

Dauphin County Conservation District 2019 Seedling Sale

ORDERING INFORMATION

Dauphin County Conservation District (DCCD) is offering area residents the opportunity to beautify their property and improve the environment with trees and shrubs for the week of Earth Day! We are offering evergreen and deciduous tree and shrub seedlings, fruit trees, flowering perennial plants along with blueberries, raspberries, and strawberries. Tree and shrub seedlings are bareroot; please refer to the order form for detailed information.

Payment: All orders must be prepaid – mail order forms with a check made payable to Dauphin County Conservation District. **All Orders and payments must be received by Monday, April 1st, 2019.** DCCD will charge a \$25.00 service fee on any check returned for insufficient funds.

When: All orders are to be picked up between 3:00 PM and 6:00 PM Thursday, April 25 or between 8 AM and 6:00 PM Friday, April 26.

A pick up reminder notice will be mailed to you in early April. Please note that a \$5.00 service charge will be added to orders that are not picked up during the specified times, unless prior arrangements have been made.

Where: Dauphin County Agriculture and Natural Resources Center, 1451 Peters Mountain Road, Dauphin. Look for the bright green pine tree signs (*detailed directions are listed below*).

DCCD reserves the right to substitute a different size seedling for any species pending availability and severe growing conditions. If any one species is sold out, DCCD will refund payment for those seedlings not available. Survival rates of bareroot seedlings vary from site to site, from excellent to poor. We strive to provide the most viable seedlings available and all efforts are made to handle seedlings carefully to prevent root stress. *We strongly recommend closely following the planting guidelines for your purchase (available at pick up), as DCCD cannot offer a guarantee insuring tree survival.* Please keep this page for your reference.

Directions to the Dauphin county agriculture and natural resources center

From Harrisburg:

Travel Route 22/322 West to Route 225 North towards Halifax. Continue approximately 1 ½ miles on Route 225. You will cross Clarks Creek, and a 3B Ice Cream store on the left. Immediately after 3B Ice Cream, turn right into the Dauphin County Agriculture and Natural Resources Center.

From Halifax:

Travel Route 225 South towards Harrisburg. At the bottom of Peters Mountain you will pass Route 325 on the right. Continue a short distance on Route 225. Immediately before 3B Ice Cream, turn left into the Dauphin County Agriculture and Natural Resources Center.



Go to DCCD's website, www.dauphincd.org, for tree pictures, descriptions and a downloadable order form. While you're there, check out our recent projects!

Blueberries bareroot plants sold individually for \$11.00 ea.

Bluecrop is the leading commercial variety grown, ripening in midseason. It produces high yields of large, bright blue berries that are firm and grow in large clusters. The berry flavor is superb, fresh or frozen. Bluecrop is known for its hardiness, vigor and consistent production. The plant grows to a height of 4-6 feet.

Northland is a cross between highbush & lowbush species, making it the most cold-hardy highbush variety – blossoms can tolerate light frost. Medium size, dark blue fruit is firm with excellent wild berry flavor ripening midseason. Grows 4' high with brilliant orange fall foliage and a low, spreading habit. Heavy yields nearing 20 lbs. per

Raspberries bareroot plants sold individually for \$5.50 ea.

Bristol is a **black** raspberry plant that is a high-producing early variety whose upright growth and cluster formation make its berries very easy to pick. It has medium, firm, glossy fruit with the best black raspberry flavor. Moderately hardy but very vigorous, Bristol shows tolerance to powdery mildew.

Royalty is the most popular **purple** raspberry variety. The fruit is large, of high quality, and is the sweetest of the purple varieties. Good for fresh eating and excellent for jams and jellies. Eludes spring frost damage, as it is a late- season variety.

Strawberries bundles of 25 bareroot plants for \$8.50

Earliglow is a vigorous runner and popular early-season variety known for its great, sweet strawberry flavor. Good for eating fresh or freezing. Recommended for beginners, this berry is resistant to various strawberry diseases.

Sparkle is widely considered the best strawberry variety for making jam. Sparkle strawberries are medium-sized and ripen late. Planting Sparkle with other earlier varieties extends the fresh fruit season. Strawberries from Sparkle plants are deep red and have excellent flavor.

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PERENNIALS: plants grown and sold in quart containers; \$5.00 ea.

A diverse variety of container-grown flowering perennials chosen to add color, fragrance, and wildlife-attracting qualities to your landscape.

Tickseed "Sun Up" (*Coreopsis grandiflora*) This selection forms a low mound of leathery green leaves, bearing upright stems loaded with large, semi-double, clear yellow daisy flowers for many weeks, starting in late spring. Easily divided in early spring, and this should be done every 2 to 3 years. Tolerant of hot, humid summer climates. Excellent for borders, as well as in containers. Grows to 12" tall with a 14" spread. Attractive to butterflies.



Bee Balm "Jacob Cline" (*Monarda didyma*)

This selection is a long blooming bee balm with scarlet-red flowers, arranged in large, shaggy heads and fragrant, disease-resistant foliage 3-5' tall. Favored by butterflies and hummingbirds as well as providing seeds for birds. Grow in full sun or partial shade and average soil with good drainage.

Creeping Phlox "Crimson Beauty" (*Phlox subulata*) produces bright rosy-red flowers in mid to late spring. This mat-forming evergreen perennial grows 4-6 in tall and 2 ft wide. This full sun plant requires good drainage and is drought tolerant once established. It is excellent for rock gardens, slopes, edgings or ground covers. It also attracts butterflies. Shear after flowering to renew foliage.

Lavender "Hidcote" (*Lavandula angustifolia*) is an English lavender growing 20" tall, spreads 20". Dark, violet purple flower spikes. Silvery grey, semi-evergreen foliage retains its sweet fragrance for years when cut. Excellent for cut or dried flowers. Plant in average to dry soil and full day sun. Attracts butterflies.

Shasta Daisy (*Leucanthemum becky*) No sunny border would seem complete without the familiar presence of Shasta Daisies. This is a very tall selection (35" tall) that exhibits excellent tolerance to summer heat and humidity. Flowers are large single white daisies with a yellow eye, valued in the garden and excellent for cutting. Divide plants every 2 to 3 years to maintain vigor. Removing faded flowers regularly will greatly increase the blooming time. Attractive to butterflies.

Achillea "Paprika" (*Achillea millefolium*) The Yarrows are among the best perennials for planting in hot, dry and sunny locations, providing good color throughout the summer months. This hybrid selection has cherry-red, gold centered flowers, later fading to light pink and creamy yellow. Excellent for cutting, fresh or dried. Remove faded flowers regularly to promote continued blooming. Inclined to spread, so site this carefully or plan to reduce the clumps each spring. Grows to 27" tall with a 23" spread.

Perennial Package:

Set up your own pollinator garden and save money too!

Perennial Pack: All 6 Potted Perennials for \$25.00 (Save \$5.00!)



EVERGREEN SEEDLINGS bundles of 10 Bareroot \$8.00 per bundle.

Norway Spruce (*Picea abies*) Fast-growing spruce reaches 6' in 6-7 years, with dense, dark green needles less than 1" long. Will grow to 125' in average soil; prefers some moisture, but not wet conditions. Makes an attractive landscape tree or a good windbreak. 7-14" seedling height.

Eastern White Pine (*Pinus strobus*) Fast-growing native pine reaches 6' in 6-7 years, with soft, light to medium green 4" needles. Grows to 100' in a wide range of soil and moisture conditions, tolerates moderate shade. Excellent ornamental for specimen planting, naturalizing, windbreaks, and is used as a Christmas tree. 8-16" seedling height.

Concolor Fir (*Abies concolor*) Medium growth, 6' in 8-9 years reaching 100'. Soft, 2"-3" long, silvery blue-green needles. Best growth in moist, well-drained soil with full sun tolerating high temperatures and dry soil better than all other firs. One of the most beautiful and carefree evergreens making a prized Christmas tree with good needle retention and stiff branches. 7-14" seedling height.

DECIDUOUS TREES & SHRUBS sold individually as bare root seedlings \$1.50 ea.

White Oak (*Quercus alba*) The "mighty" oak is a hardy tree growing slowly to 60-100'. Provides great fall color with leaves turning showy shades of red or burgundy. Tolerant of a wide range of soil and moisture conditions. Produces valuable timber and large quantities of acorns preferred by wildlife. Native to Dauphin County. 12-18" height.

Red Maple (*Acer rubrum*) One of the most popular landscape and shade trees due to fast growth and fall color. Thrives on wet to dry sites and even tolerates shade, growing rapidly up to 90'. Foliage turns various shades of red in autumn. Native to Dauphin County. 12-18".

Kousa Dogwood (*Cornus kousa*) A highly ornamental small tree reaching 30'. Large white flowers appear in June, giving rise to attractive bright red fruits. Used increasingly as a replacement for white flowering dogwood because it is hardier. Grows best on moderately moist soil and will tolerate some shade. Foliage turns a deep red in autumn. Seedling height 12-18".

Black Cherry (*Prunus serotina*) A valuable timber tree which can be planted in the open or as an underplanting. Does well in a variety of soil types, growing to a height of 50-80'. Good species for wildlife food. Seedling height 12-18".

European Larch (*Larix decidua*) Although it looks like a needled evergreen in summer, it is a **deciduous conifer**. It is a large tree that will grow to 60-100' tall with a pyramidal shape, horizontal branching and drooping branchlets. Best grown in moist soils with full sun. **It is perhaps best noted for its soft green foliage that turns golden yellow in fall before dropping.** Seedling height 12-18".

Winterberry (*Ilex verticillata*) A multi-stemmed deciduous shrub reaching 10' with a similar spread. Widely used for landscaping and naturalized plantings due to masses of attractive red berries in fall. Grows best in moist locations, will tolerate moderate shade, excellent as a streambank planting. Only female plants produce berries, therefore, plant a group to insure berry production. Native to Dauphin County. Seedling height 6-12".

Tree Tubes Plastic tubes protect deciduous seedlings from rabbits & deer, drying winds, & lawnmowers. Tree shelters also increase the growth rate of young seedlings, even if the shelter is taller than the seedling. Available in 2' and 4' heights (use 4' where deer may browse!). Not intended for use with evergreen seedlings. May be cut to fit over fruit trees for trunk protection.

2' Tree Tubes \$2.75 each or \$4.25 w/ stake

4' Tree Tubes \$4.50 each or \$5.75 w/ stake

OR



Have a larger planting? Save with Tree tube w/ stake package offers

count	2'	4'
5	\$20.00	\$27.50
10	\$39.00	\$54.00
25	\$96.00	\$133.50

Fruit Trees Apples, Pears and Cherries sold are bareroot, 4-6ft tall

Apples \$18.00 ea. **

Golden Delicious is one of the most widely planted apple cultivars worldwide. Fruit is firm, medium to large with the classic Golden Delicious flavor. The tree is spreading, productive and easy to manage. Fruit ripens late September to mid-October. Fruit thinning is required to maintain annual bearing. This is a semi-dwarf tree.

Crimson Crisp® is a firm, deep red-purple, crunchy apple. Its crispy yellow flesh holds a sweet-tart flavor, making it a great fresh-eating apple as well as a juice or cider variety. This medium-sized apple is ready for picking in mid-September to October. It stores well for at least four months. This is a semi-dwarf tree. USPP#16622

** Apple varieties listed require cross-pollination with a different variety. Plant two varieties within 100 ft to ensure pollination.



Peaches \$18.00 ea.

Sugar Giant (White) Peach is consistently one of the best performing white peach varieties for eastern growers. Sugar Giant is a large, firm white peach with exceptional eating quality. The trees are very vigorous and productive with medium resistance to bacterial spot.

Limited supply

Contender (Yellow) Peach is a high-quality, freestone variety ripening from late August to early September. Fruit is very firm and large with excellent color. The trees are hardy and very productive.

Limited supply.

SEEDLING ORDER FORM
ORDER DEADLINE: Monday April 1st, 2019

Name _____ Phone (H) _____
 Address _____ (W) _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Payment must accompany this order - please make checks payable to: DAUPHIN COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT
 MAIL TO: 1451 PETERS MOUNTAIN RD. DAUPHIN, PA 17018 Phone: 717-921-8100
 *Checks returned for insufficient funds will incur a \$25.00 service charge.

EVERGREENS (in bundles of 10.)

Quantity	Cost/bundle	Total	Variety
_____	x \$8.00/bundle =	_____	Norway Spruce
_____	x \$8.00/bundle =	_____	Eastern White Pine
_____	x \$8.00/bundle =	_____	Concolor Fir

BLUEBERRIES (sold individually)

Quantity	Cost/Plant	Total	Variety
_____	x \$11.00 =	_____	Bluecrop
_____	x \$11.00 =	_____	Northland

RASPBERRIES (sold individually)

Quantity	Cost/Plant	Total	Variety
_____	x \$5.50 =	_____	Bristol
_____	x \$5.50 =	_____	Royalty

DECIDUOUS TREES AND SHRUBS (sold individually)

Quantity	Cost/Tree	Total	Variety
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	White Oak
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	Red Maple
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	Kousa Dogwood
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	Black Cherry
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	European Larch
_____	x \$1.50 =	_____	Winterberry

STRAWBERRIES (sold in bundles of 25)

Quantity	Cost/bundle	Total	Variety
_____	x \$8.50 =	_____	Earliglow
_____	x \$8.50 =	_____	Sparkle

FRUIT TREES (sold individually)

Quantity	Cost/Tree	Total	Variety
Apples (requires two varieties for pollination)			
_____	x \$18.00 =	_____	Golden Delicious
_____	x \$18.00 =	_____	Crimson Crisp®

PERENNIALS (sold in individual pots)

Quantity	Cost/Plant	Total	Variety
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Tickseed (quart)
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Bee Balm (quart)
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Creeping Phlox (quart)
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Lavender (quart)
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Shasta Daisy (quart)
_____	x \$5.00 =	_____	Achillea (quart)

Perennial Package Offer

Pack: All 6 Potted Perennials (Save \$5.00)

Quantity	Cost	Total
_____	x \$25.00 =	_____

Tree Tubes

Quantity	Cost/tube	Total	Variety
_____	x \$2.75 =	_____	2' Tree Tube
_____	x \$4.25 =	_____	2' Tree Tube w/ stake
_____	x \$4.50 =	_____	4' Tree Tube
_____	x \$5.75 =	_____	4' Tree Tube w/ stake

Tree tube package offers

Quantity	Cost/package	Total	Variety
_____	x \$20.00	_____	5 - 2' tubes w/ stakes
_____	x \$27.50	_____	5 - 4' tubes w/ stakes
_____	x \$39.00	_____	10 - 2' tubes w/ stakes
_____	x \$54.00	_____	10 - 4' tubes w/ stakes
_____	x \$96.00	_____	25 - 2' tubes w/ stakes
_____	x \$133.50	_____	25 - 4' tubes w/ stakes

ORDER TOTALS

\$ _____ SUBTOTAL

_____ ADD 6% SALES TAX (Sales Tax Exclusion No. _____ if Applicable)

_____ **TOTAL** (Amount payable by check to DCCD - PAYMENT IS DUE WITH YOUR ORDER)