

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT  
110 NORTH ROAD  
BRENTWOOD, NH 03833-6614



**Spring 2010**

**Tree/Shrub/Plant Sale**

*Some of the varieties offered this year include*

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| * <b>Royal Empire Apple</b> | * <b>Lilacs (3 varieties)</b>             |
| * <b>Black Gold Cherry</b>  | * <b>Nut Trees</b>                        |
| * <b>Reliance Peach</b>     | * <b>Perennials Native to New England</b> |

**“Add beauty and value to your landscape while helping to protect our natural resources”**

## For Your Information

The following are recommendations for best results for plantings.

- \* Keep unplanted trees cool, moist, and out of direct sunlight before planting or heeling in.
- \* Keep the roots moist at all times.
- \* Make holes deep and large enough to insure that all tree roots are not vertical, crowded, upturned or exposed.
- \* No fertilizer should be added to the planting hole.
- \* Keep grass, sod, leaves, or any vegetation away from the roots when planting.
- \* Place trees so that the soil covers the root collar by not more than 2 inch.
- \* Choose species suited to the planting site.
- \* Resolve to give your plantings good care.

**Shrubs and Evergreens:** Spacing depends upon the species involved and objectives of the landowner. A minimum spacing of 5x5 is recommended. Shrubs may be planted closer. You may plant in spacing of 5x6 or 6x6 and even alternate rows for depth and screening.

**Blueberries:** Choose a planting site with full sunlight and protection from strong winds. Unlike garden crops, blueberries require an acid soil with a pH range of 4.5 to 4.8. Some soils may require additions to lower the pH. Follow recommendations of soil test results. Soil test kits are available from Cooperative Extension. Space the plants 6 to 8 feet apart in rows 8 to 10 feet apart. Water plants thoroughly immediately after planting. Remove all blossoms during first year. Do not permit berries to develop as they will restrict root growth. **Blueberry plants will last a lifetime with a little care.** What a wonderful investment!

**Note: Blueberry bushes make a wonderful deciduous hedge or accent plant and the bright red fall foliage can't be beat.**

**Apples, Peaches and Pears:** Soil should be tested and lime applied as recommended to raise the pH to 6.5. Plant 12 to 15 feet apart so the graft unions are 2 to 3 inches above the soil surface. Cut back apple, plum, and pear whips to 36 inches above the ground. Select planting sites that offer protection from spring frosts and severe winter cold.

**Fruit trees live for 40 plus years with the proper care. What's better than sitting in the shade of an old apple tree!**

**Raspberries:** Set plants 3 feet apart in the row and allow 8-12 feet between rows. Suggest the use of a pre-plant soak so that the fine root system does not dry. Raspberries can be supported by a trellis. A T-bar system that supports 2 wires, 12 inches apart at 3 feet above ground. This keeps fruit off the ground and maintains good aeration of the planting for good disease control.

**Raspberry plants will supply you berries for 10-15+ years. If you like fresh or frozen berries or homemade jam now's the time to start a raspberry patch of your own at a reasonable cost.**

**Strawberries:** Strawberries will grow well in a variety of soils, as long as they are well drained. Avoid soils where previous crops have included potatoes, tomatoes, or peppers. Prepare soil to depth of 8-12". Prior to planting, again till the soil and apply a 10-10-10 type fertilizer at the rate of 2 to 1 lb. per 100 square feet. Avoid covering crowns with soil. Be sure to irrigate plants well immediately after planting. Weed control is very important. Mulch in mid-November. For small gardens, 25 plants would fill three 10 foot rows. **Strawberry plants produce good size berries for 3-5 years. Plant some this year, more next and then set up a planting rotation for good supply of large berries year after year.**

**Asparagus:** Asparagus grows best in fertile soils with pH of 7.2. Choose a permanent sunny location which is well drained. In early spring apply fertilizer and plow deep. Plant in furrows which are 6-8" deep and 4-5 feet apart. Lay crowns up, 12-14" apart, and cover with 2" of soil. As fern grows, gradually fill in trench. By summer's end the furrow should be leveled. Research shows you can begin to harvest asparagus the year after establishment, cutting for 2 weeks. Second season you can cut for 4 weeks, and by third season you can cut for a full season. **Asparagus will yield abundantly for 15-20 years if given proper care.**

Pick up dates are **tentatively** scheduled for Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at Sunnycrest Farm, High Range Road, Londonderry and Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at the County Ladd Farm, North Road, Brentwood (*watch for sign*). **No refunds for orders not picked up.** The District will not be responsible for stock once removed from the pick-up station. The District reserves the right to refund money for trees or plants that become unavailable. **No refunds for orders that are canceled after March 31<sup>st</sup>.**

A postcard with your order number will be mailed out a week or so prior to the pickup date listing what you ordered, the pickup times and directions to the pickup site. We request you bring this card with you when picking up your order. If for some reason you can not pick up please make arrangements with someone to pick up your order or call the office to make other arrangements.

Thank you for your patronage, we look forward to serving you. Proceeds from the tree/shrub/plant sale are used to support a variety of soil and water conservation practices.

## Terms and Conditions of Sale ● ● ● ●

**Although we try not to make errors, they occasionally do occur. We must be notified of all problems, shortages, etc. within five working days of receipt of order.** Plants become your property upon pickup and we cannot be responsible for loss, damage, or delay in planting. Any honored claims will be through replacement stock to be supplied as soon as possible (*dependent on availability*), or at least, the following selling season.

**Guarantee:** ☺ We do not guarantee our plants as each home environment is different. ☺ We do guarantee our plants to be of the best quality available at the time of pickup.

We give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to life, description, quality, productiveness, or any other matter of any nursery stock or plants that we sell and will not be in any way responsible for the results secured in transplanting.

It is mutually agreed that our total liability for any errors, should stock prove untrue to name as labeled, shall be limited, upon satisfactory proof, to our replacing free or refunding purchase price. It is agreed that the original price shall be the maximum damages the purchaser is entitled to claim.

All acknowledged orders are subject to crop conditions and we will not be liable should causes beyond our control occur – such as flood, fire, frost, hail or inventory error. We will advise you of possible substitutions that maybe available.

### Care of Stock on Arrival ● ● ●

Check your order upon arrival at home. Open the package, check to make sure your order is complete and add a little water to the roots keeping the foliage as dry as possible. Reclose the package and store in a cool place; keep it away from sun and wind. It is best to plant upon receipt. If you are not able to plant within a couple days, make sure the roots are kept cool and moist.

### Helpful Hint ● ●

Good weed control is important for a number of reasons: it provides more sunlight, moisture for the plants, less disease and insect problems, better rodent control. In case of insect or disease damage, contact your local county extension office. They will be able to tell you what insect you have and control measures.

***Don't forget we have hanging plants for Mother's Day, May 9<sup>th</sup>. Many varieties available at the pick up site. Premium 10" potted hangers are in full bloom just in time for Mother's Day, May 9<sup>th</sup>.***

***Varieties may include***

☼ ***Ivy Geraniums*** ☼ ***Cascading Petunias*** ☼ ***Impatiens*** ☼ ***Strawflowers*** ☼ ***Etc.*** ☼ ***all Locally Grown*** ☼

We have additional planting stock at the Brentwood pick up site. Some of the plants available that day are not on the order form or if you forgot to order something, that would be the time to get it if it's still available.

Please note: We have been advised many of our fruit trees and evergreen transplants are in limited supply. It's best to order early to ensure the plants you would like are available. We will advise of any substituted items being available.

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## 2010 Tree/Shrub/Plant Sale

To Our Gardening Friends:

As we begin the new season we are deeply appreciative of the loyalty of our customers. We hope you are doing well and look forward to hearing from you soon.

All of the stock offered in this brochure is suitable for planting throughout Rockingham and neighboring counties. There are, however, some rules that must be followed to insure the survival of your planting stock. Please consider these items before you place your order:

- ❖ Read the plant descriptions to determine if the plant material is suited to your site's conditions. Extremely wet or dry conditions may limit your options. Light requirements for fruit producing plants require full sun.
- ❖ Consider maintenance of your grounds. Without proper care, weeds may choke out your newly planted stock.
- ❖ Determine the location of your new plants. Most of the plants require at least a half-day of full sunlight, others will tolerate shade. Look over the description page stating sun requirements, soils and mature heights, etc.
- ❖ Because most of the plant material is bare root, it will be necessary to plant soon after pick-up (generally within a couple days). Do not expose roots to sun or air, loosen wrap to lightly water packing material around roots.

When selecting plant species for the sale, we put great emphasis on species' adaptability to environmental conditions (climate, soils, etc.) present in Rockingham and the surrounding counties. Consideration is given to plant material for landscape beautification, home gardening, wildlife benefits, erosion control attributes, windbreak quality, Christmas tree value, and availability. Inside this year's brochure you will find that we have added different varieties not always available from others along with all-time favorites. Please take the time to look over the order form. Varieties of *apple*, *peach*, *plums*, *blueberries*, *strawberries*, and *raspberries* have been changed to give our repeat customers a choice of having additional varieties to plant. Remember, two varieties may be needed for most plants to produce fruit, so take notice of which fruits need to be cross-pollinated (they are marked after the variety name with a ☆). We also have many new varieties of ornamental / landscape planting stock to choose from. We have tree wraps to protect your trees from rabbits, mice and mechanical damage and marking flags for those of us who mow down or weedwack newly planted trees and shrubs! The very popular fertilizer tablets and bagged compost will be available again this year.

~~~ PICKUP ~~~

There are two (2) pickup dates tentatively scheduled for spring. One on Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at Sunnycrest Farm in Londonderry, the other on Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> at the Ladd Farm in Brentwood. You must notify us at which location you will come to pick up your order. Any order not picked up at the designated site will be moved to our office at 110 North Road, Brentwood for pickup during our normal work hours Monday - Friday, 8:00AM - 4:00PM.

A post card confirmation notice will be mailed to you prior to the scheduled spring pickup giving the time and directions along with your order number and the items you ordered. If you notice an error please give us a call.

~~~ DEADLINES ~~~

There are no refunds for any orders not picked up at the designated dates and times. The District will not be responsible for stock once removed from the pick-up site and reserves the right to refund money for trees and/or plants that become unavailable. No refunds for orders canceled after March 31<sup>st</sup>. An order form has been included in this brochure and a brief description of the trees, shrubs and plants being offered. Please feel free to share this with your friends. If you are interested in placing an order, it should be received no later than March 31, 2010 to help ensure availability. Orders received after March 31<sup>st</sup> will be filled as long as plants are available. *Remember to include your prepayment.* If you would like more information, please contact us via phone: 679-2790, fax: 679-2860, e-mail [rccd@rockinghamccd.org](mailto:rccd@rockinghamccd.org), visit our web site at [www.rockinghamccd.org](http://www.rockinghamccd.org) or stop by the District Office, 110 North Road, Brentwood.

| SPECIES  | LIGHT  | SOIL MOISTURE                      | GROWTH   | HEIGHT    | REMARKS  |
|--|--|------------------------------------|----------|-----------|--|
| <b>Evergreens</b>                                  |  |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Balsam Fir</b>                                  | Full/half ☉  | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 60'       | A long time favorite as a Christmas tree due to its distinctive aroma.   |
| <b>Fraser Fir</b>                                  | Full/half ☉  | Cool, moist,                       | Moderate | 60'       | Often called "Southern Balsam". It is favored as a Christmas tree for the  |
| <b>Concolor Fir</b>                                | Full/half ☉  | Well drained                       | Moderate | 100'      | One of the most beautiful, easy to care for evergreens, excellent Christmas tree.  |
| <b>Canaan Fir</b>                                  | Full/half ☉  | Moist soils                        | Moderate | 60'       | One of three varieties of the Balsam Fir. It's late bud break and tolerance for poorly drained soils make it popular with Christmas tree growers.                  |
| <b>Fruit Trees</b>                                 |  |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Apple Daybreak Fuji</b> ®™ θ                    | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 15-18'    | Becoming a new American favorite. Crisp, cream-colored flesh is mild, sweet and aromatic. Ripens early September.  |
| <b>Apple Mutsu</b> θ                               | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 15-18'    | Fruit is firm and juicy, with excellent dessert and processing qualities.  |
| <b>Apple Honeycrisp</b> ®™θ                        | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 15-18'    | An attractive red-orange blush over yellow background, ripening mid-September. This sweet, crisp, juicy apple has made it #1 in taste test panels.                 |
| <b>Apple CrimsonGala</b> ®™ θ                      | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 15-18'    | Very sweet, fast becoming our most popular late summer eating apple.   |
| <b>Apple Royal Empire</b> ®™ θ                     | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | 15-18'    | Sweet-tart, firm, crisp, very flavorful, white-fleshed, judged best in apple pie contests.   |
| <b>Peach Reliance</b>                              | Full ☉   | Deep, well drained                 | Moderate | Std.      | Known as the NH Peach, hardy variety is ideal for home gardens. Fruit has an extremely sweet flavor, medium size, freestone.                                       |
| <b>Peach Garnet Beauty</b>                         | Full ☉   | Deep, well drained                 | Moderate | Std.      | Medium-large, semi-freestone peach with red blushed, yellow skin and yellow flesh with red streaks. Heavy bearing. Recommended for northern climates.              |
| <b>Peach Glohaven</b>                              | Full ☉   | Deep, well drained                 | Moderate | Std.      | Large, nearly round, uniform size with little fuzz, excellent canning, baking, eating.   |
| <b>Cherry Black Gold</b> ®                         | Full ☉   | Deep, well drained                 | Moderate | 12-15     | Dark sweet cherry, excellent pollinator, fresh eating, baking, canning, freezing.  |
| <b>Cherry Montmorency</b>                          | Full ☉   | Moist, well drained                | Moderate | Std.      | Best sour cherry for eating fresh, canning, baking and preserving. Bears large fruit.  |
| <b>Small Fruits</b>                                |  |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Blueberry Patriot</b> θ                         | Full ☉   | Well drained sandy loam, 4.5-4.8pH | Moderate | 4-6'      | An early variety originating in Maine. Adapts to many different soil types and very winter hardy. Large berries, very good flavor.                                 |
| <b>Blueberry Bluecrop</b> θ                        | Full ☉   | Well drained sandy loam, 4.5-4.8pH | Moderate | 4'        | This hardy variety is vigorous, has high yields, large firm berries, great flavor. superb, fresh or frozen. Excellent choice for the home gardener.                |
| <b>Blueberry Liberty</b> θ                         | Full ☉   | Well drained sandy loam, 4.5-4.8pH | Moderate | 4-6'      | A late-season variety that is easy to grow, easy picking, large firm light blue juicy Fruit. Also a good ornamental with bright red fall foliage.                  |
| <b>Blueberry Collection All-Season (save 15%)</b>  | Order early to reserve this tasty collection. Includes two each of Patriot, Bluecrop and Liberty. Berries from July into September.        |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Red Raspberry Boyne</b>                         | Full ☉   | Average, well drained              | Moderate | 4-5'      | An early-season variety that is extremely winter hardy. The plants produce deep red berries with a wonderful aroma and flavor. Great for freezing and jam.         |
| <b>Red Raspberry Nova</b>                          | Full ☉   | Average, well drained              | Moderate | 4-5'      | This mid-season variety is an excellent choice for home gardeners. Berries are firm and bright red. Enjoy them fresh or frozen.                                    |
| <b>Red Raspberry Encore</b> ™                      | Full ☉   | Average, well drained              | Moderate | 4-5'      | A very winter-hardy variety that adapts well to our climate. Ripening mid-season, berries are firm, large with good flavor. An excellent way to extend the season. |
| <b>Raspberry Collection All-Summer (save 15%)</b>  | Enjoy mouthwatering red raspberries all summer. Collection has five each of Boyne, Nova and Encore. Great for home gardeners.              |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Red Raspberry Joan</b> J™                       | Full ☉   | Average, well drained              | Moderate | 4-5'      | High yielding, thornless with large firm fruit, easy picking, great flavor. Wonderful everbearing fruit.   |
| <b>MacDonald Rhubarb</b>                           | Full ☉   | Fertile, well drained              | Average  | Std.      | Plant 3' apart in well-prepared soil with top level with surface. Do not plant to deep. When established, fertilize liberally. Large tender red stalks.            |
| <b>Jersey Supreme Asparagus</b>                    | Full ☉   | Fertile, well drained pH 7.2       | Moderate | 6' (fern) | An all-male variety. High yield potential, uniformed spears with excellent flavor Resistant to rust. Plant 12-14" apart.   |
| <b>Strawberry Annapolis</b>                        | Full ☉   | weed free soil pH 6.5-6.8          | Moderate | 1'        | An early-season, winter-hardy variety that produces good sized fruit that maintain their large size during the season. Recommended for home gardeners.             |
| <b>Strawberry Seneca</b> ™                         | Full ☉   | weed free soil pH 6.5-6.8          | Moderate | 1'        | A mid-season berry. The large firm berries are bright red, good flavor and great yields. Excellent for freezing.   |
| <b>Strawberry Jewel</b> ™                          | Full ☉   | weed free soil pH 6.5-6.8          | Moderate | 1'        | Known for its large berries with superb quality and flavor. Recommended for home gardeners due to its overall quality and consistent performance.                  |
| <b>Strawberry Collection All-Season (save 15%)</b> | Give the strawberry lovers delicious berries straight through the June growing season. Collection includes twenty-five each variety above. |                                    |          |           |  |
| <b>Strawberry Evie</b> 2™                          | Full ☉   | weed free soil pH 6.5-6.8          | Moderate | 1'        | This dayneutral is easy to grow and high yields. Berries have an attractive red color, good flavor and maintain size.  |

**\*\*NOTICE - Apples, Plums and Blueberries require cross-pollination. Whenever you see θ you need another variety for cross-pollination.**  
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Facts: Christmas tree harvest starts in 8-10 years, fruit trees bear in 3-5 years, blueberry bushes will last a life time, raspberries produce for 12-15 years, strawberry plants up to four years

| SPECIES  | LIGHT        | SOIL MOISTURE         | GROWTH   | HEIGHT | REMARKS   |
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| <b>Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, Flowering Bushes, etc.</b>                  |              |                       |          |        |   |
| <b>Butterfly Bush Honeycomb</b>  | Full/half ☉  | Moist, well drained   | Moderate | 4 - 6' | Butterfly bush is a large, arching shrub that produces masses of flowers in midsummer to fall. Easy to grow with yellow flowers. Fragrant, good for cutting.          |
| <b>Butterfly Bush African Queen</b>                                      | Full/half ☉  | Moist, well drained   | Moderate | 4 - 6' | Butterfly bush is a large, arching shrub that produces masses of flowers in midsummer to fall. Easy to grow with dark violet flowers. Fragrant, attracts butterflies. |
| <b>Rose of Sharon Jeanne D'Arc</b>                                       | Full/half ☉  | Average, well drained | Moderate | 8-10'  | A member of the Hibiscus family. Late leafing, flowers in late summer to fall when few other shrubs are in bloom. Double white flower.                                |
| <b>Royal Purple Smoke Bush</b>   | Full/half ☉  | Well drained, poor    | Moderate | 12'    | The intense color is this plant's most outstanding feature and both the pinkish flowers and the reddish-purple foliage are excellent for exotic effects.              |
| <b>Lilac 'Old Fashion'</b>   | Full/half ☉  | Average soil          | Average  | 6-10'  | Low maintenance shrub, provides privacy as a border and shade. Purple flower.   |
| <b>Lilac 'Sensation'</b>   | Full/half ☉  | Average soil          | Average  | 6-10'  | Unusual eye catching variety with deep purple flowers edged in pure white.  |
| <b>Lilac 'Primrose'</b>  | Full/half ☉  | Average soil          | Average  | 6-10'  | With blossoms of pale yellow to creamy white, this unusual lilac is beautiful.  |
| <b>Spirea 'Magic Carpet'</b>   | Full ☉       | Cool moist soil       | Moderate | 3'     | Wonderful compact, dense growth habit that can be sheared/trimmed to desired shape & size, bright pink flowers during bloom.  |
| <b>Black Hills Spruce</b>  | Full/half ☉  | Most soil types       | Average  | 35-50' | Ornamental evergreen with bright green to bluish needles. Dense, conical in shape, ideal in windbreaks or screens.  |
| <b>Shag Bark Hickory</b>   | Full ☉       | Average soil          | Moderate | 100'   | The Hickory tree is a native American hardwood that produces edible nuts. The nuts have excellent flavor, and are a popular food among people and wildlife.           |
| <b>Black Walnut</b>  | Full ☉       | Most soil types       | Fast     | 85'    | Black Walnut is highly prized for its beautiful wood and delicious nuts.  |
| <b>Sugar Maple</b>   | Full/half ☉  | Average soils         | Moderate | 75'    | The Sugar Maple is a landscape standout. Medium to dark-green leaves turn yellow, burnt orange or red in fall, also for maple syrup.                                  |
| <b>Japanese Whitespire Birch</b>   | Full/half ☉  | Average soil          | Fast     | 40-50' | A preferred landscape tree! Bark will turn white in 4-5 yrs. Plant 3-5 seedlings together to create a clump effect. More resistant to the borer than other varieties. |
| <b>The Perennials were chosen because they are native to New England</b> |              |                       |          |        |   |
| <b>Black Cohosh</b>  | Full/half ☉  | Most soil types       | Average  | 48-72" | Jul-Aug bloom with tall, spectacular airy spires of white flowers, will fill a 4'space.   |
| <b>New England Aster</b>   | Full ☉       | Moist/well drained    | Average  | 36"    | Fall-blooming favorite, long flowering daisy-like flowers, bright magenta pink.   |
| <b>Butterfly Flower</b>  | Full ☉       | Most/well drained     | Average  | 36-48" | Late spring, with showy yarrow like pink flowers and attractive seed pods.  |
| <b>Bleeding Heart</b>  | Full/half ☉  | Most soil types       | Fast     | 18"    | May-Aug, Fringed bleeding heart, delicate fern like foliage, easy and long blooming.  |
| <b>Lobelia</b>   | Shade/pt ☉   | Moist                 | Average  | 24-36" | Aug-Sept, lovely in shady or sunny water sites, true bright scarlet.  |
| <b>Virginia Bluebells</b>  | Shade/pt ☉   | Most soil types       | Average  | 12-24" | Apr-May, wonderful for wild gardens and naturalizing, summer dormant.   |
| <b>Redstart Lungwort</b>   | Pt sh/sun ☉  | Most soil types       | Average  | 6-12"  | May, coral pink flowers, apple green leaves stay crisp throughout season, deer resistant and tough.   |
| <b>Downey Skullcap</b>   | Full/pt sh ☉ | Most soil types       | Average  | 24-36" | Aug-Sept, violet blue flowers that bloom for most of the last half of summer.   |

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

**Barley Straw -- (full bale)** Helps inhibit the growth of algae in ponds. Apply in spring before algae bloom and again in the fall.

**Fertilizer Tablets -- (12-12-12)** 10 gram tablets. These slow release fertilizers supply all the major nutrients needed for up to 2 years. One tablet per tree, planted near the tree.

**Agri-gel®** -- Ensure success with berry plants, vegetables and other garden transplants just add water and dip roots into the slurry. Particles attach to the roots and act like little reservoirs to keep roots moist while plants are getting established. Use 1oz. per gallon of water. Example: 1oz. will do 100 raspberry or 500 strawberry plants. We have 4oz. packets available so you can keep some on hand!

**Tree Wraps** -- Provides the most dependable protection for your new fruit trees. Made of plastic, it's easy to use and weather resistant, installing in seconds. Protects against rabbits, mice, rodents girdling the tree, and mechanical damage, etc. Two sizes available this year. One 1." in diameter, 24" in length and also a heavy duty 3" diameter, 36" length.

**Marking Flags** -- 24" plastic staff with fluorescent pink flagging. Sold in bundles of 10. An excellent way to identify where new trees have been planted.

**Compost**-- (produced locally) In 25lb bags for easier handling. Not just a fertilizer, it also improves soil texture structure, qualities that enable soil to retain nutrients, moisture and air for support of healthy plants. Compost can correct a soil that is either too sandy or too clayey by adding organic matter that encourages aggregate formation.

**Plantskydd® Granular Repellent** -- Sprinkle liberally around garden, flowerbeds and shrubs to protect against rabbits, squirrels, chipmunks and other small critters. Non-toxic, 100% organic formulation.

**Plantskydd® Deer Spray Repellent** -- 100% environment friendly. Longest lasting, year round protection for your garden and landscape. Used by Forestry, Professional Growers, and Home Gardeners.

**Plantskydd® Soluble Powder Concentrate Repellent** -- Listed by the Organic Materials Review Institute for use in production of organic foods and fiber. Animals avoid plants before they bite.

**Transplants** are seedlings that have been removed from their original seedbed and transplanted to a new seedbed. As compared to a seedling, transplants have a superior root system and a higher survival rate. Branching is noticeable and the main stem is much more solid. Although transplants have not developed a conical, Christmas tree shape, they are superior in appearance as compared to a seedling. Transplants are especially appealing to those landowners where a small quantity of trees is needed and appearance is a major consideration. A (3-2) transplant is a 5-year old tree that was grown 3 years in its original seed bed and 2 years in a transplant bed.

**NOTE: The rate of growth for trees, shrubs and plants will vary depending on many factors. The rates stated in the descriptions reflect average rates of growth. Remember, every time you transplant, survival rates decrease.**

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# ROCKINGHAM COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT ANNUAL SPRING 2010 TREE/SHRUB/PLANT SALE

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Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Please help us conserve: To receive your brochure electronically next year, please send an email to [rccd@rockinghamccd.org](mailto:rccd@rockinghamccd.org) with the subject line "Plant Sale Brochure"

**Orders must be prepaid and should be received by March 31, 2010 for best availability.** Orders received after March 31<sup>st</sup> will be filled as long as plants are available. **Payment must accompany order!**

**Make checks payable to RCCD (Sorry no credit cards) and send with order to:**

**Rockingham County Conservation District  
110 North Road - Brentwood, NH 03833-6614**

You can view some of the items on our website: [www.rockinghamccd.org](http://www.rockinghamccd.org)

Questions call 603-679-2790, fax 603-679-2860 or email

[rccd@rockinghamccd.org](mailto:rccd@rockinghamccd.org)

| # of Plants | SPECIES AND SIZE Bare-Root Stock - Order only in multiples listed —<br><small>EVERGREEN TRANSPLANTS (varieties cannot be combined for quantity pricing)<br/><i>Most transplant evergreens have a limited supply this year, to avoid disappointment order early!</i></small> | \$ for 5                          | \$ for 10 | \$ for 50  | \$ for 100 | Cost     |
|-------------|---|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|
|             | Balsam Fir (2-2) 6"to12": A long-time Christmas favorite for its aroma.   | 23.45                             | 42.60     | 181.00     | 271.50     |          |
|             | Fraser Fir (2-3) 10"to18": The most popular Christmas tree around this area.  | 23.45                             | 42.60     | 181.00     | 271.50     |          |
|             | Concolor Fir (2-2) 8"to16": Used primarily as a Christmas tree.   | 37.95                             | 69.00     | 293.25     | XXX        |          |
|             | Canaan Fir (2-3) 12"to24": This evergreen can withstand some wet soil.  | 37.95                             | 69.00     | 293.25     | XXX        |          |
| # of Plants | Bare-Root FRUIT TREES θ Indicates two varieties are required for cross-pollination<br>Our fruit trees are a sell-out every year and will start bearing fruit in 3-5 years.  |                                   |           | \$ Each    |            | Cost     |
|             | Apple-Daybreak Fuji™ θ EMLA26 semi-dwarf 4' to 6': Sweet/tart flavor and great for any culinary use.  |                                   |           | 21.95      |            |          |
|             | Apple-Mutsu θ EMLA7 not a pollinator -semi-dwarf 4' to 6': Spicy sweet, excellent eating and cooking.   |                                   |           | 18.95      |            |          |
|             | Apple-Honeycrisp™ θ EMLA111 semi-dwarf 4' to 6': Large, crisp, juicy and sweet eating apple.  |                                   |           | 21.95      |            |          |
|             | Apple-Crimson Gala ® θ EMLA111 semi-dwarf 4' to 6': Sweet, popular late summer eating apple.  |                                   |           | 21.95      |            |          |
| Sold out    | Apple-Royal Empire ® θ EMLA7 semi-dwarf 4' to 6': Sweet-tart flavor, firm, crisp, good pie apple.   |                                   |           | 21.95      |            | Sold out |
|             | Peach-Reliance std. 4' to 6' (self-fertile): Referred to as the NH peach, developed at UNH.   |                                   |           | 16.95      |            |          |
|             | Peach-Garnet Beauty std. 4' to 6' (self-fertile): Most adaptable of all fruit trees for home gardens.   |                                   |           | 16.95      |            |          |
|             | Peach-Glohaven std. 4' to 6' (self-fertile) Large, uniform peach with very little fuzz, a favorite.   |                                   |           | 16.95      |            |          |
|             | Cherry-Black Gold ® (self-fertile): Dark fleshed, sweet cherry, excellent eating.   |                                   |           | 24.95      |            |          |
|             | Cherry-Montmorency (self-fertile): The best sour cherry for eating, canning, baking and preserving.   |                                   |           | 19.95      |            |          |
| # of Plants | SMALL FRUITS & BERRIES θ Indicates two varieties for cross-pollination<br><small>Bare-Root stock. No mixing of species to receive the per 5 or 10 price</small>   | \$ for 1                          | \$ for 5  | \$ for 10  |            | Cost     |
|             | Blueberry-Patriot θ 1½' to 2': Originating in Maine, very winter hardy variety.   | 14.50                             | 68.50     | 130.00     |            |          |
|             | Blueberry-Bluecrop θ 1½' to 2': High yields, large berries, consistent production.  | 14.50                             | 68.50     | 130.00     |            |          |
|             | Blueberry-Liberty ® θ 1' to 1½': An easy to grow berry for late-season picking.   | 14.50                             | 68.50     | 130.00     |            |          |
|             | <b>Blueberry Collection 2 of each variety above – special discount of 15%</b>   | <b>6 bushes for just \$73.95</b>  |           |            |            |          |
|             | Red Raspberry-Boyne 8"to10": Extremely winter hardy, deep red. (bundles of 5)   | XXX                               | 15.50     | 29.00      |            |          |
|             | Red Raspberry-Nova 8"to10": Bright red berry, med-large berry. (bundles of 5)   | XXX                               | 15.50     | 29.00      |            |          |
|             | Red Raspberry-Encore® 8"to10": A firm, large berry, good flavor. (bundles of 5)   | XXX                               | 16.00     | 30.50      |            |          |
|             | <b>Raspberry Collection 5 of each variety above – special discount of 15%</b>   | <b>15 bushes for just \$39.95</b> |           |            |            |          |
|             | Red Raspberry-Joan J® 8"to10": High yielding, thornless, good flavor. (bundles of 5)  | XXX                               | 17.50     | 33.00      |            |          |
|             | MacDonald-Rhubarb: Excellent production for home gardeners.   | 12.50                             | 59.50     | XXX        |            |          |
| # of Plants | Bare-Root BERRY PLANTS and ROOTS - Order in multiples listed<br><small>(Sold in bundles of 25, (no mixing of species to receive the per 50 or 100 price.)</small>   | \$ for 25                         | \$ for 50 | \$ for 100 |            | Cost     |
|             | Strawberry-Annapolis: Recommended for northern gardeners, high quality berry.   | 9.00                              | 16.00     | 30.00      |            |          |
|             | Strawberry-Seneca: Good flavor and high yields.   | 10.50                             | 19.00     | 36.00      |            |          |
|             | Strawberry-Jewel: For home gardening good quality and consistent performance.   | 9.00                              | 16.00     | 30.00      |            |          |
|             | <b>Strawberry Collection 25 of each variety above – special discount of 15%</b>   | <b>75 plants for just \$24.00</b> |           |            |            |          |
|             | Strawberry-Evie-2: A great new everbearing variety, good flavor.  | 10.50                             | 19.00     | 36.00      |            |          |
|             | Jersey Supreme-Asparagus: A flavorful addition to any garden.   | 19.95                             | 36.00     | 64.00      |            |          |

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| # of Plants | Landscaping / Ornamental / Wildlife Bare-Root & Potted Stock<br>Trees / Shrubs / Bushes / Perennials (order only in multiples listed ——)<br>(No mixing of species to receive the per 5 or 10 price.) | \$ for 1 | \$ for 5 | \$ for 10 | Cost |
|-------------|--|----------|----------|-----------|------|
| Sold Out    | Butterfly Bush-Honeycomb-No1: Yellow mid size shrub, easy to grow, spikes July-Sept.   | S/O      | S/O      | Sold out  | S/O  |
| Sold Out    | Butterfly Bush-African Queen-No1: Dark Violet mid size shrub, easy to grow   | S/O      | S/O      | Sold out  | S/O  |
|             | Rose of Sharon-Jeanne D'Arc-2': A late bloomer double white flowers.   | 14.00    | 66.50    | 126.00    |      |
|             | Smoke Bush-Royal Purple-2': Will naturally form a large shrub or small tree over time.   | 15.50    | 73.50    | XXX       |      |
|             | Lilac-Old Fashion-1 to2': Low maintenance shrub, Purple flowers- very fragrant.  | 16.50    | 78.00    | 148.50    |      |
|             | Lilac-Primrose-2': Low maintenance shrub, pale yellow/cream flowers.   | 17.50    | 82.50    | XXX       |      |
|             | Lilac-Sensation-2': Low maintenance shrub, purple flowers with bright white edge.  | 19.25    | 91.50    | XXX       |      |
|             | Spirea-Magic Carpet-12": Low growing shrub with, hot pink blooms in spring/summer.   | 14.95    | 71.00    | 134.50    |      |
| Sold Out    | Black Hills Spruce 10-20": Good yard or ornamental tree.   | 4.50     | Sold Out | Sold Out  | S/O  |
|             | Shagbark Hickory-3-5": Great fall foliage, interesting bark for winter, tasty nuts.  | 3.50     | 16.50    | 31.50     |      |
|             | Black Walnut-1-2': This tree is prized for its beautiful wood and the tasty nuts.  | 3.95     | 18.75    | 35.50     |      |
|             | Sugar Maple-1-2': Native to eastern states. Magnificent canopy.  | 3.95     | 18.75    | 35.50     |      |
|             | Japanese Whitespire Birch-1-2': A preferred landscape tree. Best planted in clumps.  | 3.50     | 16.50    | 31.50     |      |

| # | Perennials Grown by a Local Rockingham County Nursery native to the North East                    | Unit Cost | Cost |
|---|---|-----------|------|
|   | Black Cohosh-racemosa-48-72": Great addition with tall, spectacular airy spires of white flowers. | 10.95     |      |
|   | New England Aster-Alma Potschke-36": Fall blooming dazzling bright pink flowers.                  | 10.95     |      |
|   | Butterfly Flower-incarnata-36-48": Showy yarrow-like pink flowers , caviar to butterflies.        | 10.95     |      |
|   | Bleeding Heart-eximia-18": Delicate fern-like foliage, light pink heart shaped flowers.           | 10.95     |      |
|   | Lobellia-cardinalis-24-36": Bright red flowers for shady or sunny water sites.                    | 10.95     |      |
|   | Virginia Bluebells-virginica-12-24": Early blooming native, light blue flowers.                   | 9.95      |      |
|   | Redstart Lungwort-rubra- 6-12": Coral pink flowers with apple green leaves, deer resistant.       | 13.50     |      |
|   | Downey Skullcap-incana- 24-36": Hooded violet blue flower, drought tolerant.                      | 10.95     |      |

| # | Misc. Items available to assist with your planting needs                                     | Unit Cost   | Cost |
|---|--|-------------|------|
|   | Barley Straw (full bale) used to help inhibit the growth of algae in ponds.                  | 12.00 bale  |      |
|   | Fertilizer Planting Tablets (12-12-12) with Micronutrients available in any amount.          | .25 each    |      |
|   | Agri-gel® give all your new garden transplants a boost with this root gel. 4oz. packet       | 5.95 each   |      |
|   | Tree Wraps used on small trees fall thru spring protection from mice, rabbits, etc.          | 1.50 each   |      |
|   | Tree Wraps "NEW" heavy duty 3' tall will take up to a 3" tree trunk.                         | 2.25 each   |      |
|   | Compost 25lb. bags of natural fertilizer produced locally - a sell-out every year.           | 5.95 bag    |      |
|   | Neon Pink Marking Flags great protection for small plants from the mower. (Bundles of 10)    | 3.50 bundle |      |
|   | Plantskydd® Granular Repellent in 3lb. easy carry bag, for rabbits and other small critters. | 22.95 each  |      |
|   | Plantskydd® Deer & Rabbit Repellent 1qt. spray bottle - 100% environment friendly.           | 21.95 each  |      |
|   | Plantskydd® Soluble Power Concentrate Repellent in 1 lb. box.                                | 24.95 each  |      |

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Please include completed donation/volunteer form-- Thank You!!

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Please check location below where you will be picking up your order.

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I will pick up my order in Londonderry Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> 3 to 5 PM (orders not picked up will go to Brentwood for Saturday)

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*Note: pick up dates are tentative, dependent on weather conditions for harvesting plants.*

A post card reminder will be sent a week prior to pick-up with confirmation of the date, times of pick-up, directions, your order number and description of what you ordered. If you notice an error, please call 679-2790 so corrections can be made before pickup.

**Orders not picked up will be available at our office Tues. - Fri., 9AM - 4PM. Please call to make special arrangements if not convenient.**

**Don't forget Mother's Day, May 9<sup>th</sup> we have many potted hanging flowers (grown by a local farmer) on sale at the pickup site in Brentwood on Sat., May 1<sup>st</sup>.**

Please copy this form to pass on to a friend or let them know they can download it from our website: [www.rockinghamccd.org](http://www.rockinghamccd.org) or email [rcdd@rockinghamccd.org](mailto:rcdd@rockinghamccd.org) or have them call us (679-2790) to receive the brochure. **Thank you!**

# GET INVOLVED IN LOCAL CONSERVATION!

**STEWARDSHIP FUND**—RCCD holds over 90 conservation easements that protect over 4,200 acres of land in the county. These easements require annual monitoring and have associated costs such as legal expenses. RCCD recently was involved in defending one of our easements. Although we prevailed, the legal costs had a significant impact on our Stewardship Fund. Please help restore our fund by making a tax deductible contribution to our Stewardship Fund.

**CONSERVATION FUND**—RCCD is actively involved in projects involving soil conservation, water quality, and ecological restoration around the county. For example, we are currently working to restore rare coastal pitch pine habitat at Odiorne Point State Park that has become degraded by invasive species. Your contribution can go towards expenses such as purchasing native plants that will be used in our restoration efforts. Volunteer help is often needed for fundraisers and projects such as clearing invasive species and planting native vegetation. Best of all, your tax deductible cash donation or donated time may be multiplied in value by being used as required match contributions needed to acquire other funding sources!

Please fill out our donation/volunteer request to help out.

**THANK YOU!**

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Please apply my enclosed donation to the RCCD **Stewardship Fund** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please apply my enclosed donation to the RCCD **Conservation Fund** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please use my enclosed donation to be utilized **wherever it is needed most** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Let me know about volunteer needs when they arise via \_\_\_email (preferred); \_\_\_phone; or \_\_\_mail

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Let us know about the types of volunteer help you are interested in:

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