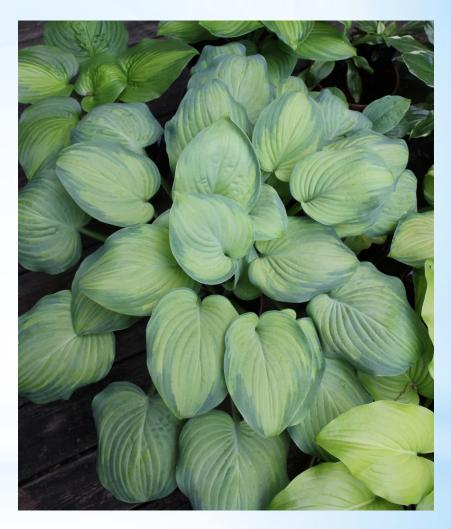
# \* 2015 Hosta Preview

# New Hostas from Green Hill Farm

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#### \* 'Ambrosia' PPAF

Ambrosia is "the food of the gods" and this hosta is certainly good enough to eat. It is simply divine. It is a blue-margined, light yellow-centered sport of my own 'Guacamole' that performs just as well in the garden, making a large clump that enjoys bright light. Like ambrosia it is fragrant and may also have the same mythological healing powers. This hosta is close to perfection. \$40



We plan to patent this one!

#### \* 'Leather and Lace'

The first time I saw this wonderfully ruffled seedling of Don Dean's , I literally got goose bumps. This small blue hosta has a creamy white border and forms a tight pinwheel in the garden. It is unlike any hosta I know, unique and very beautiful. \$35





# \* 'Evening Blush'

Even if this medium-sized hosta never bloomed, it's pointed blue leaves with rich purple petioles would make it a stand out in the garden. The purple flowers however are spectacular, just look above. Truly a complete hosta from Don Dean. **\$40 HH** 



Photos courtesy of Don Dean

# \*'Icy Halo'

Nancy loves 'Sum and Substance' sports. She loves their round leaves and their huge size. This new sport of 'Parhelion' has rich green leaves and a pure white margin. Save a large space for this dramatic hosta that is the pride and joy of Cindy Tomashek in Minnesota. \$45



# \* 'Rough Knight'

Doug Beilstein has a special place in his hosta heart for cupped hostas, so do I. This small to medium blue-green beauty has very cupped leaves with perfect little rows of puckers. All the leaves appear to be emerging from a single point like a bouquet of foliage, to decorate the garden. Great in a pot also. \$25 HH





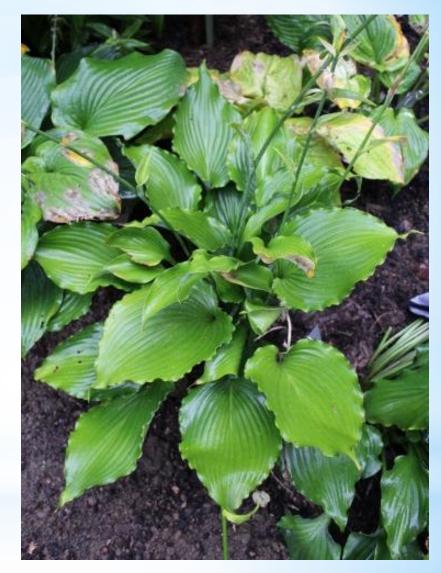
# \* 'Infatuation'

Rich cranberry petioles on a flowing waxy, blue leaf is a mystifying color combination, rarely seen in hostas. This seedling of mine is a great mix of the species *H. longipes*, *H. kikutii*, and *H. pycnophylla*. It demands attention and deserves a special spot in the garden or a ceramic container. Beautiful purple scapes produce seed pods easily. Great for hybridizing. \$30



#### \* 'Petticoat Junction'

Doug Beilstein is rapidly producing a fine group of highly ruffled blue hostas. A very waxy, broad leafed, medium-sized hosta, 'Petticoat Junction' has a lively appearance, with its tight ruffles and twisted leaf tips. I love this look. **\$25 HH** 



#### \* 'Hobby Time'

My goal was to produce a large yellow hosta that stays yellow and grows. 'Hobby Time' is just that. The result of four crosses within the *H. montana* family, from 'Kinkaku' to 'Hercules', its large leaves and prominent veins make a dramatic statement all summer long. \$40 HH



#### \*'Hallelujah'

This seedling has the pedigree of two great hostas, 'Halcyon' and 'Blue Betty Lou'. It is medium to large with bright blue leaves that are cupped like a decorative serving dish with strong venation and good substance. Its simplistic beauty is classic. \$20



Photo courtesy of Q & Z Nursery

# \*'Envy'

This flashy hosta has a very showy yellow margin that will become white in late summer. A seedling of Doug Beilstein's, it has a somewhat upright habit making a medium-sized clump. It always catches my eye from across the hoop house. Perfect next to any very blue hosta. \$25



#### \*'Winter Frost'

This heavily waxed blue beauty is the first of a group of wonderfully ruffled, very blue hostas from Doug Beilstein. As a young plant it looks strikingly different from other blue hostas and matures into an elegant medium-sized clump in the garden. Its frost lasts well into summer. \$25



## \* 'Light Ray'

A seedling from plantsman Graham Ray of Greensboro, NC, this upright hosta has large leaves with a wide, wonderful white border. Imagine it as a little like 'Victory' but a size or so smaller. Striking in a container in a special spot in the garden. \$30 HH

# Photo coming soon!