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## **CWN Newsletter**

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Fourth of July Holiday

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Our nation's 240th birthday is right around the corner and we will be closed so our staff can spend the day celebrating with their families.

### **Featured Plants**

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Tecoma stans 'Bells of Fire' - A stunning new compact variety, the first with fiery red-orange blooms. This heat and sun-loving shrub explodes with color from spring to frost. Self cleaning, and rarely sets seed pods. Adored by hummingbirds. Easy to grow in landscape or containers. Evergreen in mild winter climates. The more compact nature of this variety lends itself to smaller spaces as a colorful accent or natural hedge. In extremely hot climates, this carefree, desert hardy shrub blooms even in light shade, making it perfect under the canopy of a mesquite or palo verde tree.



Dasylirion wheeleri - Grey Desert Spoon

Long-lived and low-maintenance, this tough plant is native from 3000 to 6000 feet in Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Mexico. It slowly forms a dense rosette of leathery silver-blue leaves with hooks along the margins. Over time it develops a short stout trunk. The tall narrow flower spikes carry small tan blooms. Plant in full sun or reflected heat, and provide good drainage.



Hesperaloe Pink Parade - Pink Yucca is a recent

introduction, and is getting rave reviews from landscape designers for the architectural form of its flower spikes and foliage. A hybrid between Hesperaloe funifera and Hesperaloe parviflora, this plant is as durable and bullet proof as both parents. The leaves are bright green, about an inch wide, and form an upright clump to 3-4 feet tall and wide.

More excellent drought tolerant choices now in the nursery:

Acacia covenyi - Blue Bush: Native to Australia this though, and very blue, wispy tree is perfectly adapted to the Southwest and the S.F. Bay Area.

Acacia stenophylla - Shoestring Acacia : This fast-growing, evergreen Australian tree produces long, willowy phyllodes that resemble shoestrings dangling in the wind. Creamy white puffball flowers are produced in early spring, followed by long bean-like pods.

Baileya multiradiata - Desert Marigold : This bright yellow perennial blooms all summer in the nursery.

Caesalpinia gilliesii - Yellow Bird of Paradise : A beautiful mid-sized shrub has naturalized in the Southwest and will bloom most of the summer.

Chilopsis linearis - Desert Willow : Another tough tree that come in several colors. One of our favorites is 'Bubba' with larger dark burgundy flowers.

Eremophila maculata 'Valentine' - Spotted Emu Bush : This dense, evergreen Australian shrub provides great winter color. The tiny, dark green leaves develop an attractive reddish tinge in the cold, and masses of hot pink to red tubular flowers are produced from January through March.

Hesperaloe parviflora - *Red Yucca* : While this may be the traditional color of this free blooming Yucca relative there are also yellow, pink and dark red selections.

Leucophyllum langmaniae 'Lynn's Legacy' - *Texas Ranger* : Provides a profuse display of lavender blooms more often throughout the season than other selections.

Opuntia 'Santa Rita' - *Purple Prickly Pear* : This cacti has pads that range from blue to purple and contrast with yellow flowers.

Along with what seems like a never ending variety of **Agave, Aloe, Cacti** and **Succulents** there is never a shortage of material to make every garden unique. We have collected many of these plants at the nursery along with additional publications.

Landscaping Workshops, Talks and Resources

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Following are but a few of the many places to plug in for more information:

[Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program - \*\*Green Gardener Classes\*\*](#)

[East Bay Municipal Water District - \*\*Water Smart Gardener\*\*](#)

[Bay Area Eco Gardens - \*\*Resources, Information and Classes\*\*](#)

[City of Morgan Hill - \*\*Water Conservation and Resources\*\*](#)

[San Jose Water Company - \*\*Water Wise Gardening\*\*](#)

[Santa Clara Valley Water District - \*\*Events and Workshops\*\*](#)

### **You Design It, We Deliver It**

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With our extensive inventory and trusted nursery partners, CWN is your one source for plants and planting supplies. The nursery is brimming with a wide variety of colors, textures and sizes. We have in stock a complete mix to accommodate larger quantities of our best sellers, making it even easier to complete customer orders more quickly.

Here is a brief summary of what we can do for you:

- Assemble customers orders for will call or delivery, usually the same day
- Always use the best materials available
- Contact customers immediately if there is a quality or availability issue
- Order out of stock or specialty materials, to arrive as quickly as possible, using all available resources
- Guarantee that CWN material will meet or exceed the customers satisfaction

Products of interest at CWN

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**Follow any of the links below for more information:**

- [Sunland Garden Products - Organic Compost, Potting and Planting Mixes](#)
- [Delta Blue Grass Co. - Native and Traditional Turfgrass, Seed and Fertilizers](#)
- [E.B. Stone's Organics - Planting Compost, Potting Soil and Fertilizers](#)
- [Horticultural Alliance's - DIEHARD™ root growth stimulant products](#)

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