



PICKENS COUNTY

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Hello Gardeners -

The Pickens County Master Gardener 2019 4-H Plant Sale Has a New Look!

We are proud to present our hand-picked selection of unique, hard to find native and pollinating plants from our 2019 4-H Plant Sale Catalog. This newly created list of plants is not a routine landscaper's choice, but rather features plants chosen for the unique climate of our Georgia mountain environment.

If you have been yearning for Spring and planting opportunities (or just missing the charm of wild Black-Eyed Susans by the roadside), here is your solution for those dreams. Our Master Gardeners have compiled a generous list of suitable, sustainable plants (many of which are heirlooms) that you can reserve for purchase by mailing the enclosed order form to the Extension office at 502 Stegall Drive, Jasper, GA 30143, or by bringing it to our office **no later than Friday, March 15, 2019**. Once reserved and purchased, your plant selections will be ready for pick up at the Pickens High School barn on Saturday, April 13th from 8:00-12:00 or on Monday, April 15th from 5:00-7:00 pm (your choice). *All orders must be accompanied by cash, check or money order.* Sorry but we are unable to accept credit or debit cards, per University direction. Additional order forms and descriptions may be found on our website pickensmg.org under 'Plant Sale' and in our office.

This year, successful landscaping can enhance the beauty of your own property *and* support local youth and organizations at the same time. By purchasing plants from the 2019 4-H Spring Plant Sale, you will help fund our 4H programs. Your support enables our youth to compete at both local and state levels in a variety of subjects, as well as attend summer camps and participate in community service projects. It also allows the Pickens County Master Gardeners to continue supporting many local charitable organizations (including Habitat for Humanity, ACES and Good Samaritan) in a variety of planting and landscaping projects, to sponsor workshops, and to provide programs at the Saturday Farmers Market. Additionally, Master Gardener members help man the office for the Extension Agency.

Questions about the plant sale or about becoming a Master Gardener can be answered at 706-253-8840, or by visiting pickensmg.org and clicking on the Plant Sale link. Have a great year gardening, and thank you for your continuing support of our programs!

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