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Cambria County Conservation District Annual Tree & Plant Sale

ORDER DEADLINE: Friday, March 25, 2022

ORDERS PICK UP: Friday, April 22, 2022 9:30 am-6:30 pm (No early pick-ups)

Pick up location: American Legion County Fairgrounds 883 N. Julian Street

Ebensburg, PA 15931

Proceeds support local conservation efforts and environmental education programs.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE REMOVED FROM THE MAILING LIST, PLEASE CALL (814) 472-2120 or email us at <u>bard@co.cambria.pa.us</u> **FRUIT TREE NOTES:** All apple trees offered this year are semi-dwarf. Peach/pear/plum require some pruning and should be kept pruned to 10-12 feet. If they become too big, they will be unproductive. Trees listed as self-fertile will produce fruit, however will put forth more fruit with a pollinator. Plant 2 different varieties to ensure pollination. All trees are bare-rooted 4'-6' and need to be planted as soon as possible. If not planted, keep cool in moist bedding to keep roots from drying out until planted. Tree tubes and/or protectors are recommended if wildlife damage is a concern. To help you get the best results from your trees, we suggest tuning in to our special session with our Horticulture guru—Tom Ford, on February 24th. (See information later in this catalog). Tree trimming literature will be available at pick up.

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FRUIT TREES:



CRIMSON GALA (Bud10-Dwarfing, cold hardy rootstock, good fire blight resistance, induces wide scaffold branching—tree support recommended) *Pollinator* 4'-6' bare root \$18.00 Intensely colored, striped strain of Gala. The fruit has sweet, yellowish flesh and an attractive crisp texture that makes for a good snacking apple. It's mellow sweetness complements any recipe—you can even get away with using less sugar because of its natural sweetness. (10' Mature Tree)

HONEYCRISP (PP#26644) (Bud9/EMLA111-Semi Dwarf, well anchored root stock, collar rot

This cultivar is a red strain of Honeycrisp. This crisp, juicy, sweet-tart apple has a rich flavor that has made it number #1 in taste panels. Fruit averages 3 inches and up, matures mid September. Tree has outstanding hardiness, and late blooming. Moderately resistant to apple scab. (12'-15' Mature Tree)

4'-6' bare root \$18.00



HAMPSHIRE MAC (Bud9/EMLA111-Semi Dwarf, well anchored root stock, collar rot resistant, and great tolerance to fire blight) *Pollinator* 4'-6' bare root \$18.00 A firm, crisp, and juicy Mac-like apple. This nearly solid red apple has a thin, sturdy skin and bears a mild sweet, sub-acid flavor that becomes more aromatic as it ripens. The cream-colored flesh is firm and crisp—an excellent fresheating and cooking apple. Hampshires are harvested from late September to mid-October, and they have good keeping quality. (12'-15' Mature Tree)



GOLDRUSH (Bud9—Dwarf, winter hardy, resistant to collar rot and less susceptible to fireblight—support recommended)Pollinator4'-5' bare root.\$18.00Best known for its remarkable keeping qualities.Will keep in regular cold storage 10-11 months. Fruit iscrisp and tart off the tree and develops its sugars in storage.It resists oxidation when cut, making anice, yellow sauce and fruit also bakes very well.Resistant to scab and mildew.(8'-10' Mature Tree)

<u>APPLE POLLENIZERS</u> - Plantings which do not use varieties providing adequate cross pollination should use one of the following crab apple varieties for a secondary pollen source. Placed every 50 feet and staggered in adjacent rows.



INDIAN SUMMER CRAB APPLE (Bud9—Dwarf, winter hardy, resistant to collar rot and less susceptible to fire blight—support recommended) 4' bare root. \$18.00 A flowering pollinizer for the early-season bloom. Indian summer produces abundant pink flowers with viable pollen over an extended period. Dwarf matures to 8-10 ft tall. It is noted for its broad-rounded shape, deep rose-red flowers, red fruit, fall color and good disease resistance. Flowers are followed by bright red crabapples (to 3/4" diameter) that mature in fall and persist into winter.



MT. BLANC CRAB APPLE (PP#16939) (Bud10-Dwarfing, cold hardy rootstock, good fire blight resistance, induces wide scaffold branching—tree support recommended) 4' bare root. \$18.00 A pollinizer that has shown good resistance to scab and fire blight. It is best suited for pollinating mid-late season apple varieties. Flowers are white and bloom density is substantial with good pollen compatibility. (8'-10' Dwarf Tree)



SECKEL PEAR (OHxF97) Hardy rootstock, resistant to fire blight & pear decline, good anchoring and high yield efficiency. Semi-Dwarf 4'-5' bare root. \$18.00 Needs a Pollinator. A small pear with rich yellowish-brown skin when fully ripe. Outstanding sweetness makes it one of the best-quality dessert pears. Ideal for the home garden. Tree is vigorous, hardy and productive. Harvest mid September. *Will pollinate Sunrise*.



SUNRISE PEAR (OHxF97) Hardy rootstock, resistant to fire blight & pear decline, good anchoring and high yield efficiency. Semi-Dwarf 4'-5' bare root. \$18.00 Needs a Pollinator. Juicy, aromatic and sweet. This hearty tree produces beautiful yellow pears with a slight blush. Fruit is good for eating fresh or making desserts. Stores well, lasting 2-3 months in proper refrigeration. Disease-resistant to fire blight and pear scab. Harvest mid to late August. *Will pollinate Seckel.*

"All fruit trees should be planted, when possible, away from frost pockets and low lying areas to minimize the risk of injury from late spring frosts. Fruit trees grow best in a well-drained slightly acidic soil. Avoid planting any fruit or vegetable crop near black walnut trees. Black walnut roots contain a substance called juglone that will kill or injure many plant materials including fruit trees." *Tom Ford, PSU Horticulture Educator*



REDHAVEN PEACH (Krymsk86) 4'-6' bare root. \$18.00

A widely planted variety. Tree is vigorous, very bud-hardy and productive. Adorned with profuse, fragrant, pink blossoms in spring, followed by a heavy crop of medium sized, freestone, yellow fruits blushed bright red in mid-late summer. Top-quality fruit is great as a fresh snack or for canning and freezing. Ripens early August. Disease resistant to leaf spot. Self-fertile



FLAMIN FURY PEACH (PF 27A) (Lovell Stock) 4'-6' bare root. \$18.00 A large to very large, yellow fleshed, freestone peach, ripening late August, approximately 31 days after Redhaven. The flesh is firm with very good flavor, leaving your mouth wanting more. The tree is vigorous and productive, and resistant to bacterial spot. Harvest late August—early September. Self-fertile



MESSINA PEACH (NJ352)pp#18091 (Lovell Stock) 4'-6' bare root. \$18.00 Large peaches with a striking red blush, Messina yellow peaches are sweet and juicy. This low-fuzz fruit is delicious eaten straight off the tree, but the firmness of this peach makes it an excellent choice for freezing. The tree is very vigorous, productive and resistant to bacterial spot. Ripens late August. Self-fertile.



SHIRO PLUM (Japanese variety) (Cert Myrobalan) 4'-5' bare root. \$19.00 The best of yellow plums. This variety beats all others in appearance and taste. Luminous yellow skin covers sweet, juicy flesh. A heavy bearer, Shiro grows clusters of plums all throughout the tree. Heat-tolerant. Clingstone. Trees are spreading and very productive. Ripens in late July. Shiro is a good pollinizer for Methley. (18'-20' Mature Tree) Needs a pollinator—Methley can be used.



METHLEY PLUM (Japanese variety) (Cert Myrobalan) 4'-5' bare root. \$19.00 An early plum with fine quality and appearance. The fruit is purple with red sweet flesh and very juicy with a distinctive flavor. Ripening in early to mid-July, Methley is **Self-fertile** and also a **good pollinizer for Shiro**. (18'-20' Mature Tree)

ORNAMENTAL & SHADE TREES



. & SHADE TREES PRAIRIFIRE CRABAPPLE *(Rosaceae)* **NATIVE (Malus) 5' branched, bare-root. \$43.00** Showy, dark pink to red flowers that last long into the spring and are a sight to behold. This variety offers year -round beauty with its changing leaf color. Glossy maroon or purplish-red in spring, the leaves become dark green with purple veins in summer, then bronze color in the fall. Disease resistant and able to adapt to many

SNOWDRIFT CRABAPPLE *(Rosaceae)* **NATIVE (Malus) 6' branched, bare-root. \$44.00** Popular for its attractive looks, fragrant blossoms in the spring and crisp, tart crabapples in the fall. Best used for baking and other culinary uses, crabapples are a smaller counterpart to their medium size cultivar, the apple. This tree is even more appealing in urban and home landscapes because of its adaptation to compact soils. Grows well in many different soils, with at least 6 hours unfiltered sun. Do not over-fertilize. (Mature tree grows to 15'-20' with similar spread)

different soils. Full sun is ideal, at least 6 hours unfiltered. Yields abundant maroon-colored berry-like drupes up to 1/2". Medium growth rate (13"-24" a year.) (Mature tree grows to 15'-20' with similar spread)



AUTUMN BRILLIANCE SERVICEBERRY (Rosaceae) NATIVE 3' bare-root—multi stem \$41.00 This is a small, deciduous, usually multi-trunked understory tree or tall shrub. White flowers in April followed by edible fruits in June. Berries resemble blueberries in taste and may be used in jams, jellies and pies. Finely-toothed, oval-lanceolate leaves (to 3" long) emerge with bronze tints in spring, mature to dark green from late spring throughout summer before finally turning brilliant red to orange-red in fall. Grow in average, medium moist, well-drained loam soil in full sun to part shade. Remove root suckers to avoid a shrubby growth habit. Good plant for bird gardens. (Mature tree typically 15'-20' tall)



PINK LADY WINTERBERRY (*Euonymus bungeanus*) NATIVE SEEDLING 24"- 36" bare-root. Sold 2 seedlings for \$10.00. A large deciduous shrub or a small tree with pendulous branches. Multistemmed at the base or just above the soil surface. Foliage is rather open with glossy light green leaves, changing to yellow, reddish-brown before leaf fall. Flowers are small, white and inconspicuous, but the fruit is brilliant in color –4 lobed capsules with reddish to pink skin. As the capsules open, the red skin of the seed is exposed adding additional color to the winter display. The fruit remains on the plant long after the deciduous leaves fall. Hardy and drought resistant, it can adapt to a wide range of soils. Pink lady can be used alone or in clumps as a medium tall species in a single row—or medium shrub in multi-row windbreak plantings. Can be used as a living screen or noise barrier in recreation and wildlife areas around campgrounds. Persistence of the fruit throughout the fall and into winter will provide color and bird food after many other plants have lost their fruit. (Please note that these are "seedlings" and are smaller than the other bare-root stock)

SHADE TREES (CONT)



SWAMP WHITE OAK (Quercus bicolor) NATIVE Bare root 4' bare root. \$47.00

A striking tree with attractive peeling bark, especially on young trees. The lustrous, lobed leaves have a two-tone appearance, dark green on top with a silvery-white underside. Fall color is an orange-gold to yellow. An excellent shade tree for any landscape. Mature height 50' to 60'. Grows at a medium rate, with height increases of 13–24" per year. Full sun is ideal in acidic, moist, well-drained, and wet soils. It is also drought-tolerant. Yields oblong acorns in pairs, each approximately 1" in length. This species attracts a variety of birds.



RED SUNSET MAPLE (Acer rubrum) NATIVE 4'-5' branched, bare root. \$38.00

Medium sized, deciduous tree. Leaves are medium to dark green above and gray green below. Excellent orange-red foliage color in fall. No serious insect or disease problems. Low maintenance, plant full sun to part shade. Has strong wood and is a vigorous, fast-grower, reaching a height of 50 feet with a spread of 25 to 35 feet, and will take on a pyramidal or oval silhouette.



FALL FIESTA SUGAR MAPLE (*Acer saccharum*) **NATIVE 5**' branched, bare root **\$49.00** Sugar Maples can be shade trees or ornamental in the landscape. Don't plant in confined spaces as they need a large area for growth. The thick, leathery, glossy green foliage turns orange, red, and yellow in fall. They have slow to medium growth, which is around 12-24" per year. Plant in full sun to partial shade, in welldrained, acidic to slightly alkaline soil. It prefers moist soil conditions but has moderate drought tolerance.



NORTHERN PIN OAK (Quercus ellipsolidalis) NATIVE 5' branched, bare root \$35.00

Trees are tapped in February or March when mature. The grow 50'-70' tall x 50' wide.

This oak trunk tapers rapidly with branches drooping at their ends forming a narrow, open crown. Bark is rather smooth, divided by shallow fissures into irregular ridges –grayish to dark brown in color . The leaves typically have seven lobes, bristle-pointed and separated by rounded openings—bright red and hairy in early spring, turning green, and then a bright scarlet in the autumn. The fruit of northern pin oak is a bitter acorn, that is a good food source for birds and mammals. Prefers full sun, can tolerate drought and should be planted in acidic soil. Mature tree 40'-70' tall x 40'-60' in wide.

Evergreens come bundled 10 seedlings to a order. They are dipped in a solution to keep roots moist until you can plant them. Seedlings are planted by "heeling" them into the soil. It is not necessary to dig a large hole. More information can be provided when you pick up your seedlings.

DOUGLAS FIR –Lincoln (Pseudotsuga menziesii glauca) 10 <u>seedlings</u>/\$10.00

Excellent demand as a Christmas tree or an ornamental. Extremely fast growth, superb needle retention and soft. 1" blue-green needles make Douglas the favorite tree for many. Prefers fertile, well-drained, light soil with full sun. Can grow 40'-60' high, spread 15'-25' in an erect pyramid in the landscape. 2 yr. seedlings - 10"-18" high, bare root.



WHITE PINE—Lake States (Pinus strobus) 10 seedlings/10.00

Fast growth to 90-100 feet/spread of 25-40 feet, and excellent needle retention. Soft blue-green needles 3-5" long. Excellent ornamental tree, naturalizing, windbreak or dense screen. Desirable for Christmas trees and reforestation. Tolerates wide variety of soils. Full or partial sun. 2 yr. seedlings – 7"-10" high, bare root.



AUSTRIAN PINE (Pinus nigra) 10 seedlings/10.00

Graceful very hard, rapid growing evergreen with rugged horizontal branches., Endures heat and cold, is tolerant of dust and smoke, and grows well in variety of soils. Ideal for ornamental single specimen planting; good for Christmas trees, windbreak, and soil erosion control. **3 yr. seedlings – 16"-20" high, bare root.**



SCOTCH PINE—French Noble (*Pinus sylvestris*) **10** <u>seedlings</u>/10.00 Beautiful evergreen with rigid, dark green needles. A vigorous-growing, hardy plant, adjusts itself to dry soils. Easily transplanted. One of the fastest-growing of the pine family. Popular for Christmas tree producers and a good ornamental for specimen planting. Excellent for windbreak use. Deer tend not to bother this species of pine. **3 yr. seedlings – 16"-20" high, bare root.**



COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE—San Juan (Picea pungens glauca) 10 seedlings/10.00

The Colorado Blue Spruce is a popular conifer. It's a classic evergreen that is easy to grow and shears very nicely. The shape is conical and the bark is grayish-brown to dark-gray. New growth in the spring is especially blue in color. Once properly established, this spruce has decent drought and flooding tolerance. Naturally deer resistant. The Kaibab variety has a classic look. The colors range from green to blue. **3 yr. seedlings – 12"-18" high, bare root.** The following trees/shrubs are available in **SEEDLINGS** which come bareroot, bundled 3 seedlings to an order. (Recommend tree tubes to aid growth and protect from wildlife)



AMERICAN HAZELNUT (Corylus Amiericana) Native

Also known as American Filbert. Native shrub with tasty nuts prized by cooks for easy-to-crack shells and small sweet kernel. Squirrels love them as well! Hedges can be used as windbreaks, visual screens, and to attract wildlife. Grows to a height of 15'-18', spread of 10'-12' at a medium to fast rate. Full sun/
partial shade in acidic, alkaline, loamy, moist, rich, sandy, well-drained and clay soils. Drought tolerant. Grows in rounded shape. 3 year seedlings 24"-36". Sold 3 seedlings/\$13.00



WEIGELA—Pink Sonic (Weigela florida) ReBlooming

The strongest rebloomer ever seen in weigela. Loads of hot pink flowers in May are followed by waves of blooms until frost. Prefers well-drained soils but fairly adaptable to other soil types. Best flowering occurs in full sun, but light shade isn't harmful. No deadheading needed to see strong reblooming through summer and fall. Grows in a mounded habit to a height and spread of 48"-60". If necessary, prune immediately after the spring bloom. If desired, fertilize in early spring with a granular fertilizer formulated for woody plants, like a rose fertilizer. Bare-root 2' shrub. Sold 1 plant/\$24.00



MINUET LILAC (Syringa x prestoniae)

A hardy shrub with outstanding spring flowers that are highly fragrant. It would look spectacular in your yard planted as a hedge at the side of your house or as a focal point in your landscape. This very prolific lilac is quite breathtaking as a 5-8 foot tall rounded shrub overflowing with a profusion of soft, warm purple flowers. In the fall, the forest green foliage will turn a light yellow, adding color to your autumn land-scape. The Minuet prefers to be left alone, so a lack of pruning will allow for even more blooms. It's easy to care for and hardy in most soils and conditions. Prefers full sun and is a favorite for the local pollinators! Bare-root 2' shrub. Sold 1 plant/\$20.00



HIBISCUS (Syriacus) RED HEART

Also known as Rose of Sharon, is handy if you love the look of tropical flowers, but need something more reliable in a cold climate. A delightful flowering deciduous shrub with slender, upright branches and bright green foliage. The outstanding large white flowers with red centers provide a welcome color accent in summer landscapes. Rose of Sharon is woody, and these hard stems won't die back in the winter. Works well as a foundation plant, hedge, or privacy screen. Plant in Full Sun or Partial Shade, very tolerant of a wide range of soils and needs moderate moisture. When first planted, water weekly or more often in extreme heat. Reaches 5'-8' ft. tall, 6 ft. wide. Blooms midsummer to frost. Attracts butterflies and beneficial pollinators; rarely interests deer. **Bare-root 2' shrub. Sold 1 plant/\$16.00**

VEGETABLE:



JERSEY KNIGHT ASPARAGUS

Superior variety, all male hybrid, high yielding, vigorous in growth, tolerant to fusarium crown and root rot, high resistance to rust. Plant in fertile, well drained soil in a sunny area with a PH of 6.5—7.0. Rows should be 4 foot apart, plants 12 inches apart in row/open furrow, 8 inches deep. Sold 5 (1 Year Crowns) for \$8.00



PURPLE PASSION ASPARAGUS

Considered a connoisseur's selection of asparagus with a **refined sweet flavor** (20% more sugar!) which becomes mildly nutty when cooked. In April and May, a heavy yield of attractive smoky purple spears is produced. They can be harvested for about eight weeks before the plants go to seed. We recommend spacing these plants 12 - 24" apart to ensure room for growth. When your plant matures, it will be approximately 3 - 4' tall x 12 - 24" wide. Plant in loamy, well drain soil, in full sun. Cold hardy and heat tolerant. It takes 3 years to bear. **Sold 5 (1 Year Crowns) for \$8.00**



CANADA RED RHUBARB (Rheum)

A high quality, popular garden vegetable. Long-lived perennial that will grow up to 18" high, with a 24" spread, in a full, mounded form with a lush and vibrant appearance. The red stalks have a tart, acidic flavor eaten raw. When you add sugar the unique flavor will be revealed for the rare gem it is. Delicious in sauces, pies and other desserts. Rich in vitamin C fiber and other nutrients. Plant in well drained soil in full sun. Best if it gets some afternoon shade in the heart of summer. **Sold (3) plugs/\$13.00**

If you see something you like in the catalog—don't delay in ordering! We have reserved the stock listed and are not always able to obtain numbers beyond our original order. Don't wait until the last minute!

BERRIES:



ALLSTAR STRAWBERRY (Fragaria vesca)

A top-performing variety! This easy-care plant is highly disease-resistant, cold hardy, and very vigorous, giving you crops of large, glossy, firm berries with an exceptionally sweet taste and that perfect strawberry shape. You'll want to plant plenty of extras for freezing or making preserves. Ripens in June. **Self-pollinating**. **25 crowns/\$14.00**



FLAVORFEST STRAWBERRY (Fragaria ananassa)

A June bearing strawberry that combines excellent flavor, and high yields. Plants produce beautiful deep red, large, delicious berries that are plump and juicy! Excellent for eating fresh, freezing and in jams, jellies and pastries. Flavorfest exhibits excellent disease resistance to red stele, crown and fruit rot diseases. Produces one large crop of berries over a few weeks time. **Self-pollinating**. **25 crowns/\$14.00**



ALBION STRAWBERRY <u>Everbearing variety</u> (Fragaria vesca)

Everbearing, which means they will flower and fruit continuously from late spring into the fall. Long, conical, symmetrical; firm fruit bursting with sweetness. Plants grow quickly to about 12" in height, with a spread of 12 to 24 inches if grown in full sun and very rich, well-drained soil. Plants need moisture and require weekly watering (if there isn't consistent rain) in order to produce good, plump berries. Resists Verticillium wilt, Phytophthora crown rot and resistance to anthracnose crown rot. **Self-pollinating. 25 crowns/\$14.00**



JEWEL BLACK RASPBERRY (Rubus occidentalis)

Vigorous and erect, this raspberry adapts to many areas. Large berries of excellent flavor ripen in June. Good soil, mulch and ample water help success with one of the best treats in spring. Space in a 4' circle or 3' apart in rows 5' wide. **Self-pollinating**. **1 Year Rooted cuttings**. **5 cuttings/\$18.00**



HERITAGE RED RASPBERRY <u>Everbearing Variety</u> (Rubus idaeus)

This variety produces abundant crops of large, sweet, dark red berries that are perfect for eating fresh, canning, freezing, jams and jellies. Self-supporting, upright canes are hearty enough to grow in poor soil, but require a well -drained site. Cold-hardy. Floricane berries ripen in July. Primocane berries ripen in September through frost. Plant 3' - 4' apart to ensure room for growth. This variety can be mown, or hand cut low to the ground (1"-2") in early spring. Self-pollinating. 1 Year Rooted Cuttings. 5 cuttings/\$18.00



ELDERBERRY (Sambucus canadensis) NATIVE

American, or common Elderberry grows in medium to wet, well-drained soils in full sun to part shade. Expansive, flat, white flowers give way to clusters of black elderberry fruits in late summer. The fruit can be used to make jams, jellies, pie fillings and elderberry wine. Berries have a very high anthocyanin content. **Self Pollinating.** Bare root seedling 2' to 3' Sold 3 seedlings/\$13.00

Special note: Do not plant Red Raspberries within 75-100 feet of Black raspberries. Black raspberries may be more susceptible to viral diseases carried by aphids to and from nearby raspberry plants. If you have limited space, always **plant black raspberries upwind** from the **red raspberries** so that aphids are not blown by wind from red to black raspberries.

Blueberry plants are self fertile plants, however, for heavy fruit production **we recommend** purchasing two different varieties for cross pollination. Plant in acidic soil, in full sun (at least 6 hours) for best fruit production. Mulch with year old mulch. (Pine preferred). New mulch depletes nitrogen and can kill young plants. Information available at pick-up.

BLUEBERRIES (Vaccinium)

All varieties sold in 1 Gallons pots/ \$14.00



SPARTAN (Early season)

Northern highbush cultivar ripening mid July. Exceptionally attractive and tasty fruit is often larger than a quarter in size with a tangy sweet flavor. Large, glossy-green foliage becomes orange and yellow in fall. Bush is moderate-growing, upright 5'-6' tall, 4'-5' ft wide. Blueberries prefer slightly acidic (4.0-5.5 pH), well-drained soil rich in organic matter. Peat moss, sawdust and composted oak leaves are good amendments to add humus and lower the pH. Plant in full sun. Water well the first growing season, but do not overwater.



DRAPER (Mid Season)

This is a leading choice for home gardens in the areas where Northern Highbush does best! Compact habit, light blue berries with firm complex sweet flavor, long storage life, and is highly productive as a young plant. (Bearing age 1-2 years after planting) Easy to harvest in late July. Thicker skin gives the fruit a great crisp texture and a resistance to splitting. Hardy bush 4'-5'ft in height and spread. Needs full sun to do its best, planted in well-drained acidic soil. Partially self-fertile so plant another variety for greater fruit production.



AURORA (Late Season)

This highbush variety is selected for it's late ripening to extend your blueberry harvest. The large, dark blue berries can be harvested in late summer or early autumn after the plants have dropped their leaves. This blueberry has 3 distinct harvests, with the first harvest fruit (typically in mid-August) being more acidic and less sweet than the two later harvests. Wait to harvest until fully ripe. Aurora grows to 6' tall 4'wide stocky grower. It can benefit from thinning of canes to encourage air flow. Develops a deep red fall color. Full sun, acidic soil.

The following perennial flowers are provided by Faught's Garden Center and are being sold in a larger <u>6"pot</u>, resulting in a <u>larger starter plant</u> for you. Sold 3 pots for \$18.



COPPER SUN (Gaillardia aristata) Sold 3 pots/\$18

Kickoff your late spring garden with countless copper-orange flowers. Each fluted petal is tipped in glowing yellow. Top-notch flowering continuing into fall, the autumnal-hued blossoms highlight silverygreen compact foliage. Features an excellent branching habit with multiple buds on every stem. This series demonstrates excellent heat tolerance in all regions. Large flowerheads are pollinator favorites. Very drought resistant. Deer resistant and carefree. Best in poor loose soils, full sun. Grows to 12"x12". Pinching encourages rebloom.



FIRECRACKER CREEPING SEDUM (sedum) Sold 3 pots/\$18

Sizzling color for your hot, dry problem areas. Burgundy red, succulent foliage opens with a hint of mint green on compact, low growing, upright plants that are multi branched from a single stem. In late summer, intense, hot pink flower clusters bloom on cherry red stems and last for weeks. Use the vigorous, drought tolerant plants as a dramatic edger, in containers, as a perennial groundcover, to attract butterflies to your garden. Thrives on neglect in average to poor soils. Full Sun, grows 4"-6" tall, with a 16"-18" spread. Careful watering is essential in getting perennials off to a good start. Water thoroughly at least once a week to help new roots grow down deeply. Once established sedum is very drought tolerant.



ROYAL RED BUTTERFLY BUSH (Buddleja davidii) Sold 3 pots/\$18

Known to be one of the most attractive buddleia to pollinators and provides pollen throughout the summer and fall. Royal Red has a slightly looser habit, keeping in lower in height, around 4'x4' foot. As with other buddleia, the flower display may be enhanced by pruning it to within a foot in late winter/early spring. Royal Red is not a true red but rather is a deep red/purple/wine color. It's leaves are a deeper green compared to other buddleia. Note: Deadheading will keep the plant looking neater and help prevent it from being invasive. Plant in full sun in medium moist soil, away from home foundations. Once established very drought resistant. Buddleia breeders produced cultivars that

are, in effect, sterile—producing so little seed they are considered non-invasive varieties.



SUPERBLUE LAVENDER (Lavandula angustifolia) Hardy Variety Sold 3 pots/\$18

Aromatic green foliage with a silvery-bluish cast, along with masses of beautiful spikes of fragrant violet flowers with blue overtones rising above the foliage from early to late summer. Most effective when planted in groupings - this variety is excellent for borders and edging in a sunny spot. This is a relatively low maintenance shrub, and can be pruned at anytime. Grow in full sunlight in dry to average moisture levels with very well-drained soil. Grows 10 inches tall at maturity, with a spread of 12 inches. Good variety for cut flowers.



RED WING CREEPING PHLOX (*Phlox subulata*) **Native Sold 3 pots/\$18**

Easily spotted from a distance, striking pinkish-red blooms show off deep red centers. This stunning ground cover grows just about anywhere with very little effort. Bright, cheery color appears quickly in late spring amid the needlelike, semi-evergreen leaves to create a lush carpet. Looks fabulous in borders and creeping over rock gardens! When contrasting colors are planted together they create a patchwork of glorious hues that flood your landscape for a breathtaking effect. Easy to grow. Plant in well drained soil, in full or partial sun. Grows 4-6 in. high with a spread of 12-18 inches. You can clip plants lightly immediately after blooming to encourage a dense habit. Drought tolerant, deer resistant.



VERONICA VERY VAN GOGH (Speedwell) Sold 3 pots/\$18

This posh perennial produces a plethora of paintbrush-like, purple flowers on heavily branched scapes from midsummer into late summer. Honeybees, hummingbirds, and butterflies delight in their sweet nectar. Each main flower spike is surrounded by up to a dozen secondary flower spikes, resulting in a prolonged season of bloom. Veronica is highly valued for its ease of growth and long bloom time. The spiky flowers are an excellent contrast to the more common rounded flower shapes like Daisies, Coneflower, and Black Eyed Susans. Prefers evenly moist soil with good winter drainage. Can be divided every 3 years in spring or fall. To keep plant tidy, shear back by 1/2 after flowering. If not cut back in summer, prune down to basal growth in late autumn. Grows 18"-20" high, with a spread of 20"-24", in full sun or mostly sunny. Normal soil.

**In some cases growing conditions may force a substitution in color of the varieties we are offering. We don't anticipate this, but will notify you if such an event occurs.

<u>PERENNIAL FLOWERS</u> (The flowers listed below are provided by Musser's Nursery and come in <u>3"</u> <u>pots</u>, in their <u>dormant</u> stage. New growth should appear in June. These will be sold 3 pots for \$8.00.



BLACK-EYED SUSANS (Rudbeckia fulgida 'Goldstrum') Native

A very vigorous and compact variety, exceptionally bright golden daisy-like flower with brown centers, July into fall. Height and spread of 2' to 2 1/2'. Easily re-seeds and attracts wild birds, (a favorite of wild turkeys). Spectacular in mass plantings, along fences, walks and property boundaries. Plant in well drained soil, full sun. **Comes in 3" pots**. **3 pots**/**\$8.00**



PURPLE CONEFLOWER (Echinacea purpurea) Native

Large, daisy-like flowers grow on sturdy stems generally 3' tall. The flower petals range in color from purple to lavender. The seed center is a large, copper colored cone, hard and prickly. Blooms all summer and into autumn. Full sun or partial shade. Prefers well drained fertile soil, but is drought tolerant. Goldfinches and other birds love to feast on the seeds in winter. **Comes in 3'' pots. 3 pots/\$8.00**

GROUND COVER:



VINCA MINOR (Myrtle) Periwinkle

Quite often called Periwinkle. Nursery grown ground-hugging plant growing 3 to 6 inches in height. Extra large leaf with perfect lilac-blue flowers March-April. One of the best ground covers for partial sun or full shade. Heavy plants with 10 to 20 runners tied together to form one clump; 50 clumps per bundle of 50. Do not separate clumps; plant as one unit in clean soil, free of weeds, 6"-12" apart in partial or full shade. Sold 50 clumps/\$30.00

PACHYSANDRA (*Spurge*) Grows in sun or shade to a uniform height of 6"-12". Excellent in masses under heavy shade trees. Dense, lustrous evergreen, trailing vine-type ground cover. White flowers, March to early April. Plant 6" apart and it will give a pleasing effect immediately and in two years time form a solid ground cover. Any soil, water liberally until established. Very hardy. **Sold 50 rooted** cuttings/\$30.00

We offer ground cover as requested by customers. They are used where grass or other plants struggle to grow, and to help prevent erosion on larger properties/locations. If left unattended, they can become invasive, We urge you to read up on how to maintain your cover areas. Information is available from the USDA Forest Service.

FLOWERING PERENNIAL BUSH: PEONY (Paeonia)

Classic perennials loved for their exquisite flowers, fragrance and bold foliage. Bloom late May—June, foliage remains attractive until frost. Reliable and vigorous reaching a height 30"- 36" and 24"-36" spread. Plant in rich, fertile medium moist, well drained soil—in full sun. Can tolerate late afternoon shade. Deer & rabbit resistant, attractive to butterflies, excellent cut flowers. Seldom needs divided or moved, but if necessary do in the fall. Trim old stems to the ground in late fall to help prevent disease. Stake or surround bush with low fencing to prevent flowers from drooping to the ground. Typically don't flower the 1st year of planting. Planting information available at pick-up.



CORAL SUNSET- Herbaceous Available in a "3-5 eye" crown. Sold 1 crown/\$25

Among the first peonies to bloom! (May) The **large, semi-double bowl-shaped** blossoms, with elegantly ruffled petals, emerge intense coral with rose overtones before gradually fading to pale ivory. Modestly fragrant, on strong stems. Grows up to 32" in height and 24"-36" in spread.



SARAH BERNHARDT—Herbaceous Available in a "3-5 eye" crown. Sold 1 crown/\$16

Beloved peony with **large double flowers** in fresh, pastel pink. This longtime favorite blooms dependably year after year and presents a healthy amount of emerald green foliage to add interest to the garden. Blooms heavily in late spring/early summer. Staking suggested as the large flowers tend to arch toward the ground.



FESTIVA MAXIMA—Herbaceous Available in 1 gallon pot. Sold 1 pot/\$20

Remarkably beautiful, **large** (5-7" across), **pure white double flowers**, packed with frilly petals, occasionally flecked with crimson. Delightfully fragrant and will take your breath away. The flowers are borne on strong stems and always look their best. Late spring—early summer bloom.



BOWL OF BEAUTY- Herbaceous Available in 1 gallon pot. Sold 1 pot/\$20

Lovely fuchsia pink petals create a bowl around the pale lemon yellow center of each bloom. Large anemone-shaped blossoms, 8" wide, delightfully fragrant and born on sturdy stems above the lush green foliage. Late spring-early summer bloom.



FELIX CROUSSE—Herbaceous Available in 1 gallon pot. Sold 1 pot/\$20

A true garden classic, loved by American gardeners with its large, double blossoms richly packed with raspberry red petals, elegantly ruffled with a delicate silvery sheen at their tips. Stunning seasonal color. This prolific, mid- to late season bloomer is lovely massed in borders.

WILDLIFE BOXES:



CLASSIC EASTERN BLUEBIRD BOX WITH VENTS & PLUGS - \$30.00

Approved by the North American Bluebird Society. 7/8" Kiln Dried Cedar. Overall Size 7.25" x 9.25" x 12", 1.5" entry hole with a 7/8" predator guard. Overhanging roof with ventilation. Easy open front for monitoring and cleaning. Accommodates other species of birds such as tree swallows, chickadees, titmice and nuthatches. Installation instructions included.





BLUEBIRD FEEDER \$35.00

If you enjoy bluebirds who tend to overwinter, you may be interested in this feeder. Made with kiln dried cedar, inside acrylic plastic guard to prevent mealworm escape and inside perches to help young bluebirds exit. Can be a hanging feeder or post mounted feeder. Size:14"W x 9"D x 9.5"H, Weight: 5.5 lbs



BAT HOUSE – 1 CHAMBER \$28.00 Assembled cedar wood, grooved landing pad for easy landing, air vents, top joints sealed for warmth, grooved inside chamber walls. Overall size 10" W x 4" D x 16"H. Placement instructions included. **Good for natural mosquito and insect control**. (Can hold 25+ bats) Also available in 2 & 3 chamber size. (Call for pricing on larger boxes)

**Other wildlife boxes, such as bird, butterfly, duck and squirrel, as well as feeders, are available upon request. Call our office for more information and pricing.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST: TREE BARK PROTECTORS \$6.00 each/2 ft. protector \$7.00 each/3 ft. protector

An attractive solution to animal and lawn care equipment damage. Deer, squirrels, rabbits and groundhogs cannot bite or rub tree bark through this rigid plastic mesh. Trunks are shielded by open mesh, preventing moisture and mildew buildup. The protectors won't harbor insects and animals. Designed to blend in, flexible and easy to install. Sold in 24 inch and 36 inch length, each with 4-inch diameter. Comes with zip ties. Recommended for fruit/shade/flowering trees where wildlife is an issue. Also available in 4' and 6'.





TUBEX TREE SHELTER 1 Tube Set/\$6.00 (3 foot) (Price varies with size)

Tree shelters are a vital component when attempting to establish hardwood trees and bushes from **seedlings**. The twin-walled, solid, translucent tubes provide maximum protection from animal browse, wind, chemical sprays and equipment. In addition, the greenhouse environment created inside the shelter promotes growth. Includes wood stake, releasable ties, mesh netting to keep

birds from nesting. (Also available in sizes from 2' - 5', call for price.)

FERTILIZER TABLETS - 25 tablets/\$6.00

This unique fertilizing tablet is designed to root feed evergreen and hardwood seedlings and trees, shrubs, roses, fruit, flower and shade trees, for up to two years. It is easy to use, completely non-burning and promotes vigorous growth. The tablet is simply dropped into the hole at the root zone of the plant at planting time. It releases fertilizer slowly for a two year period. These tablets do not dissolve by water, but depend upon the action of soil bacteria to convert their nutrients to a form that can be used by plants. Tablets are 10 grams each, 20% Nitrogen, 10% Phosphoric Acid, 5% Potash. TABLETS SHOULD NOT TOUCH ROOTS. FERTILIZE AT PLANTING TIME. --- Number Of Two Year Fertilizer Tablets Per Size



Plant: 1 Tablet All Seedlings, Transplants, Rooted Cuttings*** 2 Tablets Container Grown Plants, Roses*** 1 Tablet For each half inch trunk diameter, Large Trees and Evergreens*** 2 Tablets Heavy Field Grown Plants.

We do all things possible to ensure that your seedlings and plants arrive to you healthy. All stock is purchased from certified nurseries. All seedlings, trees and shrubs are bare-rooted except for potted plants. Please inspect your order at the pick-up location. We have no control over seedlings once they are picked up, therefore, we cannot guarantee survival and will not be held responsible.

Orders picked up after the April 22nd date will not be guaranteed.

Home & Fruit Production Webinar

Selection, Planting, & Maintenance of Trees, Fruit Bearing Plants and Ornamentals

Date: February 24, 2022

Time: 7:00 pm—9:00 pm

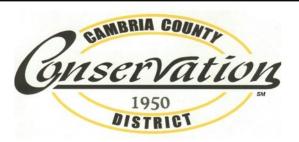
Register by: February 21st

Please be sure to reserve your spot now for this very informative session! Call 472-2120 or email bard@co.cambria.pa.us Penn State Extension Horticulture Educator, Tom Ford, will discuss information focusing on fruit bearing trees. Featured topics will include:

- Plant Selection
- •Proper Planting Practices
- •Mulching Practices
- •Pruning Techniques
- Pest Management

Questions will also be addressed regarding maintenance of woody ornamentals and fruit bearing plants, such as raspberries, elderberries and strawberries.

In order to keep our customers safe, we will be holding this session in a ZOOM format, as we did in 2021. We are fortunate to bring this to you again with the help of Penn State Extension. **Tom Ford has led many successful zoom sessions and is ready to share his knowledge and answer your questions**.



When you RSVP, please provide your name and <u>email address</u>. You will be sent an invitation and link that will give you instructions on how to join in the Zoom session.

Please <u>check your email after February 21st</u> for this information. We will also email you handouts and information that will be presented.

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Honeycrisp Apple (PP26644)	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Crimson Gala Apple	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Hampshire Mac Apple	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Goldrush Apple	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		R
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Sunrise Pear	1 tree (4'-5' in height)		x \$18.00 =		R
Redhaven Peach	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Flamin Fury Peach (PF27A)	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Messina Peach (PP18091)	1 tree (4'-6' in height)		x \$18.00 =		
Shiro Plum	1 tree (4'-5 in height)		x \$19.00 =		S
Methley Plum	1 tree (4'-5' in height)		x \$19.00 =		
Prairifire Crabapple	1 tree (5' in height)		x \$43.00 =		
SnowDrift Crabapple	1 tree (6' in height)		x \$44.00 =		
Autumn Brilliance Serviceberry	1 tree (3' multi stem)		x \$41.00 =		
Pink Lady Winterberry	2 seedlings (24"-36")		x \$10.00 =		ar
Swamp White Oak	1 tree(4' in height)		x \$47.00 =		
Red Sunset Maple	1 tree (4'-5' in height)		x \$38.00 =		
Fall Fiesta Sugar Maple	1 tree (4'-5' in height)		x \$49.00 =		
Northern Pin Oak	1 tree (4'-5' in height)		x \$35.00 =		D
Douglas Fir	10 seedlings (10"-18")		x \$10.00 =		
White Pine	10 seedlings (7"-10")		x \$10.00 =		
Austrian Pine	10 seedlings (16"-20")		x \$10.00 =		
Scotch Pine	10 seedlings (16"-20")		x \$10.00 =		7
Colorado Blue Spruce	10 seedlings (12"-18")		x \$10.00 =		
American Hazelnut	3 seedlings (2-3 ft)		x \$13.00 =		
Weigela - Pink Sonic	1 shrub (2 ft)		x \$24.00 =		D
Minuet Lilac	1 shrub (2 ft)		x \$20.00 =		Õ
Hibiscus - Red Heart	1 shrub (2 ft)		x \$16.00 =		╽┖┻┛
Jersey Knight Asparagus	5 - 1 year crowns		x \$8.00 =		
Purple Passion Asparagus	5 - 1 year crowns		x \$8.00 =		
Canada Red Rhubarb	3 Plugs		x \$13.00 =		U
Allstar Strawberry	25 crowns		x \$14.00 =		$\overline{\mathbf{O}}$
FlavorFest Strawberry	25 crowns		x \$14.00 =		
Albion Strawberry (Everbearing			x \$14.00 =		
Jewel Black Raspberry	5 cuttings		x \$18.00 =		
Heritage Red Raspberry	5 cuttings		x \$18.00 =		1
Elderberry	3 seedlings (2'-3')		x \$13.00 =		1
Spartan Blueberry	1 Gallon		x \$14.00 =		1
Draper Blueberry	1 Gallon		x \$14.00 =		1
Aurora Blueberry	1 Gallon				•
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Copper Sun Gaillardia	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =			Τ	
Firecracker Creeping Sedum	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =				
Royal Red Butterfly Bush	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =				
Superblue Lavender	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =				
Red Wing Creeping Phlox	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =				
Veronica Very Van Gogh	3 pots (6" pots)		x \$18.00 =				
Black-Eyed Susan	3 pots (3" pots)		x \$8.00 =				
Purple Coneflower	3 pots (3" pots)		x \$8.00 =				
Vinca Minor	1 order (50 clumps)		x \$30.00 =				
Pachysandra	1 order (50 clumps)		x \$30.00 =				
Coral Sunset Peony	1 (3-5 eye crown)		x \$25.00 =				
Sarah Bernhardt Peony	1 (3-5 eye crown)		x \$16.00 =				
Festiva Maxima Peony	1 gallon pot		x \$20.00 =		N	l	
Bowl of Beauty Peony	1 gallon pot		x \$20.00 =			l	
Felix Crousse Peony	1 gallon pot		x \$20.00 =		2022	l	
Classic Eastern Bluebird Box	1 box		x \$30.00 =			l	
Bluebird Feeder	1 feeder		x \$35.00 =			,	
Bat House - 1 Chamber	1 box		x \$28.00 =		S		
Tree Bark Protector	2 ft. protector/w zipties		x \$6.00 =		Ň		
Tree Bark Protector	3 ft. protector/w zipties		x \$7.00 =				
Tubex Tree Shelter	1(3') tube/stake/ties/net		x \$6.00 =				
Fertilizer Tablets	25 tablets		x \$6.00 =				
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We are now able to accept Credit Cards, however you will be charged 2.95% or a \$2.50 minimum service fee with this transaction, assessed by the credit card processor.

Your statement will reflect 1) payment to the Conservation District, 2) service fee.

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Once your order is processed, you will receive an emailed receipt for the transaction. Your card number will be removed from this form to secure your privacy.

> Pick up your order on Friday, April 22, 2021 Between 10:00 am - 6:30 pm (no early pick-ups) American Legion County Fairgrounds 883 N. Julian St., Ebensburg, PA 15931

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