# 2020 Spring Plant Sale

Deadline to order is Thursday, February 27, 2020



Plant pick up date is Thursday, March 5, 2020, 8:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Rowan County Agricultural Center, 2727 Old Concord Rd., Salisbury, NC Make checks payable to CES or bring the exact amount in cash.





To Order: Go to <a href="https://go.ncsu.edu/2020springplantsale">https://go.ncsu.edu/2020springplantsale</a>
or call NC Cooperative Extension-Rowan County Center 704-216-8970



#### **BUNCH GRAPES:** Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**NIAGARA** - Large fruit; large tight clusters; white skin; good flavor and ripens mid to late season. Vigorous growth; very hardy and productive.

**SUNBELT** - Large fruit; small clusters; blue color; sweet; good flavor and ripens early to mid-season. Vigorous growth and very hardy. Similar to Concord but ripens more evenly and better resistance to mildews. Does better in warmer climates than Concord.

# <u>BLUEBERRIES:</u> At least two varieties must be planted to ensure cross-pollination 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**TIFBLUE** - Ripens mid to late season; fruit are medium size with good flavor and upright growth.

**CLIMAX** - Ripens middle of June. Berries are firm with excellent flavor and good color. Upright growth with an open spreading crown.

**PREMIER** - Ripens early to mid-season; large fruit with excellent color and great flavor. Upright growth and vigorous.

#### **BLACKBERRIES:** Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each.

**ARAPAHO** - Thornless variety; erect-growing with medium fruit and good flavor. Ripens over a four-week period.

**NAVAHO** - Thornless variety; medium fruit; ripens late; superior fruit quality.

**OUACHITA** - Thornless; erect growing with large fruit and very good flavor. Fruit ripens midseason over a five-week period.

#### MUSCADINE: Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**CARLOS** - Bronze; fruit small to medium; ripen early to midseason; produces clusters; ripens very evenly and is a very heavy producer. Vigorous and cold hardy.

**NESBITT** - Black; fruit very large; produces cluster; high yields and ripen mid to late season. Vigorous; disease resistant and cold hardy.

#### **GOJI BERRY:** Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**GOJI** - Bright orange-red berries 1/2 to 1 inch long with slight sweet mildly tangy flavor. Good for eating, juice, wine, herbal tea or dried. Grows approximately 8-10 foot in full sun. No known pest or disease problems; high tolerance to drought once established.







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#### **VARIETIES AVAILABLE**

#### FIG TREES: Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**CELESTE** - Fruit are small to medium; light brown to violet-brown skin; whitish pink color flesh and very few seeds. Produces in early summer; cold hardy and are self-pollinating. Good for eating, preserves, drying and canning.

**KADOTA** - Fruit are medium, yellowish white skin, white to amber flesh and good flavor. Vigorous growth, prolific bearing twice in most years and very hardy. Good for eating, canning and preserves.

**LSU PURPLE** - Fruit are medium; purple skin color; reddish pulp and good flavor. Very prolific bearing two times a year. Good for eating and preserves.

#### <u>POMEGRANATE:</u> Self-Fertile 1-gallon containers \$10 each

**DWARF** - Blooms in late summer; reddish orange fruit that is slightly smaller than a tennis ball with great flavor. Shrub grow 3-4 feet tall and 2 feet wide. Garden or container plant.

**PARFIANKA** - Large red fruit with small edible seeds and sweet with a hint of acidity. Growth is upright; vigorous variety and bears fruit heavily.

# <u>PERSIMMON:</u> At least two varieties must be planted to ensure cross-pollination 3-gallon containers \$25 each

**AMERICAN PERSIMMON** - Round yellowish orange fruit that is edible after a good frost. Trees can reach 40-60 feet tall and live 30-80 years. Plant two or more trees for better pollination and maximum yields. Great for wildlife.

## <u>APPLES:</u> At least two varieties must be planted to ensure cross-pollination 5-gallon containers \$25 each

**JONA GOLD** - Large fruit with striped red over bright yellow; firm; crisp and juicy with a slight tart flesh. Dessert and eating apple. Vigorous sturdy tree that bears annually. Pollinate with Fuji, Granny Smith or Red Delicious.

**RED DELICIOUS** - Large fruit with dark red skin, crisp, juicy and ripen mid-season. Very vigorous growth and produce high yields.

**RED ROME** - Rounded, all red, very glossy with a thick skin and firm flesh. Eating apple but are primarily used for baking, as its flavor develops when cooked and holds it shape well. Ripens mid-October. Self-pollinating.

#### PEACHES: Self-Fertile 5-gallon containers \$25 each

**CONTENDER** - Fruit are large with red blush, firm yellow flesh, freestone and blooms late.

**RED HAVEN** - Fruit are medium with bright red skin, yellow flesh, good flavor, freestone and ripens early. Trees are vigorous growing, self-fertile and very prolific.

# <u>PEARS:</u> At least two varieties must be planted to ensure cross-pollination 5-gallon containers \$25 each

**MOONGLOW** - Fruit are medium, yellow in color, white flesh, soft, excellent and ripen early. Mild flavor with almost no grit cells. Excellent for eating or canning. Trees have upright growth and are blight resistant.

## <u>PLUMS:</u> At least two varieties must be planted to ensure cross-pollination 5-gallon containers \$25 each

**BYRON GOLD** - Large fruit, over 2 inches in diameter, round and bright yellow on the outside with a golden-yellow crispy flesh. Ripens late June to early July. Needs another Plum Tree for pollination.

**METHLEY** - Medium to large fruit, reddish purple color, sweet juicy flesh and ripen early. Trees have upright growth, well adapted in most soils and are good pollinators.

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