

# PLANT BLOOM TIME CALENDAR

## Year Round Bloomers

### Houseplants

- African Violets- *Saintpaulia spp.*

## January Bloomers

### Trees

- Cornelian Cherry-*Cornus mas*

### Shrubs

- Camellias
- Viburnum 'Pink Dawn'

### Perennials

- Primula-*Primulus spp.*
- Hellebores - *Helleborus spp.*

### Bulbs

- Crocus

### Houseplants

- Cyclamen

## February Bloomers

### Trees

- Magnolias
- Cornelian Cherry- *Cornus mas*

### Shrubs

- Camellias

### Vines

- Evergreen Clematis - *Clematis armandii*

### Perennials

- Dwarf Iris – *Iris reticulata*
- Primula-*primulus spp.*
- Hellebores-*Helleborus spp.*

- Forget-Me-Not - *Myosotis*

### **Bulbs**

- Hyacinths
- Early tulips
- Crocus
- Dwarf Daffodils
- Snowdrops - *Galanthus nivalis*

## **March Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Flowering Plums - *Prunus cerasifera*
- Pears-*Prunus spp.*
- Tea Tree-*Leptospermum scoparium*
- Flowering Plums-*Prunus spp.*

### **Shrubs**

- Daphne-*Daphne spp.*
- Forsythia-*Forsythia intermedia*
- Quince - *Cydonia spp.*
- Burkwood Viburnum-*Viburnum x Burkwoodi*
- Forsythia

### **Vines**

- Evergreen Clematis-*Clematis armandii*

### **Perennials**

- Checker Lilies – *Frittilaria*
- Winter Aconite–*Eranthis hyemalis*
- Myrtle Spurge–*Euphorbia myrsinites*
- Christmas Rose–*Helleborus niger*
- Lenten Rose–*Helleborus orientalis*
- Bloodroot–*Sanguinaria canadensis*
- Spring Beauty–*Claytonia virginica*
- Tree Peony- *Paeonia suffruticosa*
- Bleeding Hearts-*Dicentra spectabilis*
- Bearded Iris-*Iris germanica*
- Wallflowers-*Erysimum*
- Forget-Me-Nots- *Omphalodes*
- Violas-*Viola spp.*
- Candytuft-*Iberis sempervirens*

## **Bulbs**

Daffodils -*Narcissus spp.*

## **April Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Magnolias
- Redbud-*Cercis canadensis*
- Flowering cherries-*Prunus spp.*
- Crabapples-*Malus spp.*
- Apples-*Malus*
- Pears-*Pyrus*
- Cherries-*Prunus spp*

### **Shrubs**

- California Lilac-Ceanothus
- Rhododendrons
- Viburnum '*Mariesii*' and '*Snowflake*'
- Dogwoods-*Cornus spp.*
- Mexican Orange Blossom-*Choisya ternata*
- Crape Myrtle-*Loropetalum*
- Azaleas
- Rhododendrons
- Lilacs-*Syringa*
- Weigela

### **Vines**

- Chinese Wisteria-*Wisteria sinensis*
- Wisteria
- Clematis '*Montana*'

### **Perennials**

- English Daisy-*Belis perennis*
- Pasque Flower-*Pulsatilla vulgaris*
- Marsh Marigold-*Caltha palustris*
- Tree Peony-- *Paeonia suffruticosa*
- Prairie Smoke-*Geum triflorum*
- Old-fashioned Bleeding Heart-*Dicentra spectabilis*
- Fringed bleeding Heart-*Dicentra eximia*
- Columbine-*Aquilegia spp.*
- Wallflowers-*Erysimum*
- Forget-me-nots- *Omphalodes*
- Alliums
- Trout Lily-*Erythronium americanum*

- Foxgloves-*Digitalis*
- Pinks-*Dianthus*

### Perennial Ground Covers

- Candytuft-*Iberis sempervirens*
- Netted Iris-*Iris reticulata*
- Grape Hyacinth-*Muscari armeniacum*, *M. botryoides*
- Creeping Phlox-*Phlox subulata*
- Virginia Bluebells-*Mertensia virginica*
- Rock Cress-*Arabis caucasica*
- Basket of Gold-*Aurinia saxatilis*
- Bugleweed-*Ajuga reptans*
- Glory-of-the-Snow-*Chionodoxa luciliae*
- Purple Rockcress-*Aubretia deltoidea*
- Iris
- Anemones
- Violas

### Bulbs

- Early Tulips, Narcissus, and Hyacinth
- Late Blooming Tulips
- Late Blooming Dwarf Iris
- Jack-in-the-Pulpit-*Arisaema triphyllum*
- Reblooming German Iris
- Ornamental Onions-*Allium*

## May Blooming Bloomers

### Trees

- Pomegranates-*Punica spp.*
- Hawthorns-*Crataegus spp*

### Shrubs

- Rhododendrons

### Perennials

- Common Columbine-*Aquilegia canadensis*
- Columbine-*Aquilegia x hybrida*
- Delphinium-*Delphinium x elatum*
- Cottage Pink-*Dianthus plumarius*
- Blue False Indigo-*Baptisia australis*
- Mountain Bluet-*Centaurea Montana*
- Peony-*Paeonia hybrids*
- Oriental Poppy-*Papaver orientale*
- Foxglove-*Digitalis*

- Herbaceous Peony-*Paeony spp.*
- Queen Anne's Lace-*Daucus carota*
- Catmint-*Nepeta*
- Bell Flower-*Campanula*
- Bear's Breeches-*Acanthus*
- Johnny-Jump-Ups-*Violas*
- Chinese Forget-Me-Not- *Cynoglossum amabile*
- Anemones
- Lavender-*Lavandula*
- Columbine-*Aquilegis*
- Gas Plant-*Dictamnus albus*
- Iris *spp.*

### **Perennial Ground Covers**

- Snow-in-Summer-*Cerastium tomentosum*
- Sea Pink-*Armeria maritime*
- Lady's Mantle-*Alchemilla mollis*
- Wild Geranium-*Geranium maculatum*
- Wild Ginger-*Asarum canadense*
- Wild Sweet William-*Pblox divaricata*

### **Bulb**

- Freesia
- Late Blooming Tulips

### **Annuals**

- Sweetpeas
- Annual Larkspur

## **June Blooming Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Japanese Snowbell Tree- *Styrax japonicus*
- Chinese Fringe Tree- *Chionanthus retusus*
- Australian Tea Tree-*Leptospermum*

### **Shrubs**

- Roses
- Cotoneaster

### **Vines**

- Clematis hybrids

### **Perennials**

- False Goat's Beard-*Astilbe spp.*

- Silver Mound Artemisia—*Artemisia schmidtiana* ‘Silver Mound’
- Silver King Artemisia—*Artemisia ludoviciana* ‘Silver King’
- Carpathian Harebell—*Campanula carpatica*
- Peach-Leaf Bellflower—*Campanula persicifolia*
- Blanket Flower—*Gaillardia × grandiflora*
- Coral Bells—*Heuchera* spp.
- Rock Soapwort—*Saponaria ocymoides*
- Pincushion Flower—*Scabiosa caucasica*
- Stokes Aster—*Stokesia laevis*
- Spiderwort—*Tradescantia × andersoniana*
- Veronica—*Veronica spicata*, *V. longifolia*
- Pale Purple Coneflower—*Echinacea pallida*
- American Bellflower—*Campanula Americana*
- Larkspur—*Delphinium*
- Lavender—*Lavandula* spp.
- Bell Flower—*Campanula*
- Balloon Flower—*Platycodon grandiflorus*
- Phlox
- Hardy Geraniums
- Salvias
- Bear’s Breeches—*Acanthus*
- Allium spp.
- Iris spp.
- Daylillies—*Hemerocallis* spp.

### **Annuals**

- Flowering Tobacco—*Nicotiana*
- Zinnias
- Sunflowers—*Helianthus occidentalis*
- Tickseed—*Coreopsis*
- Gladiolus
- Annual Begonias
- Petunias

## **July Blooming Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Pears in fruit
- Leatherwood—*Eucryphia*
- Pomegranates—*Punica*

### **Shrubs**

- Smoke Tree—*Cotinus*
- Roses

## Perennials

- Fern-leaf Yarrow—*Achillea filipendulina*
- Common Yarrow—*Achillea millefolium*
- Blackberry Lily—*Belamcanda chinensis*
- Bugbane—*Cimicifuga simplex*
- Tickseed—*Coreopsis grandiflora*
- Threadleaf Coreopsis—*Coreopsis verticillata*
- Purple Coneflower—*Echinacea purpurea*
- Globe Thistle—*Echinops ritro*
- Sea Holly—*Eryngium amethystinum*
- Babys Breath—*Gypsophila paniculata*
- Helen's Flower, Sneezeweed—*Helenium autumnale*
- Sunflower Heliopsis—*Heliopsis helianthoides*
- Hibiscus—*Hibiscus moscheutos*
- Hosta, Plantain Lily—*Hosta* spp.
- Blazing Star—*Liatris spicata*
- Sea Lavender—*Limonium latifolium*
- Cardinal Flower—*Lobelia cardinalis*
- Bee Balm—*Monarda didyma*
- Russian Sage—*Perovskia atriplicifolia*
- Garden Phlox—*Phlox paniculata*
- False Dragonhead—*Physotegia virginiana*
- Butterfly Weed—*Asclepias tuberosa*
- Rattlesnake Master—*Eryngium yuccifolium*
- Great Blue Lobelia—*Lobelia siphilitica*
- Culver-Root—*Veronicastrum virginicum*
- Pink Turtlehead—*Chelone glabra*
- Balloonflower—*Platycodon grandiflorus*
- Perennial Blue Salvia—*Salvia x superba*
- Larkspur—*Delphinium*
- Salvia
- Lily-of-the-Nile—*Agapanthus*
- Glorybower—*Clerodendrum*
- Bear's Breeches—*Acanthus*
- False Freesia—*Lapeirousia laxa*
- Bridal Wreath—*Francoa*
- Daylilies—*Hemerocallis* spp.
- False Goat's Beard—*Astilbe*
- Society Garlic—*Tulbaghia*
- Pincushion Flower—*Scabiosa*

## August Bloomers

## Trees

- Pears and Apples in fruit

## Shrubs

- Hydrangeas
- Roses
- Hydrangea
- Daphne
- Rose of Sharon – *Hibiscus*
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## Vines

- Clematis '*Jackmanii*'

## Perennials

- Kaffir Lily-*Schizostylis*
- Monkshood-*Aconitum napellus*
- New York Aster-*Aster novii-belgii*
- New England Aster-*Aster novae-angliae*
- Leadwort-*Ceratostigma plumbaginoides*
- Garden Mum-*Dendranthema × grandiflora*
- Red Hot Poker-*Kniphofia hybrids*
- Joe-Pye Weed-*Eupatorium maculatum*
- Closed Gentian-*Gentiana andressii*
- Black-Eyed Susan-*Rudbeckia fulgida var. sullivantii* 'Goldsturm'
- Showy Sedum-*Hylotelephium × 'Autumn Joy'*
- Larkspur-*Delphiniums*
- Salvias
- Hardy Ornamental Hibiscus
- Meadow Sage-*Salvia microphylla* 'Hotlips'
- Variegated society garlic - *Tulbaghia 'Variegated'*
- Anise Hyssop-*Agastache spp.*
- Tickseed-*Coreopsis spp.*
- Coneflower-*Echinacea*
- Black-Eyed Susans-*Rudbeckia*
- Pinks-*Dianthus spp.*
- Chinese Foxglove-*Rehmannia elata*
- Fleabane-*Erigeron*
- Hardy Ice Plant-*Delosperma*
- Garden Phlox-*Phlox paniculata*
- Spurge-*Euphorbia*
- Hardy Canna
- Blanket Flower-*Gaillardia*
- Cranesbill-*Geranium*

- Cape Fuschia-*Phygelius*
- False Sunflower-*Helenium*
- Daylily-*Hemmerocallis*
- Catmint-*Nepeta*
- Bee Balm-*Monarda*
- Hardy Lobelia *spp.*
- Cardinal Flower-*Lobelia cardinalis*
- Rose mallow-*Lavatera*
- Hardy Fuschia
- Large Leaf Lupine – *Lupinus polyphyllus*
- Beach Strawberry-*Fragaria chiloensis*
- Checker Mallow-*Sidalcea*
- Plumbago-*Ceratostigma*
- Primrose-*Primula viallii*

### **Annuals**

- Summer annuals
- Dahlias

## **September-October Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Fragrant Osmanthus-*Osmanthus fragrans*
- Leatherwood-*Francoa*

### **Shrubs**

- Daphne
- Roses
- Hydrangea
- Camellias ‘Sasanqua’
- Glorybower-*Clerodendrum*

### **Vines**

- Silver Lace Vine-*Fallopia*

### **Perennials**

- Gayfeather-*Liatris*
- Thyme Varieties-*Thymus ‘Doone Valley’*, *Thymus x citriodorus*
- Monkshood-*Aconitum*
- Aster-*Aster*
- Hardy Chrysanthemum
- Coreopsis-*Coreopsis*
- Bleeding Heart-*Dicentra eximia*
- Purple Coneflower-*Echinacea*
- Globe Thistle-*Echinops*

- Blanket Flower–*Gaillardia*
- False Sunflower–*Helenium*
- Phlox–*Phlox*
- Balloon Flower–*Platycodon*
- Black-Eyed Susan–*Rudbeckia*
- Sedum–*Hylotelephium*
- Larkspur–*Delphinium*
- Hibiscus
- Hardy Viola
- Plumbago–*Ceratostigma*
- Japanese Anemone
- Sunflowers–*Helianthus*
- Tickseed–*Coreopsis*
- Tree Dahlia
- Salvias
- Reblooming German Iris–*Iris germanica*
- Magic Lillies
- Canna

### **Bulbs**

- Saffron crocus–*Crocus sativus*
- Giant Crocus–*Colchicum*
- Amaryllis belladonna

### **Annuals**

- Cosmos
- Ornamental Pepper–*Capsicum annuum*
- Ornamental Kale & Cabbage
- Ornamental Mum
- Basil–*Ocimum basilicum*
- Morning Glory Vines–*Convolvulus*
- Cyclamen *hederifolium*

## **November/December Bloomers**

### **Trees**

- Persimmon fruit
- Persian Ironwood–*Parrotia persica*

### **Shrubs**

- Winter blooming Camellias
- Summer Snowflake–*Leucojum vernum*

**Perennials**

- Lenten Rose-*Helleborus*
- Violas

**Bulbs**

- Forced Paperwhites
- Forced Hyacinths
- Forced Amaryllis
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**Annuals**

- Ornamental Peppers
- Christmas Cactus- *Schlumbergera* or *Zygocactus*
- Poinsettias
- Ornamental Kale & Cabbage