



MFBG MAY DAYS PLANT SALE

MAY 18-19, 2018



Acanthus "Summer Beauty"	Bear's Breeches	\$12.00
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Most Acanthus resent our hot and humid summers, but 'Summer Beauty' is here to stay. She will slow down around 4pm on a 100°F day but keeps on truckin' along. Topped with erect white and purple flowers in summer it's a must for the Southern shade garden. The glossy green foliage makes a nice contrast with other muted colors of the shade garden. Grows to 3 to 6 feet tall and 3 feet wide in Zones 6-8.

Boltonia diffusa	Doll's Daisy	\$4.00
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Here is a real cutie! The small daisy-like blooms emerge light purple and mature to white. Fine stems that explode with blooms at the tips give an airy feel to the garden. A southeastern native, hardy in zones 5-9. Attracts butterflies and resistant to rabbits. Full sun and can handle wet to dry soil. Large mounds of 4'x4'. Late summer flower show.

Aloysia virgata	Sweet Almond Bush	\$4.00
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You really need to plant this! The intoxicating sweet almond vanilla fragrance will permeate through your garden from late July until frost! The sweet aromas are at their peak late in the day, welcoming you home after a long day's work. This will grow to ten feet tall and wide but it easily pruned to your desired size. Plant in full sun in Zones 7-10. Easy to grow but hard to forget the incredible scent in the fall.

Buddleia 'Miss Molly'	Butterfly Bush	\$8.00
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Good Golly this magenta bloom shines for hummingbirds, attracts butterflies, and makes a great cut flower! Maturing to a 4 foot mound of silvery foliage with a long lasting bloom time from mid summer to early fall. 'Miss Molly' is fragrant, good for hedges, tolerates humidity, and is deer resistant. Zone 5-9 full sun to mostly sunny. Prefers fertile, well-drained soil. Prune late winter/early spring.

Alternanthera ficoidea "Party Time"	Joseph's Coat	\$3.00
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This Joseph's coat is all dressed up sporting stunning magenta and green foliage. A shade garden companion that gives a great pop of color for containers, hanging baskets, or as a ground cover. Grows well in part to full shade with average to wet soil. Zone 9-11

Buddleja tubiflora	Butterfly Bush	\$6.00
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This tender shrub, endemic to Southern Paraguay, is found growing in low elevations along wood lines and old fields. A specimen of the MFBG cut flower garden has towered over 6 feet tall! It has huge orange flowers encircling the stem that are pollinated by hummingbirds. An interesting showpiece with long wooly leaves. Root hardy in zone 8. Grown best in well drained soil with full sun.

Amsonia tabernaemontana 'Storm Cloud'	Blue Star	\$6.00
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Like stars in the sky, our native Blue Star will shine in your spring landscape. The light blue flowers appear in late April, offering a nice cool color in the garden. This drought tolerant plant thrives in non-irrigated beds in full sun. In fall, the leaves give a very nice shade of yellow to the landscape before dying back for the winter. Storm cloud is a great alternative to shrubs growing up to 3 feet tall. Zone 4-9.

Camellia japonica 'Crimson Candles'	Japanese Camellia	\$8.00
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This Camellia is a real stunner with a ruffled, magenta bloom and glossy dark green foliage. You will be drawn off your path to take a look at her and her springtime blooms. Plant in part shade. Hardy in zones 6-8. Average water.

Asclepias currassavica	Yellow Milkweed	\$5.00
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A monarch's dream with nectar for butterflies and leaves for caterpillars! This yellow milkweed quickly regenerates and is a must have for a butterfly garden. Upright habit, mature height of 3 feet. Cold hardy zone 8-11 and blooms spring through fall. Full sun to part shade. Easily grown from seed sown after first frost.

Campsis radicans	Trumpet Vine	\$4.00
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A great wildlife attractant for hummingbirds and other birds. The three inch long red trumpet flowers adorn the plant in clusters, and are followed by attractive seed pods in the fall. Plant in full sun to part shade in almost any soil type with vertical supports or allow it to cover the ground. Grows vigorously and is great on trellises or fences. Hardy in zones 4-9. Deer, drought, and clay soil tolerant.



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Chlorophytum amaniense 'Fire Flash'	Orange Spider Plant	\$5.00
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The exotic Orange Spider Plant is a bright ornamental in a shady tropical garden or indoor container. Large orange petioles give rise to smooth green leaves that do not resemble a typical spider plant. Under the soil they share similar water-storing nodules. It is best to work fertilizer into the soil instead of foliar sprays. The leaves being sensitive to high light and chemicals. Zone 9-11 in moist well-drained soil. Allow plenty of indirect light if grown indoors.

Cyperus diffusus	Umbrella Grass	\$4.00
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Native to subtropical Asia and Australia, dwarf umbrella grass is a semi-aquatic beauty, with its roots happily growing in boggy or dry soil. However, its best attribute is its ability to thrive in dry shade, where it makes an excellent groundcover. It can also be grown as a houseplant. Zones 8-9. Height and spread of 2' in sun to shade.

Chrysogonum virginianum	Green and Gold	\$4.00
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Goldenstar, also known as Green and Gold, is an easily grown ground cover that spreads by rhizomes. It forms a nice carpet adorned with star-shaped yellow blooms. Great for a rain garden in zones 5-8. Plant in part shade. It can be grown in sun with consistently moist soil. Blooms from May-October. Leaf height 3-4 in., with flower stems that reach up to 10 in tall.

Dryopteris erythrosora 'Brilliance'	Autumn Fern	\$6.00
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Autumn fern is a favorite and reliable evergreen fern for the shade garden. The new fronds emerge in early spring, bronze in color, quickly growing to 2 feet tall and wide. These will quickly form clumps that can be divided or left alone to make a dramatic mass planting in time. No real trick with growing this as it takes full to part shade and dry to wet soils. Works perfect as an anchor plant next to steps or mixed in your favorite shade beds. Zones 5-8.

Colocasia esculenta 'Elena'	Elephant's Ear	\$8.00
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Elena has chartreuse leaves with purple veins. As a member of the genus Colocasia, the leaves point down. Those in the genus Alocasia, point up like the letter "A". Colocasia loves sun, water and fertilizer. It will spread to make a nice manageable clump in no time. Works great near a water feature, mixed in with your bedding plants or even as container plants flanking your front door. Perennial, zones 7-10 with sun to part shade. Prefers moist areas.

Duranta erecta 'Golden Edge'	Sky Flower	\$4.00
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Native to the Caribbean, Duranta makes you feel like you are in the tropics. The serrated green leaves have striking yellow margins. It becomes a 2-3 foot tall shrub in a season, but in areas where it is hardy it can reach heights of 12 feet! Hardy in Zone 9b to 11. Grown in full sun to partial shade.

Coreopsis verticillata 'Moon Beam'	Tickseed	\$4.00
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This perennial member of the Aster family has the loveliest airy foliage with creamy yellow disc flowers, which show off from June to September. Tickseed attracts butterflies while tolerating deer, and easily handles droughty, inhospitable soils! This southeastern native is a must for any perennial border spreading by rhizomes. Easily grown in well-draining soil in full sun. Zone 3-9. Deer tolerant.

Echeandia	Craglily	\$3.00
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This charming lily relative comes to us from Texas and Mexico. A floral spike begins to emerge from a basal rosette of foliage and can attain heights of 4'! Orange-yellow pendulous blooms make their debut in October and resemble miniature stars. Favors well-drained soil and light shade or partial sun. Zones 7-10

Cuphea ignea	Firecracker Plant	\$4.00
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Firecracker orange trumpet flowers attract butterflies and hummingbirds. A low maintenance annual that can be over wintered indoors and blooms freely. Performing best in full sun with well-drained, moist soil. Tolerates some shade and drought. Zone 10-12, reaches about 2-3 feet tall.

Gaillardia pulchella "Lorenziana"	Indian Blanket	\$4.00
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Lorenzina is an annual/biennial garden variety of the native Gaillardia. 12"-18" high. The flowers are double blooming, brick red and golden edges. Happy in the sun and sandy soils. If deadheaded it will bloom the entire summer. Zones 1-12.



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Gardenia jasminoides 'Kleim's Hardy'	Common Gardenia	\$15.00
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Any Southern garden must include at least a gardenia or two! The lovely fragranced flowers, glossy green leaves, and compact bushy growth make 'Kleim's Hardy' a particularly great gardenia. A tough cookie, this variety will tolerate more direct sun than others, but appreciates some shade in the hottest months. Blooms late spring to early summer. Grown with even moisture, organically rich, acidic, well drained soil. Good cut flower and deer resistant. Zones 7-11.

Gaura lindheimeri 'Whirling Butterflies'	Lindheimer's Beeblossom	\$6.00
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Flower stalks shoot out in the spring and are covered in 4-petaled, white blooms for the summer. It looks like a fireworks display! The narrow leaves sometimes have maroon spots. This plant prefers well-drained sandier soil, and full sun. Taller plants may benefit from the support of neighboring perennials.

Gelsemium sempervirens 'High Moon'	Carolina Jessamine	\$4.00
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Rare and choice variety of the official flower of South Carolina. This selection produces hundreds of pale, fragrant yellow flowers with evergreen foliage. Grows rapidly to 15' - 20' feet if given support. Zones 7-10. Best in full sun, but tolerates light shade.

Hibiscus sabdariffa	Roselle	\$4.00
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A tropical shrub-like annual that grows 4-7 feet in one season! The red stems are adorned by yellow and pink flowers. Dried, the flower buds and leaves can be steeped to make hibiscus tea. After flowering, seed pods are large ruby colored works of art. It can be over-wintered indoors and easily grown from seed. Hardy in zones 10-12. This plant prefers full sun, with fertile and fast draining soil.

Hosta 'Stained Glass'	Hosta	\$8.00
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This glowing Hosta has bright gold centers with defined dark-green margins. It tolerates sun in fertile soil and even moisture, requiring less irrigation in shade. Late summer lavender flowers. Zones 2-9.

Hydrangea paniculata 'Bobo'	Panicle Hydrangea	\$10.00
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A compact, sun loving, hydrangea that gets loaded with large white blooms, top to bottom! In the fall they age to antique pink. These have upright and strong stems, no more flopping! Use in containers or landscapes. Adaptable to many soils with moderate moisture. Blooms Early summer through early fall. Good for zones 3-8 in part to full sun.

Ledebouria petiolata	African False Hosta	\$4.00
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Easy to grow, hardy bulbs with dark freckles on the leaves. Flower stalks hold scented, hyacinth-like, white blooms. This plant can be easily divided, which can be grown in the garden or in containers. Grows in shade to part sun in moist, well-draining soil. Zones 7-13.

Leucanthemum 'Banana Cream'	Shasta Daisy	\$6.00
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The big, bright yellow flowers fade to a creamy white during its extra long bloom season. Zone 5-9. Dark green, disease resistant leaves. 15-18 inches tall. Plant in well-drained soil in full sun to part shade. Average water requirements.

Lysimachia congestiflora 'Walkabout Sunset'	Waikiki Sunset® Loosestrife	\$5.00
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A choice ground cover that really wows with variegated leaves of green and yellow with sunset orange overtones. Dense growing habit with summertime yellow flower clusters. 2-10 inches tall. Spreading. Prefers average to wet soil in full to part shade. Zones 7-11. Proven winner selection in propagation restrictions.

Monarda 'Bubblegum Blast'	Sugar Buzz® Bubblegum	\$6.00
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Amazing pink bee balm that doesn't run. Frilly flowers dance on top of tight clumps of dark green, mint-scented leaves beginning in June. Zones 4-8, full sun. Loves heat and humidity.



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Muhlenbergi capillaris	Muhly Grass	\$4.00
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This well-known pink muhly grass is easily one of the most spectacular grasses we grow! The 4' x 4' clumps erupt in a dazzling soft mist of pink flowers from late September until November. Truly sublime when shimmering in the wind. This amazing selection performs best in full sun in wet or dry soil in zones 6-10.

Nassella tenuissima	Mexican Feather Grass	\$4.00
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No one can resist brushing their hands across this grass as they walk by it. The long soft blades flow in the breeze effortlessly. This bright green feather grass reaches 2 feet tall and 30 inches wide and is a beautiful contrast to broadleaf plants. Plant in full sun and water occasionally once established. The airy seed heads will disperse to naturalize in a landscape, but it's also great in containers.

Nepeta racemosa 'Walker's Low'	Catmint	\$4.00
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This dwarf catnip is an easy to grow and very satisfying full sun perennial. The blue-green leaves come out in early spring creating a nice mounded habit of 2 feet tall by 3 feet wide. In late spring the plant is covered with lavender blue flowers and bumblebees, they love it! After spring flowering ends, cut back to ground level for a second flowering in the fall! Low water requirements, care and is deer proof! Hardy from zones 4 to 8.

Osmanthus fragrans	Fragrant Tea Olive	\$15.00
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This is the old fashioned fragrant tea olive. The flowering clusters completely encircle the branches covering the shrub, filling the air with an intoxicating aroma! Will grow to a handsome shrub of 10 feet tall and wide in full to part sun. Hardy to zone 7, this tea olive is great as a specimen or hedge.

Oxalis triangularis	Purple Shamrock	\$3.00
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This edible wood sorrel is endemic to Brazil and can be cultivated as a unique houseplant or grown in the landscape, preferably in light shade. The deep purple leaves really offset the light pink flowers that stand above the foliage. This might be the strongest purple foliaged plant we have in our collection. The leaves of false shamrock move in response to changing light levels, opening up in bright daytime light and closing at nighttime. Zones 8-11.

Pennisetum setaceum "Fireworks"	Fountain Grass	\$6.00
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A variegated selection of the common purple fountain grass, this annual provides instant impact in flower beds and large containers. Newly emerging leaves have creamy pink variegation, but in the heat of summer the blades take on a rich burgundy with intense pink highlights, capped all season by dark, cattail-like flowers. Although this grass thrives in average soil with regular moisture, it is drought tolerant. Requires full sun and hot summer weather for best color. Zones 9-11. Full sun, 3' tall and 2-3' wide.

Persea grijsii	Chinese Machilus	\$15.00
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The Chinese Machilus is a rarely seen member of the Laurel family. It's a large ever green tree with long ovate leaves and terminal floral inflorescence. Native to the subtropical regions Grows to a height of about 15' tall. Sun to part shade. Hardy in zone 8.

Rhododendron austrinum	Florida Flame Azalea	\$8.00
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This deciduous azalea is native to moist woods and stream banks throughout the Deep South. In mid-spring, branches are capped by honey-scented, yellow-orange flowers held in loose clusters. Soft green foliage emerges as flowering finishes and remains through fall. Requires rich, well-drained, acidic soils that are consistently moist. Zones 6-9. Part shade. 6-10' tall x 6' wide.

Rubus rolfiei	Creeping Raspberry	\$4.00
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Creeping raspberry is a low growing, evergreen ground cover. The thick, three lobed leaves form a dense carpet, but will not climb neighboring shrubs and trees. It will choke out some weeds by shading the soil and act like living mulch. White, five petaled blooms appear midsummer followed by small red fruit. zone 5-9. sun to part shade.



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Rudbeckia lanciniata	Cutleaf Coneflower	\$4.00
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Cutleaf coneflower is a fantastic native plant treasured for its dramatic size, intense yellow flowers and deeply cut, glossy leaves. In mid-summer, tall stalks of yellow flowers with reflexed petals rise sturdily above the lush foliage. Thriving in rich, moist soils in full to part shade, this native can provide sustenance for countless pollinators in the mid- to late-summer garden. Great to use in low spots and rain gardens.

Sedum 'Pure Joy'	Rock N' Grow® Pure Joy	\$5.00
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This sedum forms a tight rounded mat of light green foliage which gets covered in domes of light pink, star-shaped flowers. This would be a great choice for green roof mixtures, borders, rock gardens, and mixed xeric containers. Fertilizer and deadheading are not necessary and it's drought and salt tolerant. The mature height is just under 1' tall. Blooms late summer to late fall. Needs good drainage. Hardy in zones 3-9.

Salvia officinalis 'Tricolor'	Common Sage	\$5.00
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Tricolor sage is a fragrant and tasty herb. It's edible and ornamental. Plant this in your landscape or containers to enjoy grayish green leaves variegated with white. . Expect lavender colored flowers that attract butterflies in midsummer. Planted in full sun it tends to grow 1-1.5' tall and wide. Drought tolerant. Zones 5-10.

Spiraea 'SMSMBK'	Double Play® Blue Kazoo®	\$10.00
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Double Play Blue Kazoo Spirea has multi-season interest, with crisp white flowers that contrast fresh blue leaves. New growth of deep red foreshadow fall red foliage. This beautiful plant flows in the wind and is sure to set your garden aglow. Grows to 3' tall by 3' wide in full sun or part shade. Zones 3-8.

Salvia coccinea	Scarlet Sage	\$4.00
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Found from the Carolinas through Texas, this is the only native red salvia. From late spring through fall, airy stalks of small red flowers rise above the deer and rabbit resistant scented foliage. Many pollinators, including hummingbirds, adore this plant. Scarlet sage prefers well-drained, average soils and is quite heat and drought tolerant. Reliably root-hardy in zones 9-10, it is important to allow it to reseed here in zone 8 where some winters may kill its roots. Full sun to part shade. 1-2' tall and wide.

Tagetes lemonii	Mexican Marigold	\$4.00
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Native to the desert southwest, Mexican Marigold is a shrubby perennial grown for its delicate foliage, strong scent, and heavy flowering from fall into early winter. The late season show is impressive as countless gold flowers, reminiscent of coreopsis, rise above the ferny foliage. This plant requires well-drained, average soil, and regular moisture. Extremely tolerant of heat, humidity and drought. Zones 8-10. Full to Part sun. 3-4' tall and wide.

Salvia uliginosa	Bog Sage	\$5.00
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Uliginosa means "of the marshes." These sky blue and white flowers are dreamy by the edge of a pond in sun to part sun. This plant is a quick spreader, but will grow slower in drier areas. Attractive plant for pollinators, and can be used as a cut flower. 4-6' high, full sun in dry to moist soil. Hardy zone 6-10 Blooms June through fall.

Tanacetum vulgare 'Isla Gold'	Gold Leaf Tansy	\$5.00
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This bright gem of a plant is featured all throughout our garden. The golden, fern-like leaves add a burst of texture and crisp chartreuse color to any plant combination. Tanacetum spreads through rhizomes, so it's very easy to divide and create more for yourself at home. It prefers afternoon shade throughout the summer but can tolerate full sun in the winter months. Zones 4-9. Dry- medium water.

Sarracenia and Dionea combo	Pitcher Plant	\$25.00
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Here is your chance to "Bug Out" and own your own Mini Bog. The kit includes a mini greenhouse with 3 pitcher plants and a fly trap. Keep these in full sun with consistently moist bog mix soil. As they grow you can create your own bog by transplanting them into a mixture of peat moss and sand.



Tricyrtis formosana 'Samurai '	Toad Lily	\$5.00
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Limited quantities

Varies

Toad lily is a great addition for late flower color in the shade garden, but 'Samurai' has the added benefit of gold-stripped foliage throughout the remainder of the growing season. The autumn flowers are soft violet with deep purple speckling and occur at the ends of the stems and leaf nodes. Toad lily prefers rich, well-drained soil in part shade. Zones 5-8. Part to full shade. 1-1.5' tall and wide.

We also have a variety of plants available for purchase in extremely limited quantities. Please come out and enjoy these selections for purchase.

Vitex	Chaste Tree	\$12.00
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Chaste tree is one of our top ten flowering small trees. A true heat lover, this plant is covered with white flowers from July to August. Wildlife of all types frequent this tree for its abundance of flowers and pollen. This selection is vase-shaped growing to fifteen feet tall and wide, providing great structure in the garden. Zones 6-9, with average water.

Assorted Annuals	Varies
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Color, Color, Color! We will have a selection of annual overstock used throughout the gardens. Coleus, Petunias, Calibrachoa, Salvia and more!

Hanging Baskets	Varies
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Amazing combo baskets created and cared for by our Grower at MFBG. You will love the pop of color these will add to your porch all season long. With summer blooming verbena, petunias and calibrachoa, you will find the color combination that makes your heart sing!

Herbs!	Varies
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Come browse our selection of mixed herb planters and grab some extra varieties to make your own! Thyme Foxley, Chocolate mint, Mojito mint, Stevia, Curry, Lavender, Lemon balm, and more!

Save the date for our upcoming events:

- MFBG Beer Fest on Saturday, September 8th
- Sarracenia on Saturday, October 6th

Never stop learning in our adult classes!

- Thursday, June 7th—Home Propagation: \$25
- Saturday, June 9th—The Foodscape Revolution: \$25
- Saturday, June 16th—The Camera in your Pocket: \$35
- Thursday, June 21st—Pollinator Celebration: \$15
- Saturday, July 14th—Managing Native Habitats with Fire: \$15
- Saturday, July 14th—Mixology Made Simple: \$25
- June 25th, July 30th, and August 27th—Yoga in the Garden: \$10

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