

CWRU FARM'S

SPRING 2026 PLANT SALE CATALOG

Support the CWRU Farm Food Program this growing season through our annual garden plant sale! This year we are offering a variety of crowd favorite flowers (pg. 1), native plants of Northeastern Ohio (pg. 25), and heirloom varieties of vegetables (pg. 5) & herbs (pg. 18)!

✦ ✦ Our On-campus sale will take place from 10am-3pm at The Tinkham Veale University Center on Wednesday, May 13th. ✦ ✦



Nasturtium

\$3.00

Attract pollinators and beneficial insects to your garden. Mature plants put off a strong smell that can deter unwanted pests from your garden. Both leaves and flowers are edibles and add a delicious peppery taste to your meals!



Marigold

\$3.00

Attract pollinators and beneficial insects to your garden. Mature plants put off a strong smell that can deter unwanted pests from your garden. Flowers are edible, add to your summer drinks, salads, and cakes!



Celosia

\$3.00

A beautiful addition to your summer garden. Their feathery plumes will dance in the wind all summer long and make for great cut flowers for bouquets!



Calendula

\$5.00

Attract beneficial insects and pollinators into your garden all summer long. Dried flower heads produce easy seeds for saving for next year's garden. Excellent cut flower with sweet aroma and can be used for your home tinctures and salves.



Henry Wilde Sunflower

\$3.00

Old-fashioned tall branching sunflower. A good choice for farm beautification, sunflower mazes, and tall border rows. The flower-producing branches are concentrated in the top third of the plants, producing a grand show of color. Tall, extremely vigorous plants produce 6-10" wide blooms with classic golden petals and dark brown centers



Procut Plum F 1

\$3.00

A muted plum-to-cream bicolor blooms combine well with soft or vivid colors and are every bit as early and reliable as the other well-known ProCut colors. Single-stem plants have tall, strong stems and 4–6", pollenless blooms. Another exciting introduction from US plant breeder Dr. Tom Heaton and company. Pollenless. Single stem.



Sonja Branching Sunflower

\$3.00

Tangerine petals with dark centers. Sprays of 8 or more side branches on strong 17–28" stems bear 4" blooms. Long vase life. Bears pollen; good for bee forage. Day-length neutral. Branching.



Yarrow Summer Pastels Mix

\$5.00

Feathery foliage with a cluster of small white flowers above. Grows 1-3 feet tall. Perennial. May not bloom until next year.



Super Beaconsfield Pansy

\$3.00

Purple and white petals. The tidy 8- to 10- inch tall plants are covered in massive, 3-inch flower heads. A superb selection for beds, borders, and containers. Gorgeous, edible blooms. A classic pansy of yesteryear. Perennial in zones 6–9; grown as an annual elsewhere



Classic Magic Centaurea

\$3.00

Abundant 1–1 1/2" flowers on upright plants. Double and semidouble bicolor blooms in black & plum, black & white, and purple. Attractive frosty appearance. Elegant addition to salads and desserts.



Sweet Red Dianthus

\$3.00

2–5" rounded clusters of single-petaled, deep red blooms on long, strong stems. Fragrant blooms. Plants are high yielding, producing long-lasting blooms, up to 14 days. Tender perennial in Zones 6–8

Cucumbers and Tomatillo



Quick Snack Cucumber

\$3.00

Cucumber: great for container gardening and small spaces!



Boston Pickling Cucumber

\$3.00

An old heirloom dating back to 1880. Vigorous vines give large yields of smooth green fruit. It is excellent for pickles; very crisp and good quality



Toma Verde

\$3.00

Green Tomatillo: Pairs great the jalapenos for a salsa verde

Tomatoes



Amish Paste

\$5.00

Large sauce tomato great for salads and processing



Striped German

\$5.00

Indeterminant Heirloom Variety: Flat, medium-to-large tomato with variable shoulder ribbing



Apricot Zebra

\$5.00

Stunning, richly tangerine-colored cherries are very unique in appearance, as the lime-green shoulders and extra-fine green striping of the unripe fruit morphs to brilliant yellow at maturity. Firm-fleshed, slightly oblong golf-ball-sized fruit are perfect for salads or snacking



Cherokee Purple

\$5.00

Indeterminant Heirloom Variety: Rich flavor with medium-large, flattened globes. Great for sandwiches



Brandywine

\$5.00

Indeterminant Heirloom Variety: Large fruit great for slicing.



Tasmanian Chocolate

\$5.00

Delicious slicer for small spaces. Unlike traditional heirlooms, it is well-suited for patios and containers (owing to its tidy plant habit and short stature) and only needs a standard tomato cage for support. These burgundy 4–6 oz., ribbed tomatoes are richly flavored and perfect for slicing onto sandwiches



Sungold

\$5.00

Indeterminant Cherry Variety: Exceptionally sweet, bright tangerine-orange color.



Black Cherry

\$5.00

Indeterminant Cherry Variety: High-yielding larger cherry



Big Rainbow Tomato

\$5.00

Huge fruit up to 2 lbs; delicious and sweet tasting. These tomatoes are very striking sliced, as the yellow fruit has neon red streaking through the flesh



Pink Bumble Bee

\$5.00

Indeterminant Cherry Variety: Excellent sweet flavor, beautiful combination of light pink, yellow, and orange colors. Bred to perform well under tough conditions



Cherry Bomb

\$5.00

Indeterminant Cherry Variety: Strong late blight resistance. Vivid red fruit great for snacking. Firm, sweet, and well-balanced



Tidy Treats

\$5.00

Dwarf Indeterminant Variety: Great for containers! Tasty and high-yielding.

Sweet Peppers



King Arthur

\$5.00

Classic bell pepper. Large, early to bear plants with thick walled fruits.



Carmen

\$5.00

Elongated bell pepper. Early, adaptable , and notably sweet. Great for grilling and roasting for summer salads and dishes!



Lilo

\$5.00

Purple bell pepper! Begins as a dark purple and eventually ripens to red. Produces high yields. Interior flesh is green with a mild flavor.



Lunch Box

\$5.00

Mini bell pepper. Plants yield and equal amount of red, yellow, and orange fruits. Remarkably sweet peppers are great for snacking , sauteed, and added to salads

Hot Peppers



Willing's Barbados

\$7.00

Heirloom Pepper from Truelove Seeds. The plant bears a prolific amount of small hot peppers. Fruits ripen green to orange and red as they ripen



Buena Mulata

\$7.00

Heirloom Pepper from Truelove Seeds. Beautiful, spicy, and flavorful cayenne pepper that starts purple and then passes through salmon and orange on the way to turning a gorgeous red.



Poblano Sargento

\$7.00

The 2 and 3-lobed fruits are smooth, shiny, and very dark green. Similar in appearance to Baron, but fruits average slightly larger at 5–6" long x 3" wide. Plants are tall, vigorous, and have an excellent yield potential.



Hungarian Hot Wax

\$7.00

Upright plants mature from pale yellow to orange red and finally to vibrant red. Excellent for frying, roasting, or pickling!



Jalapeno

\$7.00

“Pantera” variety. Long and smooth fruits are slow to “check”. Earlier to mature than other jalapeno varieties with slightly bigger fruits.



Serrano

7.00

“Altiplano” variety. Traditional serrano flavor and pungency



Shishimai

\$7.00

A new take on Japanese shishito that usually have no heat. These shishitos are all spicy!



Lemondrop

\$7.00

Flavor is clean, uncomplicated, with a slightly citrusy heat. Great for jellies and preserves.

Eggplants, Squash, Greens, Okra



Nadia

3.00

Classic Italian eggplant with medium to large fruits



Dancer

7.00

Italian variety that is mild and nonbitter! Plants are strong and heigh-yielding.



Butterfingers Summer Squash

3.00

Very uniform, attractive fruits. Semi-open, spineless plants result in easier harvesting and fewer blemishes. Early, with a long harvest period.



Green Machine Zucchini

\$3.00

Uniform, medium green with light flecking. Open plant habit with moderate spines. High yields of straight, 7–8" fruits. An excellent disease package keeps the plants healthy and producing for a full season harvest



Honeynut Squash

\$3.00

Popular mini butternut. This distinctive dark tan butternut has a loyal following among customers, who often ask for it by name. Honeynut is later-maturing, so plant early to achieve best tan coloration. If stored green, fruits will eventually ripen to tan in storage



Blue Ballet Hubbard - Winter Squash

\$3.00

A more marketable version of the New England classic Blue Hubbard. Same traditional appearance but much smaller with smooth, blue-gray skin. The flesh is sweeter, bright orange, and fiberless. Easier to cut than others of this type, as skin is tender



Hybrid Spaghetti - Winter Squash

\$3.00

Slightly sweet, nutty flavor. Oblong in shape with ivory skin that changes to pale yellow at maturity. An excellent pasta alternative — bake or boil, fork out the flesh, and top the "spaghetti" with your favorite sauce. Short vines. Avg. weight: 3–5 lb.



Red Russian Kale

\$5.00

Stems are purple; leaves are flat and toothed with purple veins. Mature plants are medium-tall and leaves are tender compared to other kales. For salads and light cooking



Collards

\$5.00

“Flash” variety. Slow to bolt with a high yield rate.



Chard

\$5.00

“Bright Lights” variety. Mild flavor compared to ordinary chard. Beautifully colored stems ranging from gold, pink, orange, and white. Variety has a strong bolt resistance



Jing Orange Okra

\$3.00

Orange okra, high yielding and heat tolerant.



Jambalaya Okra

\$3.00

Green okra, producing uniformed pods.



Louisiana 16-inch Long Pod Okra

\$3.00

Super giant, pale green pods of superb quality. They can grow to 10 to 14 inches. Limited number of plants available.



Herbs



Parsley

\$4.00

“Giant of Italy” : Huge dark green leaves with great flavors. High-yielding.



Cilantro

\$4.00

“Cruiser”: Tidy, upright plant habit and excellent bolt resistance. Large leaves and sturdy stems with great flavor!



Dill

\$4.00

“Thalia”: Uniform habit and blue-green foliage. Fast growing, delicious in sauces, marinades, and salads



Chamomile

\$4.00

Roman chamomile: Low growing, spreading plant with creeping rhizomes. Use for teas and medicines.



Basil

\$4.00

“Genovese”: Tall and relatively slow to bolt with large dark green leaves. Considered a classic variety with intense basil flavor.



Thai Basil

\$4.00

“Sweet Thai”: Long leaves have a spicy, anise/clove flavor. Excellent garnish for sweet dishes.



Greek Basil

\$4.00

Dome-shaped, compact basil with tiny leaves.



Mountain Mint

\$4.00

Used in potpourri, incense and as an ingredient in tea and natural insect repellent formulas. A native plant with white flowers to attract pollinators and beneficial insects to your garden!



Peppermint

\$4.00

A hardy fast spreading herb: Use to flavor salad mix, main dishes, ice cream, and drinks.



Oregano

\$6.00

Greek Oregano: great for pizza and Italian cooking. Characteristic dark green leaves with white flowers. The flowers attract pollinators and beneficial insects to your garden.



Chives

\$3.00

“Dolores”: Highly consistent upright habit with fine dark green leaves.



Thyme

\$6.00

Lebanese Thyme: Strong flavor makes it great for drying, pickling, or curing in olive oil.



Shiso

\$6.00

“Asai Ip”: The flowers are a flavorful addition to salads and Asian dishes. Pairs well with fish, rice, noodles, and cucumbers. The minty, basil-like flavor has hints of clove and cumin.



Stevia

\$6.00

Use fresh, dried, powdered, or as a liquid to sweeten a variety of foods and beverages. Bushy, high-yielding plants.



Rosemary

\$6.00

Use dry with roasted vegetables and meats or use fresh to garnish savory dishes and salads.



Sage

\$6.00

Wide variety of culinary uses. Purples flowers attract pollinators to your garden. Beautiful in bouquets and dried out for later use.



Fruit



Goldie Groundcherry

\$5.00

This old-fashioned tomato family member bears sweet golden berries inside papery husks. The flavor is quite sweet. Plants are profusely branching, prolific, and drop ripe fruits. Fruits can be eaten raw, dried like raisins, frozen, canned, or made into preserves, cooked pies, and desserts.



Aunt Molly's Ground Cherry

\$5.00

Polish heirloom variety that is very sweet with a hint of tartness. One-half to three-quarter inch fruit is enclosed in a papery husk that drops to the ground when fully ripe. High pectin content makes this one an excellent choice for pies and preserves.

Native Plants



Butterfly Weed

\$5.00

A perennial, meaning it will come back each year, this native milkweed has beautiful, orange flowers that will attract the monarch butterflies that depend on it as a source of nectar and an essential food source for monarch caterpillars. Blooms early through late summer. May not bloom until next year.



Cardinal Flower

\$5.00

A perennial, meaning it will come back each year, it has red showy flowers that are pollinated by hummingbirds! Needs consistently moist to wet soils to thrive. Blooms late summer to early fall. May not bloom until next year.



Common Milkweed

\$5.00

A host plant for the monarch butterfly. This plant produces large pink clusters of flowers that provide nectar to an array of pollinators. The leaves are essential food for monarch caterpillars. Perennial. May not bloom until next year.



Gray Headed Coneflower

\$5.00

A perennial that grows 3-5 feet tall, with beautiful yellow flowers. Blooms through the summer. May not bloom until next year.



Lanceleaf Coreopsis

\$5.00

Perennial, grows in small clumps, 1-2 feet tall. Beautiful yellow flowers attract pollinators of all kinds. Blooms late spring to mid summer. May not bloom until next year.



New England Aster

\$5.00

A tall 3-5 foot perennial with purple daisy-like flowers. Blooms late summer into fall providing nectar for pollinators late into the season. Perennial. May not bloom until next year.



\$5.00

Wild Bergamot

Also known as beebalm, this is an excellent addition to your garden for pollinators. Beebalm is native and a perennial plant, meaning it will grow back in your garden each spring after “dying back” in the winter time.



\$5.00

Wild Senna

A three-foot perennial producing bright yellow flowers from July to August. Wild Senna’s blooms attract many bees and butterflies in the late summer. May not bloom until next year.



\$5.00

Red Columbine

Delicate red flowers with yellow accents rise on wiry stems above equally delicate foliage. An early bloomer that will provide nectar to hummingbirds and bees in the early season. Prefers partial shade. Blooms early spring to early summer. Spreads easily by seed. May not bloom until next year.



Swamp Milkweed

\$5.00

A host plant for monarch butterflies, this 3-4 foot tall perennial has clusters of pink fragrant flowers that will attract an array of pollinators. Blooms mid summer to early fall. Prefers moist soil, but is surprisingly adaptable. Perennial. May not bloom until next year.



Yarrow

\$5.00

Feathery foliage with a cluster of small white flowers above. Grows 1-3 feet tall. Perennial. May not bloom until next year.



Black-eyed Susan

\$5.00

Easy to grow, deer resistant and long blooming. Biennial, or lasting two years, though they may self seed, black-eyed susan are a beautiful addition to the garden.



Sky Blue Aster

\$5.00

Perennial that produces branching stems with light blue floral clusters. Blooms from August to October and can reach up to 3 feet tall. May not bloom until next year.



Rattlesnake Master

\$5.00

Tall perennial forbs with spiky, spherical flowerheads. Enjoyed by butterflies, bees, and beetles. May not bloom until next year.



Great Blue Lobelia

\$5.00

A clump-forming perennial that is very attractive to pollinators. Plants reach height of 2' and are adorned with ornate flowers in varying shades of blue in July to September. May not bloom until next year.



Marshmallow

\$5.00

3- to 4-foot stems of 1- to 2-inch, white-to-pink flowers are reminiscent of hollyhocks, to which this plant is related.