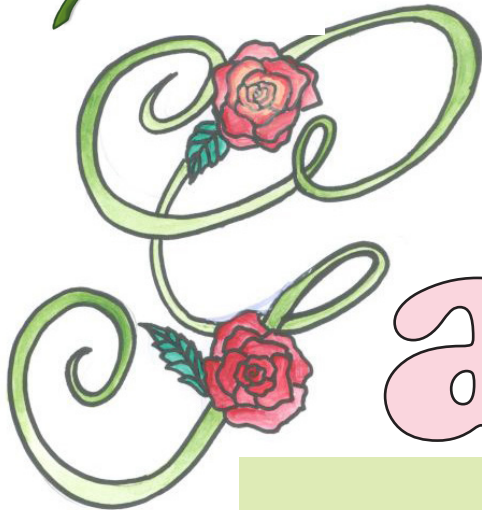




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"In the spring, at the end of the day, you should smell like dirt."

~ Margaret Atwood, Bluebeard's Egg

Spring is here! Those are sweet words after the fine winter we had this year. If nothing else, winter helps make spring that much sweeter. I couldn't imagine living somewhere without seasons. Each one has its unique tempo and spring is to dancing what winter is to resting. So let's dance! This is the most exciting time for us. All of our research, travel, learning, buying and growing leads up to this time. We get to see all the wonderful new plants and accents that make up our selections for this spring season. Be sure to read through this great newsletter to find out what's new and what opportunities there are for learning and fun.

I know on my end that when I have to take a shower at the end of the day...it's a good day! Go- dance in the dirt...it does a body good...

Happy Spring!

Karl

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 Monday - Saturday 8 am - 6 pm
 Sunday 8 am - 5 pm
 beginning May 8, Friday 8 am - 7 pm

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What's New In Our Garden

The Plants You Love
The Advice You Want
The Tools You Need
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NEW in Annuals

Bounce Impatiens - Cherry, Violet & White - (NEW!) resistant to Downy Mildew! Hoorah! Beautiful and vivid color for shade, also performs well in sun! Moderate water needs but more resilient than other varieties from occasional missed watering.



CONFETTI GARDEN mixes from Red Fox feature two or three different summer flowers artfully selected to grow beautifully together in a single pot. Each combination creates its own flowering paradise that is perfect for all garden options from an urban window or balcony box right up to hanging baskets adorning the porch of a rural retreat or terra cotta patio planters in a suburban backyard. And because we've done a lot of the work for you, you'll have more time to enjoy the relaxing setting created by your new CONFETTI GARDEN mix of flowers.



Confetti Garden - Rockin' Red



Confetti Garden - Fleur de Edna

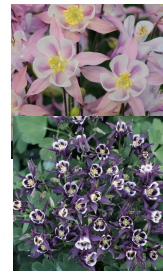
NEW in TREES & SHRUBS



Gone are the days of high-maintenance roses. With Easy Elegance®, you can have hardy, disease-resistant, chemical free roses without all the effort and attention. And it all results in beautiful hardy roses that bloom all season long in a variety of colors. Easy Elegance is also the first rose collection to offer a 2-year homeowner guarantee to show you how confident we are in our roses. Let it be known – these are not your grandmother's roses. You don't have to spend all day in the yard to make them last. All you have to do is plant them and enjoy the beauty. And there's nothing easier than that.



Deliciously Beautiful Plants. BrazelBerries® are an innovative collection of berry varieties like nothing you've seen before. With exquisite ornamental qualities, small stature and amazing fruit, BrazelBerries are plants you'll want to place front and center on your patios or in your landscape. These berry varieties are perfect in decorative patio pots and are easy to grow with minimal care.



Early Blooming Perennials

Aquilegia - Winky Blue & White, Winky Pink (NEW), Winky Purple & White, Winky Red & White - known for upright facing flowers, most floriferous of columbines. Strong stems, vigorous plant.



Phlox - stolonifera Blue Ridge, Home Fires (NEW) & Sherwood Purple

NATIVE woodland plant beautiful when planted with columbine or under azaleas or rhododendrons.



Hellebores (Lenten Rose) - Ballerina Ruffles (NEW!)

Exquisite 3" double flowers from light to bright pink. one of the Winter Thriller selections. Ballerina Ruffles holds its color up to 12 weeks. Deer resistant. Evergreen.



Hellebores (Lenten Rose) - Maestro, A Gold Collection

(NEW!) Beautiful, single light pink flower. Long blooming, outward facing blossoms. Deer resistant. Evergreen.



Mertensia Virginia - NATIVE Bluebell. Upright plant with nodding trumpet shaped light blue flowers. Early nectar source for butterflies and bees. Planted with daffodils it makes a spectacular show.



Ilex crenata, commonly known as Japanese holly or box-leaved holly, is a dense, multi-branched, evergreen shrub with a rounded form that typically matures to 5-10' tall and as wide. It is native to forests, thickets and mountain slopes in Japan, Korea, China and eastern Russia (Sakhalin). It is noted for its ovate to elliptic, crenate to serrulate, glossy, spineless, evergreen, deep green leaves (to 1 1/4" long) which are attractive all year,

Hydrangea is a valuable genus of some 100 species of shrubs and vines grown for their large and very showy flower heads. Hydrangeas are at their best in summer and fall. We're pleased to offer over 40 varieties of Hydrangeas at Bayport Flower Houses

Hydrangea macrophylla Everlasting® Amethyst

From gift to garden! This fantastic new Mophead, originally bred for its strong-stemmed cut flowers, has the long-lasting, bold blooms of florist bouquets plus the hardiness of a garden plant. Huge pink or lilac (depending on soil pH) blossoms age to lime green.



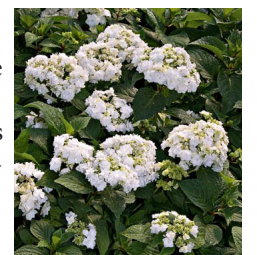
Hydrangea macrophylla Pistachio

For a sophisticated color spin, display this compact new reblooming Hydrangea in terrace containers and flower arrangements. Each double floret on these 5in Mophead blossoms is variably trimmed in scarlets and pistachio with a blue eye, looking very cool against bright green, toothed foliage. More disease resistant than older varieties.



Hydrangea macrophylla Wedding Gown

Each fully double, white flower head of this Lacecap Hydrangea is like a mini bridal bouquet, with an outer ring of large, double flowers surrounding a center packed with smaller, double ones. Flowering begins earlier than that of most varieties of Hydrangea macrophylla and continues on new growth into fall if spent blooms are removed regularly. 'Wedding Gown' is hardy, stays compact, and prefers light shade.



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Container Gardens 101

Learn the basics of design and care of containers gardens. Free gift with class.

Saturday, April 25th at 10 am - FREE

The Earth Friendly Landscape Garden

We've said it before and we'll keep on saying - you can have great gardening success and feel good doing it using earth friendly products and techniques. Let us show you how.

Saturday, May 2nd at 10 am - FREE

Bloomin' SUCCESS - Roses

Saturday, June 6th at 10 am - FREE

Bloomin' SUCCESS - Perennials

Saturday, June 13th at 10 am - FREE

Bloomin' SUCCESS - Hydrangeas

Saturday, June 27th at 1 pm - \$10

A Ladybug Tea - Natural Pest Management

Why should the kids have all the fun??? Learn how natural pest management can keep your garden healthy and pest-free this year. Iced tea and cookies will be served. Includes FREE gardening gift!

Hands On Fun!

Saturday, May 16th at 9 am (\$45 pp)

Kitchen Garden Porch Pot An edible container garden, enliven your cooking with easy to grow, fresh vegetables

Saturday, May 23rd at 9 am (\$45 pp)

Patriotic Porch Pot Three cheers for the red, white and blue flowers! Create your own festive & patriotic container garden

Saturday, May 30th at 9 am (\$45 pp)

Flowering Porch Pot Vibrant colors, cascading beauty, striking foliage. With our guidance, create a beautiful container sure to elicit ooohs and aaahhs.

Saturday, June 6th at 9 am (\$45 pp)

Herb Patio Pot Herbs make the meal so much more electric! And what's better than picking the herbs from your own container in the back patio? Nothing - join us and plant up a aromatic herb porch pot!

Saturday, June 13th at 9 am (\$75 pp)

Tropical Patio Pot HOT HOT HOT - that's what you'll be singing when you bring your gorgeous tropical porch pot home to enjoy.

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Spring Fun For Kids

Saturday, April 25 at 2 pm (\$15 pp)

Earth Day Celebration We'll have a great selection of recycled items for you to "Repurpose" in honor of Earth Day!

Saturday, May 2 at 2 pm (\$15 pp)

Mother's Day Fairy Garden

Make Mom her own magical, fairy garden for Mother's Day! We'll also bottle up some magical fairy dust and Mother's Day card!

Saturday, May 16th at 9 am (\$15 pp)

Kid's Garden Pot An edible kid size container garden with easy to grow, fresh vegetables

Saturday, May 30th at 9 am (\$15 pp)

Kid's Flower Pot With our guidance, children will create their own beautiful flowering porch pot sure to elicit ooohs and aaahhs.

Sat, June 27 & Tues, June 30 at 9 am (\$5 per family)

The Ladybug Breakfast

Be sure to BE SPOTTED at the annual release of the ladybugs for children of all ages! \$5 family donation to benefit the Bayport Blue Point Children's Garden Program and the Cornell Cooperative Extension Children's Garden

Perennial Plant of the Year: *Geranium x cantabrigiense 'Biokovo'*

"So many Geraniums, so little time." If this is your motto, we completely understand. There are so many fantastic varieties to choose from, but Geranium 'Biokovo' is extraordinary. Allow us to tell you why.

Unlike our tender summer annual, commonly called geranium (genus: Pelargonium), true Geraniums are hardy, low growing, groundcover perennials commonly known as Cranesbill. I know, this is confusing, but when you see them they look nothing alike and they certainly do not behave similarly.

G. 'Biokovo', originally found growing in the mountains of Croatia, is cold hardy and semi-evergreen in hardiness zones 5 - 8. Growing up to a foot tall, this Cranesbill blooms in late spring, May to June, with five-petaled, 3/4 inch, white flowers tinged pink. The leaves are slightly hairy, lobed, medium green turning orange-red in the fall and are highly aromatic with a pungent, orange-like scent when bruised.

Produced on spreading rhizomes, G. 'Biokovo' is easily grown in well-drained soil with average fertility. It is relatively drought tolerant once established and will thrive planted in either full sun or part shade. Fertilize in early spring. Plant divisions may be done in either spring or fall.

Use 'Biokova' in the front of the perennial border and in rock gardens. It will steal the show as a long blooming ground cover or edging plant. There are no serious pest or disease problems associated with this or any of the many other hardy Geraniums. It attracts butterflies and resists deer and rabbit.

No wonder Geranium x cantabrigiense 'Biokovo' is the 2015 choice for Perennial Plant of the Year!



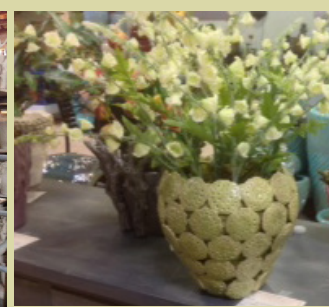
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What's New - Pottery & Statuary

Bright and Whimsical Glazed Pottery
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The Delicato Collection by Alfresco Home features elegant and inspired cachepots that are breathtaking pieces of art before the flowers even fill them. Hand molded, raised petals and finger-twigs entwine these beauties in the softest palettes of lavender, blush and moss.

Greet spring's finest occasions with the most inspired gift of the season. A beautiful keepsake for weddings, christenings and anniversaries



Whether you're looking for an accent piece or a focal piece, our Garden Statuary selection this year is awesome!

Nautical, angels, high color Talevera, dogs, cats, bunnies, frogs, butterflies, fountains, bird baths & much more.



Putting on Airs: Tillandsias

Looking for something easy to grow? Air plants, Tillandsias, should be on the top of your list. Tillandsias is the largest genus in the Bromeliad family with over 550 species that vary in color, size, texture and shape. In their native habitat, Tillandsias attach themselves to trees and rocks using their roots. They derive the nutrients and water they need from the air, hence the common name Air plant. And guess what? No soil is necessary! This versatile houseplant is not fussy, and when given minimal care, will adapt to most home and office environments.

Light: Place your Tillandsias where it will receive plenty of light but not direct sunlight. Direct sun will dry out the leaves very quickly. Home or office fluorescent lighting works just fine.

Temperature: 50 – 90 degrees Fahrenheit

Water: Once a month, soak your air plant in water for about 20 minutes. If the plant is flowering, a delicate rinse would be more appropriate so that the bloom is not damaged. When through soaking, shake off the excess water from the plant and place in an area with good air circulation. In between soaks, spritz your Tillandsias once a week with clean water from a spray bottle. Indoor heat and air conditioning rob moisture from the air. If your air plant leaves start to wrinkle or roll, this is a sign of dehydration. Give them a good soak and spritz more than once a week.

General Maintenance: It is not unusual for the outer leaves of the air plant to dry out and turn brown, simply remove them. If leaf tips dry a bit and turn brown, cut off the tip and continue with regular care. The plant will grow and look just fine.

One final note, Tillandsias have beautiful brilliant blooms but only bloom once in their lifetime. Depending on the species, the bloom may last several days to several months. Easy, right? Bayport Flower Houses' has Tillandsia in all shapes and sizes. Beautiful, glass and ceramic hanging containers make an awesome gift. Or tabletop plantings are perfect for a desk



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