## Read Me First – 2025



1) The **Printable order form** (PDF) is in two columns and two pages. Obviously, we'll accept two sheets. If you can print it on two sides of a single sheet, great!

- a) *Everyone* will need to send this form in with your check.
- b) Even if you print 2-sided, be sure to fill in your name on bottom of the 2<sup>nd</sup> page.
- c) Make a copy of your form for your own record before sending it in.
- d) Complete order by sending printed form and check to Sue Bennington.
- e) Orders are prioritized by the date check and this form are received.

2) The optional **Excel order form** is generated from our database. It is a single long column. It will be good for checking your math. If you are able, please fill it out because it avoids errors and simplifies input for Betty. Do NOT print this one; too many pages that we don't want to handle!

- a) If needed, Enable Editing.
- b) Save As "[your Last Name First Initial] 2025 order", e.g. "Long B 2025 order.xlsx"
- c) Type your last name and first name, add the quantity of each plant in column immediately to plant's right and **leave that cell**. (Won't tally with cursor still in that cell.) Other cells are protected. It will automatically enter number and amount into the total columns at top right of the page.
- d) Check that your Excel and Printed Sheet jibe: what plants, how many, and total costs.
- e) Email to <a href="mailto:ccgc.plantsale@gmail.com">ccgc.plantsale@gmail.com</a>

**Order as early as you can.** Why? We must order by the case. If only a few plants over a full case, we eliminate those extra plants. Last ordered, first eliminated.

**Order deadline is Tuesday, March 18<sup>th</sup>**. Please have your order form and checks in Sue's hands by that date at the latest. Do not depend on Post Office after March 10 – either bring to March 14<sup>th</sup> meeting or deliver in person to Sue Bennington.

**?s** Call Betty Long 630-730-5180(c) or Kally Binowski 630-220-1518(c)

## Note: Grower may substitute plants, per contract.

For **Special Orders**, add an 8½ x 11 COVER PAGE to your order form. Include your name, phone #, specific plant(s), and number of flats or cases. Must order FULL cases. Our retail prices apply to special orders. Include \$ amount in your check. View possible plants online at Bartelsplants.com.



New for 2025 "ASK ME!" For questions about our plants Text 630-577-7959 or Email <u>jlvmky@yahoo.com</u> to ask Jane Morrison

## **Combo Shade Pot Suggestions**

from Jane Morrison

In lieu of pre-planted shade pots this year, here are some ideas for you to plant on your own.

<u>Thrillers</u> 104 Colocasia	
148 Pegasus Begonia 242 Coleus Kong Jr Green Halo	Some Recipes for 12" Pots
164 Coleus Kong Rose	242 + 314 + 228 + 102
<u>Fillers</u> 313 Begonia Bossa Nova Rose 314 Begonia Bossa Nova Yellow	148 + 164 + 313 + 228 + 102
248 Begonia Big Gr Leaf White 228 Boston Fern	104 + 313 + 164 + 228 + 102
254 Impatience Glimmer Double Pink	164 + 254 + 228 + 102
Spillers*	

<u>Spillers\*</u> 102 English Ivy Spider plant (root a houseplant baby!)

\*At the Sewing Table on May 7, there will be a limited number of diverse varieties of spiller-type plants available; also, succulents & Jade plants.