

Nursery Newsletter and plant picks

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Now that the frigid temperatures have turned to snow and that has turned into swollen rivers and streams, I think we are ready for a glimpse of the sunshine. I hope everyone had a joyous holiday season and weathered the storms in relative comfort. We were lucky here, only the plastic from one of the greenhouses was damaged, no major structural problems. :)

Now it's on to bigger and better things.

Although it is still winter we are preparing to receive our bare root berry shipment: Strawberries, Raspberries, Black, Logan, Boysen and Marion Berries, as well as Currants and Grape plants. Now is a great time to order and make sure you get your pick. Please see our Website for descriptions. Potato seed and rhubarb starts as well as onion sets and walla walla starts will be in soon. We are trying some new varieties of potatoes including organic and fingerling varieties.

We are here and 7 days a week and open from 10am to 5pm every day.

Hope to see you soon!!



Don't forget those birds!!

ON SALE NOW:

Pottery

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Plant Picks

Hamamelis spp.

With a variety of colors and sizes available this is a great plant for this time of year. Fragrant flowers are just starting to break out and the colors are striking. Not to mention an excellent fall color. Find out more about these garden wonders.

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Edgeworthia chrysantha 'Akebono'

A newer and unique plant. Gets to 5' tall and wide. Produces red tinted fragrant flowers in early spring on naked branches similar deciduous daphnes.

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Corylopsis spp.

These are cool plants that come in a variety of shapes and sizes. Most have pendulous flower clusters that bloom in late winter with yellow flowers. They range in size from 3 to 8 feet and are equally as wide. The branching habit is attractive as well.

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Leucothoe s. 'Scarletta'

This is a great well behaved evergreen shrub for the shade. A nice compact 2-3' by 2-3' shrub that is a rich dark green all spring and summer, then turns dark burgundy for the fall and winter. Truly striking and a favorite around here.

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Garden Tips

Just a few this month:

1. Paint tool handles a bright color - Nothing is easier to find than a neon green handle lying in the flower bed
2. Dormant Spray - Now is the time to take care of overwintering bugs and diseases. Lime sulfur and a spreader sticker or oil spray work well.
3. Prune your trees - I'm sure the snow and ice helped out on this one, but now is the time to prune most fruit, flowering and shade trees. (make sure to prune then spray)
4. Clean up early weeds and slugs - Believe it or not, I've seen slugs out already and we all know that weeds just never go away. A little work now goes a long ways later.
5. Enjoy the days when the sun shines!!!

Spring Coupon

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item \$5 or more

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