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Our Final Thank You for the Season!!

We want to you to know how thankful we are for your continued support. If you have been shopping with us for a while, you know how hard we work to provide you with high quality plants and landscaping materials. It is our true hope this year was no different.

50% Off

The sale remains as our "thank you" for sticking with us. It has been fun sharing in the excitement of scoring a new pot or a fountain at such a great deal!

All Plant Material
All Yard Art/Gift Items
All Pottery
All Fountains and Furniture
Flower and Veggie Seed

We will be fully closing our doors for the season on November 1st. We will start to put away gift items away throughout the week, so come early.

If you need **bulk material** after we have closed, we are happy to accommodate you. You will need to call **ahead** to set up a time.

Please, leave a message if no one answers. **We will get back to you as quickly as we can to schedule a time for delivery or pick-up.**

Before we know it, the holidays will be here. Even after we close, we can still set up a **gift card** for you. Please call and leave your name and telephone number on a message and tell us you are looking for a gift card. We are always happy to mail the card where ever you need.



2019 Top 10 Photos from Our Facebook Page



Our number one photo has 198 likes and shared a sweet moment between our oldest and youngest employees.











Bulbs in Containers

Our bulb supplier, Netherland Bulb, brought up a great idea. Plant your bulbs directly in containers! Why haven't I done this before?

Why am I so excited for this idea?

First reason, I battle wildlife every spring. If its not a family of destructive woodchucks enjoying sunshine on our front stoop, its a never ending supply of rabbits constantly munching the tops off my tulips.

I want to be able to celebrate spring, but get discouraged when the plants are mowed off before the blooms set. Container planting is a great way to keep the troublesome critters out of your plants. Voles cannot get to the buried bulb, and given a tall enough container the rabbits won't be a bother either.

What is the second reason planting bulbs in to a container is a

great idea? Space saving! If you are garden like my Mother, every time you stick your spade in the ground, odds are you slice a bulb in half. Her landscaping style is cottage garden. This style is formed by layering plants in showstopping displays of color and loose lines.

This style can be tough to work with because areas are not necessarily designated for certain plants. They tend to blend together. Style, smaller yards, or no yard at all are creating new challenges. In the case of loft living, yards are obsolete. That doesn't mean you can't enjoy a welcome bloom smiling back at you, plant them in a container. Simply plant them in a container.

- Holiday gift idea: Give containers with forced bulbs! Your special recipient gets to enjoy the container you chose for them, and also the spot of color you

created
for
them.



How to Plant Bulbs in a Container - Lasagna Style

1. Put
2-
3"
of
potting
soil
into
the
bottom
of
the
pot.
2. Place
the
biggest
bulbs
into
the
pot.
If
your
bulb
is
especially
big,
like

a
daffodil,
you
can
just
place
one
right
in
the
center
of
your
pot.

3. Cover
the
biggest
bulbs
you've
planted
with
another
2-
3"
of
soil.

4. Place
slightly
smaller
bulbs
on
the
next
layer.
Make
sure
to
place
bulbs
around
the
large

one
you
placed
on
the
bottom,
so
that
your
largest
bulb's
stem
will
have
room
to
come
up
in
the
spring.

5. Cover
your
second
layer
of
bulbs
with
more
potting
soil.

6. Place
even
smaller
bulbs
on
the
next
layer.
Then
cover
your

smallest
bulbs
with
your
final
layer
of
soil.

7. Give
a
quick
drink,
and
leave
in
a
cool
location.
An
unheated
garage,
garden
shed,
or
hidden
along
your
foundation
outside
is
great.
Most
bulbs
need
to
be
planted
in
fall
because
they
require

so
many
weeks
of
chilling
to
properly
bloom
in
the
spring.
If
the
environment
they
are
kept
in
is
too
warm,
their
growth
and
bloom
strength
can
be
reduced.





Kids Corner:

Before raking away all of the fallen leaves, have a little fun! Our facebook follower, Jinnine Glasford, shared this picture with us. Thanks for passing along this fun idea.



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