



Pleasant Run Nursery

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2022
New Plants

Warm Greetings from Pleasant Run Nursery

2021 was a challenging year for all of us on so many levels. What it made clear is that our industry is respected and valued by the public, and that our role in healing the world is critical. Horticulture has given people gifts that are widely appreciated, in both public spaces and private homes. There is a greater interest in pollinator and environmentally friendly plants which sustain birds and wildlife, while improving the health of our communities. We at Pleasant Run Nursery are proud of our commitment to provide the highest quality plant material grown in a sustainable environment. Our goal is to make it easier for you, our customers, to sell or install the best plants for challenging sites. To green our private and public spaces is one of the most important accomplishments we can achieve for ourselves, our communities and future generations. We look forward in 2022 to work in partnership with you in achieving these goals.

Rich, Heidi and Carl





About Pleasant Run Nursery

Directions:

- NJ Turnpike to Exit 7A, then East on I-195 to Exit 8
- Go right at the end of the ramp, toward Allentown
- After passing the lake & High St (left), take left onto Ellisdale Rd.
- Follow Ellisdale Rd. 1.25 miles to 93 Ellisdale Rd., on left
- Turn down gravel drive, and the nursery office is on the right

Always check in at the nursery office first when you arrive.

Please do not bring your pets to the nursery. We have several animals on the farm and are concerned about safety and disruption for everyone. We appreciate your cooperation.

March through December Hours:

(March hours depend on weather)

Mon-Fri: 7AM – 4PM

(Closed for loading 12PM – 1PM)

Saturday: 7AM – 12PM

Closed Sunday

January and February Hours:

Open by appointment only—please feel free to call us.

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GUIDE TO ICONS

☀ Sun

☀ Partial Shade/Shade Tolerant

☀ Shade

🏆 PHS Gold Medal Plant

🦌 Deer Resistant

GC Groundcover

N Native

😊 Pleasant Run Nursery
Preferred Selection

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CONTRACT GROW PROGRAM

“Our experience with Pleasant Run Nursery’s Contract Grow Program was amazing. The plant quality was excellent and working with the nursery’s staff leading up to the project was a breeze. We highly recommend using their contract grow program for large-scale projects!”

—Brooklyn Grange LLC

Pleasant Run Nursery is excited to offer the ability to contract grow plant material for specific job sites or installations. We have successfully grown Woody Ornamental and Herbaceous plants for Landscape Contractors, Estate Managers and Park Systems. We work with a broad list of suppliers, so we have the ability to source liners and we have the space to grow the material you need to meet your planting schedule.



Photo courtesy of Brooklyn Grange LLC



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SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES

We were the first wholesale nursery in New Jersey to be recognized as a New Jersey Sustainable Business. We qualified for this in twelve different categories, and we work on adding to them every year. The areas which gave us eligibility are:

- Develop Environmentally Preferable Purchasing Plan (FSC paper & 100% recycled paper used)
- Waste Reduction (water coolers throughout nursery)
- Waste Reuse (used office paper becomes scrap paper)
- Waste Recycling (containers, hoop house plastic, aluminum cans)
- Energy Efficiency (new bulbs are all halogen)
- Renewable Energy (solar power)
- Employee Commuting (carpooling)
- Electronic Fleet Vehicles (golf carts)
- Water Conservation (drip irrigation, pulse-style irrigation schedule)
- Stormwater Management and Site Design (bioswale, rain gardens, permeable surfaces)
- Supporting the wellbeing of our employees (vegetable gardens, eggs & honey)
- Environmental & Community Restoration (numerous working beehives)



Woody Ornamental Plants

Our broad range of woody ornamentals includes trees, shrubs and vines which are proven to be successful for multiple applications in the Northeast. We grow many native selections which offer beauty as well as improved habitat benefits to the landscape.

Buddleia x Pugster Pinker™

Large deep pink flower spikes are produced over green foliage all summer. Habit is compact, with good cold tolerance.

Zone: 6 H: 2' S: 2'



Carpinus betulus Emerald Avenue®

Neat dark green leaves on a tight oval habit, followed by good yellow fall color. A tough, attractive street tree option. (PP22814)

Zone: 5 H: 40' S: 28'



Carpinus betulus Emerald Avenue®
(Photo: J. Frank Schmidt & Son)

Cornus florida 'Dixie Colonade'

White bracts tip green foliage in April and May. Habit is distinctly columnar.

Zone: 5 H: 22' S: 8'



Cornus florida 'Erica's Appalachian Sunrise'

Bright pink bracts cover burgundy foliage in April and May. The leaves mature to green and then become shades of red in the fall. Powdery mildew resistant.

Zone: 5 H: 20' S: 15'



"In the past, we have asked one thing of our gardens: that they be pretty. Now they have to support life, sequester carbon, feed pollinators and manage water." — Doug Tallamy, homegrownnationalpark.net

Cornus kousa 'Little Poncho'

Showy white bracts over clean green leaves in May and June, followed by red fruit and reddish purple foliage in fall. Compact habit with lots of flowers.

Zone: 5 H: 8' S: 6'



Hydrangea House

Cornus sericea 'Kelsey'

Small white flower clusters in late spring over green foliage on a short rounded habit. Yellow fall foliage and red twigs in winter.

Zone: 5 H: 3' S: 3'



Hydrangea arborescens Invincibelle® 'Ruby'

Ruby red to soft pink mophead flowers over green foliage starting in early summer. A good cut flower on strong stems. (PP28317)

Zone: 3 H: 4' S: 3'



Hydrangea paniculata Fire Light Tidbit®

Lots of cone-shaped white mopheads crown a very compact green form in mid summer. The flowers mature in cooler weather to shades of rose pink and red; very showy. (PP25135)

Zone: 3 H: 3' S: 3'



Hydrangea quercifolia Gatsby Star®

White hose-in-hose panicles crown green Oak-like leaves in mid summer to fall. The long double flowered blooms take on shades of rose pink as they age, and the fall color is showy. (PP25412)

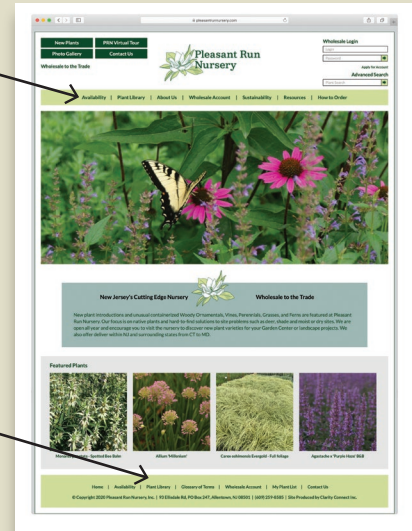
Zone: 5 H: 8' S: 8'



LET OUR WEBSITE HELP YOU SUCCEED

Our website is a powerful tool for selecting the right plants for your jobs. It includes:

- Availability with pricing updated DAILY during the growing season. Complete the Wholesale Application to view pricing
- Advanced Plant Search: find the right plant by attribute, bloom time, exposure, soil conditions, height/spread and numerous other characteristics
- Plant Library featuring descriptions and pictures of over 1,200 plants
- Groundcover calculator to estimate proper plant numbers



Ask to join our mailing list and get weekly updates, availability and plant pictures!

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Ilex verticillata Wildfire™

Large red berries appear on branches of green foliage in early fall. A mid-sized Winterberry which requires 'Jim Dandy' as the pollinator.

Zone: 4 H: 8' S: 8'



Syringa pekinensis Summer Charm®

Creamy white panicles top neat dark green leaves in June. A good choice for small street trees as well as smaller gardens. (PP8951)

Zone: 3 H: 20' S: 15'



"When you're enveloped by a garden, it's a much deeper experience. You become more a part of the world around you." – Piet Oudolf

Weigela florida Very Fine Wine™

Pink trumpet-shaped flowers are set off by dark purple foliage in late spring. Habit is compact and attractive throughout the summer. Any pruning should be done after flowering only.

Zone: 4 H: 30" S: 30"





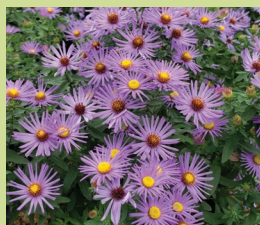
Photo: Austin Aronsson (Melillo & Bauer Assoc. Inc.)

Pleasant Run Nursery Preferred Plants

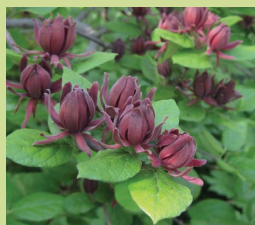
We have identified plants which have proved excellent in both production and landscape settings. This icon (☺) designates specific plants which we at Pleasant Run Nursery feel are particularly successful and worthwhile.



Aesculus parviflora



Aster oblongifolius
'Raydon's Favorite'



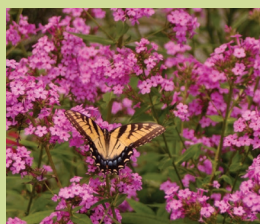
Calycanthus floridus
'Michael Lindsey'



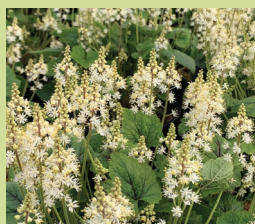
Chelone obliqua
'Tiny Tortuga'



Lindera angustifolia



Phlox paniculata
'Jeana'



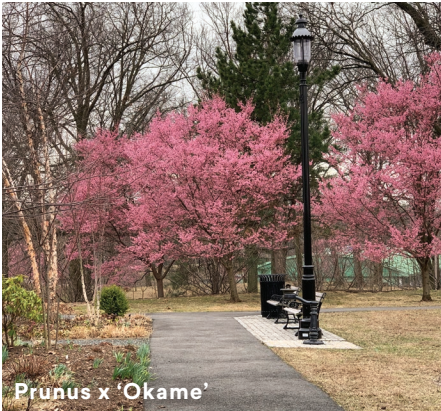
Tiarella cordifolia
'Brandywine'



Viburnum rhytidophyllum
'Green Trump'

The tables below will be a helpful guide to plants for various landscape applications.
We have listed a few options for each area, but there are many more plants to be found on our website for these situations. In order to save space, we have listed the plants primarily by Genus unless there is a specific cultivar we suggest.

Trees in Containers		
There are a number of great trees which show poor survival rates when dug in the fall, so the season for digging them successfully is very short. There are also a number of trees which may be in short supply in B+B at various times of the year. As a result, we are expanding our selection of container grown trees to include trees which are important and beautiful additions to the landscape. Since container trees are planted without having their roots severed, they usually catch up quickly with larger B+B trees.		
We have also seen an increased interest in plants for tight spaces as people move to smaller yards. There are a number of trees that have an upright growth habit without sacrificing beauty and function. They offer beauty in multiple seasons, making gardens rewarding even if the space is small.		
Fall Dig Hazard		
• Acer rubrum cultivars	• Ilex opaca	• Quercus bicolor
• Betula nigra cultivars	• Liquidambar species	• Quercus rubra
• Carpinus species	• Nyssa sylvatica cultivars	• Stewartia species
• Crataegus viridis 'Winter King'	• Platanus species	• Styrax species
• Fagus grandifolia	• Prunus species	• Tilia species
• Halesia species	• Quercus alba	• Ulmus parvifolia cultivars
Tight Spaces (*= Fall Dig Hazard)		
• *Acer rubrum Armstrong Gold®	• *Liquidambar styraciflua 'Slender Silhouette'	• Quercus palustris Green Pillar®
• *Carpinus betulus 'Frans Fontaine'	• *Magnolia x 'Sun Spire'	• *Quercus x Kindred Spirit®
• *Celtis occidentalis Prairie Sentinel™	• Parrotia persica cultivars	• *Styrax japonicus 'Evening Light'
• Chionanthus retusus 'Tokyo Tower'	• *Quercus bicolor Beacon®	• Taxodium distichum Lindsey's Skyward™
Other Ornamental Options in Containers		
• Acer saccharum 'Green Mountain'	• Cornus species	• Robinia pseudoacacia 'Purple Robe'
• Amelanchier x grandiflora Autumn Brilliance® T.F.	• Gymnocladus dioica Espresso™	• Syringa reticulata 'Ivory Silk'
• Cercis canadensis cultivars T.F.	• Lagerstroemia cultivars M.S.	• Taxodium species
• Cladrastis kentukea	• Magnolia species & cultivars	• Ulmus americana 'Princeton'



Plants to Feed Wildlife

Woody Ornamentals - Fruits and Nuts

- Aesculus species
- Aronia species
- Asimina species
- Callicarpa cultivars
- Cornus florida cultivars
- Cornus kousa cultivars
- Crataegus viridis 'Winter King'
- Ilex verticillata cultivars
- Juniperus virginiana Emerald Sentinel™
- Mahonia species
- Quercus species
- Rhus copallina cultivars
- Rhus glabra cultivars
- Rhus typhina cultivars
- Rosa carolina
- Rosa rugosa cultivars
- Symphoricarpos cultivars
- Viburnum species

Herbaceous Plants - Seeds, Pollen and Nectars

- Allium cultivars
- Echinacea cultivars
- Grass species
- Pycnanthemum species
- Rudbeckia species
- Solidago species

Urban Tolerant Plants

Urban plants must be able to handle extreme sites and situations: degraded soils, intense heat, pollution, little maintenance, and human interference. Additional considerations are higher pH levels, road salt, and foot and dog traffic.

Woody Ornamentals

- Aronia species
- Carpinus betulus cultivars
- Clethra alnifolia cultivars
- Cotinus coggygria cultivars
- Fothergilla gardenia cultivars
- Gymnocladus dioica Espresso™
- Hamamelis species & cultivars
- Hydrangea paniculata & quercifolia cultivars
- Ilex verticillata & glabra cultivars
- Itea virginica cultivars
- Juniperus species & cultivars
- Lagerstroemia cultivars
- Lindera angustifolia
- Magnolia grandiflora & virginiana cultivars
- Myrica pensylvanica
- Nyssa sylvatica cultivars
- Physocarpus opulifolius cultivars
- Platanus x acerifolia cultivars
- Quercus bicolor and cultivars
- Rhus species & cultivars
- Viburnum dentatum cultivars
- Viburnum nudum cultivars
- Vitex cultivars
- Yucca cultivars

Herbaceous Plants

- Agastache cultivars
- Allium species & cultivars
- Amsonia species & cultivars
- Asclepias tuberosa & incarnata
- Aster species & cultivars
- Baptisia species & cultivars
- Dryopteris erythrosora Brilliance™ & marginalis
- Eupatorium species & cultivars
- Hemerocallis cultivars
- Heuchera villosa 'Autumn Bride'
- Iris ensata, siberica & versicolor cultivars
- Liatris spicata cultivars
- Monarda species & cultivars
- Nepeta cultivars
- Ornamental Grasses species & cultivars
- Penstemon species & cultivars
- Perovskia cultivars
- Pycnanthemum flexuosum & muticum
- Rudbeckia species & cultivars
- Salvia nemerosa cultivars
- Sedum species & cultivars
- Solidago species & cultivars
- Stachys byzantina cultivars
- Vernonia lettermannii 'Iron Butterfly'

Other New Plants for 2022

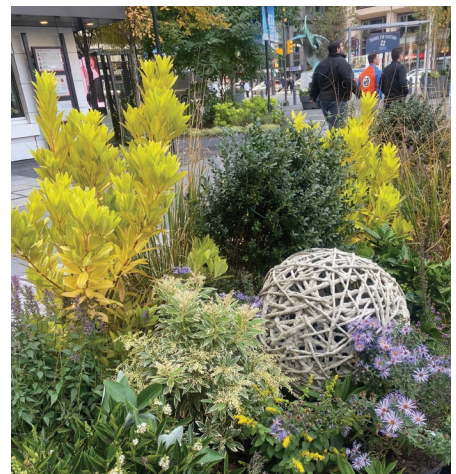
In addition to the plants described within the “2022 New Plants” listed below are additional new plants to get you excited about for the coming year. As always, continue to check our website as it is updated regularly.

Herbaceous Plants

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| • Ajuga reptans ‘Parrot Paradise’ | • Carex albicans | • Kniphofia x ‘High Roller’ |
| • Ajuga reptans ‘Pink Lightning’ | • Carex socialis | • Lobelia cardinalis ‘Pink Flame’ |
| • Allium x ‘Windy City’ | • Chrysanthemum Mammoth™ ‘Yellow Quill’ | • Panicum virgatum ‘Purple Tears’ |
| • Aquilegia canadensis | • Euphorbia amygdaloides ‘Golden Glory’ | • Papaver orientale ‘Bonfire’ |
| • Asclepias verticillata | • Euphorbia polycroma | • Polemonium reptans ‘Stairway to Heaven’ |
| • Campanula carpatica ‘Rapido Blue’ | • Hemerocallis dumortieri | • Silene caroliniana var. wherryi ‘Short and Sweet’ |

Woody Ornamentals

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| • Carpinus caroliniana Rising Fire® | • Hydrangea paniculata Little Lime Punch™ | • Quercus x Streetspire® |
| • Cotinus Winecraft Gold® | • Hydrangea paniculata Quick Fire Fab® | • Schizophragma hydrangeoides Flirty Girl™ |
| • Hydrangea paniculata Berry White® | • Malus x adstringens Emerald Spire® | • Vitex Blue Diddley® |



Pleasant Run Nursery is excited and honored once again to supply plant material to Dilworth Park’s Wintergarden in Philadelphia. The garden is an annual tradition for the Center City District, which maintains and manages the park, and is skillfully designed by them and Landscape Designer Lisa Fernandez.

Photos: Lisa Fernandez for Center City District

Herbaceous Plants

We grow a broad selection of herbaceous plants, covering perennials, grasses and ferns. They include options to beautify the landscapes from spring through winter. We offer many species and cultivars which serve as a critical food and habitat source for pollinators, birds and mammals. No garden is complete without herbaceous plants.

Agastache rugosa **'Golden Jubilee'**

Lavender blue fragrant flower spikes top chartreuse yellow fragrant foliage. A showy choice for sunny well-drained sites.

Zone: 5 H: 30" S: 24"



Allium x 'Lavender Bubbles'

Deep purple drumstick flowers appear above blue green flat leaves in late summer. Hummingbirds and pollinators love it, deer don't. (PP31126)

Zone: 4 H: 12" S: 20"



Allium x 'Lavender Bubbles'



Belamcanda chinensis 'Freckle Face'

Andropogon gerardii **'Dancing Wind'**

Reddish seedheads above green blade-like foliage in summer. Leaves take on red shades in fall and winter, very showy in masses. (PP26892)

Zone: 4 H: 6' S: 3'



Aster ericoides 'Snow Flurry'

Small white daisy-like flowers cover short green leaves and stems in late summer and early fall. Forms a dense green mat which makes a good native groundcover.

Zone: 4 H: 8" S: 24"



Baptisia x Decadence® **'Dark Chocolate'**

Charcoal purple flower spikes held above a green compact plant in late spring followed by dark round seedheads. Deer resistant and very long-lived. (PPAF)

Zone: 4 H: 36" S: 36"



Belamcanda chinensis **'Freckle Face'**

2" bright orange flowers with abundant red freckles are held above green sword-like leaves in late summer. The seedheads look like blackberries and are showy from fall into early winter.

Zone: 4 H: 20" S: 12"



Calamintha nepeta subsp. nepeta

Tiny light blue flowers cover the green minty scented leaves in late summer and early fall. Pollinators love it. Benefits from cut back.

Zone: 5 H: 12" S: 12"



Callirhoe involucrata

Large cup-shaped magenta flowers above green dissected leaves all summer. Needs full sun and good drainage. Makes a sprawling mat.

Zone: 4 H: 6" S: 24"



Campanula rotundifolia

Delicate nodding light blue flowers over a mound of rounded leaves in late spring. Will rebloom in late summer if deadheaded. Good for naturalizing in cooler locations.

Zone: 4 H: 16" S: 12"



Coreopsis lanceolata 'Baby Gold'

Bright yellow daisy-like flowers with burgundy splotches in the centers over compact green foliage from May to early fall if deadheaded. Excellent in mixed borders.

Zone: 4 H: 16" S: 18"



Coreopsis rosea

Rosy pink ½" daisy-like flowers cover green thread-like foliage for most of the summer. Likes a good trim in mid summer. Wet site tolerant.

Zone: 3 H: 18" S: 24"



Euphorbia x martinii 'Ascot Rainbow'

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Greenish yellow clumps of bracts with red eyes top stems of green and yellow variegated leaves in April and May. Sap is toxic, so handle with gloves. Totally deer resistant. (PP21401)

Zone: 6 H: 24" S: 24"



Geranium maculatum 'Crane Dance'

Lavender blue flowers hover over green dissected foliage in late spring and early summer. Leaves take on red and bronze shades in fall. (PP31780)

Zone: 4 H: 24" S: 30"



Heliopsis helianthoides var. scabra 'Bleeding Hearts'

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Bright red to orange daisy-like flowers held on purple stems over purple foliage throughout the summer. A good cut flower in summer and food source for songbirds in fall.

Zone: 3 H: 40" S: 18"



Hibiscus x Summerific® 'French Vanilla'

Soft yellow buds open to creamy white 7" flowers with red eyes. A long-blooming and wet site tolerant native. (PP33181)

Zone: 4 H: 48" S: 48"



Iris pseudata 'Yarai'

Flowers combine peach, tan, yellow and purple on tall stems above green sword-like leaves in late May and June. Very tolerant of wet sites as well as average soils.

Zone: 5 H: 30" S: 48"



Juncus inflexus 'Blue Arrows'

Narrow thin upright leaf blades are evergreen, in blue-green shades. Wet site tolerant, and a dramatic element in mixed containers.

Zone: 4 H: 36" S: 18"



Leucanthemum x superbum 'Goldfinch'

Semi-double lemon yellow daisies above glossy green foliage for much of the summer. Deadheading prolongs the bloom period. (PP24499)

Zone: 5 H: 18" S: 24"



Origanum x 'Drops of Jupiter'

Mauve pink flowers with purple calyxes over chartreuse foliage in late summer. Leaves are fragrant and habit is spreading and mat forming. (PP33367)

Zone: 4 H: 24" S: 36"



Panicum virgatum 'Gunsmoke'

Tan seedheads above steely green foliage in late summer. A midsized Switchgrass that holds up well through winter. (PP32373)

Zone: 4 H: 48" S: 36"



Penstemon x 'Prairie Dusk'

Purple trumpet-shaped flower spikes crown green basal foliage in early summer. Very attractive to butterflies and hummingbirds.

Zone: 4 H: 24" S: 18"



Perovskia atriplicifolia 'Blue Steel'

Violet blue flowers line the silvery stems in late summer. Foliage is silvery and dissected. Attractive.

Zone: 4 H: 34" S: 36"



Phlox divaricata 'May Breeze'

Clusters of pale blue to white fragrant flowers top mats of delicate green leaves in April and May. An excellent candidate for naturalizing in woodland settings.

Zone: 4 H: 12" S: 12"



Iris pseudata 'Yarai'



Origanum x 'Drops of Jupiter'

***Physostegia virginiana* 'Pink Manners'**

Lavender pink flowers spikes are held on sturdy stems over glossy green foliage from late June to September. Good choice for sunny rain gardens and pond edges. (PP23482)

Zone: 4 H: 36" S: 20"



***Prunella vulgaris* 'Magdalena'**

Short purple flower spikes held above attractive dissected foliage in spring, summer and fall. A native groundcover that attracts pollinators. (PP31876)

Zone: 3 H: 6" S: 12"



***Salvia nemorosa* 'Bumbleblue'**

Lots of short spikes of deep blue flowers above clean green rugose leaves in late spring through early summer. A compact habit makes it a good container candidate. (PP30084)

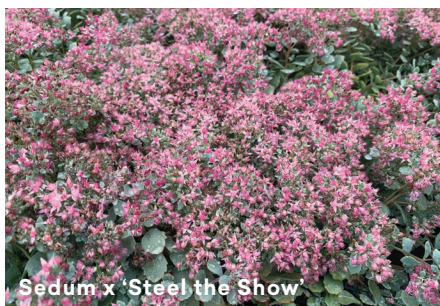
Zone: 3 H: 12" S: 14"



***Schizachyrium scoparium* 'Chameleon'**

Green and white striped foliage in summer turns to shades of pink, red and purple in late summer and fall. Keeps its upright shape in winter. (PP31339)

Zone: 3 H: 24" S: 24"



Sedum x 'Steel the Show'

Scutellaria incana

Tall dark blue racemes of two-lipped flowers over green leaves and stems in July. Attractive to pollinators but not to deer, and adaptable to a number of site conditions.

Zone: 5 H: 36" S: 16"



Sedum x 'Steel the Show'

Small rosy pink star-shaped flowers cover the delicate steel blue foliage in early fall. A neat dense groundcover which performs very well in sunny well-drained locations. (PP31314)

Zone: 3 H: 6" S: 16"



***Solidago rigida* ssp. *humilis* 'Golden Rockets'**

Rounded umbels of deep yellow flowers are held on stiff stems of clean green foliage in late summer and early fall. Habit is compact, spreading and salt tolerant. Important pollen source.

Zone: 3 H: 24" S: 24"



Sporobolus wrightii

Silver to tan seedheads tower over green narrow bladed clumps in late summer. An important seed source for birds and wildlife. An excellent native substitution for Miscanthus.

Zone: 5 H: 60" S: 48"



Stachys x 'Summer Crush'

Tall dense pink and white bicolored flower spikes are held above dark green basal foliage in June and July. Makes a deer resistant groundcover and a good source of cut flowers. (PPAF)

Zone: 4 H: 24" S: 20"



Schizachyrium scoparium
'Chameleon'
(Photo: Concept Plants)

Keystone Genera

As Dr. Doug Tallamy explains in his book 'Nature's Best Hope', keystone plants are plants that provide a critical source of food, and are the foundation of the food web. Dr. Tallamy's research has discovered that 14% of native plants are actually producing 90% of the food for wildlife.

"Our research at the University of Delaware has shown that a few genera of native plants, or keystone genera, form the backbones of local ecosystems, particularly in terms of producing the food that fuels insects. Landscapes that do not contain one or more of the species from keystone genera will have failed food webs, even if the biodiversity of the other plants is high." (pg. 206)

Some of the Keystone genera identified by Dr. Doug Tallamy:

NATIVE SPECIES ONLY

- Betula (Birch)
- Quercus (Oak)
- Ulmus (Elm)
- Helianthus (Sunflower)
- Solidago (Goldenrod)
- Symphyotrichum/Eurybia (Aster)



THE 2022 PERENNIAL PLANT OF THE YEAR® SCHIZACHYRIUM SCOPARIUM AND CULTIVARS



Summer through fall, the slender leaves and stems of little bluestem are an ever-changing kaleidoscope of gray-green, blue, pink, purple, copper, mahogany, red, and orange tones. Wispy silver-white seed heads sparkle in autumn sunlight and coppery brown leaves persist through winter.

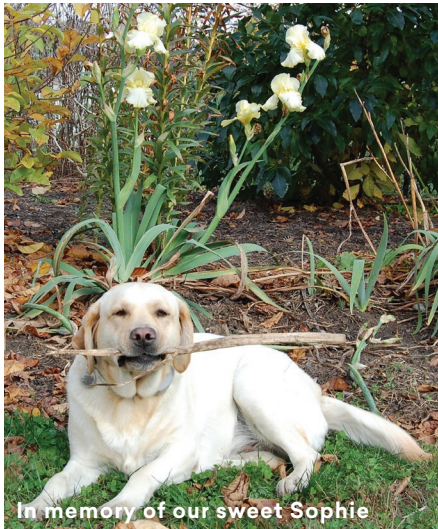
Little bluestem is a tough and dependable clumping grass that blends well with perennials such as asters, sedums, coneflowers, and other grasses. Native grasses play their part in the pollinator story too. Little bluestem is a larval host for a variety of butterflies and moths.

Native to a broad swath of North America, it was one of the dominant grasses of the tallgrass prairies. In average to lean, well-drained soils, stems will remain upright. Cultivars have been selected for shorter plants, enhanced leaf colors, and stronger stems.

Little bluestem's spikiness complements native and non-native perennials alike. An easy fit for mass plantings or meadows, it is just as brilliant in traditional borders, gravel gardens, and green roofs.

**Description attributed to Perennial Plant Association
@ www.perennialplant.org**

Information



Unless otherwise noted, all the photos in this catalog were taken by Lisa Strovinsky.

HELPFUL TIPS FOR ORDERING:

- You should ALWAYS refer to our on-line availability when placing orders. It is updated daily during the growing season.
- We can pre-pull your order to save you time. We always pull the best plants available and if there is an issue, we do our best to reach out to you in advance.
- We offer delivery on our Box trucks and 3rd Party Carriers to meet your delivery needs.
- If you prefer to shop and pull your own plants, we will do our best to accommodate this.
- We have a crew on-site that can load your vehicle.
- We allow tagging of larger plants by customers (7 gallon+).
- We can Contract Grow plants for your future jobs. Call us to discuss your specific needs.
- We have a brokerage coordinator to help locate the plants you need.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

New Customers

Pleasant Run Nursery is a WHOLESALE nursery to the trade. First orders at Pleasant Run Nursery are COD. The minimum order for pickup is \$300.00.

Minimum Order Quantities

There is a six (6) plant minimum per individual item for 1 and 2 gallon material, and a four (4) plant minimum per individual item for 3 gallon material. There is no minimum for 5 gallon+.

When ordering less than the minimum, please add:

\$.50 per plant for 1 and 2 gallon material

\$ 1.00 per plant for 3 gallon material

Terms

Cash, Check, MasterCard, Visa, American Express or Discover until credit is established. Credit accounts are payable Net 30 days. 1.5% per month finance charge on all past due balances. Failure to pay finance charge can result in loss of credit. A \$25 fee will be charged for any returned checks.

Claims

We guarantee that our plants are healthy and true to name upon leaving our nursery. All claims for losses are to be made within 10 days of delivery or pick up. Claims for damages or shortages must be made within 48 hours. All claims for non-viability in plants which are dormant must be made as soon as the plants can be determined to be non-viable. We will gladly correct any mistakes made by us. We do NOT accept returns unless it is a result of our error. In no case will our liability exceed the amount of purchase. The purchaser is always liable for freight charges.

Prices

All prices are F.O.B. Pleasant Run Nursery, Inc. Prices are subject to change without notice. These are wholesale prices only.

Sales Tax

We are required to collect 6.625% sales tax on all orders picked up or delivered within New Jersey, unless a properly executed New Jersey sales tax exempt certificate is received. Deliveries to out of state customers are exempt. Once sales tax is invoiced it is payable to the State and will not be refunded. Sales to landscape contractors are not tax exempt in New Jersey.

Client Visits

Since we are a wholesale nursery, we ask that you do not bring or send your customers to the nursery without our permission. Please feel free to call us with any questions you may have about your plant tagging needs.

Sizing of Plants

Sizes noted are for approximate mature sizes in average landscape conditions. Growth will vary according to site, temperature, soil, and moisture conditions. In determining plant sizes on our nursery, we follow the "American Standard for Nursery Stock" published by the ANLA.

Hardiness Zone

The zones in our catalog are based on research performed and published by the USDA, resulting in their "USDA Hardiness Zone Map". We list the zones for the coldest temperature which the specific plant will tolerate in normal Northeastern winter conditions.

Cancellations/Postponements

We ask that you be sure of your pick up or delivery date before asking us to pull your order. Material canceled by the customer after the order has been acknowledged and pulled may be subject to a 10% restocking fee. If your order has been pulled and your job date is then delayed for 2 or more days, there may be a handling fee.

Pre-Orders

Orders may be booked and held for 30 days in advance. If orders are not picked up or delivered after 30 days, they will be voided unless other arrangements have been made. If orders must be postponed after the spring date of June 1st or the fall date of November 15th, they will be canceled and can be rebooked the next season if desired.

Deliveries

Minimum order amount for delivery is \$1,500. Our delivery rates are based on flat mileage. All orders for delivery must be finalized by noon, 2 business days prior to the delivery date. Any additions received after this deadline cannot be guaranteed to make the delivery. Claims for damages or shortages must be made within 48 hours. Customer is always responsible to meet the truck and offload plant material at the time which has been prearranged.



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