

GREEN HILL FARM, INC.

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Spring 2017 Hosta Liner List, January Availability

For the last several years we have been offering some of our best new hostas as liners. This is the third year of our new production system and hopefully the third year is the charm. We will send you several availability lists of our Classic Hosta Liners™ this year with different delivery times. **The hostas on this January Availability are now dormant in the nursery and are ready to be shipped now or later in the spring as quantities allow. Please order early to avoid disappointment as some quantities are limited.**

The wholesale hosta market has seen the price for hosta liners fall to extreme lows in the past decade. While this has been good for the consumer, it has also resulted in the demise of two cutting edge liner producers of new hosta cultivars. I think many in our business have forgotten that hostas have value and that they are not inexpensive to produce. Our liner prices are generally one half or less than our bare root plants which in turn are less than half of their retail price. For Example: The very popular ‘Blueberry Waffles’ is a \$4.00 liner, a \$10.00 bare root plant for a hosta that averages \$20-25.00 retail. Yes, **we do offer quantity discounts on all our hosta offerings**, just ask and we will be glad to work with you as best we can. We want this to be profitable for us all.

Classic Hosta Liners™ in 96 plug trays and the minimum order is only 12 per cultivar with a total minimum liner order of 48 plants.

These hostas are ready for immediate delivery!

* GHF Introduction

- ‘1st and Ten’ Very large. Tall mound of blue green shovel shaped leaves that are somewhat ruffled and puckered, makes an impressive clump. \$4.00 each
- ‘Aphrodite’ Large. Doubled-flowered form of *H. plantaginea*. Light green, shiny, sun tolerant foliage and large double white flowers that are very fragrant. \$3.75
- ‘Baby Booties’ Mini. Bright white-margined mini with green heart-shaped leaves, rapidly makes a cute little clump. \$4.00
- * ‘Beet Salad’ Medium. Attractive, rapidly growing mound of light green leaves with thin red margins! Bright red scapes with attractive dark lavender flowers. \$5.00
- ‘Blue Mouse Ears’ Mini. Classic round blue-leafed “mouse”, makes a tight mound. Still very popular as a container plant. \$2.00

- ‘Blueberry Waffles’ Very large. Perfect mound of deep blue rounded leaves that are intensely puckered. Nice near white flowers. Rapidly becoming a classic. \$4.00
- *‘Cracker Crumbs’ Mini. Bright honey-yellow leaves painted with a dark green margin. Makes a tight flat mound, perfect in a pot or in the garden. \$3.75
- ‘Earth Angel’ Huge. Wide yellow margined form of ‘Blue Angel’. Impressive size and color, very heat and sun tolerant. Limited. \$3.00
- ‘Evening Blush’ Medium. Great new blue with wavy pointed leaves, purple petioles, and fantastic purple flowers that swirl around the scape. \$5.00
- *‘First Blush’^{PPAF} Medium. Green leaves with red petioles and red margins, then entire leaf blushes purplish red. Our first red-leafed hosta is a true breakthrough!
\$12.00 ask for quantity discounts!!!
- *‘First Frost’ Medium. Excellent yellow-margined blue leaves with good substance. Classic sport of ‘Halcyon’. Limited. \$3.00
- ‘Lemon Love Note’ Mini. Cute yellow ruffled and twisted leaves that make a dense mound. An eye catcher in the spring. \$3.50
- ‘Limey Lisa’ Mini. Ruffled, almost round, cupped lime green leaves that spiral out from clump center. Rapid growth. \$3.75
- *‘Mango Salsa’ Medium. A shining beacon in the spring of yellow wavy leaves with deep red petioles and scapes. Sun tolerant. One of our best. \$5.00
- ‘Pebble Creek’ Large. Heavily puckered large gold leaves that become brighter as the season progresses. Makes a perfectly rounded clump. \$4.50
- ‘Sagae’ Huge. Large pointed blue leaves with a bright yellow margin that becomes white. Classic from Japan. Limited. \$3.00
- *‘Sugar Plum’ Medium. Upright medium green leaves with deep purple petioles up into the leaf. White leaf backs are held up for you to see!!! Great in a container. \$4.50
- ‘Urchin’ Small. Upright narrow, very wavy dark green leaves that appear spiny. Dark scapes add color contrast in mid-summer. I do like this one. \$3.50
- ‘Wonderful’ Mini. Very flat teardrop shaped yellow leaves form a very cute symmetric miniature mound. Grows well for a tiny hosta, has proportional blooms. \$3.75
- ‘World Cup’ Large. Very upright gold round leaves that are extremely cupped and held horizontally. AHGA Hosta of the Year in 2018. A must have hosta!
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