$12.00
To 70 cms in flower. Great for dry shade. Large, rounded leaves with slightly scalloped edges. Spikes of creamy white flowers above foliage spring to summer. Ground cover, suits under trees.

Heuchera sanguinea alba \$12.00
To 45 cms. Long spikes of creamy-white flowers summer to autumn. Clump forming with nice green/white foliage. Sun or part shade.

Hosta abiqua 'Drinking Gourd' D \$15.00
To 45 cms. Dark blue-green, seersucker leaves with heavy substance. White flowers early summer. Part to full shade and moist soil. 1 to 1.5 litre.

Hosta 'Blue Angel' D \$15.00
To 90 cms. Heavily textured blue leaves. Light to full shade. Great for borders, ground cover, waterside or woodland gardens. Nice specimen plant. Large.

Hosta 'Empress Wu' D \$15.00
To 1.2 metre. Largest variety available. Impressive with huge, thick, dark green leaves. Reddish violet flowers in summer. Moist shade. 1.5 litre.

Hosta 'Fire Island' D \$15.00
Brilliant yellow leaves accented by bright red petioles in spring. Leaves become gently rippled with some corrugation at maturity. Best with morning sun and dappled shade later in the day. Lavender flowers in summer. Low growing.

Hosta 'Kiwickyscraper' D \$15.00
To 1 metre. Rich blue-green, thick foliage in a distinctly upright large mound. Great background or specimen plant. Moist, rich soil and part to full shade. 2 litre pots.

Hosta 'Purple Heart'		D	\$15.00
To 40 cms. Leaves have thick substance and are clear lime to mid green. Dark purple red stems with the colour extending into the base of the leaves. Slight veining. Violet flowers. 1 litre.			
Hosta 'Sieboldiana Glauca'		D	\$15.00
To 90 cms. Lovely blue-green heavily ribbed leaves. Droopy mauve bell-shaped flowers late summer. Shade, moist humus rich soil. 1.5 to 2 litre pots			
Kirengeshoma palmata	May need trimmed	Few	D \$20.00
(Yellow Wax Bells). Rare – seldom available. .6 to 1.2 metres. Reddish-purple stems. Sharply lobed leaves. 3 cms long flowers with 5 creamy-yellow petals which overlap. Humus rich soil, part shade. Woodland garden			
Peltiphyllum peltata	Trimmed	D	\$12.00
(Darmara peltata) .90 to 1.3 metres. Rounded cymes of numerous 5-petalled pink flowers to 1.5 cms across in late spring followed by very large impressive, rounded leaves. Rounded, deeply lobed, coarsely toothed, dark green leaves with conspicuous veins to 60 cms across, that turn red in autumn. Slowly spreading, rhizomatous perennial that suits part or full shade.			
Persicaria microcephala 'Red Dragon'	Trimmed	D	5 pieces - \$20.00
To 90 cms. Beautiful foliage. Pointy heart-shaped leaves are medium green with a silvery V-shaped marking and a bronze centre. Tiny white flowers late summer. Part/full shade.			
Podophyllum hexandrum/emodi		D	\$12.00
30 - 50 cms. Trillium like, glossy green, mottled leaves are deeply lobed. Emerging leaves are umbrella - shaped. Light pink flowers are followed by bright red/orange fruit. Light sandy to medium soil with good drainage. Suits dappled shade, moist soil. Lovely foliage plant.			
Primula marginata			\$12.00
Early flowering alpine. Irregular leaf edges- silvery margins. Purple flowers. Very good drainage. Primula sieboldii are about 20 cms in height and summer dormant. Leaves are pale green, wrinkled and covered in short hairs. Pretty flowers, often fringed, in spring. Part shade. Light woodland.			
Primula sieboldii Bright pink		D	\$10.00
Primula sieboldii Silver/pink-beautiful 2 tone colouring.		D	\$10.00
Primula sieboldii Lavender Blue	Few	D	\$10.00
Primula sieboldii Mixed		D	\$10.00
May include shades of blue or pink			
Rodgersia aesculifolia	Trimmed	D	\$15.00
To 1 metre. Architectural plant. Huge, impressive, palmate, wrinkled leaves. The veins and leaf stalks are reddish-brown and densely woolly. In midsummer, the upright flower spikes are made up of white or pink florets. These add drama and definition to gardens in full sun and partial shade. Suits by water, woodland, or in other moist garden sites. Humous rich soil, partial shade to full sun.			
Rodgersia podophylla	Trimmed	D	\$15.00
1 metre. Great architectural plant for moist, humus rich soil and some shade. Striking bronze coloured leaves in spring, going dark green through summer, then turning red in autumn. Masses of tiny creamy white flowers, sometimes flushed pink or red.			
Rumex sanguineus			\$12.00
30 cms. Pointed, bright lime-green leaves with dark red veins. Harvest young leaves for salads. Sun/light shade and moist soil			

“There are no gardening mistakes, only experiments.” – J K Phillips‘

- Saxifraga crustata \$10.00
Alpine. To 24 cms when in flower. Dense mat of grey green rosettes with silvery edging. Panicles of small starry flowers with long yellowish-white petals. Rockery. Sun or light shade.
- Semiaquilegia ecalcarta D \$12.00
To 40 cms. Finely divided ferny-like leaves. Upright stems with graceful nodding flowers in shades of deep violet to wine purple from late spring to summer. bright woodland areas, edging, or rock garden.
- Teucrium scorodonia Crispum Marginatum D \$13.00
(Woodland sage). 35 cms. Mounding ground cover with unusual, ruffled leaves with a touch of white on the edges. Nice texture. Spikes of tiny charming lipped, cream to pale yellow-green flowers in summer. Shade. Tolerates dry conditions once established.
- Thalictrum flavum Few D \$10.00
(Yellow Meadow Rue). Large cloud-like sprays of tiny lemon/yellow flowers which are outstanding for cutting. Best staked. Useful background plant. 1.5 litre pots.
- Veratrum nigrum D \$15.00
Mature plants grow to about 1.2 metres. Superb variety and perhaps the finest of all Veratrums. Strong spikes bear dark purple, almost black, star-shaped flowers. Leathery green leaves are beautifully pleated. Long lived border plant. Part sun/part shade.
- Other

‘The colour of springtime is in the flowers; the colour of winter is in the imagination.’
– T Guillemets, “Wintermind,” 2007

"Winter is the time for comfort, for good food and warmth, for the touch of a friendly hand and for a talk beside the fire: it is the time for home."- E. Sitwell

‘I believe in process. I believe in four seasons. I believe that winter’s touch, but spring’s coming. I believe that there’s a growing season. And I think that you realise that in life, you grow. You get better. ‘ S Southerland

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