

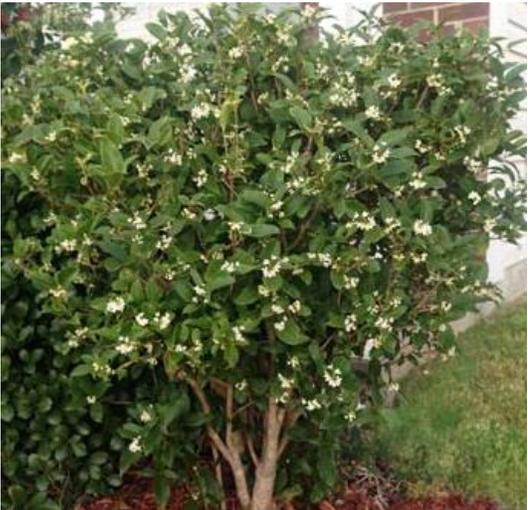
PLANT DESCRIPTIONS AND PHOTOS

2018 Lumpkin County 4-H/Georgia Mountains Master Gardeners Plant Sale

SHRUBS		
	<p>Abelia, Abelia x grandiflora <i>'Hopley's Twist of Lime™'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 4-5 feet tall and wide evergreen shrub Plant in full sun in well-drained soil Blooms all summer Color: light pink summertime flowers over vivid green and yellow new growth, which matures to variegated ivory and green Deer resistant, drought tolerant</p>
	<p>Aucuba, Aucuba japonica <i>'Picturata'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 6-8 feet, broadleaved evergreen shrub Plant in part to full shade, will tolerate morning sun Grown for glossy variegated foliage Color: dark green toothed leaves speckled with gold, no obvious flowers but females will set red berries Wonderful to brighten a dark spot, loves acid soil Deer resistant</p>
	<p>Azalea, native, Rhododendron x <i>'Tallulah Sunrise'</i> Deciduous</p>	<p>Height: up to 10 feet, flowering shrub Plant in partial shade in moist, well-drained acid soil Blooms in April-May Color: large bright orange flowers with yellow throats Attracts bees and butterflies, fragrant Native hybrid Big 3 gallon plant</p>
	<p>Butterfly Bush, dwarf Buddleia <i>Lo & Behold®</i> <i>'Ice Chip'</i> Deciduous to Semi-Evergreen <i>PROVEN WINNER</i></p>	<p>Height: 1-1/2–2 feet tall, 2-3 feet wide deciduous shrub (semi-evergreen in a mild winter) Plant in full sun in well-drained soil Blooms from early summer through fall Color: pure white flowers over silvery foliage Seedless, continuous blooming and requires no deadheading. Its neat, low spreading habit makes it the perfect ground covering plant. Prune lightly after leaves emerge in spring, if at all Deer resistant, butterfly magnet</p>

	<p>Camellia, Camellia japonica <i>'Rose Dawn'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 6-8 feet tall, 6-8 feet wide evergreen shrub Plant in part sun to part shade in acid soil (morning sun is preferred) Blooms in late winter/very early spring Color: large rose pink formal blooms with slightly faded edge Vigorous, compact and has an upright to spreading habit Fairly deer resistant Old fashioned southern favorite</p>
	<p>Carolina Sapphire Cypress, Cupressus Arizona glabra <i>'Carolina Sapphire'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 40-50 feet tall, 15-20 feet wide evergreen landscape tree Plant in full sun to part sun Used for a screening or specimen tree Color: silvery teal blue foliage Great tree for privacy screen or wind barrier, plant at least 7 feet apart. Beautiful silvery blue coloration year round. Branches are sturdy, but have a lacy appearance. Its aroma and color make it wonderful for use as holiday greenery. Grows fast at 1-3 feet per year Good choice for a windbreak or erosion control on hillsides Drought tolerant Withstands the heat and humidity of summer better than Leyland Cypress Moderately deer resistant</p>
	<p>Chaste Tree, Vitex agnus castus <i>'Shoal Creek'</i> Deciduous</p>	<p>Height: 10-15 feet deciduous shrub or small tree Plant in full sun, well-drained soil Blooms July and August Color: tiny, fragrant lilac blue flowers appearing in loose upright panicles (to 12" long) Gray-green aromatic lance shaped leaves Shaped like a crape myrtle but flowers are upright Attracts bees and butterflies Deer resistant</p>

	<p>Gardenia, Gardenia jasminoides <i>'Frostproof'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 5-6 feet wide evergreen shrub Plant in full to part sun in well-drained soil Blooms in spring through summer Color: creamy 2-3 inch fragrant white blooms over shiny dark green foliage Most tolerant of all gardenias to frost Also tolerates heat and humidity Deer resistant</p>
	<p>Heavenly bamboo, Nandina domesticata <i>'Lemon Lime'</i> Evergreen</p> <p>Part of the Southern Living® Plant Collection</p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall and wide evergreen shrub Plant in full sun to part shade Year-round foliage interest, no significant flowers or berries on this cultivar Color: bright yellow/lime green new growth matures to dark green (never red, even in winter) Deer resistant</p>
	<p>Japanese Pieris, Pieris japonica <i>'Katsura'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 4 feet tall and wide evergreen shrub Plant in part shade, prefers acid soil Blooms in early spring Color: wine-red new foliage flushing continuously throughout the season turning dark green with age, with pink bell-shaped flower clusters Attractive to bees and hummingbirds Deer resistant</p>
	<p>Juniper, Juniperus chinensis <i>'Gold Lace'</i> Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 5-6 feet wide, evergreen conifer Plant in full sun for brightest yellow summer color Does not bloom, grown for foliage color year-round Color: described as "the most golden of all junipers" Dense, compact, soft-textured foliage Prefers very light pruning, if any Slow growing, deer resistant, drought tolerant</p>

	<p>Snowball Doublefile, Viburnum plicatum 'Shasta' Deciduous</p>	<p>Height: 6-8 feet tall and wide deciduous shrub Plant in partial sun for most flowers Blooms continuously from June to autumn Color: snowball-like clusters of white flowers in a double row along branches, followed by red berries if you have more than one plant Prefers moist, well drained, slightly acidic soil Attracts butterflies and bees Birds love the red berries in autumn Perpetual bloomer</p>
	<p>Tea Olive, Osmanthus fragrans Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 10-12 feet tall, 6-8 feet wide evergreen shrub Plant in partial sun to shade, prefers afternoon shade Blooms in spring and sporadically through fall Color: tiny creamy flowers have a powerful apricot or jasmine-like fragrance that drifts through the garden Not fussy about soil, even tolerates heavy clay Can train as a small tree Attracts butterflies and bees Deer resistant</p>

PERENNIALS

	<p>Anise Hyssop, Agastache 'Kudos Yellow'</p>	<p>Height: 2 feet tall and wide perennial Plant in full sun in well-drained soil Blooms all summer to frost Color: soft yellow flower spikes are larger and last longer than many other Agastache cultivars Fragrant foliage and flowers Hummingbird and pollinator magnet Deer resistant, drought tolerant</p>
	<p>Black Elephant Ear, Colocasia esculenta 'Black Ruffles'</p>	<p>Height: 4-5 feet tall and wide tender perennial Plant in full sun to part shade (best leaf color in sun) Nearly black ruffled foliage is particularly good used with yellow/green and red Prefers rich, moist, slightly acidic soil Suitable for bog or water garden use Can plant in pots or in the ground if well mulched All plant parts are poisonous if ingested Deer and rabbit resistant</p>

	<p>Blackberry Lily, Iris domestica (formerly Belamcanda chinensis)</p>	<p>Height: 2-3 feet tall, 1-2 feet wide perennial Plant in full sun in well-drained but moist soil Blooms all summer Color: deep orange dotted with red Lily-like 2" flowers on stems up to 3', above fan-shaped medium green foliage Seed pods open in the fall, showing clusters of black seeds which gives the plant its common name, "blackberry lily" Not native, but widely naturalized across the US Easy to grow, deer tolerant</p>
	<p>Butterfly Weed, Asclepias tuberosa <i>'Hello Yellow'</i></p> <p>(Asclepias tuberosa is the Perennial Plant Association's 2017 Plant of the Year)</p>	<p>Height: 2-3 feet tall, 1-2 feet wide perennial Plant in full sun Blooms in mid-summer through fall Color: bright chrome yellow This native hybrid is one of the only host plants for the Monarch butterfly, which requires it to survive Attracts hummingbirds and butterflies Deer and drought tolerant One of our most beautiful and necessary wildflowers for pollinator support and protection</p>
	<p>Coneflower, Echinacea <i>'Crazy White'</i></p> <p>Part of the Southern Living® Plant Collection</p>	<p>Height: 1-1/2 - 2 feet tall perennial Plant in full sun Blooms all summer, fragrant Color: pure white with slightly reflexed petals and orange cone Upright vigorous branching plant, very free flowering Attracts butterflies, bees and songbirds Deer resistant Native hybrid This cultivar was born and bred in Lumpkin County</p>
	<p>Coral Bells Heuchera <i>'Amber Lady'</i> Semi-evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 6-9 inches tall, 1 foot wide, semi-evergreen perennial Plant in partial shade, well-drained soil Blooms in early through mid-summer Color: velvety amber leaves with silver marbling, undersides rose pink, tall frothy white flower spikes Attracts butterflies and hummingbirds Humidity and drought tolerant, deer resistant</p>

	<p>Dwarf Canna Lily, Canna <i>'Red Futurity'</i></p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 1-2 feet wide tender perennial Plant in moist, rich soil in full sun for best foliage color Blooms all summer Color: very dark purple/black stalks and leaves with brilliant red flowers Good in pots or in the ground in your warmest garden location, protect from freezing with mulch or bring pots inside for the winter Deer resistant</p>
	<p>Dwarf Zebra Grass, Miscanthus sinensis <i>'Little Zebra'</i></p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 2-3 feet wide perennial Plant in full sun to part shade Blooms in late summer Color: foliage spring green with cream horizontal stripe, pink to red flowers in feathery, loose panicles (8-10" long) bloom above the foliage Attractive foliage should be left standing throughout the winter for visual interest and crown protection, but prune nearly to the ground in very late winter before spring growth begins Good specimen plant Tolerant of summer heat, humidity and drought</p>
	<p>GREEN-Eyed Susan, Rudbeckia hirta <i>'Prairie Sun'</i></p>	<p>Height: 2-3 feet tall, 1-2 feet wide perennial Plant in full sun Blooms early summer through fall Color: yellow-tipped orange ray petals with a green disc center (rather than the typical dark 'Black-Eyed Susan' coloration) Attracts butterflies and bees, native hybrid Deer and drought tolerant</p>

	<p>Lenten Rose, <i>Helleborus x ericsmithii</i> <i>Winter Magic™</i> <i>'Candy Love'</i> pp#19413 Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 18 inches tall, 2 feet wide evergreen perennial Plant in part sun to part shade Blooms very early spring Color: masses of huge outward-facing 3.5" wide pink-tinged white flowers age to a rosy chocolate Provides early nectar for bees Deer resistant Drought tolerant</p>
	<p>Perennial Salvia, <i>Salvia guaranitica</i> <i>'Black and Blue'</i></p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 2-3 feet wide tender perennial Plant in full sun to part shade in well-drained soil, mulch over winter Blooms mid-summer to frost Color: flowers deep blue with black stems, scented foliage Deadhead spent flowers to encourage additional bloom Deer resistant, attractive to butterflies</p>
	<p>Tickseed, <i>Coreopsis verticillata</i> <i>'Main Street'</i></p>	<p>Height: 12-18 inches tall and wide perennial Plant in full sun Blooms all summer Color: brilliant cherry red flowers Cut down by half in August for a fall rebloom Great as cut flowers and naturalizing in the border Thrives in heat and humidity, do not overwater Attracts butterflies and pollinators Deer resistant, drought tolerant, native hybrid This is another cultivar born and bred in Lumpkin County</p>

FERNS



Tassel Fern
Polystichum
polyblepharum
Evergreen

Height: 18-24 inches evergreen perennial
(space 24 inches apart for full ground cover)
Dark green, glossy foliage with fuzzy bronze stems
Plant in well-drained soil, part to full shade
Heat and drought tolerant, keep well-watered until
established
Deer resistant

GROUNDCOVERS



Bugle Weed,
Ajuga
'Chocolate Chip'
Evergreen

Height: 4 inches, with 9 inch spread evergreen
perennial
Plant in partial sun to full shade
Blooms in mid-spring
Color: bronzed dark green foliage, with bright blue
bloom stalks in spring
Wonderful groundcover for between stones in paths
or as erosion control on slopes
Blooms attract butterflies and hummingbirds
Deer and rabbit resistant



**Thrift (Creeping
Phlox),**
Phlox subulata
'Emerald Blue'
Evergreen

Height: 6 inches, with 24 inch spread evergreen
perennial
Plant in full to part sun
Blooms in spring, March through May
Color: pale blue flowers form a mass over the
needle-like dark green foliage
Popular perennial for rocky ledges and slopes
Deer resistant and drought tolerant
An old fashioned favorite, native hybrid

EDIBLES



Blackberry,
Rubus fruticosus
 'Navaho'

THORNLESS

**Part of the Southern
 Living® Plant
 Collection**

Height: 6 foot fruiting arching canes are thornless and erect
 Plant in full sun
 Berries ripen in early June on 2nd year canes
 Produces sucker plants to quickly establish a hedge row
 Birds are attracted to the berries
 Fruit of this variety are medium in size with excellent flavor. Fruit ripens mid-season over a 5-6 week period, with good yields. Fruit is also very firm, making storage and handling easy.



Blueberries,

Vaccinium ashei
 'Alapaha'

and

Vaccinium ashei
 'Krewer™'

Height: both cultivars 5-7 feet tall and 5-7 feet wide
 Plant in full sun in rich, moist, well-drained acid soil
 Berries ripen June through July (both mid-season)
 Good landscape shrub with attractive fall leaf color
 Birds are attracted to the berries
 Feed with a good azalea fertilizer in the early spring

'Alapaha' is 2001 release developed at the University of GA, and is a parent of many of the best recent varieties developed at UGA. Fruit is medium sized with excellent flavor, firmness and yields.

'Krewer™' is another UGA berry, named for the retired horticulturalist Gerard Krewer who worked many years to help get Georgia's blueberry industry off the ground. Berries are the size of a quarter, up to 4 times larger than most. It was released by UGA for home growing in 2016.

**TWO
 DIFFERENT
 VARIETIES**

These varieties are not available potted in box stores!

NOTE: One of the most important growing requirements of rabbiteye blueberries is their need for cross-pollination to set fruit. You must have more than one variety for a good crop.



Fig,
Ficus carica
 'Chicago Hardy'

Height: 10-15 feet tall, 9-12 feet wide semi-evergreen shrubby fruit tree
 Plant in rich, moist but well-drained soil in full sun to part shade (best against a south-facing wall with mulch)
 Different from 'Brown Turkey' and 'Celeste' in that the dark purple/brown fruit is larger and it can take the cold. Most dependable outdoor fig for our area.
 Birds are attracted to the fruit, leaves deer resistant

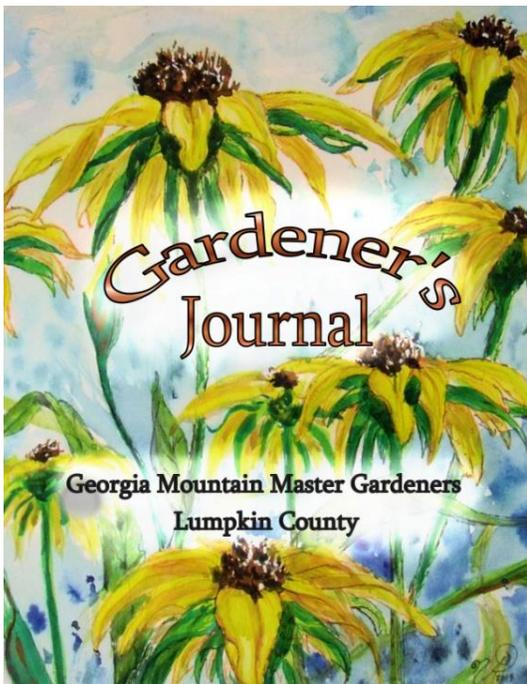
	<p>Meyer Lemon, Citrus x meyeri Evergreen</p>	<p>Height: 5-10 feet tall (unpruned), 3-4 feet wide Plant in a large pot, located on a sunny patio in summer but brought inside for winter. They love growing in containers. The size of your pot will determine the ultimate height of your tree. Does NOT need another tree to bear fruit (but it does help increase fruit production to have two). <i>Not frost hardy – must overwinter inside near a bright window.</i> Meyer lemons are thought to be a cross between a true lemon and either a mandarin or common orange. A beautiful addition to both your landscape and kitchen with its tasty fruit.</p>
	<p>Pomegranate, <i>'Dwarf'</i></p>	<p>Height: 3-4 feet tall, 2 feet wide Plant in full sun in the ground, or in a large pot Coral colored tubular flowers in late summer turn into beautiful red-orange edible fruit slightly smaller than a tennis ball Great flavor just like standard sized pomegranates An old-fashioned favorite, planted widely in historical Williamsburg, VA Good for training into bonsai Dried fruits great for holiday decorating Self-fertile</p>
	<p>Seedless Grape, Vitis <i>'Mars'</i> Seedless grape vine</p>	<p>Plant grape vines in full sun in slightly acid soil, with a strong permanent support for them to climb on. This vigorous, self-fertile variety DOES NOT need another grape to produce fruit. One of the most disease resistant bunch grapes available. Fruit is medium to large in size with compact clusters. Sweet, juicy, seedless crimson fruit turns a deep blue at maturity. Foxy flavor similar to Concord grape. Fine for fresh eating, jam, jelly, wine and juice. Very productive and cold hardy. Birds are attracted to the fruit.</p>



Variegated Basil,
Ocimum basilicum
'Pesto Perpetuo'

Height 1-2 feet tall and wide with 2 inch long variegated edible aromatic leaves
Plant in full sun in well-drained soil or in pots
This annual basil grows in an upright, bushy mound, and is valued both for its aromatic leaves and also for its ornamental foliage. Leaves can be used either fresh or dried to flavor classic pesto sauce, vegetable dishes, meat dishes, stews, soups and marinades. Fresh variegated leaves are attractive as garnishes, or can be frozen for later use. The variegated foliage of this non-flowering (and non-seeding) annual makes this basil an extremely attractive foliage plant for garden areas and containers.
Deer and rabbit resistant

MORE



The *'Gardener's Journal'* was created by the Georgia Mountains Master Gardeners to be a handy and fun way to keep a record of your garden. It is designed with full letter-size calendar pages that allow written entries by the gardener on dates certain flowers opened in the garden, the where and when of fertilizer applications, where certain seeds or plants were planted in the garden, etc. It is not year dated so it can be used in successive years to improve garden record keeping. Each month includes a "To-Do" list for that month.

Additionally, there are numerous helpful tips scattered throughout the bound 75-page Journal, along with many articles written by local Master Gardeners and Extension Agents. These include information on raised-bed and hay bale gardening, seed collection, soil amendments, composting, tall fescue cultivation, butterflies in the garden, tools for gardening and numerous others.

It is beautifully illustrated by a local artist with original full color artwork on the front and back covers, and seasonal botanical sketches each month.

The Journal will make a super gift for yourself, or any gardener on your gift list!

NEW THIS YEAR – Some of the Plants Available to Purchase Only at Pickup (NOT for pre-order)



Anise Hyssop,
Agastache
'Tutti Frutti'

Height: 3-6 feet tall, 1-2 feet wide perennial
Plant in full sun, in well-drained fertile soil
Blooms from mid-summer through fall
Color: raspberry red flowers, gray-green foliage
This one is a real show-stopper! If scented raspberry red flowers over scented gray-green foliage wasn't enough, the entire plant smells like (you guessed it) tutti frutti! Both butterflies and hummingbirds adore it.

	<p>Coral Bells, Heuchera <i>'Cherry Cola'</i></p>	<p>Height: 6 inches tall, 1 foot wide perennial Plant in well-drained soil, color best in full sun Blooms in spring through summer Color: foliage red-brown, flower spikes cherry red You don't often run across a Heuchera with flowers the same color as the foliage, but this one sports beautiful rich red-brown foliage with tiny cherry red flowers from May through the summer. Good for pots and containers, as well as in perennial borders. Bees and hummingbirds love this!</p>
	<p>Golden Globes Loosestrife, Lysimachia procumbens <i>"Golden Globes"</i></p>	<p>Height: 4 inches, with 12 inch spread perennial Plant in full sun to part shade in moist soil Blooms spring through summer Color: cup-shaped yellow flowers with red throats above dark green trailing foliage Attracts butterflies and bees Makes a good accent plant in hanging baskets or used as a mat-forming groundcover</p>
	<p>Leatherleaf Mahonia, Mahonia eurybracteata <i>'Soft Caress'</i> Evergreen</p> <p>Part of the Southern Living® Plant Collection</p>	<p>Height: 4-5 feet tall, 3-4 feet wide evergreen shrub Plant in moist acid (clay) soil, part shade to shade Blooms midwinter (in a warm spell) to early spring Color: dozens of yellow bell-shaped fragrant flowers This evergreen mahonia is NOT stiff or spikey like most mahonias are, it has unusual narrow thread-like leaflets and thornless stems. Slow growing, upright architectural habit, best in small groupings in shady borders or woodlands. Attracts wildlife with juicy dark blue berries IF more than one is planted. Deer resistant</p>