

## 2020 ARHS Seed Exchange

Sharon Bryson ... Seed Exchange Chair

Welcome to the 2020 Seed Exchange for the Atlantic Rhododendron & Horticultural Society.

The electronic approach to the Seed Exchange seems to work very well. The seed list and order form will go out to all those with email addresses. I have been mulling over the prospect of having electronic payment options, so would certainly appreciate your feedback on that process.

Once again we will post the Seed List on the Internet which will have a full complement of links to many images and information to help in your decision-making. The online version will have periodic updates on seed lot availability, so that version is best to check as time goes on.

Visit The [Willow Garden](#) website and follow the links for 2020 ARHS Seed Exchange. A link to the list will be inserted on the [Atlantic Rhodo](#) site.

Our thanks goes out to the faithful contributors who have made this Exchange possible. The overall success of our Seed Exchange depends upon seed contributions by our members, so please make a “mental note” to save some interesting seeds for next years’ Exchange. There is always an interest in the Companion Plant section as well as the Azalea and Rhododendron sections. Success also depends upon members purchasing seed. Many interesting plants can be added to our gardens by simply growing a few seeds.

Our 2020 list is quite extensive, thanks in part to contributions from some new donors and the generous repeat donations from others. The Companion Plant section had a very generous donation from Ian Christie of the Scottish Rock Garden Club. There is also quite a selection of Paeonia species listed, from both Nova Scotia and British Columbia.

There are many interesting species Rhododendrons, offering the chance to grow species that would not be very available. They might also require some degree of “homework”.

Our 2020 list has several seed lots “recycled” from the 2019 list. The viability of azalea and rhododendron seed is usually very good, so offering year old seed shouldn’t be a problem for growers. It is always a shame to see “leftover seed” not being used in some useful way. I will hopefully find a way to offer some other seed lots from 2019 for growers.

Several seed lots have been given their prerequisite cool treatment. A reminder that most moist packed seed cannot be sent until temperatures moderate towards spring.

Last years’ charge for “shipping and handling” (\$3.00) has been maintained. The rate changes at Canada Post have made the “break even” point quite close.

The deadline for submitting members-only orders is Feb 29, 2020.

Please remember that the seeds go out on a “first-come, first-served” basis dependent on seed quantity. Get your orders in early and you have a very good chance of getting everything on your list. It is VERY helpful to list second choices on the order form. If none are listed, I have to make a small “editorial decision”!

In an effort to encourage people to try growing Rhododendrons and Azaleas from seed we are offering a FREE package of seed to anyone interested, whether or not you order any other seeds. This is noted in the seed list. Please send the order form and \$3 to cover postage in the usual way. If you need further planting instructions, please ask. Online information is available at both the Atlantic Rhodo and the Willow Garden websites.

The Seed Exchange will be open to “the world at large” after our Feb.29 member’s-only deadline, and will end April 30, 2020. Feel free to share the list with other gardeners who might not be members of the ARHS. Local garden clubs might find the offerings of interest. We have had orders from many places in the world over the last few years. Stories of your past successes and/or failures with seed growing are most interesting and welcome.

Comments or suggestions regarding the Seed Exchange are also encouraged. You can send a note with your order or email [willowgarden\\_ns@hotmail.com](mailto:willowgarden_ns@hotmail.com)

*a few seed parent images*



# ARHS 2020 SEED EXCHANGE

## INSTRUCTIONS

Seed packets are \$2.50 CDN each for collected wild, \$2.00 CDN each for hand-pollinated and \$1.50 CDN each for open-pollinated seed. One packet per lot per person. More may be ordered but are subject to availability.

**All orders must be on the form provided and should be received by February 29, 2020 for members-only.**

**The Exchange will be open to the public after Feb. 29, 2020 until April 30, 2020**

Enquiries may be directed to  
[willowgarden\\_ns@hotmail.com](mailto:willowgarden_ns@hotmail.com)

Send all orders to: Sharon Bryson, #407 Old Maryvale Rd., Maryvale, Nova Scotia B2G 2L1 CANADA  
Please make your cheque or money order payable to 'Atlantic Rhododendron & Horticultural Society'. Add \$3.00 CDN for postage & padded envelope. **Please list substitutes as quantities for some lots are small.**

**Seed Lots that become unavailable will have a strikethrough 000\_NLA**  
**The online list will be updated as required**

US regulations now require an import permit and a phytosanitary certificate. Seeds sent to the US will be shipped without a phytosanitary certificate and at the orderer's risk.

## SEED LIST

**DONORS:** ADD - Betty Ann Addison, Minneapolis, MN BRE - John Brett, Halifax, NS BRY - Sharon Bryson, Maryvale, NS CHE - Konstantrin Cherezov, Russia CHR - Ian Christie, Scotland COL - Marc Colombel, Fouesnant, France CLY - Bruce Clyburn, New Waterford, NS CYB - Tomasz Cyba, Poland DAN - Carol Dancer, Victoria, BC DUF - Rosyln Duffus, Bedford, NS DUM - Sandy Dumaresq, Chester, NS ELL - Jamie Ellison, Canning, NS HAR - Joe Harvey, Victoria, BC HOW - Bob Howard, Granville Ferry, NS LAY - Anitra Laycock, Prospect Bay, NS MAC - Cynthia MacDonald, Halifax, NS MIN - Betty Minor, Wittenberg, NS NOR - Peter Norris, Martha's Vineyard, MA POP - Harold Popma, Sackville, NB SHA - Ken Shannik, Halifax, NS THE - Kristian Theqvist, Finland VEN - Dave Veinotte, Mahone Bay, NS WEA - John Weagle, Halifax, NS

### Rhododendron Species - Collected Wild - \$2.50

001 ELL *R. canadense* (Blue Foliage)  
collected Greenwood, NS  
002 SHA *R. canadense*, collected Indian Harbor, NS  
003 ADD *R. maximum*, collected wild, Kingston, RI  
004 THE *R. phaeochrysum*, Gongkahu 4250 m, Yunnan  
005 THE *R. racemosum*, Xiaoxueshan 3520 m, Yunnan  
006 THE *R. vernicosum*, Xiaoxueshan 3520 m, Yunnan

009 THE *R. brachycarpum* var. *roseum*  
cross between two dwarf plants  
010 ADD *R. dauricum* Rice Creek, selfed F3  
011 WEA *R. kaempferi* v. *latisepalum*, selfed  
Halifax Public Gardens  
012 THE *R. oreodoxa* var. *fargesii*, a cross  
between plants from different origin  
013 WEA *R. dalhousiae* ssp. *rhabdotum* (AGCBC-  
19/1084), [tender Madennia](#). †2

### Rhododendron Species - Hand-Pollinated - \$2.00

007 WEA (*R. auriculatum*, Peter Wharton east  
*R. auriculatum*, PW west)  
008 THE *R. brachycarpum* ssp. [tigerstedtii](#)  
cross between two plants from Arboretum  
Mustila, Finland

### Rhododendron Species - Open-Pollinated - \$1.50

014 LAY *Rhododendron albrechtii* selfed  
upright, twiggy deciduous species  
015 BRE *R. auriculatum*, Peter Wharton collection  
from Morris Island, NS

- 016 ELL *R. auriculatum*, Peter Wharton collection  
from John Brett's property Morris Island, NS
- 017 ELL *R. brachycarpum* [ssp.fauriei](#)  
Pereau Road, Canning, NS
- 018 CHE *R. brachycarpum* [ssp.fauriei](#)  
from Vladovostok Botanical Garden
- 019 ELL *R. brachycarpum* [ssp. tigerstedtii](#)  
from John Brett's property Morris Island, NS
- 020 WEA *R. brachycarpum* [ssp. tigerstedtii](#) (selfed)
- 021 CHR *Rhododendron* [camschaticum](#)
- 022 WEA *R. camtschaticum* (pink-purple ) Selfed
- 023 WEA *R. dauricum* 'Ruth Wainwright'  
compact purple, good winter dormancy
- 024 ELL *R. maximum* (Red maximum)  
from John Brett's property Morris Island, NS
- 025 WEA *R. maximum* (red leaf form), Boulderwood
- 026 CHE *R. micranthum* †1  
from Vladovostok Botanical Garden
- 027 WEA *R. minus* var. *carolinianum*
- 028 WEA *R. minus* var. *carolinianum*, Barbara Hall's  
best
- 029 WEA *R. minus* var. *carolinianum*, sibling of Barbara  
Hall's best
- 030 BRY *R. mucronulatum* v. *chejuensis*
- 031 WEA *R. mucronulatum* v. *chejuensis*
- 032 WEA *R. mucronulatum* ('Woodland Pink' x 'Cornell  
Pink)
- 033 ELL *R. schlippenbachii*, Japanese Royal Azalea  
from Kentville Research Station
- 034 WEA *R. schlippenbachii*, Japanese Royal Azalea  
good pink, Indian Harbor, NS
- 035 LAY *Rhododendron* [strigillosum](#) Briggs seedling  
ex RSF
- 036 WEA *R. thomsonii*
- 037 WEA *R. vaseyi*, [pink](#)
- 038 LAY *Rhododendron* [wardii](#), L&S
- 050 THE 'Dagmar' x *R. smirnowii*, aim: increased  
hardiness and fragrance
- 051 NOR 'Firestorm' x *R. yuefengense*  
Goal: hardy, foliage interest, red bloom
- 052 WEA '[Flautando](#)' x [(*R. brachycarpum* x *R. aureum*)  
x *R. caloxanthum* [Royston](#)]
- 053 NOR '[Gloxineum](#)' x (*R. yuefengense* x *R.*  
[platypodum](#)) Goal: foliage interest, blotch
- 054 THE 'Great Dane' x *R. sinofalconeri*,  
aim: large leaves
- 055 WEA R. "Gwen's bright yellow/orange", selfed
- 056 CYB '[Hania](#)' x *R. decorum* †3  
aim: Improved foliage, large flower with a red  
throat (from 2019 Exchange)
- 057 ELL 'Henry's Red' x *R. barbatum*
- 058 ELL 'Henry's Red' x *R. strigillosum*
- 059 NOR 'Janet Blair' x *R. yuefengense* x 'Sally Fuller')  
(from 2019 Exchange)
- 060 THE '[Kristian's Moonlight](#)' x *R. sanguineum*  
aim: red on low growth
- 061 CLY 'Merley Cream' x 'Nancy Steele'
- 062 THE '[Mikkeli](#)' x '[Ring of Fire](#)', aim: yellow and  
possibly pink
- 063 CLY '[Mrs. Furnivall](#)' x '[Party Pink](#)'  
(from 2019 Exchange)
- 064 WEA ('Napoli' x 'Abraxas') x '[Scotian Sovereign](#)' †4
- 065 NOR "Peach on North Path" x (*R. yuefengense* 'Sally  
Fuller') Peach is a Dexter hybrid from the  
Heritage Plantation. (from 2019 Exchange)
- 066 COL [Polar Bear](#) (2x) x [(Rwain (3x) X L'Engin (4x))  
x 'Gargantua'(4x)] (4x)  
**special tetraploid cross, sm. quantities \$5.00**
- 067 CYB '[Queenswood](#) Centenary' †5 x *R. coeloneuron*  
NN0926
- 068 CYB 'Queenswood Centenary' x '[Elizabeth](#) Red  
Foliage'
- 069 CLY '[Russell Harmon](#)' x *R.sutchuenense*
- 070 THE *R. adenogynum* x '[Great Dane](#)', aim: nice  
indumented leaves
- 071 THE *R. brachycarpum* var. *roseum* x *R. sanguineum*,  
aim: red on dwarf growth
- 072 ELL (*R.degronianum* x *R. makinoi*) x *R.strigillosum*  
aka Joe Harvey's "Porcupine"
- 073 ELL *R. forrestii* (Alleyne Cook) †6 x *R. strigillosum*
- 074 THE *R. fortunei* x 'Bellefontaine', aim: fragrance
- 075 WEA (*R. makinoi*, Tysk x *R. makinoi*, Kew) x sibling
- 076 ELL *R. oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* x *R. campylocarpum*  
*ssp. caloxanthum* 'Royston'
- 077 CLY [R. maximum, unknown hybrid](#) x 'Mrs. T.H.  
Lowinsky' (from 2019 Exchange)
- 078 THE *R. maximum*, [red form](#) x '[Hehku](#)', aim: yellow,  
orange and red
- 079 ELL *R. metternichii* '[Ultra Suede](#)' x 'Babylon'
- 080 ELL *R. metternichii* 'Ultra Suede' x *R. strigillosum*
- 081 ELL *R. nutallii* x *R. dalhousiae* var. *rhabdotum*

### **Rhododendron Hybrids - Hand-Pollinated -\$2.00**

- 039 ELL '[Always Admired](#)' x *R. dicoanthum*
- 040 CLY ('Amber Mist' x 'Bud's Yellow') x 'Golden  
Horseshoe'
- 041 ELL '[Babylon](#)' x *R. strigillosum*
- 042 THE '[Bellefontaine](#)' x '[Dagmar](#)', fragrance
- 043 CLY 'Brio' x 'Babylon'
- 044 CLY 'Brio' x *R.sutchuenense*
- 045 CLY ('[Calsap](#)' x '[Blue Peter](#)') x 'Mrs. T.H.  
[Lowinsky](#)' (from 2019 Exchange)
- 046 CLY ('Calsap' x *R.calophytum*) x ('Babylon' x  
*R.sutchuenense*)
- 047 CLY ('Calsap' x *R.calophytum*) x ('Hardy Giant' x  
'Babylon')
- 048 CLY ('Calsap' x *R.calophytum*) x *R.sutchuenense*
- 049 NOR '[Clayoquot Warrior](#)' x *R. ochraceum*

- 082 NOR *R. strigillosum* x *R. ochraceum*  
Goal: compact red, narrow foliage
- 083 THE *R. vernicosum*? (AC2015) x (*R. pachytrichum*  
var. *monosematum* x *R. strigillosum*)
- 084 CLY (*R. yuefengense* x *R. brachycarpum* v.  
*tigerstedtii*) x *R. yuefengense* 08/426
- 085 NOR (*R. yuefengense* x *R. platypodum*) x 'Jean  
Marie de Montague' Goal: foliage interest, red
- 086 NOR (*R. yuefengense* x *R. platypodum*) x  
*R. strigillosum* Goal: foliage interest, red
- 087 NOR (*R. yuefengense* x 'Sally Fuller') x (*R.*  
*fortuneii* x 'Mary Phipps')  
(from 2019 Exchange)
- 088 NOR ('Scintillation' x *R. hemsleyanum*)\* x  
(*R. yuefengense* x *R. fortunei*)  
Goal: fragrance, large white truss  
\*Fred Thurber hybrid
- 089 ELL 'Spellbinder' x *R. macabeanum*
- 090 CLY 'Spellbinder' x *R. sutchuenense*
- 091 WEA 'Sundust' x 'Flautando'
- 092 WEA 'Sundust' x *R. insigne Windsor*
- 093 CYB 'Titian Beauty' x 'Odessa' †7

#### Rhododendron Hybrids - Open-Pollinated - \$1.50

- 094 BRY Rhododendron 'April Rose'  
Early, double, bright fuchsia
- 095 WEA ('Barbara Hall' x *R. sutchuenense* Greig) #1
- 096 BRY ex (*R. brachycarpum* x *R. macabeanum*)  
Excellent foliage plant, late blooming
- 097 ELL *R. calophytum* hybrid  
from the Steele Garden, Boulderwood, NS
- 098 BRY 'Calsap'
- 099 ADD 'Dark Lord' OP from Wayne Mezitt's original  
plant, Weston Nursery, MA
- 100 BRY (*R. degronianum* ssp. *Heptamereum* 'Enamoto'  
x *R. pachysanthum*) Beautiful to mentum  
from ARHS2006#49
- 101 MAC 'Flautando'
- 102 BRY ex ('Henry's Red' x *R. pachysanthum*)  
from ARS2001#544
- 103 LAY 'Red River', late blooming *R. maximum*  
hybrid
- 104 LAY 'Russell Harmon'
- 105 LAY 'Sundust', Anderson Hybrid  
'Nancy Evans' x 'Janet Blair'

#### Azalea Hybrids - Hand-Pollinated - \$2.00

- 106 THE *R. cumberlandense* x *R. arborescens*, cross  
between two hardy azalea species will yield  
late bloom and perhaps fragrance

#### Azalea Hybrids - Open-Pollinated - \$1.50

- 107 BRY ex[*R. bakeri* 'Sunlight' x (*R. occidentale* x *R.*  
*calendulaceum*)] ARS 2003 #302, late  
blooming, compact
- 108 BRY unnamed azalea seedling Bright Yellow
- 109 BRY Deciduous azalea, mix - FREE

#### Companion Plants - Open-Pollinated - \$1.50

- 110 SHA *Aconitum japonicum*, Blue flowers in clusters  
along arching stems 3' - Per
- 111 SHA *Alcea rosea* 'Mars Magic' (Hollyhock)  
Single red flowers. 5-6' - Per
- 112 CHR *Allium insubricum*, rose/pink  
Lombardy garlic, endemic to the  
Lombardy region in northern Italy - Bulb †9
- 113 SHA *Allium lineare*, Pink flowers ~16" - Bulb †9
- 114 SHA *Allium pskemense*, large White flowers - Bulb
- 115 CHR *Anemone obtusiloba*, blue Alpine plant native  
to the mountainous regions of Pakistan, Burma,  
Nepal and Tibet - Per
- 116 SHA *Arisaema flavum*, Yellow Cobra Lily, 6-18"  
Yellow flowers in late spring - Tuber
- 117 BRY *Asclepias incarnata* (Milkweed) Pink  
ex 'Cinderella' ~3-4 Ft. - Per
- 118 BRY *Asclepias incarnata* (Milkweed) White  
~3-4 Ft. - Per
- 119 BRY *Begonia grandis*, semi hardy begonia with  
beautiful foliage, pink flowers until hard  
frost; supplied as small tubers - Tuber
- 120 VEN *Calycanthus floridus*, Carolina Allspice  
Dense, rounded deciduous shrub with a  
suckering habit which grows 6-9Ft.  
Reddish-brown flowers in spring. - Shrub  
(from the garden of the late Ray Fielding)
- 121 SHA *Clematis integrifolia*, non-climbing, woody-  
based, herbaceous clematis with nodding  
solitary blue flowers.<2 Ft. - Per
- 122 SHA *Clematis ochroleuca*, Herbaceous. Hairy cream  
coloured urn-shaped flowers. ~30" - Per
- 123 SHA *Clematis viorna*, Herbaceous. Violet -pink urn-  
shaped flowers. - Per
- 124 DAN *Daphne tangutica*, evergreen shrub growing to  
1 m tall and wide, with leathery leaves and  
clusters of fragrant white and pink flowers  
~zone6 †8 - Shrub
- 125 SHA *Deinanthé bifida*  
Perennial hydrangea relative, pale pink flowers,  
part shade - Per
- 126 SHA *Deinanthé caerulea*  
Perennial hydrangea relative, pale mauve  
flowers, part shade - Per

- 127 SHA *Diphylleia cymosa*, Bold foliage plant for moist part shade. Small white flowers followed by dark blue berries held above foliage - Per
- 128 CHR *Erythronium revolutum*, Pink [Fawn Lily](#) Spring blooming 6-20 inches - Per
- 129 SHA *Gentiana lutea*, Bold pleated foliage, spikes of yellow flowers to 5' high, full sun. - Per
- 130 CHR *Gentiana straminea*, creamy flowers, cushion plant habit ~10" Best on moist, lime soil, in sunny location. - Per
- 131 CHR *Gladiolus flanaganii*, "[Suicide Lily](#)" Native of South Africa. Red blooms, tender - Bulb †9
- 132 CHR *Glaucidium palmatum*, Japanese [Wood Lily](#) Shade loving spring blooms. - Per
- 133 DUF *Glaucidium palmatum*, Japanese [Wood Lily](#) Shade loving spring blooms. NS source - Per
- 134 VEN Halesia species, Carolina Silverbell [Small tree](#) with bell-shaped flowers in spring. Attractive seed pods in fall - Tree  
(from the garden of the late Ray Fielding)
- 135 CHR *Hepatica nobilis*, a small evergreen herb found growing in rich woodlands in both America and Europe. Spring flowers are most commonly blue or lavender, borne on hairy stalks. - Per
- 136 SHA *Hyacinthoides non-scripta*, hardy bulb The true English Bluebells. - Bulb †9
- 137 HOW *Hydrangea macrophylla* '[Blue Wave](#)' Tall 6'-9', spread ~ 6' blue in acid soil ~zone 6 - from Annapolis Royal -Shrub
- 138 HOW *Hydrangea serrata* '[Blue Billow](#)' Lacecap variety, slightly hardier than most ~4Ft. height - Shrub
- 139 BRY *Impatiens walleriana*, ex 'Elfin Pink' - Annual
- 140 NOR Iris [domestica](#) (aka Lily belamcanda) -Per
- 141 SHA *Lavatera cashmeriana* (Kashmir Mallow) Large clear pink mallowlike blooms on stems to 4', hardiest of the Lavateras. - Per
- 142 CHR *Lilium mackliniae*, Shirui lily. Rare form, native of India, Probably somewhat tender. Pink flowers, ~ 28"-36" - Bulb †9
- 143 DAN *Lilium martagon* , [Alba](#) White form of the species 3-4Ft. - Bulb †9
- 144 CHR *Lilium martagon*, yellow form that may be a version of *Lilium hansonii* - Bulb
- 145 BRY ex Magnolia '[Ballerina](#)' OP †9 - Tree
- 146 BRY *Magnolia sieboldii*, ex Halifax Hardy †8 late blooming, white/pink center - Tree
- 147 DUM *Magnolia sieboldii*, ex Korea †8 late blooming white/pink center - Tree
- 148 DUM *Magnolia macrophylla*, [bigleaf](#) magnolia †8 Slow to mature, large ivory flowers - Tree
- 149 BRY *Magnolia tripetala*, exotic foliage †8 Upright habit, late bloom - Tree
- 150 WEA *Menzesia ciliicalyx*, dwarf form Has been reclassified as *R. benhallii*
- 151 CHR *Meconopsis baileyi*, Himalayan [Blue Poppy](#) Difficult to [grow](#), but worth the effort. Needs fertile. moist soil. Short-lived - Per
- 152 CHR *Moraea alticola*, semi-hardy. [Iris relative](#) from South Africa. Yellow - Per
- 153 CHR *Nomocharis aperta*, species from China with pink to rosy purple [flowers](#) and variable degrees of dark spotting. ~Tender - Bulb †9
- 154 WEA *Nomocharis* x [finlayorum](#) hybrid swarm that developed in Scotland ~ Tender Bulb †9
- 155 WER *Nomocharis mariei*, syn. of *Nomocharis pardanthina* ~ Tender Bulb †9
- 156 HAR Paeonia hyb. [(*P. ostii* x *P. rockii*) x *P. rockii*] Tree peony, probably white - Per †10
- 157 DAN *Paeonia japonica*, *P. obovata* var. japonica is synonymous with *P. japonica* †10 Single, white, cup-shaped blooms (to 3") with yellow center stamens, mid-season - Per
- 158 DAN *Paeonia mlokosewitschii* , "[Molly the Witch](#)" Yellow - Per †10
- 159 HAR *Paeonia obovata* var japonica, Pink fairly small plant(18-24"), attractive foliage and seed pods. - Per †10
- 160 SHA *Paeonia paradoxa*, syn. for *P. officinalis* Single red flowers. 30" Early - Per †10
- 161 HAR *Paeonia rockii*, Tree Peony - Per †10
- 162 HAR *Paeonia rockii* x *P. linyanshanii* †10 Tree [Peony Hyb.](#) White Good hybrid vigor *P. linyanshanii* is a variant of *P. rockii* -Per
- 163 DAN *Paeonia wittmaniana* subsp. macrophylla A robust [early-flowering](#) Caucasian peony with huge foliage, sometimes the first to bloom. White- pale yellow. -Per †10
- 164 MIN *Papaver miyabeianum*, yellow [Alpine poppy](#) Attractive gray/green foliage ~6-8" Acts as a short lived perennial, treat as an annual and let self-seed. - Per/Annual
- 165 WEA *Phormium tenax* , '[Yellow Wave](#)' New Zealand Flax , 3-4 Ft. tender - ?Per.
- 166 SHA *Phytolacca clavigera*, syn. *P. polyandra* Fluffy [pink flowers](#) followed by blackberry like, non-edible fruit. 3' - Per
- 167 DAN *Primula bulleyana*, Candelabra Primrose, whorls of golden [yellow](#) blooms - Per
- 168 CHR *Primula candelabra* hybrids, a [mix](#) Rosettes of toothed, crinkly leaves topped by imposing flowers. - Per
- 169 DAN *Primula floridae*, Giant Cowslip - Large, fragrant, yellow blooms -Per
- 170 CHR *Primula secundiflora*, Chinese primula, perfect for growing at the edge of ponds/bogs. Bell shaped raspberry [pink flowers](#). - Per
- 171 CHR *Primula vialii*, Vial's [primrose](#), plants ~18"

- with upright poker-shaped, red- tipped lilac-pink flowers, early - midsummer - Per
- 172 POP *Pterostyrax hispida*, fragrant [Epaulette](#) tree  
Large [shrub](#) or tree with white pendulous flower clusters, mid spring. - Tree
- 173 CHR *Pulsatilla vulgaris*, Budapest [Blue](#) ~24”  
fuzzy lavender-purple flowers in earliest spring, followed by fuzzy seed heads - Per
- 174 WEA *Roscoea alpina* -Per
- 175 CHR *Roscoea humeana*, tuberous [perennial](#) of the ginger family. Summer bloom of orchid-like flowers ~8”tall Semi-hardy Mix - Per
- 176 CHR *Roscoea humeana*, Yellow form  
Summer bloom of orchid-like flowers ~8”tall Semi-hardy - Per
- 177 CHR *Saxifraga porophyllum*, cushion or mat forming, evergreen, usually lime-encrusted leaves. No color indicated - Per
- 178 SHA *Serratula coronata* - Dwarf Form  
Creamy fluffy thistle-like flowers. 10" - Per
- 179 SHA [Smilacina racemosa](#), Fluffy white flowers on arching stems followed by red fruit. ~2' - Per
- 180 NOR [Stewartia malacodendron](#) (Silky camellia) (c.w. Winston Co. AL) †8 - Tree
- 181 NOR *Stewartia pseudocamellia* ([Japanese stewartia](#))  
small, slow-growing, pyramidal, deciduous tree which typically matures over time to 20-40' †8 Zone: 5 to 9 - Tree
- 182 CHR *Trillium chloropetalum*, Giant [Wake Robin](#)  
Red flowers, very early ~12-18” Grow in moist well-drained, neutral to acidic soil in shade. Slow to mature. ~Zone 6 - Per
- 183 CHR *Tulipa sprengeri*, Sprenger’s tulip  
A wild tulip from the Pontic coast of Turkey. It is quite rare and possibly extinct in the wild [red flowers](#) ~10” - Bulb †9
- 184 WEA *Wachendorfia thyrsifolia* (Red Root)  
Tall plant found in marshes, streams, and swampy places, native to S. Africa. It has golden [yellow flowers](#) and pleated leaves.  
Tender - Corm †9

## FOOTNOTES

- †1. *R. micranthum* forms a bushy evergreen shrub, ~4 to 5 feet tall, looking more like a *Spirea* or *Ledum* (now a *rhododendron*) in growth habit. The leaves are oblong-elliptic, less than 1" long and very narrow. The flowers are white, unspotted, and tiny. Although the flower buds become quite large by the previous autumn, the plant does not flower until June or July after most *rhododendrons*. Seems reasonably hardy.

- †2. Spectacular and fragrant, for a very cool bright room.  
Use mix with plenty of bark, water sparingly unless about to flower then keep evenly moist.
- †3. ‘Hania’ is a German hybrid hardy to -29C Parentage: ‘Rosilie’ x (‘Peucine’ x ‘Desert Gold’)
- †4. ‘Scotian Sovereign’ = (*R. yakushmanum* x *R. rex* ssp.*rex*) x *R. rex* ssp. *rex*
- †5. ‘Queenswood Centenary’ = *R. arboreum* x *R. yakushmanum*
- †6. *R. forrestii* is possibly var. *tumescens*. Low mounding very red, reliable good blooming plant. Grown from cuttings from Alleyne Cook 15 years ago. He claimed it was the best *R. forrestii* in his garden.
- †7. ‘Odessa’ = ‘Fabia’ Group x *R. smirnowii*
- †8. Seed has been stratified. Store in fridge in plastic packet as received until March/April then sow in warm soil. **Seed will not be shipped until post-freezing temperatures.**
- †9. **Bulb or corm designation indicates the plant will produce a bulb or corm from seed**
- †10. **Peony seed will most likely need a double stratification, warm/moist to yield a root, cold/moist for several months, then warm/moist to stimulate the cotyledon sprout. [Summary here](#)**

More information with photos for K. Theqvist [seed lots](#)

Images for parents [in crosses](#) made by K. Theqvist

Parentage of cultivars used in the crosses:

‘Bellefontaine’ = *R. fortunei* x *R. smirnowii*

‘Dagmar’ = *R. decorum* x ‘Pink Pearl’

‘Great Dane’ = *R. degronianum* ssp. *yakushmanum* x *R. rex*

‘Hehku’ = ‘Elsie Maria’ x ‘Böhmen’

- ‘Elsie Maria’ =

*R. dichroanthum* hybrid

‘Kristian’s Moonlight’ = ‘P.M.A. Tigerstedt’ x ‘Alli’

- ‘P.M.A. Tigerstedt’ =

*R. brachycarpum* ssp. *tigerstedtii* x ?

- ‘Alli’ = *R. brachycarpum* x *R. aureum*

‘Mikkeli’, syn. ‘St. Michel’ = *R. brachycarpum* ssp. *tigerstedtii* x *R. smirnowii*

## NOTES

1. Open-pollinated species, with the exception of a very few, may not come true from seed. Cultivars, with the exception of a few perennials do not come true. Plants from these seeds should be labelled as being “ex” that species or cultivar.

**2.** The 2020 Seed List will be posted on the Internet with insertion of images and links to help in your decision-making. Updates re availability will be posted there.

<http://www.willowgarden.net>

Follow the links for 2020 ARHS Seed Exchange.

A link to the list will be inserted on the Atlantic Rhodo site.

[www.atlanticrhodo.org](http://www.atlanticrhodo.org)

**3.** See the ARHS website for an article on growing rhododendrons from seed.

**4.** When sowing rhododendrons on peat we recommend you sterilize it first. Microwave it for 15 minutes or pour boiling water through it several times. Allow to cool.

**5.** We would like to thank the seed donors for their time and effort making crosses, collecting and cleaning seeds.



**ARHS 2020 SEED EXCHANGE**  
(THIS FORM MUST BE USED)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ *Packets @ \$2.50 = \$* \_\_\_\_\_

**note: 066\*\* is \$5.00**  
**109\* is free**

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**List acceptable substitutes in the chart below in the order of preference.**

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**Return form with payment as per instructions to:**

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