



Little Miami Farms

PLANT LIST (P = perennial)

NEW! Pollinator Plants

Create and improve the habitat for bees, butterflies and hummingbirds all season long

Buddleia Humdingler Magenta Munchkin (P) – aka **butterfly bush**, this low maintenance variety has a compact and tidy habit that will easily fit in smaller gardens. The 7-8" flower stalks bear fuchsia-magenta flowers, blooming July - September; nice cut flowers and deer resistant! Height: 30-48"; spread: 42-60"

Echinacea Purpurea (P) – aka **purple coneflower**, is an outstanding cut flower and has medicinal uses; also repels deer. Blooms July-September. Available in two amazing color variations: Green Twister – lime green with a purple center; SunSeekers Rainbow – shades of coral, lavender, pink and salmon.

Monarda Balmy Rose (P) – aka **bee balm**, this variety is compact and powdery-mildew resistant. Also resistant to deer and rabbits. Fragrant, sun-loving and showy - will flower in the first year but can be invasive. Blooms mid-summer to early fall.

Asclepias Tuberosa (P) – aka **butterfly flower**, has brilliant clusters of bright orange to yellow-orange flowers which bloom continuously throughout summer, followed by attractive seed pods in fall. Easy care, drought tolerant and deer resistant. Height and spread: 18-24"

Common Milkweed (P) – produces a profusion of extremely fragrant lavender to pink flowers in mid-summer and thrives in almost any well-drained soil. Is a host plant for Monarch butterflies! (Monarchs lay their eggs *only* on milkweeds and they feed on butterfly flowers)

Flowers and Patio Plants

Easy Wave Petunia 10" hanging basket – mounded, spreading petunias loaded with blooms all season long. Prefers full sun; tolerates heat well. Fertilize weekly for best results. Plant spread: 30-39"; plant height: 6-12"

Carnation Grenadin Mix (P) – lovely clove-scented favorite in a rainbow of colors. This 20" hardy carnation has 2" flowers on upright plants. Great in the garden, great for cutting. Blooms June and July.

Chilly Chili Ornamental Pepper – non-pungent chili fruit matures from greenish yellow to orange to dark red. Produces 2 to 2 ½" blunt-nosed fruit on 9-10" plants. Edible with a very mild pepper flavor but much better in containers or landscaping than as culinary chilies.

Gerber Daisy – offering a splash of early season color that can be enjoyed indoors and then moved outside when the weather warms. Flori Line Maxi features large and showy blooms in an array of colors; Cartwheel Strawberry Twist features large, semi-double blooms in several distinctive shades. Plant height: 18"; spacing: 12-16"; full sun; hardiness: 50°

Hibiscus Luna Pink Swirl (P) – dramatic and impressive, Luna's huge 6-8" flowers are produced on big, bushy well-branched plants. Flowers have a dark eye and pink picotee pattern, being darker on the edge of the petals and lighter towards the center. Excellent in large containers. Grows 2-3' high with a spread of 2'

Geranium – well-branched, vigorous plants with wide clusters of bright violet geranium flower heads, ideal for containers. Tolerant of heat and drought but avoid overwatering; deadhead into the summer to promote further blooming.

Patio Baby Eggplant – compact, dwarf eggplant that produces loads of 3" dark purple sweetly flavored fruits. Perfect for containers or small garden spaces. Fast maturing; full sun; plant spread: 20"; plant height: 24"

Veggie and Herb Seedlings

Marketmore Cucumber – fruit averages 8-9” long, perfect for slicing. A favorite of home gardeners with high quality of flavor and texture that grocery store cukes simply can’t match!

Green Machine Zucchini – produces tasty green-skinned fruit with light flecks; 6-7” in length. Easy to harvest because of the plant's naturally open growth habit. Needs room to grow so space plants 18 to 24 inches apart.

Rutgers Devotion Basil – forms large, cupped leaves with a slightly sweet and spicy aroma. Compact plant is highly productive. Great in pesto, Italian dishes or in fresh salads or soups. Height 18-20”

Rosemary – this upright, bushy, pine scented herb is the original rosemary variety. Green needle-like foliage is perfectly flavored and can be used with any meat or poultry dish and for seasoning vegetables. Height 39”

Sage – Berggarten: large, round, gray-green leaf with full sage flavor. Height 18-24” and Tricolor: highly aromatic small, thin leaves are green with pink, white and purple variegation – most suitable for decorative use in the garden. Height 18-24”

Giant of Italy Parsley – big, bushy plants that produce huge, dark green leaves with a rich, strong flavor. Chefs frequently prefer this flat-leaf parsley over standard curled parsley in salads, soups, stews, and sauces. Height 18-20”

Golden Lemon Variegated Thyme – strong lemon scent and pink flowers in the summer. Use for meat, fish, cheese flavoring, pasta, pizza and oils. Height 10-12”

Italian Oregano – the most popular culinary oregano with a sweet, mild flavor. Use the leaves fresh or dry. Height: 18-24”

Phenomenal Lavender (P) – winter hardy hybrid with good resistance to heat, humidity, foliage and root diseases. Dense silvery-green foliage topped with lavender-purple flower wands. Full sun; plant spread: 18-24”; plant height: 24-32”

Tomatoes

Red

Celebrity Plus – great for container gardening! Medium-sized firm red tomato good for burgers and salads

Better Boy Plus – large-sized, meaty, juicy, crisp, and exploding with classic tomato taste. Perfect for any recipe

Mountain Fresh Plus – high yielder of 10 oz. fruits with firm, meaty flesh and a sweet, tangy flavor

Big Beef – old-fashioned beefsteak tomato taste, size (10-12 oz. each), and quality

Yellow

Carolina Gold – high-yielding large yellow-gold tomato with firm, meaty flesh; low acid and mild flavor

Yellow Pear – heirloom variety bearing an enormous number of bright yellow, bite-sized fruit with deliciously tangy flavor

Cherry

Supersweet 100 – long, branched clusters of deliciously sweet tomatoes perfect for snacking, salads and juice

Gardeners Delight – features bright red, bite-size, extra sweet fruits that are full of flavor

Roma

Amish Paste – deep red, thick-fleshed heirloom well-suited for sauces, paste or as a slicing tomato; nearly seedless

Heirloom

Black Krim – beefsteak type dark red-purple fruit, rich sweet flavor with a smoky quality; moderate-to-low number of seeds

Brandywine – large pink beefsteak-shaped fruit, popularly considered among the best tasting available

Cherokee Purple – beautiful dusky pink with a deep, rich-red interior; unmatched sweet taste on sandwiches and salads

Mortgage Lifter – large pink beefsteak-shaped fruit; sweet taste, meaty, few seeds, very juicy

German Johnson – a pink, beefsteak potato leaf variety tomato with a rich, old-fashioned flavor and a meaty texture

Abe Lincoln – beautiful dark red fruits, sweet, solid and meaty. Ideal for ketchup, juice or slicing

Box Car Willie – prolific yield of reddish-orange fruits with old-fashioned flavor. Multi-use and ideal for canning or freezing

Striped German – large yellow and red delicious beefsteak with a complex tropical flavor and smooth texture

Green Zebra – medium-sized tangy, sweet-tart tomato with pale green-yellow peel and dark green stripes