# 2023 SPRING OMATO AND PEPPER PLAN

All Proceeds benefit the AgriLife Extension Horticulture Committee's Scholarship Fund. Scholarships are awarded to graduating seniors in Brenham and Burton who are pursuing a degree in an agriculture related field.

#### TOMATO 4 PACKS FOR \$2.50

#### **SMALL TOMATOES (1 TO 5 OUNCES)**

- Large Cherry
- Porter
- Roma
- \*New\* Sugar Plum

#### **MEDIUM TOMATOES (6 TO 10 OUNCES)**

- Amelia
- · Arkansas Traveler (Heirloom)
- BHN 589
- · Celebrity
- Homestead (Old World Variety)
- Lemon Boy (Yellow Acidless Variety)
- Mountain Pride

#### LARGE TOMATOES (10 OUNCES AND UP)

- Cherokee Carbon (Heirloom)
- · Genuwine (Heirloom)

#### HERBS, HERBS, HERBS!

#### 4 INCH POT FOR \$2.50 4 PACK FOR \$2.50

. Basil

. Cilantro

Parsley

. Dill

#### **CUCUMBER 4 PACKS FOR \$2.50**

- \*New\* Burpless 26 Cucumber
- \*New\* Straight Eight Slicing Cucumber
- \*New\* National Pickling Cucumber

#### PEPPER 4 PACKS FOR \$2.50

#### **JALAPENO PEPPERS**

- Regular Jalapeno (Hot)
- · TAMU Jalapeno (Mild)
- · Fool You Jalapeno (No Heat)

#### **PEPPERS**

- · Banana Pepper
- Big Bertha Bell Pepper
- · Gypsy Yellow Sweet Bell Pepper
- · Orange Pepper
- · Poblano Pepper

#### SOUASH 4 PACKS FOR \$2.50

- Eggplant (Traditional)
- Yellow Squash
- · Zucchini Squash

All plants are propagated locally from seed. We will do our best to get everyone their first choice on variety. If we are short from the grower we will replace with a comparable variety.

## START PLACING YOUR ORDERS **JANUARY 2ND!**



1305 East Blue Bell Road in Brenham

Orders must be paid for in full when placed.

Online orders accepted at: <a href="https://washington.agrilife.org/plantsale">https://washington.agrilife.org/plantsale</a>

## ORDER DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1ST

Plants will be available for pick up on Tuesday, March 21 from 10:00am until 5:30pm at the Washington County Expo Sales Facility in Brenham. Please contact the Washington County Office of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service at (979) 277-6212 ext. 2 or visit our website at

https://washington.agrilife.org/plantsale for more information.

### **Tomato Varieties**

**Determinant**: Determinate tomatoes are varieties that grow to a fixed mature size and ripen all their fruit in a short period. Once this first flush of fruit has ripened, the plant will begin to diminish in vigor and will set little to no new fruit.

Indeterminant: Indeterminate tomatoes are vining plants that continue to extend in length throughout the growing season until frost kills the plant.

#### **Amelia**

Fruit size: 8 to 10 ounces

Determinate

Amelia is a hybrid with outstanding disease resistance and resistance to cracking. Because it makes a nice, neat plant, Amelia is cooperative in containers, too. One of the few tomatoes resistant to spotted wilt virus.

#### **Arkansas Traveler (Heirloom)**

Fruit Size: 6 to 8 ounces

Indeterminate

Arkansas Traveler produces goodly numbers of rich flavorful tomatoes. Deep pink when ripe, it is the balance of sweetness and tartness accounts for its standing as one of the very best varieties.

#### BHN-589

Fruit Size: 8 to 10 ounces

Determinate

BHN-589 offers a surprising combination of fruit quality, shelf life, and really good flavor. It also boasts a complete disease-resistance package including crack-tolerance and offers very high yields. Large to extra-large attractive fruit have real tomato taste.

#### **Celebrity \*County Favorite\***

Fruit size: 7 to 8 ounces

Determinate

Celebrity vines bear clusters of large tomatoes that are prized for their flavor. This is a great, all-round, dependable choice for your "basic" tomato needs — sandwiches, slicing, snacks, and bruschetta

#### **Cherokee Carbon (Heirloom)**

Fruit Size: 12 to 15 ounces

Indeterminate

A gorgeous dusky purple beefsteak with rich, complex flavor, this hybrid is a cross between two heirloom taste-test winners, Cherokee Purple and Carbon. Makes one of the most delicious tomato sandwiches you'll ever taste!

#### Genuwine (Heirloom)

Fruit size: 10.5 - 11.5 ounces

Indeterminate

Genuwine is an Heirloom Marriage tomato, selected for the best attributes of old and new. These fruits are smooth, unblemished, and anywhere from 10.5 to 11.5 ounces on average -- just the right size for slicing onto sandwiches and into salads!

#### Homestead (Old World Variety)

Fruit size: 8 - 9 ounces

Determinate

An old favorite dating from 1954. Developed by the University of Florida especially for hot climates and known for its reliability to set fruit at high temperatures. Produces firm, meaty tomatoes. Large vines help shade fruit to protect from sunburn and will need to be staked or caged.

#### **Large Cherry**

Fruit size: 1 to 2 ounces

Indeterminate

Cherry Tomatoes are equally famous for being easy to grow and tasting delicious! The plant produces abundant clusters of smallish, vibrant colored fruit.

#### **Lemon Boy (Yellow Acidless Variety)**

Fruit size: 7 ounces

Indeterminate

Lemon Boy hybrid is an eye-catching tomato with wonderful color and flavor. The deep globe fruit is slightly tangy, but also sweet and mild, meaty, and smooth — perfect for slicing.

#### **Mountain Pride**

Fruit size: 6 to 8 ounces

Determinate

F1 Hybrid is a deep red, crack resistant tomato with firm flavorful flesh. Excellent choice for Home Gardens and Market Growers. They're a nice size for slicing and the perfect combo of sweet/tart.

#### **Porter**

Fruit size: 2 to 4 ounces

Indeterminant

The 'Porter' tomato was developed in and for Texas weather. It produces well, setting fruit even in dry, hot climates. Its fruit are ovate (egg-shaped), dark pink in color, about an inch and a half long and weigh two to four ounces. Its good, complex taste makes it a favorite for eating fresh or canning and juicing.

#### Roma

Fruit size: 3 inches long

Determinate

Roma produces a large harvest of thick-walled, meaty, bright red, egg-shaped tomatoes about 3 inches long and with few seeds. This tomato is not juicy. This is not a slicing tomato. Instead, the flesh is thick and drier so that it will cook down into a thick sauce.

#### \*NEW\* Sugar Plum

Fruit size: ½ to ¾ ounces

Indeterminate

Rated best tasting grape tomato - very sweet and flavorful! Firm fruits form in long clusters which allow for an easy harvest. Vining plants requires stakes or cages. Perfect for salads and snacks. Excellent choice for Home Gardens.

#### 2023 Extension Horticulture Committee Tomato and Pepper Plant Sale **Customer Name Customer Phone Number Customer Email Address** Cucumber \*NEW\* \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* # of Packs Ordered Burpless 26 Cucumber Orders are due to National Pickling Cucumber the Washington Straight Eight Slicing Cucumber County Extension # of Packs Ordered \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* Herbs Office by: Basil (4 inch pot) Wednesday, Cilantro (4 pack) Dill (4 pack) March 1, 2023 Parsley (4 inch pot) Jalapeno # of 4 Packs Ordered \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* Regular Jalapeno (Hot) Pick up: TAMU Jalapeno (Mild) Tuesday, Fool You Jalapeno (No Heat) March, 21, \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* **Peppers** # of 4 Packs Ordered 2023 Banana Pepper 10:00am -Big Bertha Gypsy Yellow Sweet 5:30pm Orange Pepper at the Poblano Pepper Washington Squash and Eggplant # of 4 Packs Ordered \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* County Expo Eggplant (Traditional) Sales Facility Yellow Squash Zucchini Squash **Tomatoes** # of 4 Packs Ordered \*\*\$2.50 Each\*\* Amelia Arkansas Traveler (Heirloom) All plants are BHN 589 propagated locally Celebrity from seed. We will Cherokee Carbon (Heirloom) do our best to get Genuwine (Heirloom) everyone their first Homestead (Old World Variety) chose on variety. If Large Cherry we are short from the Lemon Boy (Acidless Variety) grower we will Mountain Pride replace with a Porter comparable variety. Roma \*NEW\* Sugar Plum Total Paid by check Paid by cash