



MAUWAYS NURSERY

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Spring is kissing the garden slowly

Well I do think spring has entered our garden here in Hunterville after a couple of cold glitches the ground is showing signs of warming with the weeping willows coming into leaf and the daffodils flowering I can definitely say yes spring is here and what a wonderful time it is so come on all you gardeners new and old put on the gummies and grade a spade and lets go planting what could be more wonderful than a sunny day and a wheel barrow of new treasures for the gardens

THE FLOWER GARDEN

Many gardens will still be suffering from the wet, soggy conditions and this can persist right through until November making for seed sowing difficult unless you are using trays and have a greenhouse

Most gardens will benefit from a light dressing of fine compost and general-purpose fertiliser, Chicken manure (Well rotted) or liquid fertiliser

Drainage is vitally important to enable plants to grow If you don't have good drainage one option is to implement a programme of feeding by spraying the foliage with a good liquid fertiliser thus providing nutrients the plant may not be able to access in the cold wet ground.

Raise beds are another solution to drainage problems but may require some planning and landscaping

FERTILISERS

Nitrophosgia Blue is a good fertiliser to use now as it will help with leaf and stem growth

Phosphates stimulate root development fruitfulness and fruit ripening It also helps the lawns and other plants to withstand the effects of Drought

Potash is important in the formation of all starch and sugar crops such as potatoes tomatoes and helps many plants resist disease

Lime reduces the acidity of the soil and helps release the plant foods locked within the soil

PESTS AND DISEASES

As temperatures start to rise and the garden year begins pests slowly emerge and begin their assault on the garden Snails and slugs will be on the move there is now available on the market a user friendly slug and snail bait which is non-toxic to animals and children by the name of QUASH or you can get the children to gather the snails up and place in a salty water solution or place a medium size preserving jar buried in the garden in several places up to its neck with it half full of beer (HUSBAND MAY NOT BE HAPPY ABOUT PARTING WITH HIS BEER) and the smell will bring the slugs and snails

around and they crawl in and down OH SO HAPPILY.

SO now is the time to plant a wide range of annuals, perennials, and shrubs here is a short list of them not all by a long means

Ageratum Alyssum Aster Candytuft Canterbury bells Carnations Cornflower Cosmos Delphiniums Dianthus Geranium Gypsophila Hollyhock Impatient Lobelia Marigold Nasturtium Sunflowers Sweet peas Viola Verbena Dahlia Dierama Galtonia Hemerocallis Tigrida etc etc etc

BULBS CORMS & TUBERS

Japanese Iris and Lilliums can be planted now side dress now with bulb food or bone dust

ROSES

Bare rooted roses should not be allowed to dry out before planting as this will delay development of the plant

Dig hole twice the size of the root ball add well rotted manure and compost to the soil before planting Bone dust or blood and bone added to the soil will be beneficial to the roses If there is any damage to the roots cut them back where necessary Water the soil well before planting When planning do not plant past the nursery line

FRUIT TREES

Destructive mould diseases can be prevented by following a regular spray program with a suitable fungicide now will help to not develop brown root or black spot later in the season

Pip crops will benefit from an application of copper-based spray Pear trees should be sprayed at bud burst with the same fungicide that you use on apples

Raspberries and Gooseberries will benefit from a copper spray Berry and vine crops should also be sprayed with a systemic fungicide to prevent grey mold and mildew

*Spinach *Tomato

VEGETABLE GARDEN

There is a wide range of veges that can be planted now Beetroot, * broad beans * Broccoli Cabbage * Capsicum * Carrot Cauliflower *Cucumber *Kumera Leek Lettuce *Melon Onion Parsnip Pea Silverbeet Spinach *Tomato * Zucchini

ANYTHING WITH AN * IN FRONT OF ONLY PLANT IN WARMER AREAS

Many Herbs can also be sown now from seed as well

POTATOES are NOT FROST HARDY so if you are considering planting now you will need to cover the new growth as it appears with frost cloth and keep building the soil up around the plants as they grow It is best to get certified seeds and if they have not sprouted cover them with newspaper and keep in a dark spot till shoots have appeared Plant them about 25 cm apart when they are about 20cm above the ground earth them up and keep doing this until they begin to flower Once they have flowered the crop will die back and you can then dig them



Magnolia
Vulcan



Prunus Campanulata Superba
the TUI TREE



Acer Crimson
Queen



LISITNG OF MARKETS WE WILL BE AT IN SEPTEMBER 2011U

We are at the

FEILDING FARMERS MARKET

EVERY FRIDAY from 8-00am till 2-00pm

SEPTEMBER 8th to 11th

CHB Festival at Pukeora AT

WAIPUKURAU 10-00am till 4-00pm
each day

SEPTEMBER 10th

UPPER HUTT Spring Festival

Main Street

From 9-00am till 3-00pm

SEPTEMBER 11th

CARTERTON Daffodil Carnival

High Street

From 9-00am till 3-00pm

SEPTEMBER 25th

PORANGAHAU Spring Fair

At Chapelwick Coastal Estate

From 10-00am till 3-00pm

NOW IF YOU ARE GOING TO BE ATENDING ANY OF THESE MARKETS AND WOULD LIKE TO PLACE AN ORDER WE WILL BRIGN YOUR ORDER TO THAT PARTICULAR MARKET FOR YOU FREIGHT FREE BUT YOU MUST HAVE YOUR ORDER PLACE VIA THE INTERNET OR PHONE BY NO LATER THAN WEDNSDAY BEFORE THAT PARTICULAR MARKET BY DOING IT THIS WAY YOU GUARANTEE THE PLANTS YOU WANT AND THEY ARE FREIGHT FREE TO BOOT SO HAPPY SHOPPING ON LINE

LARGE GRADE TREES HELD AT OUR NURSERY

We have a wide variety of large grade specimen trees and fruit trees as well at very realistic prices but these must be picked up from the nursery as some of these tree are up to 3m tall already thus bring the ute or trailer so here is a list of what we have at the moment

Acer Bloodgood

Acer Shiraz Rose Delight

Acer Palmatum Herbsfeuer

Acer Dis Viridus H/W

Acer Crimson Queen H/W

Acer Ukigumo

Acer Yeno Yama

Acer Palmatum Aratama

Ceris Candensis Forest pansy

Ceris Avondale

Cornus Cloud 9

Cornus Contraverta Variegata (Wedding cake)

Contoneaster 1.8std Royal Beauty WEEPING

Davidii Dove or Ghost Tree

Fagus Riversii Copper Beech

Gelditsia Ruby lace

Gleditsia Sunburst

Laburnum Vossii

Liquidamber Worplesdon

Liquidamber lane Robert

Magnolia Vulcan

Magnolia Ruth

Magnolia Star Wars

Malus 1.8std Cornet Peak WEEPING

Prunus Sub Pendula Rosea WEEPING

Prunus Campanulata Superba The TUI TREE

Robina Firsia

Robina Lace lady 1.5std WEEPING

Scorbus Scarlet King

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

Brazilant Crisps

8 ozs butter

4 ozs sugar

4 TBSP Condensed Milk

Cream the above ingredients then add the following:

10 ozs flour

1 tsp Baking Powder

Pinch of salt

2 cups of Crisp Cornflakes

4 ozs chopped Brazil nuts

Blend all together and put teaspoon lots onto a greased tray and press with a fork and bake for 15 minutes at 350 F

YUMMMMMIE

Happy gardening

Hope our web site can be of some help to you and your garden

Wwww.mauways.co.nz

We also have now available

Trilliums Mixed Colours which should flower either this year or next year

Peonies Hot red and Powder pink

From our gardens

Happy gardening

Shop on line and earn free plants

Wholesale prices to the public

Maureen Wayne Pauline Janis and Jill



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Treatment of Pests

PEST

CHEMICAL CONTROL

NATURAL CONTROL

APHID

Super Shield
Confidor

Soap water or
Garlic spray

CARROT Rust Fly

Diazinon

Companion planting
Onions Leeks Rosemary

CATERPILLARS

Target Orthene
Super Shield

Remove manually

CODLING MOTH

Carbaryl

Pheromone Traps

MEALY BUG

Orthene

Garlic Spray Remove by
hand

RED SPIDER MITE

Carbaryl

Soapy water

SCALE

Super shield mixed
with Conqueror Oil

use toothbrush dip in
weak solution of vinegar
oil and water

THRIPS

Orthene or Mavrik

Garlic Spray

WHITE FLY

Orthene

Garlic and Soapy water

Janis on the Left and Pauline on the Right
Janis is in charge of the gardens and Pauline
Is in charge of the nursery



This is Wayne he is the one you see at the
markets all the time but he is trying to look
busy at the computer



Photos of Mauways Gardens