



# We are celebrating 20 Years!

Spring Grove Nursery took root back in 1999, making 2019 our 20th year of growing trees! Milestones like this give us an opportunity to stop and pause a bit – reflecting on how we started, how we have grown, and what we envision for our next 20 years.

Just like the trees we grow; our story is rooted in history. After planting our business on a foundation of good "roots", we have been able to "branch out" into a flourishing nursery. The trees, friends, and partners we have grown along the way have all helped us develop a vibrant "canopy" we are proud to stand under. We invite you to follow us this next year as we share an inside look at Spring Grove Nursery from the ground up!

To kick off our 20 Years & Growing Celebration, we have launched a new website and catalog. Our new website features an improved Photo Gallery with lots of great photos and info about our SGN Trees. We also re-vamped our blog which is now full of helpful resources and updates from the field. Our new printed catalog features expanded photos and tree descriptions about the selections we grow at the nursery. We hope these will be helpful tools in your tree selection process. Please take a look and let us know what you think!

As we spend this next year reflecting on the past and looking forward to our future, we still want to celebrate this 2019 season ahead! Once again, we have a fantastic crop of trees ready to harvest. We invite you to join us this season and experience what goes in to an SGN Tree here at the nursery. We look forward to celebrating and growing with you!

Jamie Thomas Becky Thomas

Your Growers,



# QUESTIONS? WE'RE HERE FOR YOU.

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# OUR NURSERY

Spring Grove Nursery is located in North Central Illinois. Resting in the heart of Grundy County just south of the Chicago suburbs, our nursery grows a diverse & superior selection of Shade, Ornamental, & Evergreen Trees. Ready for pick-up or delivery, we offer landscape contractors, garden centers, municipalities, park districts, landscape architects, and community groups a collection of healthy specimen trees for their projects.

For five generations, our family has cultivated & crafted strong roots in agriculture. With this understanding of the land & respect for the natural process, our nursery has grown to encompass this passion. Our trees grow on 90 acres of some of the Midwest's finest fertile soil. With a commitment to conservation, quality, & service we provide our customers with excellent trees & superb service.

# OUR TREES

- Finest Quality Liner Stock
- Proper Root Depth at Planting
- Well-Structured Pruning
- Diverse & Hardy Selection of Varieties
- Machine Dug Root Balls
- Certified & Inspected by the IL Dept of Ag
- Certified as Japanese Beetle Free Root Balls
- All trees grown to the American Standard for Nursery Stock





# OUR SERVICES

By growing trees, we are given the opportunity to partner with great people in this industry. Growing doesn't end when our tree is harvested. It is the beginning of a new relationship between us and our customer – one that will continue to grow and flourish for many years to come. We are proud to offer many unique & convenient services to our customers – each one tailored to meet their needs.

- Affordable Delivery to the Jobsite
- Free Tagging in our Field
- Customized Holding Programs
- ◆ Field Direct & Volume Pricing Programs
- ISA Certified Arborist on Staff



# LET'S TALK ABOUT TREES



What goes in to an SGN Tree at Spring Grove Nursery? More than you think! Check out our exclusive SGN Trees page on our website to follow the story of how we create the perfect SGN Tree here at the nursery.

## CHICAGOLAND GROWS®

We are proud to grow several selections from the Chicagoland Grows \* program. The program is a partnership between the Ornamental Grower's Association of Northern Illinois, the Morton Arboretum and the Chicago Botanic Garden. The goal of the program is to develop new plants well suited to the upper Midwest. As members of the OGA, we work hand in hand with other growers to evaluate new trees & cultivate old favorites. The Chicagoland Grows \* trees we have growing in our fields this season are:

- State Street Maple
- Crescendo Sugar Maple
- Exclamation! London Planetree
- Accolade Elm
- Triumph Elm



# WHAT'S NEW

As you look through our catalog, you will notice several new trees available this season. We have conveniently marked them with our NEW icon for your reference. Here are just a few highlights:

#### **NEW**

- Urban Sunset Maple
- Arnold Tulip Tree
- Butterflies Cucumbertree Magnolia
- Hills Oak
- Green Whisper Bald Cypress
- Jefferson American Elm



## TRIED & TRUE SELECTIONS

Check out our new "Tried & True Selections" on the following page. These top Grower's Picks are based on our experience with these trees in our field over the years. We have seen the trees on this list perform consistently through a variety of extremes, so we thought they were worth special mention!



# Tried & True Selections

From your Growers at Spring Grove Nursery

Spring Grove Nursery took root back in 1999, making 2019 our 20th year of growing Here is a highlighted list of trees we have found to perform well in our nursery and in the landscape. These trees thrive in our fields despite the extreme climate fluctuations we have experienced in recent years. We are always evaluating which selections seem to flourish despite a wide range of extremes, yet still offer ornamental interest in the landscape. Everything we grow here at the nursery is worth merit, or we wouldn't grow it! These are just a few selections that have caught our attention in recent years:

Redpointe Red Maple

State Street Maple

Sun Valley Red Maple

Fall Fiesta Sugar Maple

Pacific Sunset Maple

Dakota Pinnacle Birch

American Hornbeam

Northern Catalpa

Common Hackberry

Eastern Redbud

Perkins Pink Yellowwood

Streetkeeper Honeylocust

Espresso Kentucky Coffeetree

Royal Raindrops Crabapple

Exclamation London Planetree

Swamp White Oak

American Dream Oak

Regal Prince Oak

Kindred Spirit Oak

Streetspire Oak

Shingle Oak

Heritage Oak

Bald Cypress

Princeton American Elm

Triumph Elm

Vanderwolf's Pyramid Pine

# FOLLOW SGN TREES

To stay up to date with the latest Pricing & Availability, Nursery News, and SGN Trees take advantage of any of these great resources:

#### NOTES FROM THE FIELD

Sign up on our website for our monthly email newsletter full of valuable information designed to make your life easier & keep you up to date on what you need to know. Inside you will find:

- Current Pricing & Availability
- ◆ Video Tours & Clips
- ◆ Nursery News
- Grower Field Reports
- Seasonal Specials

### **SGN WEBSITE**

Our recently updated website features a new Photo Gallery and Blog both full of great photos and resources designed to help you learn more about selecting the perfect SGN Tree for your project.



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### SGN FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM

Follow our trees here for great ways to stay in touch in between our monthly newsletter.

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## New & Improved Catalog!

You will notice that our new & improved catalog includes a more detailed look at our SGN Trees. We hope the photos and descriptions of each tree are helpful tools in your tree selection process. For more photos of each tree, visit our online Photo Gallery at www.SpringGroveNursery.com. Since our availability changes daily at the nursery, please contact us for the most current Pricing & Availability numbers at 815.448.2097 or email bthomas@sgntrees.com.

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Acer ginnala 'Flame' | Amur Flame Maple

Height: 20' Spread: 20' Shape: Compact & round Foliage: Bright green

Feature: Brilliant red fall color

Acer ginnala 'Flame' – Amur Flame Maple is an excellent specimen tree with brilliant red fall color. It makes a nice specimen tree or addition where a small to medium sized tree is needed.



Acer miyabei 'JFS-KW3AMI' | Rugged Ridge Maple

2 0-3 0"

2 0-2 5"

Height: 55' Spread: 40' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant yellow fall color, deep furrowed bark

Acer miyabei 'JFS-KW3AMI' – Rugged Ridge Maple is a cousin to the State Street Maple, and it was developed by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery. The impressive textured bark adds a corky feature to the landscape. This tree is extremely tough and adaptable making it a great choice for any setting.



Acer miyabei 'Morton' | State Street Maple 🧇 🐌

2.0-4.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 35' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Light/medium green

Feature: Bright yellow fall color, textured bark

Acer miyabei 'Morton' — The State Street Maple is a Morton Arboretum release and Chicagoland Grows introduction bred for excellent urban tolerance and beauty. The textured bark is complimented by its bright green leaves that turn golden yellow in the fall. This is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Acer platanoides 'Deborah' | Deborah Norway Maple

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 40' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Reddish-purple in spring turning to dark green in summer Feature: Colorful all season – purple, green, bronze

Acer platanoides 'Deborah' – The Deborah Norway Maple adds a burst of color in the spring landscape when the leaves emerge reddish-purple. They turn to a nice dark green in the summer, and the tree provides good shade with it's large leaves. The Deborah Maple is a quick grower and a dependable tree in the landscape.



Acer platanoides 'Pond' | Emerald Lustre Norway Maple

2.0-4.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Upright rounded Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Bright vellow fall color

Acer platanoides 'Pond' – The Emerald Lustre Norway Maple is a great shade tree for a variety of uses. The quick growth make it a good choice where you need shade fast. The large green leaves cast a dense shade underneath. The bright yellow fall color really pops in the landscape.



Acer rubrum 'Burgundy Belle' | Burgundy Belle Red Maple

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 45' Shape: Oval to round Foliage: Medium green Feature: Deep burgundy-red fall color

Acer rubrum 'Burgundy Belle' — Titled 'Magnificent Magenta', the Burgundy Belle Red Maple shines first in the fall. It turns a deep red before the other red maples and the color holds well into the fall. This variety is a Heritage Trees, Inc. selection with excellent urban tolerance.

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Acer rubrum 'Frank Jr' | Redpointe Red Maple 🆠

**Height:** 45' **Spread:** 30' **Shape:** Broadly pyramidal **Foliage:** Medium/dark green

Feature: Brilliant red fall color

Acer rubrum 'Frank Jr' – Another J.Frank Schmidt Nursery introduction, Redpointe combines the faster growth of Acer x freemanii with an outstanding red fall color. The foliage is stays a nice dark green all season without vellowing like other red maples can do in the wrong site. The growth speed is moderate to fast and it is very tolerant of a wide range of conditions. This Red Maple guickly has become one of our favorites giving it a "Tried & True" status in our book!



Acer rubrum 'Franksred' | Red Sunset Red Maple

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2 0-4 0"

Height: 45' Spread: 35' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Acer rubrum 'Franksred' – Developed by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery, the Red Sunset is one of the most popular Red Maples in America. The Justrous green foliage turns a bright red in fall.



Acer rubrum 'October Glory' | October Glory Red Maple

2.0-4.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 35' Shape: Broad oval to round Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant red fall color

Acer rubrum 'October Glory' – The bright green foliage on this Maple turns brilliant red in the fall. This Red Maple handles hot temps well and really shines in the October landscape!



Acer rubrum 'Sun Valley' | Sun Valley Red Maple >

2.0-4.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 35' Shape: Oval to round Foliage: Medium green

**Feature:** Bright red fall color, seedless

Acer rubrum 'Sun Valley' — This National Arboretum introduction stands out in the fall with spectacular red fall color. Sun Valley is a hybrid of Red Sunset and Autumn Flame, and it is one of the few seedless varieties. This is dependable in the nursery and earns our "Tried & True" status!



Acer saccharum 'Bailsta' | Fall Fiesta Sugar Maple >

2.0-3.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 30' Shape: Broadly round Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Orange, red, vellow fall colors

Acer saccharum 'Bailsta' – Autumn colors of orange, red, and yellow explode on the Fall Fiesta. This Sugar Maple is one of our favorite cultivars of a great native species. We consider this one to be another "Tried & True" favorite!



Acer saccharum 'Commemoration' | Commemoration Sugar Maple

2.0-3.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 35' Shape: Oval to round Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Acer saccharum 'Commemoration' – 50' x 35' – This fast growing Sugar Maple has thick leaves resistant to leaf tatter.

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Acer saccharum 'Morton' | Crescendo Sugar Maple 💠

2 0-3 0"

Height: 45' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Acer saccharum 'Morton' – Selected by the Chicagoland Grows program, this Sugar Maple was developed at the Morton Arboretum, Crescendo features heat resistant foliage and spectacular orange fall color. (Photo credits Morton Arboretum)



Acer tataricum 'GarAnn' | Hot Wings Maple

2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 20' Shape: Round & spreading Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Bright red samaras in summer, orange- red fall color

Acer tataricum'GarAnn' – The Hot Wings Maple shows off in the summer when the bright red fruits pop against the light green leaves. The tree also has nice white flower clusters in May. As a small to medium tree, the Hot Wings is very versatile in the landscape.



#### Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'JFS-KW187' | Urban Sunset Maple •

2.0-3.0"

**Height:** 35' **Spread:** 20' **Shape:** Upright oval **Foliage:** Dark glossy green

Feature: Compact upright shape develops a uniform canopy. Bright red fall color brightens the landscape.

Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'JFS-KW202' — This new J.Frank Schmidt Nursery introduction is another hybrid of the Shantung and Norway Maple. The Urban Sunset Maple has dark glossy green leaves all season that turn a beautiful red in the fall. It produces few seeds and is a nice trouble-free tree in the landscape. (Photo credits J. Frank Schmidt Nursery)



#### Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'JFS-KW202' | Crimson Sunset Maple

2.0-3.0"

**Height:** 35' **Spread:** 25' **Shape:** Upright oval **Foliage:** Deep purple **Feature:** Dark purple foliage all season turns reddish bronze in fall

Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'JFS-KW202' — This new J.Frank Schmidt Nursery introduction is another hybrid of the Shantung and Norway Maple. The Crimson Sunset has deep purple foliage all season with an upright compact habit. A rather slow grower however a nice splash of color in the landscape.



#### Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'Warrenred' | Pacific Sunset Maple 🌢

2.0-4.0"

**Height:** 30' **Spread:** 25' **Shape:** Upright spreading **Foliage:** Dark glossy green Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Acer truncatum x A. platanoides 'Warrensred' — Another great J.Frank Schmidt Nursery introduction, this hybrid Maple brings the best of 2 trees – the Shantung and Norway Maples. The outstanding glossy green foliage turns magnificent

shades of yellow, orange, and red in the fall. The small-medium size of the tree makes it an excellent choice for the landscape and wins our "Tried & True" status!



Acer x freemanii 'Celzam' | Celebration Maple

2.0-4.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 35' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Medium green Feature: Brilliant vellow-orange fall color

Acer x freemanii 'Celzam' — This compact upright hybrid was developed by Lake County Nursery. It is seedless and will tolerate high pH soils. It has superior branching structure and a red fall color that turns gold.

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Acer x freemanii 'DTR-102' | Autumn Fantasy Maple

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant red fall color

Acer x freemanii 'DTR-102' – This hybrid of the Silver and Red maple consistently produces very vibrant red fall color. Its shape is broadly oval with bright green spring/summer foliage.



Acer x freemanii 'Jeffersred' | Autumn Blaze Maple

2 0-4 0"

2 0-4 0"

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant red fall color

Acer x freemanii 'Jeffersred' – 50' x 40' – The Autumn Blaze Maple is a hybrid of the Silver & Red Maple. Turning a bright red in the fall, this popular tree is a very fast growing & hardy choice.



#### Aesculus flava | Yellow Buckeye

2.0-3.0"

Height: 60' Spread: 40' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Bright orange fall color, glossy brown nuts

Aesculus flava – The Yellow Buckeye gets it's name from the yellow flowers in May. This tree tolerates urban conditions well and develops into an oval form. Other features are the orange fall color and glossy brown nuts.



Aesculus x arnoldiana 'Autumn Splendor' | Autumn Splendor Horsechestnut

2.0-3.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 25' Shape: Oval rounded Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Late spring yellow-red flowers, maroon fall color

Aesculus x arnoldiana 'Autumn Splendor' – The Autumn Splendor Horsechestnut was developed at the University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum. It is a hybrid of A. glabra crossed with flava & pavia. The late spring flowers are a stunning 6' long. The foliage has great scorch resistance with a deep red fall color. Brown fruits also adorn the tree.



Aesculus x carnea 'Fort McNair' | Fort McNair Horsechestnut

2.0-3.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 30' Shape: Round & dense Foliage: Dark green Feature: Large pink flowers in spring, reddish brown fall fruits

Aesculus x carnea 'Fort McNair' — The Fort McNair Horsechestnut has showy 6-8' pink flowers in the spring followed by reddish-brown fruit in the fall. This tree was selected from Ft. McNair in Washington DC.



Amelanchier x grandiflora 'Autumn Brilliance' | Autumn Brilliance Serviceberry

6.0-10' & 1.5-3.0"

Height: 20' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright spreading Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color, white spring flowers, edible fruits

Amelanchier x grandiflora 'Autumn Brilliance' – Another great tree with 4 season interest, the delicate white spring flowers are followed by edible red fruits in June. The tree glows in the fall with re-orange fall color. The smooth gray branches add winter interest along with strong structure that resists ice breakage.



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Betula nigra | River Birch

8-16' & 2 0-3 0"

Height: 40' Spread: 35' Shape: Broadly pyramidal to round Foliage: Medium green Feature: Bright yellow fall color, peeling cinnamon-brown bark

Betula nigra – The River Birch is an excellent tree showcasing reddish-brown peeling bark and an outstanding yellow fall color. As a quick grower, this tree delivers shade and ornamental interest right away!



Betula nigra'Cully' | Heritage River Birch

8-16' & 2 0-3 0"

Height: 40' Spread: 20' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Bright yellow fall color, Peeling re-brown bark Betula nigra'Cully' - This birch is a Heritage Trees Introduction bred to have a more oval form. The creamy color bark

Betula platyphylla 'Fargo' | Dakota Pinnacle Birch 🔊



8-16' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright pyramidal Foliage: Dark green Feature: Bright yellow fall color, white exfoliating bark

Betula platyphylla 'Fargo' – This new narrow variety was developed by North Dakota State University. It is very tolerant of heat and drought and is Japanese Beetle resistant. Dark green foliage turns a brilliant yellow in fall. The bark is yellowwhite and is slightly exfoliating.



Betula populifolia 'Whitespire' | Whitespire Birch

8.0-16

Height: 30' Spread: 20' Shape: Pyramidal to oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Bright yellow fall color, striking white-gray bark

Betula populifolia 'Whitespire' – A nice narrow pyramidal size, this Birch has chalky white bark that looks great all season long. The bright green leaves rustle in the wind and turn the brightest vellow in the fall. Another standout feature are the catkins that grace the tree in the summer.



Carpinus betulus 'Fastigiata | Pyramidal European Hornbeam

2.0-3.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 25 Shape: Pyramidal to oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Narrow symmetrical shape, vellow fall color

Carpinus betulus 'Fastigiata' – The Pyramidal European Hornbeam is a great accent plant with a symmetrical and formal shape. This tree is free of disease and pest problems.



Carpinus betulus 'Frans Fontaine' | Frans Fontaine European Hornbeam

2.0-3.0"

Height: 30' Spread: 10' Shape: Narrow Foliage: Dark green Feature: Narrow shape, vellow fall color

Carpinus betulus 'Frans Fontaine' – The Frans Fontaine European Hornbeam is very symmetrical and formal in shape. This variety is the most narrow of the Pyramidal Hornbeams.

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Carpinus caroliniana | American Hornbeam 🔊

Height: 25' Spread: 20' Shape: Oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Outstanding orange-red fall color

Carpinus caroliniana – This native is also commonly known as Ironwood or Musclewood, which comes from the smooth, gray bark with a fluted trunk. This tree naturalizes well and has an outstanding orange-red fall color making it another one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Catalpa speciosa | Northern Catalpa 🆠

2 0-4 0"

2 0-3 0"

Height: 5' Spread: 40' Shape: Pyramidal to rounded, open Foliage: Medium green large leaves

Feature: Yellow fall color, white spring flowers

Catalpa speciosa – The Catalpa is a large native tree that grows fast. The foliage is green with a large heart shape that turns yellow in the fall. The tree also has 4-8' white flowers in the spring followed by long pencil-like fruit pods. Another "Tried & True" favorite of ours!



Catalpa x erubescens 'Purpurea' | Purple Catalpa

2.0-4.0"

Height: 30' Spread: 30' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Purple in spring turning green

Feature: Large white flowers, yellow fall color

Catalpa x erubescens 'Purpurea' – The new growth is purple-black in color and as summer progresses the leaves turn to dark green. Large white flowers are showy in late summer.



Celtis occidentalis | Common Hackberry >

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 35' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Light green

Feature: Yellow fall color, great bark

Celtis occidentalis – This native dependable shade tree tolerates a wide range of conditions. The textured bark adds interest to the landscape. A "Tried & True" favorite of ours!



Celtis occidentalis 'Chicagoland' | Chicagoland Hackberry

2.0-3.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly rounded Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Celtis occidentalis 'Chicagoland' – This Roy Klemn introduction has a strong central leader which makes it a "grower's tree". The clean large green foliage turns vellow in the fall. This tree is very urban tolerant.



Cercis canadensis | Eastern Redbud >

6-10' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 30' Shape: Rounded and spreading Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow fall color, bright purple-pink spring flowers

Cercis canadensis — The Eastern Redbud is a native favorite in the landscape. The heart shaped leaves turn vellow in the fall. In the spring, the tree is covered with purple/pink flowers along the branches. The smooth gray bark and; branching pattern adds winter interest as well. All of these seasonal interests along with good performance in the nursery make it a "Tried & True" favorite of ours!



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Cladrastis kentukea 'Perkins Pink' | Perkins Pink Yellowwood |

2 0-3 0"

Height: 30' Spread: 30' Shape: Round Foliage: Medium green leaflets

Feature: Yellow fall color, spring pink flowers

Cladrastis kentuckea 'Perkins Pink' – This graceful medium sized tree adds nice diversity to the landscape. Clusters of fragrant pink flowers appear in the spring followed by bright yellow fall color. This tree is very urban tolerant and another "Tried & True" favorite of ours!



Cornus alternifolia | Pagoda Dogwood

4-8

Height: 20' Spread: 20' Shape: Round Foliage: Dark leathery green

Feature: Red fall color, white spring flowers, blue-black fruits

Cornus alternifolia — Striking in every season this tree has white spring flowers, blue/black fruits, and red fall color. The horizontal branching add architectural interest to the landscape.



#### Cornus mas 'Golden Glory' | Golden Glory Corneliancherry Dogwood

2.0-3.0"

Height: 20' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Red fall color, yellow spring flowers, bright red fruits

Cornus mas 'Golden Glory' – Early March yellow flowers appear before the leaves followed by bright red edible fruits that attract birds. The glossy green foliage turns red in the fall. Beautiful specimen for multiple season interest.



#### Corylus corlurna | Turkish Filbert

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 25' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow fall color, attractive bark & catkins

Corylus corlurna – The Turkish Hazel Filbert thrives in adverse conditions including drought. It is wind proof and has nice clean foliage with ornamental catkins in the spring. It is free of pest & disease problems and adapts well to a wide range of pH. The attractive furrowed bark is another great feature of this tree. (Photo credit Chicago Botanic Garden)



#### Crataegus crusgalli v. inermis | Thornless Cockspur Hawthorn

6-10' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 25' Shape: Round, spreading Foliage: Dark glossy green Feature: White spring flowers, red fruits, orange fall color

Crataegus crusgalli v. inermis — An attractive small tree, this Hawthorn has white spring flowers & red fall fruits. The glossy green foliage turns purple-red in the fall. The widespread gravish branches add interest in the winter landscape.



#### Crataegus virdis 'Winter King' | Winter King Hawthorn

2.0-3.0"

Height: 20' Spread: 25' Shape: Wide vase shape spreading Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Great silvery bark, white spring flowers, bright orange fruit clusters

Crataegus virdis 'Winter King' – One of the best Hawthorns, this tree has 4 seasons of interest. White flowers in the spring are followed by orange berry clusters in the fall. The fruits hold on into the winter. The striking architecture of the branches is accented by the silvery exfoliating bark in the winter.



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Eucommia ulmoides | Hardy Rubber Tree

2 0-3 0"

Height: 45' Spread: 45' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Glossy foliage, tough tree

Eucommia ulmoides – The Hardy Rubber Tree features glossy dark green foliage. It is very drought tolerant and disease resistant. It also tolerates a wide range of soil conditions, making it a great choice for tough spots.



Ginkgo biloba 'Edwards First' | Windover Gold Ginkgo

15-25"

Height: 50' Spread: 35' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Bright yellow fall color

Ginkgo biloba 'Edwards First' – Developed by Windover Nursery, this Ginkgo was selected for it's golden fall color. It is pest free, seedless and upright in form.



Ginkgo biloba 'Princeton Sentry' | Princeton Sentry Ginkgo

1.5-2.5"

Height: 40' Spread: 15' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Bright yellow fall color

Ginkgo biloba 'Princeton Sentry' – This columnar Ginkgo variety it a good fit for city streets or narrow spaces. It's spectacular yellow fall color is hard to beat in the fall landscape.



Gleditsia triacanthos 'Skycole' | Skyline Honeylocust

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 35' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Medium green fine textured

Feature: Yellow fall color

Gleditsia triacanthos 'Skycole' – With tiny bright green leaves, this tree adds a fine-textured appearance to the landscape. It turns a brilliant yellow in the fall, and it has terrific urban tolerance.



Gleditsia triacanthos 'Street Keeper' | Street Keeper Honeylocust 🆠

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright narrow Foliage: Dark green fine textured Feature: Yellow fall color

Gleditsia triacanthos 'Draves' – This narrow urban friendly variety was developed by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery. The foliage is a deeper green than others, and it is a perfect choice for an urban tolerant shade tree.



Gymnocladus dioicus | Kentucky Coffee Tree

2.0-4.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 35' Shape: Oval to vase shaped Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Gymnocladus dioicus – Adaptable to a wide range of conditions, this tree also adds great texture to the landscape. The distinctive branching stands out while the tropical-like foliage adds even more interest.



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Gymnocladus dioicus 'Espresso-JFS' | Espresso Kentucky Coffee Tree >

2 0-4 0"

**Height:** 50' **Spread:** 35' **Shape:** Oval to vase shaped **Foliage:** Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color, seedless

Gymnocladus dioicus 'Espresso -JFS' – With large double compound leaves, the Espresso variety adds a tropical feel to the landscape. This tree is tolerant of all conditions and is a seedless variety. Espresso Kentucky Coffeetree is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Hamamelis vernalis | Vernal Witchhazel

4-6'

Height: 8' Spread: 8' Shape: Round Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow flowers in winter

Hamamelis vernalis – The fragrant yellow flowers appear in the winter between Jan-Mar and bloom on old wood.



Liquidambar styraciflua 'Moraine' | Moraine Sweetgum

2.0-3.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 25' Shape: Broad oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Brilliant burgundy-red to yellow fall color

Liquidambar styraciflua 'Moraine' – This cold hardy Sweetgum variety is an excellent choice for fantastic fall color. The glossy green star-shaped leaves turn burgundy-red to yellow in the fall.



Liquidambar styraciflua 'Slender Silhouette' | Slender Silhouette Sweetgum

2.0-3.0"

Height: 60' Spread: 8' Shape: Tightly columnar! Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Bright orange-red-yellow fall color

 $Liquidambar styraciflua ``Slender Silhouette' - This tightly columnar Sweetgum \, makes \, quite \, a \, statement \, in \, the \, landscape.$ It has minimal seeds which make it a perfect choice for tight spots. Fall color is yellow with hints of burgundy.



Liquidambar styraciflua 'Worplesdon' | Worpelsdon Sweetgum

2.0-3.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 25' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Liquidambar styraciflua 'Worplesdon' — Another good cold hardy Sweetgum, this variety has a spectacular fall color. The glossy green star shaped leaves compliment the smooth gray bark.



Liriodendron tulipifera | Tulip Tree

2.0-4.0"

Height: 60' Spread: 30' Shape: Oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow spring flowers and fall color

Liriodendron tulipifera – The Tulip Tree is a terrific native tree with large vellow flowers with an orange center in the spring that resemble a tulip. The tree grows fast and has big bright green leaves.

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Liriodendron tulipifera 'Arnold' | Arnold Tulip Tree

Height: 50' Spread: 15' Shape: Narrow Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Narrow form, bright yellow fall color

Liriodendron tulipifera 'Arnold' — This narrow Tulip Tree cultivar has bright green foliage that turns a beautiful yellow in fall. It is a great choice for tight spaces.



Liriodendron tulipifera 'JFS-Oz' | Emerald City Tulip Tree

2 0-4 0"

2 0-3 0"

Height: 55' Spread: 25' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Medium green

**Feature:** Bright yellow spring flower and fall color

Liriodendron tulipifera 'JFS-O2' – The refined cultivar developed by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery is more uniform and upright than the straight species. It also is complimented by a dominant central leader and deeper glossy green foliage.



Maclura pomifera 'White Shield' | White Shield Osage Orange

2.0-3.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 35' Shape: Upright spreading Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Maclura pomifera 'White Shield' – Tough as nails, this genus can thrive in areas most trees cannot. It was developed at J. Frank Schmidt Nursery. The glossy green foliage turns yellow in the fall. Unlike the genus, this cultivar does not bear fruit or thorns. (Photo credits J. Frank Schmidt Nursery)



Magnolia acuminata 'Butterflies' | Butterflies Magnolia

2.0-3.0"

Height: 20' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright round Foliage: Medium glossy green, large

**Feature:** Large yellow spring flowers

Magnolia acuminata 'Butterflies' – This is one of the best Magnolias. The outstanding yellow spring flowers are 4-5' in size. This makes an excellent small tree in the landscape!



Magnolia x loebneri 'Merrill' | Dr. Merrill Magnolia

6-10'

Height: 25' Spread: 25' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Medium green

Feature: White spring flowers

Magnolia x loebneri 'Merrill' – This Magnolia hybrid is covered in white flowers early spring. It is a dependable Magnolia for the landscape.



Malus 'Firebird' | Firebird Crabapple

2.0-3.0"

Height: 9' Spread: 12' Shape: Rounded spreading Foliage: Medium green Feature: Red buds open to white spring flowers

Malus 'Firebird' – The Firebird Crabapple is compact when young then spreads as it matures. It bursts with white flowers in the spring and red fruits in the fall. It is a Johnson's Nursery introduction.

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Malus 'Golden Raindrops' | Golden Raindrops Crabapple

Height: 20' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright vase shaped Foliage: Medium green cutleaf

Feature: White spring flowers, yellow fruit

Malus 'Golden Raindrops' – White spring flowers with beautiful green cutleaf foliage that looks great all season.



Malus 'Prairifire' | Prairifire Crabapple

2.0-3.0"

2 0-3 0"

Height: 20' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright rounded Foliage: Purple

Feature: Hot pink spring flowers, red fruits

Malus 'Prairifire' – Bright pink spring flowers with red fruits and red-maroon foliage.



Malus 'Red Jewel' | Red Jewel Crabapple

6-10' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 15' Spread: 12' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Medium green

Feature: White spring flowers, bright red fruits

Malus 'Red Jewel' – Profuse white flowers in spring followed by bright red fruits in fall – green foliage.



Malus 'Royal Raindrops' | Royal Raindrops Crabapple >

6-10' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 20' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright spreading' Foliage: Purple cutleaf

**Feature:** Hot pink spring flowers, red fruits

Malus 'Royal Raindrops' – Pink spring flowers with beautiful purple cutleaf foliage that looks great all season. This is our favorite pink flowering Crabapple and warrants our "Tried & True" status!



Malus 'Shotizam' | Showtime Crabapple

2.0-3.0"

Height: 22' Spread: 20' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Purple

Feature: Bright pink spring flowers, red fruits

Malus 'Shotizam' – The Show Time Crabapple is a vigorous grower coveredin bright pink spring flowers. The purple-green foliage adds great color to the landscape all season.



Malus 'Spring Snow' | Spring Snow Crabapple

2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 22' Shape: Dense oval' Foliage: Medium green Feature: White spring flower, fruitless

Malus 'Spring Snow' – White spring flowers with green leaves – fruitless variety.

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Malus sargentii 'Tina' | Sargent Tina Crabapple

Height: 5' Spread: 6' Shape: Dwarf Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Red buds open to white flowers, red fruits

Malus sargentii 'Tina' – The Sargent Tina Crabapple is a petite tree grown as a top graft. The profuse flowers burst in the spring and it makes guite a statement.



Metasequoia glyptostroboides | Dawn Redwood

2.0-4.0"

2 0-3 0"

Height: 75' Spread: 25' Shape: Narrow Foliage: Medium green, deciduous conifer

Feature: Rusty orange fall color

Metasequoia glyptostroboides — This fast growing deciduous conifer has bright green needles with a rusty orange fall



Nyssa sylvatica 'David Odom' | After Burner Black Tupelo

2.0-4.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright pyramidal Foliage: Medium glossy green

Feature: Brilliant orange-red fall color

Nyssa sylvatica 'David Odum' – This native selection offers spectacular fall colors. The explosion of red, yellow, & orange can appear all over the tree in the fall. This variety was selected for it's symmetrical and uniform shape.



Ostrya virginiana | American Hophornbeam

2.0-3.0"

Height: 30' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ostrya virginiana – This small tree native tree bears hop-like fruit and has a bright yellow fall color. It is tolerant of dry, acidic, & alkaline soils and is a good choice for lawns, parks, and naturalized areas.



Parrotia persica | Persian Parrotia

1.5"

Height: 30' Spread: 20' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Brilliant red, orange, and vellow

Parrotia persica — This upright oval small tree has an attractive mottled gray and white exfoliating bark as it ages. The dark green leaves turn brilliant orange to red in the fall. This tree tolerates heat, drought, cold, and wind.



Platanus x acerifolia 'Morton Circle' | Exclamation! London Planetree 🧇 🔊

2.0-4.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 35' Shape: Upright pyramidal Foliage: Medium green Feature: Bright yellow fall color, exfoliating bark

Platanus x acerifolia 'Morton Circle' — This variety was introduced by the Chicagoland Grows program. It has a strong central leader and performs well on city streets. Exclamation! is anthracnose and powdery mildew resistant. It earns our "Tried & True" designation!



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Populus tremuloides | Quaking Aspen

2 0-3 0"

Height: 30' Spread: 15' Shape: Narrow, pyramidal Foliage: Medium green, trembles in breeze Feature: Bright yellow fall color, silvery gray bark

Populus tremuloides – This narrow to oval tree adds a bright splash of yellow color to the fall landscape. The silvery grey bark shines in the winter and the trembling leaves in the breeze are a delight.



Populus tremuloides 'Erecta' | Swedish Columnar Quaking Aspen

2.0-3.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 10' Shape: Very narrow Foliage: Medium green, trembles in breeze Feature: Bright yellow fall color, silver gray bark

Populus tremuloides 'Erecta' – The Swedish Columnar Aspen is a very narrow cultivar of the species. The rustling leaves add a pleasant texture and sound to the landscape.



Prunus incisa 'Little Twist' | Little Twist Cherry

2.0-3.0"

Height: 8' Spread: 8' Shape: Round top graft' Foliage: Medium green Feature: White & pink spring flowers, maroon fall color

Prunus incisa 'Little Twist' – 8' x 8' – This Carlton Plants introduction comes from the Fuii Cherry. Its stems and shoots have a unique zigzag appearance. The tight clustered white spring flowers are bell-shaped with pink centers. The foliage turns a rich maroon in the fall. Little Twist is grafted on a 3-4' standard.



Prunus sargentii 'JFS-KW58' | Pink Flair Cherry

2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright vase shaped' Foliage: Dark green **Feature:** Orange red fall color, pink spring flowers

Prunus sargentii 'JFS-KW58' – Another great J. Frank Schmidt introduction, this is a narrow and compact tree well suited for the urban landscape. It avoids frost damage by flowering a bit later than other cherries making it a hardy choice. Fall color is orange-red and the handsome bark gives winter interest. It has delightful pink spring flowers. (Photo credits J. Frank Schmidt Nursery)



Prunus virginiana 'Canada Red' | Canada Red Chokecherry

2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 20' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Emerge green, turn purple Feature: White spring flowers, red-purple fall color

Prunus virginiana' Canada Red' – A very cold hardy Cherry, this variety has new green spring foliage that turns to deep purple as the season warms up. This tree also has small white flowers in the spring and good pest resistance.



Platanus x acerifolia 'Morton Circle' | Aristocrat Pear

2.0-4.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 30' Shape: Pyramidal with open branching Foliage: Dark glossy green Feature: White spring flowers, deep red fall color

Pyrus calleryana 'Aristocrat' – This Pear has an open and broad branching structure along with white spring flowers and good red fall color.

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Pyrus calleryana 'Cleveland Select' | Cleveland Select Pear

Height: 40' Spread: 20' Shape: Upright pyramidal Foliage: Dark glossy green Feature: White spring flowers, red fall color

Pyrus calleryana 'Cleveland Select' – Cleveland Pear is upright pyramidal in shape along with white spring flowers and good red fall color. This Pear is also commonly referred to as Chanticleer Pear P. calleryana 'Glen's Form'.



Pyrus calleryana 'Jaczam' | **Jack Pear** 

2.0-4.0"

2 0-4 0"

Height: 16' Spread: 10' Shape: Compact upright oval Foliage: Dark glossy green Feature: White spring flowers, yellow fall color

Pyrus calleryana 'Jaczam' – This tight columnar Pear cultivar is great for small spaces. The white spring flowers also add color to the landscape. It is a Lake County Nursery introduction.



Pyrus calleryana 'Trinity' | Trinity Pear

2.0-4.0"

Height: 30' Spread: 30' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: White spring flowers, Orange-red fall color

Pyrus calleryana 'Trinity' – The Trinity Pear has a rounded tight crown with profuse white spring flowers. The fall color is a beautiful orange-red.



Quercus alba | White Oak

2.0-3.0"

Height: 60' Spread: 60' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Deep red fall color

Quercus alba – The state tree of Illinois, this majestic native develops a stately appearance. It can tolerate drought and salt, but not flooding.



Quercus bicolor | Swamp White Oak >

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 45' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Medium green Feature: Yellow-brown fall color, slightly shaggy bark

Quercus bicolor – This beautiful native Oak has attractive textured bark and glossy green foliage. It is well adapted to poor sites and has a vigorous growth rate. This is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Quercus bicolor 'JFS-KW12' | American Dream Oak >

2.0-3.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Medium glossy green Feature: Yellow fall color

Quercus bicolor 'JFS-KW12' – This new Swamp White Oak cultivar developed by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery was selected for strong resistance to anthracnose and powdery mildew resistance. As a grower, we love the branching consistency in the field. This is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!

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Quercus ellipsoidalis | Hills Oak •

**Height:** 55' **Spread:** 40' **Shape:** Broadly pyramidal **Foliage:** Medium green

Feature: Red fall color

Quercus ellipsoidalis – The Hills Oak, or Northern Pin Oak, is tolerant of dry and alkaline soils. It has a wide native range and is a great choice in the landscape. (Photo credits Morton Arboretum)



Quercus imbricaria | Shingle Oak >

2.0-4.0"

2 0-4 0"

Height: 50' Spread: 30' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow to rusty-red fall color, smooth grey bark

Quercus imbricaria – This Oak is upright oval in form turning rounded with age. The leaves have a long shape and turn russet-red in fall. It prefers moist, rich, and well drained acidic soil. Shingle Oak can tolerate salt. This Oak is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Quercus macrocarpa | Bur Oak

2.0-4.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 45' Shape: Broadly oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Yellow to brown fall color

Quercus macrocarpa – This native Oak is majestic with impressive branching as it matures. One of the most stately trees in our native landscape, the Bur Oak is a true gem!



Quercus macrocarpa 'JFS-KW14' | Cobblestone Oak

2.0-3.0"

**Height:** 55' **Spread:** 45' **Shape:** Broadly oval **Foliage:** Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color, unusual furrowed bark

Quercus macrocarpa 'JFS-KW14' — Selected from the Bur Oak by J. Frank Schmidt Nursery, the Cobblestone variety has an unusual corky bark which gives the tree and "ancient" look. (Photo credits J. Frank Schmidt Nursery)



Quercus macrocarpa 'JFS-KW3' | Urban Pinnacle Oak

2.0-4.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 25' Shape: Narrow pyramidal Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color, small acorns

Quercus macrocarpa 'JFS-KW3' – The acorns on this variety are smaller than the average Bur Oak which add to the appeal of this variety as a street tree. The narrow upright strong central leader coupled with the mildew and anthracnose resistant foliage also add a benefit to the landscape.



Quercus muehlenbergii | Chinkapin Oak

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 45' Shape: Rounded, open Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow-brown fall color

Quercus muehlenbergii – This durable Oak performs well in alkaline soil. It has attractive dark green sharp toothed leaves.



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Quercus robur x Q. alba 'Crimschmidt' | Crimson Spire Oak

Height: 45' Spread: 15' Shape: Narrow, columnar Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Rusty-red fall color

Quercus robur x Q. alba 'Crimschmidt' – Another J. Frank Schmidt introduction, this hybrid Oak is columnar and can be used as a specimen or living hedge. The reddish fall color is attractive.



Quercus robur x Q. alba 'JFS-KW1QX' | Streetspire Oak 🌢

2.0-3.0"

2 0-3 0"

Height: 45' Spread: 15' Shape: Narrow columnar Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Rusty-red fall color

Quercus robur x Q. alba 'JFS-KW1QX' — Similar to Crimson Spire Oak, it is another J. Frank Schmidt Nursery introduction. It differs in that it does not hold it's foliage through winter. It has wider branch angles making it more storm resistant. The red fall color is another great feature of this tree making it one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Quercus robur x Q. bicolor 'Long' | Regal Prince Oak >

2.0-4.0"

Height: 50' Spread: 25' Shape: Columnar to oval Foliage: Medium glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Quercus robur x Q. bicolor 'Long' – This Heritages Trees, Inc. introduction is another columnar hybrid Oak worth planting. The glossy green foliage looks great all season. Regal Price is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Quercus robur x Q. bicolor 'Nadler' | Kindred Spirit Oak >

2.0-3.0"

Height: 30' Spread: 6' Shape: Tightly columnar Foliage: Medium green

Q. robur x Q. bicolor 'Nadler' – This Oak is one of the tightest columnar trees. It is a sister seedling to the Regal Prince but with a tighter form. The mildew and drought resistant features coupled with the form make it an excellent choice for narrow urban streets and one of our "Tried & True" favorites.



Quercus rubra | Red Oak

2.0-3.0"

Height: 60' Spread: 45' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Red fall color

Quercus rubra — The deep red fall color of this tree is beautiful along with the smooth grey bark. The Red Oak has a vigorous growth rate and is native to our area.



Quercus x 'Scarlet Letter' | Scarlett Letter Oak

2.0-3.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 15' Shape: Narrow, columnar Foliage: Medium green Feature: Red fall color

Quercus x 'Scarlet Letter' – Another new columnar vareity, this oak stays tight in form. It has red fall color and drops its foliage in the fall.

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Quercus x macdanielli 'Clemons' | Heritage Oak 🐌

Height: 50' Spread: 40' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Quercus macdanielli 'Clemons' - The Heritage Oak has handsome dark green foliage which is very mildew resistant. It is an English and Bur Oak hybrid with excellent cold tolerance. The pyramidal form makes it a good street tree Oak. This Oak is another one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Robinia pseudoacacia 'Purple Robe' | Purple Robe Black Locust

2.0-4.0"

2 0-4 0"

Height: 40' Spread: 30' Shape: Rounded Foliage: Medium green, new growth purple Feature: Pink-purple spring flowers, yellow fall color

Robinia pseudoacacia 'Purple Robe Black Locust' – The long pendulous flowers are bright magenta/purple and very striking. New growth on the tree is purple turning to bronze-green throughout the season.



Syringa reticulata 'Ivory Silk' | Ivory Silk Japanese Tree Lilac

4-8' & 2.0-3.0"

Height: 25' Spread: 15' Shape: Upright spreading Foliage: Dark green Feature: White spring flowers

Syringa reticulata 'Ivory Silk' – The compact and dense form of this Tree Lilac makes it a useful size in the landscape. The deep green foliage is complimented by heavy white blooms in mid summer. It is drought resistant.



Syringa reticulata 'Willamette' | Ivory Pillar Japanese Tree Lilac

2.0-3.0"

**Height:** 20' **Spread:** 10' **Shape:** Upright oval **Foliage:** Dark green

Feature: White spring flowers

Syringa reticulata 'Willamette' — Upright and narrow this Tree Lilac variety is selected for it's pyramidal form. A Carlton Plants selection, Ivory Pillar has dark green leaves with large white flower spikes in early summer.



Taxodium distichum | Bald Cypress 🆠

2.0-4.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 30' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Medium green, deciduous conifer Feature: Rusty orange-brown fall color

Taxodium distichum – The Bald Cypress grows well in wet areas but is hardy enough to tolerate a wide range of conditions. It is a deciduous evergreen that turns rusty brown in fall and has a shaggy brown bark. This is one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Taxodium distichum 'JFS-SGPN' | Green Whisper Bald Cypress •

2.0-3.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 30' Shape: Narrow, pyramidal Foliage: Medium green, deciduous conifer Feature: Rusty orange-brown fall color

Taxodium distichum 'JFS-SGPN' — The Green Whisper Bald Cypress is a new variety from J. Frank Schmidt Nursery. This deciduous conifer has extremely soft & bright green foliage giving it an interesting texture in the landscape.

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Taxodium distichum 'Mickelson' | Shawnee Brave Bald Cypress

2 0-4 0"

Height: 15' Spread: 4' Shape: Narrow, pyramidal Foliage: Bright green, conifer Feature: Tight, dense form

Taxodium distichum 'Mickelson' — The Shawnee Brave Bald Cypress is more narrow than the species and is a deciduous conifer. It can grow in standing water or dry soils making is widely adaptable.



Tilia americana 'Redmond' | Redmond American Linden

2.0-4.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 25' Shape: Densely pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Tilia americana 'Redmond' — Also referred to as Basswood, this Linden has large leaves and a tight pyramidal shape. In the summer it has clusters of small fragrant flowers followed be a nice yellow fall color



Tilia cordata 'Greenspire' | Greenspire Littleleaf Linden

2.0-4.0"

Height: 40' Spread: 30' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Medium green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Tilia cordata 'Greenspire' – With a strong central leader & formal pyramidal shape, this Linden stands out in the landscape. The reddish bark is set off by bright green leaves and yellow fall color.



Tilia tomentosa 'Green Mountain' | Green Mountain Silver Linden

2.0-4.0"

Height: 45' Spread: 35' Shape: Broadly pyramidal Foliage: Dark green with silvery underside Feature: Yellow fall color

Tilia tomemtosa 'Green Mountain' – The shimmery foliage is attractive as the leaves blow in the wind. Silver Lindens are showing to be more resistant to Japanese Beetle than other Lindens.



Ulmus americana 'Jefferson' | Jefferson Elm

2.0-4.0"

**Height:** 70' **Spread:** 50' **Shape:** Vase shaped, arching **Foliage:** Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus americana 'Jefferson' — The Jefferson American Elm is another great American Elm choice for the landscape. This impressive tree graces the National Mall in Washington DC and has shown to be resistant to Dutch Elm disease.



Ulmus americana 'Princeton' | Princeton American Elm

2.0-4.0"

Height: 70' Spread: 50' Shape: Upright vase shaped Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus americana 'Princeton' — This variety has proven to be one of the most resistant American Elms to Dutch Elm Disease. The graceful symmetrical branching and upright growth habit make Princeton a stately tree in the landscape and one of our "Tried & True" favorites.

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Jlmus japonica x pumila 'New Horizon' | New Horizon Elm

2 0-4 0"

Height: 55' Spread: 40' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Dark green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus japonica x pumila 'New Horizon' – Developed by the Univ. of Wisconsin as a very cold hardy Elm, this variety makes a great shade tree. It grows very straight and symmetrical, and it has course textured leaves similar to the American Elm. This is another "Tried & True" grower favorite.



Ulmus japonica x wilsoniana 'Morton' | Accolade Elm 🧇

2.0-4.0"

Height: 70' Spread: 60' Shape: Vase shaped arching Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus japonica x wilsoniana 'Morton' – Developed by the Morton Arboretum, this Elm is a Chicagoland Grows tree. It has vase shaped habit similar to an American Elm.



Ulmus japonica x wilsoniana x pumila 'Morton Glossy' | Triumph Elm 🦫 🔊

2.0-4.0"

Height: 55' Spread: 45' Shape: Upright oval Foliage: Dark glossy green

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus 'Morton Glossy' – Another Morton Arboretum selection in the Chicagoland Grows program, this Elm is distinctly upright vase shaped with glossy green leaves and a yellow fall color. We pick it as one of our "Tried & True" favorites!



Ulmus propingua 'JFS-Bieberich' | Emerald Sunshine Elm

2.0-4.0"

Height: 35' Spread: 25' Shape: Vase shaped Foliage: Medium green, pubescent

Feature: Yellow fall color

Ulmus propinqua 'JFS-Bieberich' – This tough adaptable Elm was developed at J. Frank Schmidt Nursery and selected for superior performance on the hot, arid, windswept plains of the Midwest. The handsome leathery leaves emerge bronze and mature to glossy green. The pubescence on the leaves deter insects.



#### **EVERGREEN TREES**



Picea abies | Norway Spruce

Height: 60' Spread: 20' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Dark green, conifer

Feature: Graceful drooping branched as age

Picea abies – This fast growing Spruce has graceful drooping branches as it matures and makes an excellent choice for a wind break tree.



Picea glauca 'Densata' | Black Hills Spruce

5-10'

5-10'

Height: 40' Spread: 15' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Dark green, conifer

Feature: Great winter interest

Picea glauca 'Densata' — Black Hills Spruce is dark green with a slower growth rate. It has good winter tolerance and is durable in the landscape.



Picea pungens var. glauca | Colorado Blue Spruce

5-10'

Height: 50' Spread: 20' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Bluish green, conifer

Feature: Distinct blue-green needles

Picea pungens var glauca – The distinct blue-green needles on the Blue Spruce are contrasted by the dark green needles of the straight Green Spruce. Both trees are excellent choices for windbreak or specimen trees. We grow both varieties.



Pinus flexilus 'Vanderwolf's Pyramid' | Vanderwolf's Pyramid Pine >

5-8

Height: 20' Spread: 25' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Dark bluish-green, conifer

Feature: Brilliant orange-red and long lasting

Pinus flexilis 'Vanderwolf's Pyramid' – This unique Pine has long, twisted, blue-green needles adding great color and texture. The color and size of this in the landscape make it a "Tried & True" favorite of ours.



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#### **EVERGREEN TREES**



Pinus strobus | Eastern White Pine

Height: 50' Spread: 25' Shape: Pyramidal but open with age Foliage: Dark green, long soft needles Feature: Long, soft needles

Pinus strobus – With long soft needles, this fast growing Pine is beautiful in the landscape.



Thuja occidentalis 'Smaragd' | Emerald Green Arborvitae

5-8'

5-8'

Height: 15' Spread: 4' Shape: Narrow, pyramidal Foliage: Bright green, conifer

Feature: Tight, dense form

Thuja occidentalis 'Smaragd' – The Emerald Green Arborvitae is narrow & tight with bright green foliage.



Thuja occidentalis 'Techny' | Techny Arborvitae

5-10'

Height: 15' Spread: 8' Shape: Pyramidal Foliage: Dark green, conifer

Feature: Dense shape

Thuja occidentalis 'Techny' – With dark green foliage, this upright dense evergreen makes a perfect screen or accent.



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## **9** OUR SERVICES

#### **DELIVERY**

We are proud to offer convenient delivery service to your holding yard or jobsite for a reasonable price. Our trucks are always ready to bring small or large loads where they need to be in a timely manner. Please call Jamie for a delivery quote & schedule. Delivery rates are on the inside back cover of the catalog.



## PICK-UP/LOADING

We can load your truck anytime you need. Weather permitting; we load around the clock, 7 days a week if needed, to get our customers their trees when they need them. Please bring your own tarp and call ahead to allow us time to have your trees staged and ready to load promptly.



#### **CUSTOMIZED HOLDING**

During the season, our holding yard is well stocked with a diverse selection of trees ready to load or deliver. We use drip irrigation to maintain adequate moisture & keep our trees looking fresh. Our holding yard is located at the NE corner of IL Route 47 & Spring Rd. We are happy to customize a holding program to fit your needs so that your trees will be tagged & ready for you when you need them throughout the season.

#### **TAGGING**

At Spring Grove Nursery, we look forward to getting our customers just the right trees. Tagging is always available free of charge in our fields or holding yard. Please call ahead to schedule a tagging appointment, and we will be happy to help you find what you are looking for.



#### ISA CERTIFIED ARBORIST

Jamie Thomas is an ISA Certified Arborist, and he is available to assist with tree consultations, questions, or project planning. If you are in need of arborist services, please do not hesitate to give Jamie a call – he would be happy to help with any project.



#### WBE/DBE CERTIFIED

Becky Thomas is certified as a Woman-Owned Business. Spring Grove Nursery has the following certifications: WBE, BEP, and DBE. Participating agencies are State of Illinois, IDOT, City of Chicago, CTA, IL Tollway, Metra, & Pace.



# TERMS & CONDITIONS

#### **TERMS**

Payment is due at the time of pick-up or delivery. A Net 30 Day Term may be established with customers who fill out our *Credit Application & Customer Purchase Agreement*. Also available is a 2% Net 10 Day Term for customers that have previously established credit with our nursery and pay within 10 days of the invoice date. If you wish to take advantage of this savings, please contact us to update your Customer Purchase Agreement.

Past due accounts are subject to a service charge of 1.5% per month (18% per year). Past due accounts are immediately returned to COD terms.

## **GUARANTEE**

Spring Grove Nursery is regularly inspected by the Illinois Department of Agriculture and certified as Japanese Beetle free. A copy of our license is available upon request. If any nursery stock proves to be untrue to its description or variety, under which it is sold, we hold ourselves in readiness, on proper proof, to replace such nursery stock that may prove untrue to description or name, or refund the original amount paid. We shall in no case be liable for any sum greater than the amount originally received for such nursery stock. Seller gives no warranty as to livability, express or implied. Claims must be made in writing within five (5) days of receipt of order. Failure to present such a claim within five (5) days shall constitute a waiver.

#### **PRICES**

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Spring Grove Nursery Farm Office 1255 W. Spring Rd. Mazon, IL 60444 Spring Grove Nursery Field Location 100 E Spring Rd. Mazon, IL 60444

Spring Grove Nursery, Inc. is located in North Central Illinois in Grundy County. Our nursery location is at the intersection of IL Route 47 & Spring Road just 8 miles south of Interstate 80 at Morris or 10 miles north of Interstate 55 at Dwight. The farm office is located on Spring Road just 1¼ miles west of IL Route 47. Most loading will take place at the nursery location, but you should always check first.







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