

# WAKE ROBIN NURSERY

## SUMMER CATALOGUE

### Welcome to my 2020 Catalogue

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Rejoice as summer should...chase away sorrows by living. ‘Melissa Marr’

**Bulbs**

*Bellevalia romana* - white Few D \$8.00  
3+ potted bulbs. The spring flowers are a creamy white fading to brown, dull violet, or brownish green. It has blue-black anthers. Light almond or vanilla fragrance. Sun. To 30 cms.

Eucomis – long lasting cut flowers. Sun, good drainage. Lovely for summer.  
Eucomis tall pinkish white Few D 2 large bulbs for \$10

*Freesia refracta alba* 5 large bulbs D \$13.00  
To 25 cms. Highly fragrant with creamy-white flowers. Sun, very good drainage. Popular.

*Fritillaria imperialis* (Crown Imperial) Few \$20.00  
3 years old 2020. At maturity, one metre in height. Large, spectacular clusters of bell-shaped flowers late spring. Add a dressing of general purpose fertiliser before planting in early autumn. Plant 30 cms deep and apart, in a warm sunny position – do not disturb the bulbs for many years. If the soil is too wet to allow planting at this depth then it is not a suitable site. Deep, rich, well-drained loam soil, preferably alkaline. Where soil conditions are less than ideal, prepare site before planting. Dig in some well-rotted manure or rich leafmould and grit (all mixed together). Add a mulch of well-decayed compost as shoots emerge in spring. Liquid feeding of high potassium (tomato) fertiliser during growing season at fortnightly intervals once bulbs have made 7 to 10 cms of growth. Best grown in raised beds with good drainage or in containers – add 20% grit. Bulbs resent damage such as nicks caused by weeding.

Lily Bulbs 2020 – all potted up. D – winter dormant  
Lilies prefer cool soil. Plant Lilies in well-drained soil where they will receive 6–8 hours of sun a day

*Lilium Casablanca*. COLLECT D \$8.00  
Oriental. Height to 1.3 metre. Huge, highly fragrant flowers that are pure white. Widely considered the best white Oriental ever.

*Lilium Fusion* COLLECT D \$9.00  
Species Lily. Height to 1 metre. Very large, wide, outward-facing scarlet-red flowers with creamy yellow centres speckled with black. Light fragrant.

*Lilium Martagon Album* D \$12.00  
(Turks Cap Lily). Large bulbs. Species Lily. Strong one metre tall stems with 20 to 30 small tightly reflexed clear ivory white flowers with yellow/orange anthers late spring/early summer. Flower late spring/early summer. Usually require 12 months of 'settling in'. For best results, some grit and a generous quantity of leafmould or other organic material should be mixed through the soil until it is crumbly and open in texture.

*Lilium Muscadet*. COLLECT D \$8.00  
Oriental. Large, outward facing white flowers adorned with a delicate pink stripe down the middle of each ruffled petal, rose-red speckles at the throat and striking golden-red anthers. Intense fragrance

*Lilium Pumilum*. Species. COLLECT D \$9.00  
Species Lily. To 1 metre in height. Up to 20 glistening, reddish orange flowers, each with nodding petals folding backward (highly recurved petals). Blooms are fragrant and lovely in vases. Generally more tolerant of shade.

*Lilium Rubiano* COLLECT D \$8.00  
Oriental. Height to 1 metre. Soft light pink flower. Strong fragrance.

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Lilium 'Snow Queen' Few D \$7.00  
90 cms. Often called 'Christmas Lily' – Highly fragrant and large pure white flowers in summer..

Lilium Uchida. COLLECT D \$9.00  
Species Lily. Height to 1.2 metres. Elegantly recurved, pink-and-white petals with darker spots. Light, spicy fragrance late summer. Generally more tolerant of shade.

### Seeds

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

Francoa sonchifolia 30 for \$4.00  
(Bridal Wreath). Dark green leaves to 30 cms. Spikes to 70 cms with pale pink flowers with deeper pink veins. Sun/part shade. Good cut flower.

### Dry Products

Plastic Labels-white 50 for \$10.00  
Ideal for identifying plants or bulbs in your garden. New. 125mm long

### Perennials

Aconitum napellus COLLECT MID SPRING ONWARDS D \$8.00  
(Monkshood). 1.5 metres. Hooded deep blue flowers on very erect spikes late summer/early autumn. Tall, impressive plant for back of border – staked. Easy to grow, part shade, moist soil.

Alyssum saxatilis citrinum \$9.00  
Creamy lemon. Clump forming ground cover. Suitable for sunny rockery/borders/over edging.

Amenopsis macrophylla mixed COLLECT MID SPRING ONWARDS D \$10.00  
Choice woodland to 55 cms. Divided, ferny foliage. Slender, elegant spikes bear nodding, opalescent flowers. Mainly white with amethyst/violet. Humus-rich, semi-shaded, moist but well drained.

Aquilegia Crystal Star – Red \$9.00  
To 60 cms. Long spurred red flowers. Sun, good drainage.

Armeria maritima \$8.00  
(Sea Thrift). Globes of bright pink flowers and great for sunny rockery situation or border edging. Compact, low clump-forming ground cover. Large plants – 1.5 litre pots.

Aruncus aesthusifolius D \$9.00  
To 30 cms. Dwarf variety. Fern-like leaves and astilbe like plumes of tiny, creamy white flowers late spring. Sun/part shade. Moist soil.

Astilbes may need collected or trimmed from end of October onwards.

Astilbe 'Diamante' D \$9.00  
To 75 cms. Large, elegant feathery ivory flower spikes. Great cut flower. Moist soil, part shade.

Astilbe 'Fuschia Spangles' D \$9.00  
Fat, fluffy spires of a brilliant pink. Early flowering. Semi-shade.

It's summer and time for wandering.  
'Kellie Elmore'

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- Astilbe 'Montgomery' D \$9.00  
To 75 cms. Compact variety with dramatic scarlet-red plumes. Bronze-green, glossy foliage. Excellent cut flower. Moist but well-drained soil in part shade.
- Astrantia major Rubra. D \$9.00  
To 60 cms. Plum red. Unusual flowers that are a group of tightly packed florets that are backed by petal-like bracts. This makes the flowers look much like a star or a firework. Sun or part shade, moist.
- Campanula D \$8.00  
Unnamed, possibly an alpine. Small, upward-facing, star-shaped, lavender purple flowers spring to summer. Sun. Slow growing.
- Campanula Dickson's Gold D \$9.00  
To 15 cms. Striking bright gold, toothed leaves-colour is lime green if grown in part shade. Lavender blue star-shaped, upward facing flowers late spring to mid-summer. Compact for rockery or edging.
- Campanula glomerata 'Superba' D \$8.00  
To 30 cms. Upright purple bells in summer. 1 litre.
- Campanula latifolia Few D \$9.00  
60 cms. Spikes of large, white funnel-shaped bell flowers late spring to early summer. Sun or partial shade. 1 litre.
- Campanula 'Mist Maiden' D \$10.00  
Light green foliage and small white bells summer/early autumn. Sun. Rockery or front of border.
- Campanula rotundifolia D \$8.00  
20 cms. (Bluebells of Scotland). Graceful, nodding, mauve-purple bells in early summer. Ideal for edging, containers and rock garden. Sun.
- Campanula rotundifolia 'White Gem' Few D \$9.00  
(White Scottish Harebell). Pure white, large, bell-shaped flowers. Good for drier conditions and useful for rockery, containers or front of border. Flowers summer to early autumn.
- Campanula 'Van Houtei' (Mystic Bells) D \$9.00  
60 cms. Pretty, clump forming ground cover for sunny area. Constant abundance of large mid blue flowers from late spring to autumn. A light trim encourages new flushes of flowers. 1 litre.
- Centaurea Dealbata D 9.00  
To 60 cms. Dark pink flowers over divided foliage. Sun or part shade - tolerates drier conditions. Attracts bees and butterflies.
- Cimicifuga racemosa D \$9.00  
To 1.2 metres. Tall wands of creamy white bottle-brush flowers above bright green, lacy foliage from mid-summer onwards. Splendid for cutting! Moist, rich soil. Tolerate full sun in cool summer regions.
- Coreopsis verticillata D \$9.00  
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. 1.5 litre
- Coreopsis verticillata 'Moonbeam' D \$9.00  
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.

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Delphinium vestitum		D	\$10.00
Rare. To 60 cms. Finely textured, blue-violet and deep black flowers. Hairy petals. Rounded leaves. Some shade best.			
Dianthus Cranberry Ice			\$9.00
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.			
Dianthus Dad's Favourite			\$9.00
25 cms. Popular variety. Flowers are semi-double, white and edged in wine red with purple red centres. Spicy fragrance.			
Dicentra cucullaria Pink		D	\$9.00
To 30 cms. Spring emerging fern-like leaves with arching stems carrying dusky-pink blooms. Woodland ground cover.			
Dicentra cucullaria White	(Dormant December and winter)	Few	\$9.00
Bleeding Heart. Green fern-like foliage. White with yellow tips. Woodland ground cover.			
Dicentra spectabilis – Pink (Bleeding Heart)		D	\$15.00
Dicentra spectabilis alba	COLLECT	Large	D \$24.00
(Bleeding Heart). Lovely white flowers. Partial shade/woodland, good drainage.			
Dictamnus albus var. purpureus		D	\$8.00
(Burning Bush). Plants are 3 years old.. May take 1-2 years to flower. Mature plants are 80 to 90 cms. Highly fragrant, purple - 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. 1 litre pots			
Disporopsis omeiensis			\$9.00
Resembles an evergreen Solomon's Seal with snakeskin patterns on the stem, pale greenish-yellow flowers. 1 litre.			
Disporum sessile 'Variegatum'		D	\$9.00
The 25mm hanging creamy white bells are incidental to the beautiful green and white striped variegated leaves, stems to about 25 cms. An excellent groundcover under shrubs.			
Echinacea purpurea 'Magnus'		D	\$9.00
(Purple Coneflower). Beautiful rose pink ray petals with a coppery brown, spiky central cone. Petals are held horizontally. Large daisy-like flowers summer to autumn. Sun.			
Echinops Ritro – Blue		D	\$10.00
To 120 cms. Heat tolerant, flowering during summer. Great as cut/dried flowers. Gold ball sized blue flower heads. Sun and well-drained soil.			
Echium pininana	Collect		\$7.00 or 5 for \$33
Single-trunked shrubby plant that develop a short stout woody trunk up to 2 metres long, bearing a dense mass of deep green leaves and small pale blue to mauve flowers (pink in bud). To 4 metres in height. Biennial or triennial. Dies after flowering but easily self seeds. Specimen plant.			

Epimediums are great for dry shade as ground covers. 30 – 35 cms.  
Foliage often takes on autumn tonings later in the season.

Epimediums mixed – may include creamy lemon, yellow, or autumn tonings		\$9.00
Epimedium x Rubrum – burgundy red/pale creamy yellow		\$9.00
Eranthis hyemalis	Summer dormant	\$8.00
Early flowering July to August. Shady woodland ideal, moist humousy soil.		
Eryngium Agavifolium	D	\$10.00
To 1 metre. Stiking foliage in rosettes of spikey-edged leaves. Burnished green flowers in summer. Part/full shade. Tolerates summer drought. Good for dried flowers and attracting bumblebees.		
Eryngium planum ‘Blue Hobbit’	D	\$10.00
(Sea Holly). To 30 cms. Open umbels of prickly steel-blue flowers which are good for cutting, fresh or dried. Dwarf strain for sunny border. Attractive to butterflies.		
Erysimum Lemon Mist		\$10.00
To 90 mm in height. Low growing ground cover habit, Lemon yellow flowers over small green leaves flowering commencing in early spring.		
Erysimum Orange Flame		\$9.00
Low growing ground cover with luminous orange/yellow flowers – long flowering. Sun. Suits rockery/edging.		
Felicia amelloides blue		\$10.00
50 cms. Bright blue daisy flowers with yellow centres spring/summer. Sun and good drainage. Drought tolerant.		
Filipendula Double Cream	D	\$9.00
(Meadowsweet). Height to 1.5 metres. Numerous double cream flowers in mid-summer. Best with constant moisture in part shade or full sun.		
Filipendula palmata ‘Nana’	D	\$9.00
To 80 cms Lovely bright pink flowers in feathery corymbs on simple or branching stems in summer. Sun or shade. Border or woodland garden.		
Francoa sonchifolia		\$9.00
(Bridal Wreath). Dark green leaves to 30 cms. Spikes to 70 cms with pale pink flowers with deeper pink veins. Sun/part shade. Good cut flower. Large plants.		
Francoa mixed		\$9.00
May include white or pink shades.		
Gentiana lutea	D	\$11.00
To 1.2 metres. Whorled clusters of yellow flowers in summer. Suits light woodland area. Moist well-drained soil		
Gentiana makinoi marsha	D	\$10.00
To 60 cms. Dark-green leaves and clusters of electric-blue flowers from mid summer to autumn. Moist well-drained soil in sun/part shade		
Gentiana triflora ‘Blue Magic’	D	\$9.00
To 30 cms. Compact with light blue flowers in summer. Forms a slow spreading carpet. Great for containers or edge or border or rockery. Sun or part shade.		

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- Geranium aristum (Cranesbill) Few \$9.00  
To 60 cms. Soft pink flowers with deep pink veins from late spring. Totally reflexed petals. Shade.
- Geranium endresii D \$8.00  
45 cms. Leafy semi-evergreen clumps of slightly shiny green foliage. Many funnel shaped pink flowers from spring to autumn. Sun/semi-shade. A cut back in mid-summer promotes fresh new growth and more flowers. Large.
- Geranium 'Katherine Adele' Few D \$8.00  
Suitable for part shade, woodland conditions. Fertile well-drained soil. To 30 cms in flower. Compact with beautiful brown markings on leaves and pretty pink flowers.
- Geranium pyrenaicum 'Bill Wallis' \$8.00  
(Cranesbill). 30 cms. Clump forming with deep purple flowers spring to autumn. Sun/part shade.
- Geranium x magnificum D \$9.00  
(Cranesbill). 50 cms. Deeply cut green foliage. Large, showy cup-shaped violet-blue flowers.
- Geranium x Victor Reiter strain Few D \$8.00  
Height from 40 to 80 cms. Lovely greenish purple foliage and blue flowers. Sun or partial shade.
- Geum coccineum 'Koi' \$8.00  
To 20 cms. Dwarf variety with compact bright orange-red flowers late spring to summer. 1 to 1.5 litre
- Geum 'Firestorm' \$10.00  
To 50 cms. Bright, tangerine orange, double flowers on compact plants. This vigorous, compact and long blooming plant is easy to grow in almost any garden. Easy and carefree.
- Geum montanum Mixed \$8.00  
May include, yellow, lemon or apricot. 1 litre pots.
- Geum Peachy Apricot \$8.00  
30/40 cms. Large 1 to 1.5 litre pots
- Geum rivale 'Roseum' \$9.00  
Deep salmon pink. Dwarf variety.
- Geum rivale 'Lemon Drop' Few \$9.00  
To 15 cms. Bell like, lemon/yellow flowers dangle from short, upright stems above a mound of rich green round leaves. Pretty addition to front of sunny border.
- Gypsophila Repens rosea D \$9.00  
Lovely ground cover with pink flowers from spring onwards. Sun. 1 to 1.5 litre.
- Helleborus x orientalis Mixed \$10.00  
New Leaf growth after flowering. . May include pink, red or purple pink shades. Light shade.
- Helianthemum Ben Ledi \$9.00  
Evergreen, glossy dark green leaves. Height to 20 cms. Alpine or rock plant. Suitable for over edging. Sun and well-drained soil. Saucer shaped red flowers late spring to summer.

The summer night is like a perfection of thought. 'Wallace Stevens'

Hepatica nobilis Mixed Lavender blue to blue flowers in spring- some have marbled leaves.	Few	\$9.00
Hosta fortunei 'Gold Standard' (Plaintain Lily). 55 cms. Light green leaves turning gold in summer with dark green edge, lavender flowers. Part shade, moist well drained soil. 1.5 to 2 litre pots.	D	\$12.00
Hosta 'Fire Island' To 40 cms. 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. Red stems.	D	\$10.00
Hosta 'Fragrant Blue' To 50 cms. Chalky blue leaves with some corrugation. Holds blue colour well into the season. Light lavender flowers summer.	D	\$10.00
Hosta 'Hudson Bay' To 60 cms. Creamy white centres surrounded by a wide irregular blue/green margin. There is a light green colour that streaks in between the centre colour and margin. Near white flowers. 1 litre.	D	\$10.00
Hosta 'Kiwiskyscraper' 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. 1.5 to 2 litre	D	\$12.00
Hosta Loyalist Pure white centres and very dark green margins. The leaves are heavy with substance. Lavender flowers are produced on white flower stems. 1 litre.	D	\$10.00
Hosta Sieboldiana Glauca 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.	D	\$12.00
Iberis sempervirens (Evergreen Candytuft). To 30 cms. Lovely ground cover for over rocks, walls, edging. Glossy, evergreen foliage and many large white flowers. Sun/part shade, good drainage. Sub-shrub.	Few	\$9.00
Japanese Irises for sun, moist soil and ideal for pond edging. Best collected mid spring.		
Iris Higo 'World's Delight'- 1 metre. Huge pale pink flattened flowers.	D	\$8.00
Lathyrus latifolius 'White Pearl' Large white flowers in summer. Climber. Sun.	Few D	\$9.00
Ligularia reniformis (Tractor seat Ligularia). Mature size - 100 x 100 cms. Bog plant. Huge kidney-shaped, glossy green leaves. Foliage is tractor seat like. Good landscape plant. Yellow flowered daisies mid-summer.. Moist, well drained soil in semi shade. 1 litre pots.		\$9.00
Lychnis viscaria 'Splendens Plena' (Sticky Plant) To 50 cms. Stunning with spikes of double pink flowers spring/summer.	D	\$8.00
Lysimachia congestiflora To 15 cms. Mat forming ground cover. Showy cup-shaped, 5-petaled, yellow flowers from late spring-summer. Part or full shade, moist soil. Suitable for edging, rock garden, waterside garden.	D	\$9.00.

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- Lysimachia punctata* Trimmed for courier D \$8.00  
To 90 cms. Loose spikes of starry yellow flowers in summer. Ground cover for sun or partial shade. Attractive to butterflies and good for cutting. 1 litre.
- Maimanthemum racemosum* Few D \$8.00  
(*Smilacina racemosa*). To 90 cms. Veined mid green leaves and plumes of feathery creamy white flowers from spring to mid-summer, followed by red berries. Part shade. Suits a woodland garden.
- Nierembergia repens* D \$8.00  
(Cup Flower). Cup-shaped white blooms over green foliage. Great ground cover around stepping-stones, between rocks, or in alpine gardens. Light shade to sun and moist to wet soil. Plants grown in more sun will have more blooms but also require more moisture. 1 litre 5 pieces for \$18.00
- Omphalodes Cappodicia Starry Eyes* Few \$10.00  
Perennial forget-me-not. Height to 15 cms. Lots of small powder blue flowers edged and centred with white giving a starry appearance. Tolerates considerable dryness. Suits dry shade, woodland areas, pots. Peaty-rich soil under trees is very suitable for this plant.
- Omphalodes Kuzinskyana* \$8.00  
Everygreen. To 30 cms. Blue, forget me not like flowers from spring onwards. Good ground cover for semi shade. Long flowering. Lightly self seeds.
- Omphalodes verna 'Alba'* D \$9.00  
20 to 30 cms. Dark green, grooved leaves. Useful ground cover for under trees/shrubs. Sprays of white flowers. Light shade, average moisture.
- Ophiopogon Planiscarpus 'Black Dragon'* \$9.00  
(Black Mondo Grass). Popular landscaping plant with deep purple-black grass like leaves, punctuated by dainty flowers of pale violet followed by shiny black berries. Great contrast plant for mass planting in sun or shade. Prefers well-drained soil. 1 litre pots.
- Ourisia coccinea* Few \$12.00  
Red tubular flowers on stems up to 40 cms in summer. Shade, moist but well drained soil. Stunning.
- Paeonia Deep Pink – double* D \$25.00  
1 to 1.2 metres in height. Deep pink, fully double flowers. 4 eyes or buds.
- Oriental Poppies have large cup-shaped flowers from late spring. Sunny, well-drained position.  
Ground cover. May have light second flowering. 60 to 80 cms.
- Papaver orientale 'Doubloon'* -glowing, orange semi-double flowers with black centre. D\$9.00
- Papaver orientale 'Prince Charming'* D \$9.00  
60 cms. Large white flowers with orange edge and black tasselled centre.
- Papaver orientale 'Empress of India'* D \$9.00  
Huge dark red black blotched flowers.
- Peltiphyllum Peltata (Darmera peltata)* D \$9.00  
To 1.3 metres. Rounded cymes of numerous 5-petalled pink flowers to 1.5 cms across in late spring followed by large rounded leaves. Rounded, deeply lobed, coarsely toothed, dark green leaves with conspicuous veins to 60 cms across, that turn red in autumn. Part or full shade. 1 litre.

*Persicaria microcephala* 'Red Dragon' Collect or needs trimmed D \$8.00  
To 90 cms. Beautiful foliage. Pointy heart-shaped leaves are medium green with a silvery V-shaped marking and a bronze centre. Sprays of tiny white flowers late summer. Part or full shade. Large.

Collect Phlox mid spring onwards

*Phlox paniculata* 'Le Madhi' D \$9.00  
90 cms Large fragrant heads of purply flowers in summer. Sun/part shade. Clump forming ground cover.

*Phlox paniculata* 'Starfire' D \$9.00  
Large rounded heads of reddish, fragrant flowers in summer. To one metre. Great for the summer border. Clump forming, ground cover. sun or partial shade.

*Pinellia tripartita* Few D \$9.00  
To 30 cms. Moist well-drained soil part/full shade. Yellowish-green flower late spring/summer.

*Potentilla argrophylla* 'Golden Starlit' Few D \$8.00  
30 cms. Dwarf with deep golden yellow flowers in summer. Eye-catching silvery foliage. Some shade.

*Primula Auricula* \$12.00  
Green varieties – mixed only. Height to 20 cms. Fertile, humusy soil and part shade is ideal.

*Primula Auricula* \$9.00  
Deep purple/cream shade. Good drainage.

*Primula* 'Cowhichan' \$9.00  
Rich velvety red colour. Height to 15 cms. Part shade - spring to summer flowering.

*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 Few D \$9.00  
*Primula sieboldii* Silver/pink-beautiful 2 tone colouring. D \$9.00  
*Primula sieboldii* 'Snowflake' – White D \$9.00  
*Primula sieboldii* Lavender Blue D \$9.00

*Primula sikkimensis* D \$8.00  
Large, fragrant, flared, pale yellow bell-shaped flowers above dense rosettes of crinkled and toothed leaves. Rare species, almost as large as the "Giant Himalayan Cowslip". To 60 cms, 1 litre.

*Pulmonaria angustifolia* D \$8.00  
Low growing with pretty, blue flowers late winter to spring – ground cover that suits part or full shade. Flowers about the same time as snowdrops.

*Pulmonaria* 'Raspberry Splash' Few D \$9.00  
Dusky raspberry-coral flowers in spring. Foliage is strongly silver-marked, sharply pointed and upright. Moist shade. Clump forming.

*Pulmonaria saccharata* 'Leopard' D \$8.00  
30 cms. Clump forming with bold, white spotted dark green leaves and pretty reddish pink flowers late winter/spring. Shade. 1 litre. 5 pieces for \$20.00

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Pulsatillas – Alpine and spring time favourite. Silky hairy flowers. Attractive seed heads with feathery tufts or plumes. Rockery or border edging. Light autumn flowering. Sun.

Pulsatilla vulgaris Mixed – may include red, creamy white or semi-double      Few      \$9.00

Pulsatilla vulgaris ‘Violet Bells’ -purple to violet shades      \$9.00

Pyrethrum Double White      COLLECT or needs Trimmed      D      \$9.00  
To 90 cms. Fully double white flowers in summer. Lovely variety for part shade.

Pyrethrum ‘Robinsons Red’      D      \$9.00  
60 cms. Deep crimson single daisy flowers late spring to summer. Finely-cut, somewhat ferny foliage. Sun. Good cut flowers Cottage gardens and mixed borders. 1.5 litre.

Ratibida pinnata      D      \$9.00  
1.2 metres. (Yellow Coneflower). Showy yellow flowers with droopy soft yellow rays. Cone-like green centres. Attracts insects. Drought tolerant. Excellent cut flower. Sun or part shade. 1 litre.

Reineckia carneo      \$9.00  
To 20 cms. Evergreen ground cover in open woodland or around shrubs. Moist shade. Light pink flowers followed by red berries. Glossy rich foliage.

Rodgersia pinnata ‘Hanna’      Few      D      \$10.00  
To 1.5m. Handsome, attractively bronze tinted leaves. Small star-shaped bright pink flowers in large conical panicles in summer. Suits near ponds in sun/semi shade. Moisture loving and clump forming.

Rodgersia pinnata ‘Superba’      D      \$10.00  
To 1 metre. Rare. Bold, divided leaves. Large airy plumes of creamy to deep-pink flowers in summer. Useful for cutting or drying. Specimen Plant. Moist shade best but will grow in sun at the waterside.

Rudbeckia laciniata      COLLECT      D      \$9.00  
To 2 metres. Flowers are up to 10 cms across and cone-shaped with greenish-yellow centres and back tilted golden yellow rays. Sun/part shade. Moist, well-drained soil. Stunning for back of border.

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

Salvia ‘Blue Hills’      \$9.00  
Height to 45 cms. Beautiful blue flowers in summer. Can be cut back to rebloom early in autumn. Sun. Great for rockery, edging, slope or bank. Attracts butterflies. Long – blooming.

Salvia Bulleyana      D      \$9.00  
RARE. 75 cms. Purple lipped, lemon-yellow flowers throughout summer. The leaves are deeply wrinkled and slightly hairy. Well-drained soil and a sunny position.

Salvia Castanea      D      \$8.00  
To 60 cms. The 25 – 37 mm flowers grow in whorls on an inflorescence about 30 cms long. Castanea, which means ‘chestnut coloured’, refers to the purplish-maroon flowers. Fragrant foliage. Sun. 1 litre.

Salvia ‘Cerro Potosi’      Few      \$9.00  
90 cms. Stunning Salvia with bright magenta pink flowers.

What good is the warmth of summer, without the cold of winter to give it sweetness? ‘J Steinbeck’

D = winter dormant

Salvia microphylla 'Ribambelle'	Few	\$8.00
70 cms. Long stems of soft salmon-pink, cream throated flowers which age to a creamy peach-pink.		
Salvia superba 'Merleau Blue'	D	\$8.00
Stunning deep blue flowers – popular sell out variety. 1 to 1.5 litre pots		
		5 for \$35
Salvia x jamensis Bright Red		\$8.00
Unnamed but stunning bright red flowers. Sun and good drainage.		
Salvia x jamensis 'Nachtvlinder'		\$9.00
Stunning variety with the most beautiful 2 tone maroon/purple and highly fragrant flowers.		
Salvia x jamensis 'Raspberry Royale'	Few	\$9.00
70 cms. Stunning raspberry-purple flowers from late spring, over many months. Sun, good drainage.		
Sanguisorba tenuifolia 'Rubra'	D	\$9.00
To 80 cms. Drooping arching stems of slender bottlebrush like flowers in summer, that are a lovely rosy red colour. Sun. Clump forming habit.		
Scabiosa caucasica 'Blue Mountain'		\$9.00
To 60 cms. Masses of very large blue flowers on tall stalks. Remove old flowers to prolong flowering spring to autumn. Sun, good drainage over winter.		
Scabiosa caucasica 'Fama White'		\$9.00
To 80 cms. Masses of large white flowers on long stems. Suitable for picking. Sun.		
Scabiosa caucasica 'Perfecta alba'		\$9.00
To 60 cms. Frilly white flowers attracting butterflies/bees. Great cut flower. Sun.		
Silene alpestris flore plena	D	\$9.00
20 cms. Delightful pure white double flowers in spring/summer. Part shade, moist, well-drained soil.		
Sisyrinchium 'Snowbells'		\$9.00
20 cms . White, six-petaled, star-like flowers with yellow centres. Sun. Rockery or edging.		
Soldanella – Alpine. In spring, bears nodding, funnel shaped flowers with fringed petals. Some midday shade best or partial shade in warmer areas. Sharply drained soil. Suits shady crevices.		
Soldanella alpine alba - white	Few	\$9.00
Soldanella pindicola – lilac blue	Few	\$9.00
Soldanella villosa – lavender blue	Few	\$8.00
Stachys officinalis ssp. 'Nana	D	\$8.00 or 5 for \$35
Low growing foliage and to about 25 cms when in flower. Whirled, stiff spikes of unusual deep purple pink flowers in summer. Oblong leaves. Sunny border. Good for edging. 1 to 1.5 litre.		
Stachys nivea alba	D	\$8.00
25 cms. Dwarf white variety. Sun. Nice for rockery or edging. 1 litre.		
Stokesia 'Peachies Pick'	D	\$8.00
To 45 cms. Autumn flowering with fluffy, cornflower-like blue flowers. Sun. Suits moist, sandy but well-drained soil, good drought tolerance. Rock garden, front of border, cottage garden. 1 to 1.5 litre.		

D = winter dormant

*Thalictrum lucidum* (Shining Meadow Rue) Collect late spring onwards D \$8.00  
To 1.4 metres. Fragrant flower stems topped with airy puffs of soft cream flowers with bright yellow stamens. Long lasting flowers – good for flower arrangement. Luscious deep green fern-like foliage which turns golden yellow in autumn. Humus rich, moist soil. Light dappled sun.

*Tricyrtis formosana* D \$9.00  
80 cms. Dark green leaf. Lavender white flowers with purple specs and yellow stamens March/April

*Tricyrtis formosana* Variegata D \$9.00  
Soft lavender-pink flowers, heavily spotted in rose-purple. Variegated leaf.

*Uvularia grandiflora* Few D \$8.00  
30-40 cms. Large flower Bellwort is a showy woodland wildflower for the spring and early summer

*Veronica* Dwarf Pink D \$9.00  
Dwarf with bright pink flowers summer/autumn. Slow growing variety. Sun, well drained soil.

*Viola Japonica* (Japanese Violet) D \$8.00  
Spring to autumn flowering - White with purple veins. Deeply dissected leaves. Semi-shade, moist.

*Viola sororia* 'Freckles' D \$8.00  
White blooms speckled with violet in spring. Heart shaped leaves. Leaves/flowers edible. Self sows.

*Zantedeschia* (Arum Lily) D \$8.00  
To 60 cms. Pure white funnel-shaped flowers. Wetland plants, great ground cover for around ponds and streams. Rhizomatous, prolific ground cover. Broad arrow-shaped dark green leaves.

Other:

A perfect summer day is when the sun is shining, the breeze is blowing, the birds are singing,  
and the lawnmower is broken. 'James Dent'

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

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